

Phil's record of picking winners, July 4 – October 29, 2017¹

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This report contains the dates of the meets, the number of races on the card on each date, and number of winners picked. Noted in the parenthesis are the races won and how much the winning ticket paid. With the exception of one bet on October 25, I did not use add-ons or box betting to select winners.

July 4 – 9 races, 1 winner (race 7, \$18.40)

July 8 – 11 races, 3 winners (race 4, \$20.20; race 10, \$13.00; race 11, \$13.00)²

July 13 – 9 races, 2 winners (race 1, \$17.60; race 6, \$8.50)

September 8 – 9 races, 0 winners

September 9 – 10 races, 3 winners (race 3, \$8.40; race 5, \$12.80; race 10, \$34.60)

September 16 – 10 races, 2 winners (race 2, \$13.00; race 3, \$6.50)

September 17 – 10 races, 1 winner (race 1, \$11.00)

September 23 – 10 races, 1 winner (race 4, \$8.50)

September 24 – 9 races, 0 winners

September 27 – 9 races, 2 winners (race 2, \$15.00; race 3, \$15.00)

September 30 – 10 races, no wins

October 1 – 9 races, no wins

October 4 – 9 races, 1 win (race 7, \$10.40)

October 9 – 7 races, no wins

October 8 – 9 races, no wins

October 7 – 10 races, no wins

October 12 – 9, 1 show (race 7, \$4.10)

October 14 – 10 races, 2 wins (race 1, \$9.10; race 10, \$9.30)

October 15 – 9 races, 2 wins (race 2, \$10.20; race 6, \$13.30)

¹ All stats are for races held at Belmont Park except for October 29.

² On July 8, jockey Jose Ortiz won five races, including three consecutive races (9 through 11).

October 19 – 9 races, 2 wins (race 2, \$14.20; race 5, \$16.20)

October 21 – 11 races, 1 win (race 9, \$10.20)

October 22 – 11 races, 3 wins (race 1, \$10.20; race 2, \$21.80; race 4, \$17.00)

October 25 – 9 races – 1 win, race 8 (\$2 exacta box, \$13.00)

October 28 – 10 races, no wins

October 29 – 10 races, 2 wins (Gulfstream Park, race 5, \$16.60;
Churchill Downs, race 7, \$10.20)

Summary

Total number of dates – 25

Total number of races bet – 238

Total number of wins – 30³

Winning percentage – .01261

Average number of wins per 10 races – 1.26

Longest consecutive number of races picking a winner – 2 (4 times)

Longest consecutive number of races without picking a winner – 34⁴

Number of dates picked 0 winners – 8

Number of dates picked 1 winner – 7⁵

Number of dates picked 2 winners – 7

Number of dates picked 3 winners – 3

Highest winning ticket payout – \$34.60

Lowest winning ticket payout – \$6.50

Average winning payout – \$13.11 for first-place finishes

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³ Win total includes 1 exacta box and 1 show.

⁴ Second longest losing streak – 31 races

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