

RANK	HORSE	DRIVER, TRAINER, OWNER	KEN WARKENTIN'S COMMENTS
1	SIX PACK	Ake Svanstedt, Ake Svanstedt Inc, Little E, Stall Kalmar FF, Lars Berg	Star on the NYSS circuit fresh off a dazzling world record of 1:50 in a Dancer division, a close second in the Beal his only loss in six starts this season, Ake Svanstedt going for back-to-back Hambos
2	WOLFGANG	Yannick Gingras, Jimmy Takter, Brixton Medical, Goran Falk, Hatfield Stables, Fair Island Farm, Inc.	Dominated his Dancer division in a career best of 1:51.2 after missing three weeks, three-for-three this season, Goodtimes winner leads the Takter battalion & could give Takter his fifth Hambo
3	ATLANTA	Scott Zeron, Rick Zeron, Crawford Farms, Holland Racing Stable, Howard Taylor, Brad Grant	Fifth filly since 2000 to try the boys & would be the first to beat them since Continentalvictory in 1996, five-for-five this season, sporting a Vernon Downs track record of 1:50.3 in the EBC
4	CRYSTAL FASHION	Tim Tetrick, Jim Campbell, Fashion Farms LLC	Consistent gelding for Jim Campbell with an 8 – 4-3-0 record this season, upset the Earl Beal, Jr. Memorial in a career best 1:51.4, tuned up with a 1:52.4 win in the Reynolds Memorial on July 28
5	YOU KNOW YOU DO	Yannick Gingras, Jimmy Takter, Howard Taylor, Order By Stable, Bud Hatfield, Marvin Katz, Al Libfeld, Sam Goldband	2017 Peter Haughton Memorial, a solid second to Six Pack [1:50.2] in the Dancer, second [1:50.2] in a Big M overnight against older horses before that, Takter back up plan peaking just right
6	TACTICAL LANDING	Jimmy Takter, The Tactical Landing Stable	\$800,000 brother to Hambo runner up Mission Brief could be Takter's best reclamation project ever, scored his second straight win on July 20 in 1:52.3, looks ready for his test for class
7	ALARM DETECTOR	Trevor Henry, Benoit Baillargeon, Thomas & Elizabeth Rankin, Claude Hamel & Santo Vena	Prepped with an easy 1:54 Mohawk qualifier on July 27, O'Brien Award winner came up sick & third [1:53.2] in the Goodtimes, set a fast pace & finished third [1:50.4] to Six Pack in the Dancer
8	CLASSICHAP	Trond Smedshammer, Purple Haze Stables	Has quickly blossomed for Trond Smedshammer, rallied for second [1:51.4] behind Wolfgang in the Dancer, held off Tactical Landing in 1:51.1 on July 6 @ The Big M for his only career win
9	EVALUATE	Corey Callahan, Marcus Melander, Stall TZ Inc	Has the talent to bounce back from his first break (sloppy track) in the Tompkins Memorial @ Big M on July 21, PASS winner in 1:51.4, a strong fourth [1:52.2] in the Beal Final
10	FOURTH DIMENSION	Brian Sears, Marcus Melander, Courant, Inc	2017 Dan Patch Award winner broke in two of only three starts this season, bounced back with a wire-to-wire 1:52.4 Big M qualifier on July 21 & has the credentials to iron things out in time