

INSIDER PICKS & POWER PLAYS™

Emerald Downs - 08/09/2025

Top 3 Selections ranks horses by the level of their overall past performance and by the estimated probability of repeating their most recent race. An asterisk (*) next to the program number identifies the top pick. The **Speed** picks are based solely on recent Speed Ratings of each horse. The **Class** picks are the horses that have run the best against the highest quality of competition. The **Pace** rankings predict today's likely front runners based on first call Pace Ratings of each horse. **3 STAR BEST BETS** offer the highest percentage plays available. A **3 STAR BEST BET** may not be found on every day.

3 STAR BEST BETS

Race 1) #4 Travel the Map Race 7) #7 Light the Beam Race 8) #4 Peg's Choice

Race 1	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 1m70yds. 3&up. Clm \$2,500 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$.50 Pick 3 (Races 1-2-3-4) Top 3: 1-2-4 Speed: 4-1-5 Class: 4-1-3 Pace: 4-5-1				4:50/ 3:50/ 2:50/(1:50)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	6/1	Bad Sneakers	Americano M	Toye J	1: ExitKeyRace
2	5/2	Roister	Castellanos A	Tamayo I	
3	5/1	Grape Nuts Warrior	Alvarado F T	Peery D	3: ExitKeyRace
***4	9/5	Travel the Map	Krigger K	McCanna T	HotJockey
					4: Clobber Special-5f
5	7/2	Orth	Gutierrez J M	Silva-Martinez A	HorseForCourse
6	12/1	Hadlees Honor	McGregor K	Crowe S	HotTnr/JkyCombo

Race 2	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 1m. 3&up. F & M. Clm \$25,000 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$.50 Pick 3 (Races 2-3-4) Top 3: 5-3-1 Speed: 2-1-4 Class: 2-5-1 Pace: 1-4-2				5:18/ 4:18/ 3:18/(2:18)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	9/2	Kir Royale	Orozco K E	Cooper K P	
2	6/1	Striking Notes	Montalvo C	Gibson V	
3	5/2	Swift Caro	Couton J	Wenzel T	
4	7/2	Sexzie	Cruz A M	McCanna T	
*5	8/5	Tianma	Krigger K	Evans J R	5: BlueChipTrainerPlay
					HotJockey
					HotTnr/JkyCombo
					HotTrainer

Race 3	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 1m. 3&up. F & M. Clm \$2,500 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$.50 Pick 3 (Races 3-4-5) / \$.50 Pick 4 (Races 3-4-5-6) / \$.20 Jackpot Pick 6 (Races 3-4-5-6-7-8) Top 3: 2-7-3 Speed: 2-3-5 Class: 2-3-7 Pace: 1-3-5				5:48/ 4:48/ 3:48/(2:48)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	15/1	Square Footage	Bailey C	Navarro J	
*2	9/5	Roses R Blue	Cruz A M	McCanna T	
3	4/1	La Popis	Amador S R	Puentes J	
4	10/1	Acclaimed Preacher	Halder D J	Trujillo M	
5	3/1	Jazzy Love	Krigger K	Bullene M	5: HotJockey
6	6/1	Oh Angel	Americano M	Tubbs S	6: BlueChipTrainerPlay
7	8/1	English Danger	Castellanos A	Rosales J	7: BlueChipTrainerPlay
					HotTnr/JkyCombo

Race 4	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 5f. 2yo. Mdn \$23,000 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$.50 Pick 3 (Races 4-5-6) / \$.50 Pick 5 (Races 4-5-6-7-8) Top 3: 2-7-1 Speed: 2- - Class: 2- - Pace: 2- -				6:18/ 5:18/ 4:18/(3:18)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	9/2	Coastal Journey	Amador S R	McPhee D	1: Clobber Special-5f
*2	5/2	Global Agenda	Halder D J	Gibson V	2: BlueChipTrainerPlay
3	8/1	Jess in Time	Krigger K	McCanna T	SharpAndReady
4	5/1	Mimi Kai	Orozco K E	Cooper K P	3: Clobber Special-5f
5	10/1	Sombrero Negro	Castellanos A	Hernandez M L	HotJockey
6	15/1	Little Minnie Mo	Duran F	Balcom C	HotTnr/JkyCombo
7	7/2	Subtle Prince	Couton J	Wenzel T	4: BlueChipTrainerPlay
8	6/1	Rise Up and Go	Americano M	Cryderman C S	7: BlueChipTrainerPlay
					Clobber Special-4f

