

TROTTECH TIPS

NZ Metropolitan Trotting Club Inc – Thursday 7th December 2017

Track: 1193m **Surface:** All Weather

Form Analyst: Andrew Fitzgerald

Game plan

Best Bet(s)

Race 4: (5) Royal Tribute

Race 5: (2) Tara Tutaia

Best Eachway Bet

Race 8: (4) Glengarry Rose

Best Place Bet

Race 3: (7) Bettor Chance

Early Quaddie R1-4

8,9,10/3,4,5,8/6,8/5

Late Quaddie R5-8

2/4,5,6/4,9/4,6

Race 1:

Selections: (9) Art Union, (8) Romanite, (10) Zakspatrol, (6) Eja Patron

Suggested bet: (8) Romanite

Comments: (9) Art Union will be the talk horse of this amateur drivers event, a rating 101 pacer who last start contested the Hannon Memorial, even at 80% he should be winning this but he will start too short for me, the eachway value will be (8) Romanite another runner sent South by Tim Vince, his runner last week led up and smashed the field by 4 lengths, similar tactics on his guy could result in another winner for the Sheryl Wigg/Tim Vince combo. (10) Zakspatrol returns to the stable of Robert Dunn after some handy performances of late, can play a part here. (6) Eja Patron has been in better races than this of late, needs to do everything right early and is a must have in first 4s.

Ratings: 9/8/10/6/6/3/11/2

Race 2:

Selections: (8) Well Defined, (5) Jedi Josh, (3) Mystical Star, (4) One Over Da Skye

Suggested bet: (8) Well Defined

Comments: (8) Well Defined put in a good resuming run a fortnight ago at Motukarara, draw isn't too bad, leading chance. (5) Jedi Josh has been looking to break out of a maidens for a while, can win at nice odds. (3) Mystical Star has shown ability at trials and workouts, nice draw and the run last time was handy enough. (4) One Over Da Skye has been ticking along well at the trials/workouts, can win this fresh up.

Ratings: 8/5/3/6/10/12/11/9



Race 3:

Selections: (8) Rockaball, (6) Angel Of Harlem, (7) Bettor Chance, (9) Pirate Bay

Suggested bet: (8) Rockaball

Comments: I've gone with **(8) Rockaball** on top, has done nothing wrong in his career so far, Blair Orange in the bike gives him another tick. **(6) Angel Of Harlem** looked big in condition last week so will improve a heap on that run, may take another run to get her to full fitness but has the talent to win. **(7) Bettor Chance** drops back to an ideal race and her best distance, drops back out of stronger races without much luck of late. Can place. **(9) Pirate Bay** ran well in a strong junior drivers field last start, can fill a top four spot here.

Ratings: 8/6/7/9/3/1/2/5

Race 4:

Selections: (5) Royal Tribute, (7) Jacko's Big Collect, (8) Johnny Mac, (1) Betterthanspraying

Suggested bet: (5) Royal Tribute

Comments: **(5) Royal Tribute** was good enough to race some talented types last campaign, workout was good, looks the leading chance here. **(7) Jacko's Big Collect** beaten by a couple of handy ones at the workouts recently, looks to have ability, can win on debut. **(8) Johnny Mac** put a line through the debut run, trialling well, leading chance even from this draw. **(1) Betterthanspraying** lobs the ace draw and went down fighting last start, drawn to get a good trip and looks a nice eachway chance here.

Ratings: 5/7/8/1/3/2/9/4

Race 5:

Selections: (2) Tara Tutaia, (4) Dundee Lady, (3) Sweet Loress, (6) Hot Off The Press

Suggested bet: (2) Tara Tutaia

Comments: **(2) Tara Tutaia** gets into a very winnable junior drivers event here, has been in super form of late and this looks hers for the taking. **(4) Dundee Lady** has ability but has taking a while to handle the rise out of maidens, can win this with a good trip. **(3) Sweet Loress** has ability on her day and will be improved with the fresh up run, look for her late. **(6) Hot Off The Press** comes from a strong barn and the form of late has been good enough, upset hope.

Ratings: 2/4/3/6/8/9/10/5

Race 6:

Selections: (5) Gunpowder, (6) Just Dance, (4) Hundie, (2) Kotare Elite

Suggested bet: (5) Gunpowder

Comments: **(5) Gunpowder** went down fighting at Forbury park, Cox back in the sulky and looks a leading hope here. **(6) Just Dance** is a filly with a bit of ability, just beaten last start by a handy horse and this looks within her reach. **(4) Hundie** got the money at Oamaru, can go on with it from this draw. **(2) Kotare Elite** comes into this fresh, workout win was good.

Ratings: 5/6/4/2/9/3/1/7



Race 7:

Selections: (9) **Jaw D Nancy**, (4) **Beg Hall**, (3) **BK Dawn**, (7) **Medusa**

Suggested bet: (4) **Beg Hall**

Comments: (9) **Jaw D Nancy** put a line through the Geraldine run after a early break, prior two wins including show day victory were super, looks a leading chance here. (4) **Beg Hall** will take huge improvement out of his fresh up defeat, this looks like a good race for him and the distance/course suits him. (3) **BK Dawn** put two solid wins together, rises in class for this but winning form is good form. (7) **Medusa** was a good winner on the grass a few weeks back, just okay on the grit last time, top four chance here but may go best on the grass.

Ratings: 9/4/3/7/6/8/5/1

Race 8:

Selections: (4) **Glengarry Rose**, (6) **Earthquake**, (10) **King Size**, (3) **All Nuts N Bolts**

Suggested bet: (4) **Glengarry Rose**

Comments: (4) **Glengarry Rose** was seen storming home last start, this is an even field and she gets her chance here. (6) **Earthquake's** form line doesn't read very well, last week was better and will look to roll forward to a leading spot. (10) **King Size** another racing in good form, must have in this small field. (3) **All Nuts N Bolts** has had some tough runs of late, this field isn't strong, can sneak up at good place odds.

Ratings: 4/6/10/3/5/7/8/9