

ON THIS DATE (1988) – This is the 2nd to last day of this meet. The 2nd to the last day of the 1988 meet included the “Duel at the Downs”, a match race between Bill Shoemaker and Julie Krone. Krone (aboard Don’tfoolwithme) won by a head over Shoemaker (aboard Dakota Slew). Interesting that John Bullit was the also-eligible had there been a scratch.

CANTERBURY

Wednesday 9/15/21

BEST BET: 7 O’BABE (7 TH)	RACE 5 PICK 4 \$84	RACE 8 PICK 5 \$360
LONGSHOT: 2 PRINCE RA (9 TH)	2,3,5,6,7,9,11 * 1,2,3,9	4,6 * 1,2,3,6,7,8,9,10
LIKELY: 1 CHESS MASTER (4 TH)	7 * 2,3,4,5,6,9	1,6,9 * 5,6,7,8,9 * 2,3,4



<p>1 - CANTERBURY PARK (5:10 CT) 64 MDN CLM 25K, 1M 70Y TURF</p> <p>3 CREATIVE MIND 5-2 WADE 1 SMARTY ALEX 7-2 ARROYO 5 OXWOOD 8-1 LINDSAY 4 DARK SOLUTION 8-1 VALENZUELA</p> <p>PICK: 3 CREATIVE MIND Very well-bred colt for Mac Robertson. This is a sib to graded stakes placed Uncle Lino. The 2nd dam is Oatsee who is the dam of \$3M earner Shackelford. This one hasn’t lived up to the pedigree yet but the last start was much improved. Leading rider aboard.</p> <p>VALUE: 5 OXWOOD Comes out of a mdn 16k claimer where he finished third at 9-1. He did that despite going 5-wide there. Had an even wider trip in the start two back. Looks like this level maiden claiming is where he belongs for Silva. Should be closing into a fast pace in here. A) 1,3 B) 2,4,5,8 C) 6,7</p>	<p>2 - CANTERBURY PARK (5:40 CT) 47 CLM 7K, 1M 70Y TURF</p> <p>1 SO ALIVE 6-1 CANCHARI 2 STITZY 5-2 EIKLEBERRY 6 MINNESOTA LUCKY 8-1 QUINONEZ 11 MY BOY LOLLIPOP 4-1 FUENTES</p> <p>PICK: 1 SO ALIVE Was a significant class dropper last time out. Went off favored in there and he didn’t disappoint with a strong rally to win at the wire. Moves to the turf in here where he’s run just once (3 back). That was in a good MSW. Breeding is for grass. In the right spot.</p> <p>VALUE: 11 MY BOY LOLLIPOP Doesn’t get a good post position here but as a big closer it’s likely Fuentes just tucks him in and gets down to the inside early. Only off the board on turf was two back when beaten just two at 5-1. Trainer has been live with his runners. Might be an overlay. A) 1,2,6 B) 3,10,11 C) 4,5,7,8,9</p>	<p>3 - CANTERBURY PARK (6:10 CT) 69 MSW 30K, 5.5F DIRT</p> <p>5 TWISTED DIXIE 3-1 HARR 3 RUNAWAY HARRY 2-1 FUENTES 2 BAYOU COLONEL 9-2 QUINONEZ 6 OUT RUN’M 7-2 NEGRON</p> <p>PICK: 5 TWISTED DIXIE Beat some of these in the last start at nearly 14-1 in a similar spot. He was eligible to be better in there as he looks more like a sprinter. Runner-up and 5th from the MSW sprint 3 back won a CBY MSW and RP MSW next. Harr been better than her record in 2021.</p> <p>VALUE: 2 BAYOU COLONEL 4YO gelding got a late start (back in June) and was gelded right before that start. He comes from that female line that produced a bunch of good runners for this ownership (i.e. Twoko Bay, Benny the Bull). Rengstorf hitting above 21% at the meet here in '21. A) 3,5 B) 2,6 C) 4,7</p>