Race 5	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. Mdn \$23,000 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$.50 Pick 3 (Races 5-6-7) / \$.50 Pick 4 (Races 5-6-7-8) Top 3: 2-3-5 Speed: 6-5-2 Class: 6-5-2 Pace: 2-5-6				6:48/ 5:48/ 4:48/(3:48)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	5/1	Red Guardian	Halder D J	Essex C	1: Clobber Special-4f
*2	5/2	Star Travel	Cruz A M	Gibson V	2: Clobber Special-4f
3	3/1	Walk Off Homer	Matias J	Ledford M	SharpAndReady
4	6/1	Tame the Tiger	Krigger K	Wisdom A	
5	9/2	Sir Argento	Americano M	Cryderman C S	4: HotJockey
6	8/1	Impassable	Alvarado F T	Belvoir H	
7	10/1	Raven Rendezvous	Gutierrez J M	Silva-Martinez A	6: HotJockey

Race 6	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 1m. 3&up. F & M. Clm \$5,000 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$.50 Pick 3 (Races 6-7-8) Top 3: 1-5-6 Speed: 5-3-1 Class: 5-1-6 Pace: 1-4-2				7:18/ 6:18/ 5:18/(4:18)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	9/2	Eyelight	Krigger K	Markle D L	1: HotJockey
2	7/2	Bourbon Glaze	Halder D J	Trujillo V M	
3	3/1	Gold Coast Girl	Americano M	Patino F	
4	6/1	Smilingatthemoon	McGregor K	Christian B	
5	5/2	Willing to Burn	Cruz A M	Essex C	5: HorseForCourse
6	4/1	After My Own Heart	Castellanos A	Rosales J	6: BlueChipTrainerPlay
					HotTnr/JkyCombo

Race 7	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 1m. 3&up. Clm \$5,000 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta Top 3: 7-3-1 Speed: 7-1-4 Class: 7-1-3 Pace: 3-6-7				7:48/ 6:48/ 5:48/(4:48)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	5/2	Mongolian Spring	Cruz A M	Toye J	
2	12/1	Blues Rapper	Castellanos A	Hernandez M L	2: BlueChipTrainerPlay
3	10/1	J C's a Legend	Orozco K E	Lucarelli F	
4	8/1	Infinite Love	Amador S R	Perez S S	
5	6/1	First Endeavor	Krigger K	Bullock S	5: HotJockey
					HotTrainer
6	9/2	Sir Lucas	Bailey C	Koch N A	
***7	9/5	Light the Beam	Americano M	Rosales J	7: BlueChipTrainerPlay

Race 8	EMD - 08/09 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. F & M. Mdn Clm \$5,000 \$1 Exacta / \$.50 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$.50 Pentafecta Top 3: 4-8-2 Speed: 4-8-9 Class: 4-2-8 Pace: 9-2-3				8:18/ 7:18/ 6:18/(5:18)
	Pg#	ML Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	12/1	Jawanna Party	Americano M	Essex C	
2	6/1	l'ltakeitfromhere	Cruz A M	McCanna T	
3	30/1	Riverside Glory	Castellanos A	Tamayo I	
***4	9/5	Peg's Choice	Alvarado F T	Martinez D B	4: HotJockey
					SharpAndReady
5	30/1	Secret Gold	Orozco K E	Navarro J	
6	10/1	Wherehaveyoubeen	Amador S R	Tamayo I	
7	12/1	Cause I'm Lucky	Duran F	Balcom C	
8	9/2	Burnin At Midnight	Krigger K	Toye J	8: HotJockey
9	7/2	Leah's Lute	Gutierrez J M	Simkins R	

Track Bias

MEET(04/27-08/03)						WEEK(07/28-08/03)					
Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts		Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts	
5f Dirt	21	33%	E	Mid/Out		5f Dirt	1	0%	P	Outside	
6f Dirt	114	28%	E	Middle		6f Dirt	6	17%	P	Rail/Ins	
1m Dirt	70	24%	E/P	Rail/Ins		1m Dirt	10	0%	S	Middle	
1m70yds Dirt	7	14%	E/P	Middle		1m70yds Dirt	1	0%	E/P	Inside	

Blue Chip Trainer Plays

Identifies profitable, high win% trainer angles which are applicable to horses running today.

