

MEET THE CONTENDERS

2024

REMINGTON SPRINGBOARD MILE

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COAL BATTLE



PRO: Stretch-running colt is 2-for-2 on dirt.

CON: Faltered in his two previous starts racing one mile, albeit on turf.

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BLUE ANGEL



PRO: Rallied to win his lone start to date.

CON: Needs to improve upon his 60 Brisnet Speed rating.

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SPEED KING



PRO: Wired his debut at Churchill Downs with a strong 87 Brisnet Speed rating.

CON: He's bred for speed and is running a quarter-mile farther than in his debut.

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DOMINANT SPIRIT



PRO: Speedy gelding missed by only half a length when second in the Clever Trevor S.

CON: It's possible one mile is farther than he wants to run.

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BROOKLYN ALLEY CAT



PRO: Recently rallied to win an allowance over the track and distance of the Springboard Mile.

CON: His career-best 77 Brisnet Speed rating looks a little light.

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ESSAY



PRO: Exits victory in a Remington Park allowance.

CON: Finished behind Springboard Mile rival Jolly Samurai when eighth in the Kip Deville S.

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JOLLY SAMURAI



PRO: Unbeaten colt has won the Kip Deville and Clever Trevor at Remington.

CON: Stretching out over one mile is a new question mark.

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COMPLEX MUSIC



PRO: Trounced his latest start in a six-furlong Horseshoe Indianapolis allowance.

CON: Failed to finish better than sixth in two previous stakes starts.

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DR RUBEN M



PRO: Earned a field-best 92 Brisnet Speed rating when wiring a one-mile maiden special weight at Santa Anita.

CON: The Springboard Mile marks his first start against proven winners.

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MEDICINE DOG



PRO: Won his debut at Remington Park by nine lengths.

CON: Finished third behind Jolly Samurai and Dominant Spirit in the Clever Trevor.

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MISTER OMAHA



PRO: Has won three straight starts against Oklahoma-breds, including two stakes.

CON: He's stepping outside the Oklahoma-bred ranks for the first time.

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KEENO



PRO: Rallied to finish second in a one-mile allowance at Remington last time out.

CON: Finished eighth behind Jolly Samurai in the Clever Trevor.