

| RANK | HORSE | DRIVER, TRAINER, OWNER | KEN WARKENTIN'S COMMENTS |
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| 1 | FOURTH DIMENSION | Brian Sears, Marcus Melander, Courant, Inc | Star on NYSS circuit & Grand Circuit winner in 1:52.4, capped Dan Patch Award winning season dominating Valley Victory in 1:53.3, fifth [1:55] in a Big M qualifier May 19 on sloppy track |
| 2 | MET'S HALL | Andy Miller, Julie Miller, Stroy, Inc. Andy Miller Stable, Inc. | Son of Cantab Hall took a mark of 1:52.4 @ Red Mile & runner up in Breeders Crown, Team Orange Crush on board in last two Hambos, wasn't scheduled to qualify as of May 22 |
| 3 | ALARM DETECTOR | Trevor Henry, Benoit Baillargeon, Thomas & Elizabeth Rankin, Claude Hamel & Santo Vena | Ontario-based Chapter Seven colt destroyed them wire-to-wire in William Wellwood Memorial in Canadian record 1:52.4, Chapter Seven's Walner was injured prior to last year's Hambo, won two Mohawk qualifiers on May 14 [1:57.4] & May 21 [1:55.4] |
| 4 | FASHIONWOODCHOPPER | Dave Miller, Jim Campbell, Fashion Farms LLC | Pulled big upset in PASS Final, scored back-to-back Grand Circuit wins @ Red Mile & took mark of 1:53, third [1:52.2] @ Big M on May 11 & second [1:54.1] in PASS @ The Meadows on May 19 |
| 5 | YOU KNOW YOU DO | Yannick Gingras, Jimmy Takter, Howard Taylor, Order By Stable, Bud Hatfield, Marvin Katz, Al Libfeld, Sam Goldband | Muscle Hill colt romped in the Peter Haughton Memorial in 1:54.2, second in the Wm. Wellwood & won a Bluegrass division in 1:54.4, Takter goes for his fifth trophy, has won two Big M qualifiers in 1:54.1 on May 12 & 1:55.3 on May 19 on sloppy track |
| 6 | WOLFGANG | Yannick Gingras, Jimmy Takter, Brixton Medical, Goran Falk, Hatfield Stables, Fair Island Farm, Inc. | Upset stablemate Sarno Different Day to win Matron Stake in 1:55.3 & second in the Valley Victory Final, from first crop of My MVP, [third by a neck in the 2012 Hambo], fourth [1:54.3] in first qualifier on May 12 & won his second qualifier in 1:54 on May 19 |
| 7 | SAMO DIFFERENT DAY | Jimmy Takter, Christina Takter, Samo Partners | On the board in 11 of 13, second in the Peter Haughton, third in Breeders Crown & Valley Victory, second in the Matron Final, finished fourth [1:54.4] behind Wolfgang in lone qualifier on May 19 |
| 8 | TITO | Andrew McCarthy, Erv Miller, Anthony Lombardi, George Golemes, Louis Willinger | Won Kindergarten Classic Final in 1:55, trainer Erv Miller has sent out two Hambo favorites, Classic Photo [2 nd in 2005] & Manofmanymissions [9 th in 2011], third [1:56.4] in his 3YO debut @ Vernon Downs & ninth [1:55.3] in an EBC elimination on May 18 |
| 9 | KINDA LUCKY LINDY | Scott Zeron, Domenico Cecere, Lindy Farms of Conn | Finished second to Fourth Dimension in Valley Victory elimination, Scott Zeron won the 2016 Hambletonian with Marion Marauder, finished sixth [1:56] in his NYSS 3YO debut @ Vernon Downs & ninth [1:54.3] in an EBC elimination |
| 10 | LAWMAKER | James MacDonald, Jason McGinnis, Thestable Lawmaker Group | Son of 2010 Hambletonian winner Muscle Massive twice a PASS winner & finished second in the PASS Final, broke in his only qualifier so far @ Mohawk on May 11 |

KEY PREP RACES

| Date | Stakes | Site | Winner | Trainer | Driver | 2nd Horse | 3rd Horse | Time |
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| 05/05 | Dexter Cup | Fhld | Lindy's Big Bang | Nifty Norman | Dave Miller | DON | Perlucky | 1:56.1 |
| 05/11 | NYSS | VD | SIX PACK | Ake Svanstedt | Ake Svanstedt | Voss Volo | CRUISING IN STYLE | 1:53.1 |
| 05/11 | NYSS | VD | Helpisontheway | Linda Toscano | Tim Tetrick | Clive Bigsby | VIC'S WINNER | 1:55 |
| 05/11 | NYSS | VD | DON | Julie Miller | Andy Miller | CLASSICHAP | Seven Iron | 1:54.3 |
| 05/18 | NJSS | M | SHOSHIE DEO | Deshawn Minor | George Brennan | U NEED STONES | Brutal Storm | 1:56.2 |
| 05/18 | E. Breeders Elim | VD | SIX PACK | Ake Svanstedt | Ake Svanstedt | Helpisontheway | CLASSICHAP | 1:52.1 |
| 05/18 | E. Breeders Elim | VD | Seven Iron | Linda Toscano | Tim Tetrick | On The Ropes | Voss Volo | 1:54.2 |
| 05/19 | PASS | Mea | What's The Word | Janice Conner | Corey Callahan | HILL STREET | DAWSON SPRINGS | 1:54.1 |
| 05/19 | PASS | Mea | CAPTAIN MORGAN | Staffan Lind | Christian Lind | EVALUATE | Im Your Captain | 1:54.1 |
| 05/19 | PASS | Mea | MOOSONEE | Chris Beaver | Aaron Merriman | FASHIONWOODCHOPPER | GEMOLOGIST | 1:54 |
| 05/19 | PASS | Mea | Donatover | Trond Smedshammer | Trond Smedshammer | CRYSTAL FASHION | MISSILE HILL | 1:54.4 |