RaceHorse	Trainer	Angle	Sts	Win%	ltn%	\$2ROI
#2 Tianma	Evans Justin R	3rd off layoff	127	32%	57%	0.08
#3 Oh Angel	Tubbs Scott	Down 2+ classes	11	45%	91%	3.27
#3 English Danger	Rosales Jorge	Routes	219	24%	51%	0.03
#4 Global Agenda	Gibson Vince	2nd career race	13	31%	46%	0.82
#4 Mimi Kai	Cooper Kay P	1st time str	21	24%	43%	2.91
#4 Subtle Prince	Wenzel Tom	1st time str	34	21%	53%	0.05
#6 After My Own Heart	Rosales Jorge	1st after clm	119	30%	65%	0.06
#7 Blues Rapper	Hernandez Miguel L	Sprint to Rite	75	20%	51%	0.32
#7 Light The Beam	Rosales Jorge	2nd after clm	49	29%	57%	1.14

Clobber Specials Running Today

Lists the fastest workouts during the past 7 days based on age and distance.

RaceHorse	Age	Trk	Dis	Date	Time	Day	Age/Dis
#1 Travel The Map	4&up	EMD	5f	8/1	0:59	B	1/6
#4 Coastal Journey	2yo	EMD	5f	8/2	1:00 ¹	B	2/10
#4 Jess In Time	2yo	EMD	5f	8/2	1:00 ¹	B	2/10
#4 Subtle Prince	2yo	EMD	4f	8/3	0:47 ³	H	2/21
#5 Red Guardian	3yo	EMD	4f	8/3	0:48 ¹	B	7/21
#5 Star Travel	3yo	EMD	4f	7/31	0:48 ¹	B	2/4

Horses Exiting Key Races Today

Lists 'Key Races' - races that have produced multiple horses that won their next start and 'Possible Key Races' - one horse won its next start.

RaceHorse	Key Race	Class Level	WnNxtOut/Strs	Finish	Odds
#1 Bad Sneakers	25Jul254EMD ⁶	Clm3500b	2/2	6	1.2
#1 Grape Nuts Warrior	11Jul253EMD ⁶	Alw4000s	2/4	6	11.7

Horses for Courses Running Today

Runners who have performed exceptionally well over this track and surface.

RaceHorse	Win%	Sts	Wn	Pl	Sh	TrkSwitch	ClassRank
#1 Travel the Map	50%	4 -	2 -	0 -	1	NO	1/6
#6 Willing to Burn	33%	21 -	7 -	4 -	5	NO	1/6

Hot Jockeys with Mounts Today

Jockeys with mounts today which have been hot in the past 7 days.

Jockey	Race(Prg#)	Record Last 7 Days			
Alvarado F T	1(#3),5(#6),8(#4)	6	3	1	0
Krigger K	1(#4),2(#5),3(#5),4(#3),5(#4),6(#1),7(#5),8(#8)	22	7	6	1

Hot Trainers with Starters Today						
Trainers with starters today which have been hot in the past 14 days.						
RaceHorse	Trainer	Record Last 14 Days				
#2 Tianma	Evans Justin R	15	5	4	3	
#7 First Endeavor	Bullock Steve	4	2	1	0	

Hot Trainer/Jockey Combos Today						
T/J combos running today which have been hot in the past 14 days.						
RaceHorse	Combo	Record Last 14 Days				
#1 Travel the Map	McCanna Tim /Krigger Kevin	4	2	0	1	
#2 Tianma	Evans Justin R/Krigger Kevin	12	5	3	1	
#3 English Danger	Rosales Jorge /Castellanos Adrian	5	2	0	0	
#4 Jess in Time	McCanna Tim /Krigger Kevin	4	2	0	1	
#6 After My Own Heart	Rosales Jorge /Castellanos Adrian	5	2	0	0	

Sharp and Ready in Today				
Runners that hold a significant Speed and Class advantage in the race.				
RaceHorse	Lastout	Date-trk-#	FP	
#4 Global Agenda	KnqCntyExB50k	20Jly25EMD6	5	
#5 Star Travel	MdSpWt	19Jly25EMD4	2	
#8 Peg's Choice	fMd5000	26Jly25EMD8	2	