<p>4 - CANTERBURY PARK (6:40 CT) 77 STR ALLW 20K, 5F TURF</p> <p>1 CHESS MASTER 8-5 WADE 7 PERFECT FANNY 6-1 CANCHARI 6 TORENO 7-2 EIKLEBERRY 5 RUSTY CAGE 12-1 QUINONEZ</p> <p>PICK: 1 CHESS MASTER Shipped in from Keeneland four back and won at 5F on the turf and set the track record in the process. 4th beaten a bit over a length in a loaded Dark Star T Sprint three back. Winner two back is a 300k earner who won an opt clm by 5 next. Just needs a trip here.</p> <p>VALUE: 7 PERFECT FANNY New rider Canchari gets up today. Looked ready to make a big run at 23-1 in the last start but he had to alter ground and lost some momentum. Ended up about two back there. Has a blow out win here going 5F (3 back). Similar puts him in the mix here. A) 1 B) 6,7 C) 2,4,5</p>	<p>5 - CANTERBURY PARK (7:10 CT) 60 MSW 30K, 5F TURF</p> <p>11 REID’S FANGIRL 5-2 QUINONEZ 7 LIPSTICK LADY 12-1 CANCHARI 6 LEX K 6-1 GOODWIN 3 DEBBIE’S SURPRISE 10-1 FUENTES</p> <p>PICK: 11 REID’S FANGIRL Leading trainer Mac Robertson normally wins a lot at the end of the meet (he had 4 wins and 4 places in the final two days last year). 25k Bayern filly was steadied midway in the debut but gathered to fire late with run. Will have to negotiate this wide post.</p> <p>VALUE: 7 LIPSTICK LADY She was in the same race as the top choice 2 back and ran about 2 behind that one. Willing to excuse the last start going one mile when she was floated out wide on the first turn and lost a lot of ground in there. Is making her 7th start and third on the grass. A) 11 B) 2,3,5,6,7,9 C) 1,4,8,10</p>	<p>6 - CANTERBURY PARK (7:40 CT) 68 CLM 5K, 6.5F DIRT</p> <p>3 SHES GOT IT 9-2 CONNING 2 DROP O’CHOCOLATE 5-1 HAMILTON 1 PRETTI TA KELA 4-1 WADE 9 BRAHMS IS WHO 6-1 FUENTES</p> <p>PICK: 3 SHES GOT IT Comes back on 6 days rest after she ran well for a 10-1 third place finish at this level. She was off a bit slow in there but wasn’t disgraced. She was wide 2 back vs. 10k company but beaten just 4. Rider has a couple of wins here recently. Likely minor award.</p> <p>VALUE: 2 DROP O’ CHOCOLATE Mn-bred was the 5-2 favorite in the last start. Pace was pretty fast and she tired setting that early fast pace. She won twice in four starts prior to that last fading effort. Trainer has had a good season and was the leading trainer in 2020. Expect better here. A) 3 B) 1,2 C) 5,6,7,9</p>

