

# ROAD TO THE MEADOWLANDS PACE

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The \$1 million Meadowlands Pace will take place July 18, 2009



RANK	HORSE	DRIVER, TRAINER, OWNER	BOB HEYDEN'S COMMENTS
1	WELL SAID	Ron Pierce, Steve Elliott, Jeff Snyder, Lothlorien	Handed Keep It Real his first defeat by a quarter-length in 1:50 in North America Cup elim. Installed 2-1 morning line favorite from post 5 in NA Cup Final June 27 at Mohawk.
2	DIAL OR NODIAL	Brian Sears, Jim Campbell, Arlene & Jules Siegel	Comes off his best effort, winning his North America Cup elimination despite his cover stopping in his face in the last turn.
3	ART COLONY	John Campbell, Casie Coleman, Tom Hill	Second in his NA Cup elimination and heads to the final with Campbell looking for his record 7th win.
4	MR WIGGLES	Corey Callahan, George Teague Jr., Elmer Fannin	Uncorked a 25.4 opening quarter in his NA Cup elim and held on for wire-to-wire victory in 1:51.3.
5	VINTAGE MASTER	Daniel Dube, Jimmy Takter, Brittany Farms	Broke before the start in NA Cup elim but made a huge recovery to get a check. Won't get to the final but is a force to be reckoned with as Takter looks for first Pace score.
6	ANNIESWESTERNCARD	Ron Pierce, Joe Seekman, Sawgrass Farms, T. L. Deters	Came up big in his NA Cup elim with strong gate speed and held for second at 50-1. Draws post 9 in the final.
7	LISAGAIN	Andy Miller, Erv Miller, John Carver, Mystical Marker Fams	Bet down to 6/5 in his NA Cup elimination but never fired. Lis Mara's brother obviously needs to get it together if he's going to challenge this strong crop in the Pace.
8	SHEER DESIRE	Dave Palone, Ron Burke, Karr, Ringer, JJK Stb, Burke Racing	Had a good trip in NA Cup elim but didn't have it when he needed it in the stretch. He's got 4 weeks to shape up for the Pace.
9	PASSMASTER HANOVER	Tim Tetrick, Blair Burgess, Jeff Snyder, Brittany Farms	Torched in NA Cup elim and didn't make the final. It was only his 6th time behind the starting gate, so his best days clearly await him. NJ Classic winner already has shown a liking to the Meadowlands oval.
10	IF I CAN DREAM	George Brennan, Tracy Brainard, Bulletproof Enterprises	Won the Rooney, then his NA Cup elim. One to fear in the NA Cup final.

## KEY PREP RACES

Date	Stakes	Site	Winner	Trainer	Driver	2 <sup>nd</sup> Horse	3 <sup>rd</sup> Horse	Time
5/2	Berry's Creek	M	River Shark	Dave Sabatelli	Dan Dube	WESTERN POSSE	DROP RED	1:51.3
5/2	Berry's Creek	M	HYPNOTIC BLUE CHIP	Mark Harder	Tim Tetrick	ARCTIC WARRIOR	VERTIGO HANOVER	1:51.2
5/9	Berry's Creek	M	ANNIESWESTERNCARD	Joe Seekman	Ron Pierce	DROP RED	ARCTIC WARRIOR	1:51.1
5/16	NJSS	M	DROP RED	Bob Horowitz	George Brennan	VINTAGE MASTER	PAIR A DICE	1:52
5/16	NJSS	M	Redneck Riviera	Erv Miller	Andy Miller	Poker Shark	Western Posse	1:52
5/23	NJSS	M	IDEAL DANNY	Erv Miller	Andy Miller	DIAL OR NODIAL	Ideal De Vie	1*50.4
5/23	NJSS	M	DROP RED	Bob Horowitz	George Brennan	ESTERO BAY	Redneck Riviera	1:50.4
5/23	Hempt Final	Poc	JOHNNY Z	George Teague Jr.	Brian Sears	Rusty's All In	Gallant Yankee	1:51.4
5/30	NJSS Final	M	DIAL OR NODIAL	Jim Campbell	Brian Sears	VINTAGE MASTER	DROP RED	1:50.1
5/30	Hoosier Cup	HoP	MR WIGGLES	George Teague Jr.	Corey Callahan	CHASIN RACIN	Nob Hill High	1:52.1
6/6	NJ Class. Elim	M	DIAL OR NODIAL	Jim Campbell	Brian Sears	SOMBRERO BLUE CHIP	ESTERO BAY	1:50.2
6/6	NJ Class. Elim	M	PASSMASTER HANOVER	Blair Burgess	Tim Tetrick	VINTAGE MASTER	RIDING THE RAPIDS	1:50.3
6/13	NJ Classic	M	PASSMASTER HANOVER	Blair Burgess	Tim Tetrick	VINTAGE MASTER	DIAL OR NODIAL	1:50.2
6/13	Burlington	Moh	Carnivore	Jack Darling	Paul Macdonell	ART COLONY	Manhattan Blue Chip	1:51.3
6/13	Burlington	Moh	Keep It Real	Joey Shea	Steve Condren	LISAGAIN	SCHOOLKIDS	1:50.2
6/13	Burlington	Moh	IDEAL DANNY	Erv Miller	Ron Pierce	BAY OF SHARKS	CHASIN RACIN	1:51.1
6/13	Art Rooney	Y	IF I CAN DREAM	Tracy Brainard	George Brennan	Venice Menace	Mobile	1:52.1
6/20	NA Cup Elim	Moh	WELL SAID	Steve Elliott	Ron Pierce	Keep It Real	CHASIN RACIN	1:50
6/20	NA Cup Elim	Moh	IF I CAN DREAM	Tracy Brainard	George Brennan	ANNIESWESTERNCARD	ARCTIC WARRIOR	1:51.1
6/20	NA Cup Elim	Moh	MR WIGGLES	George Teague Jr.	Corey Callahan	ART COLONY	MILLIONAIRE CAM	1:51.3
6/20	NA Cup Elim	Moh	DIAL OR NODIAL	Jim Campbell	Brian Sears	OK Boromir	BAY OF SHARKS	1:50.2
6/27	NA Cup	Moh						
7/4	Jersey Cup	M						
7/11	Med Pace Elim	M						

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