MEET THE CONTENDERS 2024 TAMPA BAY DERBY



HEARTENED



PRO: Won well over this track for six-time Tampa Bay Derby (G3)-winning barn. **CON:** Has beaten only modest group of maidens, thus lacks back class.

EVERDOIT



PRO: Didn't get to show what he had in Sam F. Davis (G3) after losing rider at the start. **CON:** Sent off at 127-1 in the Davis for a reason and this is a deeper spot.

GIVE ME LIBERTY



PRO: Runner-up twice at Oaklawn, including to Rebel (G2)-placed Common Defense. **CON:** One of two maidens in the field, thus must take significant step up.

GOOD MONEY



PRO: Captured debut over this track and top-level connections show confidence entering him. **CON:** Relative inexperience will make this a sterner test.

DOMESTIC PRODUCT



PRO: Pace worked against him in Holy Bull (G2), but a solid try off disappointing Remsen (G2). **CON:** Form suggests he might be more effective over a slightly longer distance.

CATIRE VIZCAYA



PRO: On his best day, could keep No More Time honest in the early stages. **CON:** Enters off two nondescript efforts against softer.

NO MORE TIME



PRO: Won well after setting strong pace in Sam F. Davis; potential repeater. **CON:** Davis wasn't one of the stronger preps this winter; can't afford a slow start.

CRAZY MASON



PRO: Overcame adversity in local win two back and gets blinkers back.

CON: Dull performance in Sam F. Davis doesn't bode well for this tougher assignment.

GRAND MO THE FIRST



PRO: Dual stakes-placed colt makes only second two-turn appearance; might improve.

CON: Both wins to date were over a synthetic surface.





PRO: Decent second to Domestic Product two back and likely to improve off season debut. **CON:** Has faced better but still a maiden after three starts.