<p>7 - CANTERBURY PARK (8:10 CT) 84 MSW 35K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>7 O'BABE 4-1 HAMILTON 3 RUNNERS HEAT 9-2 WADE 4 THE CHAMPS KID 6-1 BUTLER 1 LUCY'S LOOKIN LEFT 5-2 CANCHARI</p> <p>PICK: 7 O'BABE Had her on top in the Northern Lights Debutante as a first timer a week ago. The top two got clear and were tough to run down. This one ran very well for third in front of four foes despite being rank. She'll get a lot out of that race. Is a sib to a grade 3 winner.</p> <p>VALUE: RUNNERS HEAT As the season winds down, Robertson is poised for another training title. He's got 3 horses in here and this is a first timer. Dam earned over 200k (all dirt racing). Robertson is 6 for 22 with a Mn-bred firster here and has two such wins at this meet (at 6-1, 3-1).</p> <p>A) 7 B) 3,4 C) 1,6</p>	<p>8 - CANTERBURY PARK (8:40 CT) 58 CLM 5K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>4 EVEN PANDURA 5-2 WADE 6 PEAK OF CHIC 6-1 FUENTES 2 LASTING INFLUENCE 4-1 LOPEZ 5 COCO LOCO MAMA 12-1 VALENZUELA</p> <p>PICK: 4 EVEN PANDURA As we get to the end of the meet, top trainers with a lot of horses like this trainer Diodoro will drop some down in order to save on shipping if they claimed in there. This one was competing for opt clm 20k last few starts so this is a major drop. Leading rider is up.</p> <p>VALUE: 6 PEAK OF CHIC Another major class dropper but this one won last out on the turf for 16k. Was claimed for just 10k in the start four back so there isn't much risk in this 5k claimer if they lose her. Dirt not an issue as she broke her maiden on it four back by over 7-lengths.</p> <p>A) 4,6 B) 2,3,5,9 C) 1,7,10</p>	<p>9 - CANTERBURY PARK (9:10 CT) 25 OPT CLM 31K, 6.5F DIRT</p> <p>2 PRINCE RAMA 3-1 EIKLEBERRY 7 MINE MY TIME 6-1 FUENTES 8 CANDY PRINCE 8-1 FUENTES 10 SOMETHING SUPER 12-1 VALENZUELA</p> <p>PICK: 2 PRINCE RAMA Mn-bred has two blowout wins in his 9-race career. He just got up for the win last out in opt clm. Good to see Eikleberry back up as he likely has options for some of these trainers. Speed figures are good in this context. Draws well in the 2 post for his style.</p> <p>VALUE: 7 MINE MY TIME Despite having a win on a wet track, it doesn't look like he had any interest in that surface two back in what was a very sloppy surface. Claimed from that race and ran very well in a strong opt clm last time for Rosin. The winner has won 4 straight for Diodoro.</p> <p>A) 2,7,8,10 B) 1,3,6,9,11 C) 4,5</p>
<p>10 - CANTERBURY PARK (9:40 CT) 33 MDN CLM 5K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>6 MOONSHINE MOXY 9-2 VALENZUELA 9 FORTHELOVEOFFLYDIA 9-5 WADE 1 CANTERBURY GOLD 6-1 QUINONEZ 5 CRAZY GOOD 4-1 NEGRON</p> <p>PICK: 6 MOONSHINE MOXY 3YO filly had been running on turf (which is where it would appear she'd be at her best given the Lemon Drop Kid influence in the pedigree) but outran her 17-1 odds on the main track in last when she hung in well for second. Drops from MSW to maiden clm.</p> <p>VALUE: 1 CANTERBURY GOLD This is another MSW to maiden claiming dropper in here. She is starting on the dirt for just the 3rd time and first in over a year. Has route speed so it looks as if she'll be tracking the pace from the rail today. Trainer and owner have had an excellent '21 meet.</p> <p>A) 6,9 B) 1,4,5,7 C) 3,8</p>	<p>11 - CANTERBURY PARK (10:10 CT) 62 MDN CLM 25K, 1M DIRT</p> <p>7 TOP DOG 7-2 FUENTES 5 FEEDING FRENZY 2-1 EIKLEBERRY 6 KOVACS 9-2 VALENZUELA 9 SHAKELAS DESTINY 10-1 QUINONEZ</p> <p>PICK: 7 TOP DOG Dam was a G1 winner in 2000 when she won the G1 Del Mar Debutante for David Hofmans. Sire won the Kentucky Derby and Breeders' Cup Juvenile around 15 years ago. Despite that lofty pedigree, he drops in for a tag after nibbling in MSW. Expecting better.</p> <p>VALUE: 6 KOVACS This gelding has started four times. The two starts in for this 25k tag produced second place finishes in both. Winner of last was trading punches w/ Top Dog prior and won for fun on the similar class drop that he is taking. Will be closing into the pace here.</p> <p>A) 5,7 B) 6,8,9 C) 1,2,3,4</p>	<p>12 - CANTERBURY PARK (10:40 CT) 54 MDN CLM 5K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>3 LOW TIDE WARNING 5-1 WILLIAMS 4 SQUARED STRAIGHT 3-1 NEGRON 2 DIABLO CUERNO 12-1 HARR 7 DIRTY DEEDS 2-1 QUINONEZ</p> <p>PICK: 3 LOW TIDE WARNING Moved to the dirt when the race came off the grass due to rain in last. Closed in for 3rd at boxcar odds in that race. 4th from that race dropped to mdn clm 16k and won by 7. 5th won a MSW on the turf 2 starts later. Benefits if the pace gets very fast early today.</p> <p>VALUE: 2 DIABLO CUERNO Trainer has had a decent year. This one was gelded since his last start and moves to this new outfit on the ship from Iowa. Major class drop from mdn 30k claiming company. Third from that race won a MSW and then an allw at PRM since. Ran well here in '20.</p> <p>A) 2,3,4 B) 5,7 C) 1,6</p>