

INSIDER PICKS & POWER PLAYS™

Santa Anita Park - 09/28/2025

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 7) #5 Richi

Race 1	SA - 09/28 - Turf 1m. 3, 4, & 5yo. Mdn \$60,000				4:00/ 3:00/ 2:00/(1:00)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / Superfecta (\$10) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Rolling Pick 3 (\$1) / Early Pick 5 (\$5.00 - 14% takeout)				
	Top 3: 5-7-6	Speed: 6-5-2	Class: 5-6-7	Pace: 1-11-7	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	10/1	Kiss for Lulu	Kimura K	Brinkerhoff V	1: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
2	12/1	Irish Element	Lezcano A	O'Neill D F	2: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
3	20/1	Star of Delhi	Carmona S	Baker D W	3: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
4	30/1	Fleet Brotato	Aguilar A	Williams A J	
*5	7/2	Fight Back	Rispoli U	Callaghan S	5: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
6	5/2	Mav Man	Ayuso A	Powell L	6: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
7	4/1	Zagrus	Herrera D A	Powell L	
8	30/1	Foreroyal	Baze T	Galvin B W	
9	5/1	Crime Lorde	Hernandez J J	Miller P	
10	20/1	Benny's Puzzle	Gonzalez R	Gutierrez J	10: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
11	15/1	Brahms Mendelssohn	Frey K	Galvin B W	11: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
					12: <i>HotTrainer</i>
Blinkers Off: Pg#4					

Race 2	SA - 09/28 - Dirt 6½f. 3, 4, & 5yo. F & M. MO \$62,500				4:30/ 3:30/ 2:30/(1:30)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Rolling Pick 3 (\$1) / Early Pick 4 (\$5.00)				
	Top 3: 1-4-2	Speed: 1-3-4	Class: 1-3-4	Pace: 4-1-3	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	1/1	A Friend of Mine	Rispoli U	DAmato P	1: <i>ExitKeyRace</i>
2	4/1	Deep Blue	Ayuso A	Blacker D	
3	5/1	Joyful Mischief	Camacho-Flores L	McDonald M W	
4	2/1	Gathered	Velazquez J R	McCarthy M W	4: <i>HotTrainer</i>
5	15/1	Music Lady	Carmona S	Gomez R	
Race 3	SA - 09/28 - Dirt 1m. 3&up. F & M. Clm \$8,000				5:02/ 4:02/ 3:02/(2:02)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Rolling Pick 3 (\$1) NO SHOW WAGERING				
	Top 3: 1-3-4	Speed: 3-4-1	Class: 3-4-1	Pace: 1-4-3	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	5/2	Ivory Moon	Aguilar A	Miller P	
2	12/1	Violet Storm	Baze T	Knapp S R	
3	8/5	Twilight Empire	Frey K	Barocio L	3: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i>
4	2/1	Ole Silver	Lezcano A	DAmato P	4: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i>
					5: <i>HotTrainer</i>

Race 4	SA - 09/28 - Turf 6f. 3&up. F & M. AlwOClm \$61,000				5:33/ 4:33/ 3:33/(2:33)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / Superfecta (\$10) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Rolling Pick 3 (\$1) / Middle Pick 4 Races 4-5-6-7 (\$5.00)				
	Top 3: 7-5-10	Speed: 8-3-9	Class: 10-8-7	Pace: 6-8-7	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	30/1	Arii	Gonzalez R	Powell L	
2	30/1	Chai	Frey K	Hess, Jr. R B	2: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
3	20/1	Princesa Moche	Velazquez J R	O'Neill D F	3: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
4	8/1	Madonna of Loreto	Kimura K	DAmato P	4: <i>HotTrainer</i>
5	9/2	Sunglow	Hernandez J J	Sadler J W	
6	5/1	Dare to Fly	Rispoli U	DAmato P	6: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
*7	4/1	Yellow Sun Dress	Desormeaux K J	Glatt M	7: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i>
8	9/2	The Wild Grazer	Berrios H I	Mullins J	8: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
9	6/1	Invincible Molly	Ayuso A	Knapp S R	9: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i>
10	5/1	Tight Squeeze	Lezcano A	Sadler J W	10: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i>

Race 5	SA - 09/28 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. F & M. Clm \$25,000				6:06/ 5:06/ 4:06/(3:06)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / Superfecta (\$10) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Rolling Pick 3 (\$1) / Pick 6 Starts Races 5-10 (\$2)				
	Top 3: 1-8-7	Speed: 1-8-6	Class: 3-1-8	Pace: 6-8-1	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	9/2	Lit' Boom Boom	Orantes W R	Miyadi S	
2	5/1	Lena Lindgard	Aguilar A	Miyadi S	
3	6/1	Empress of Grace	Pereira T J	Knapp S R	
4	12/1	Misty Heart	Kimura K	Belvoir V	4: <i>Clocker's-4f (SLR)</i>
5	5/1	Approval Rating	Gonzalez R	Jauregui O J	
6	9/2	Sei Bella	Baze T	McCarthy S	
7	8/1	Headstrong Ways	Pena B	Baltas R	7: <i>HotTrainer</i>
8	3/1	Maximun Gold	Carmona S	Gomez R	
9	20/1	Kool Tap Dancer	Flores P	Lucas R J	

Race 6	SA - 09/28 - Turf 6f. 2yo. Mdn \$60,000				6:38/ 5:38/ 4:38/(3:38)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / Superfecta (\$10) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Rolling Pick 3 (\$1) / Late Pick 5 (\$5.00) / All Turf Pick 3 Races 6-8-10 (\$3-15% takeout)				
	Top 3: 4-2-8	Speed: 6-11-4	Class: 4-11-6	Pace: 6-3-10	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	20/1	Debbies Gettinghot	Herrera C	Winick D	
2	9/2	Mo Holland Drive	Hernandez J J	Miller P	
3	8/1	Sagunto	Kimura K	Hanson R	
*4	4/1	Booked Clubhouse	Frey K	McCarthy S	
5	12/1	Dark Blue	Velazquez J R	McCarthy M W	5: <i>HotTrainer</i>
6	10/1	Mystic Moses	Aguilar A	Miyadi S	
7	6/1	Scatolotadongdong	Smith M E	Powell L	
8	5/1	Eye of the Smiley	Herrera D A	Koriner B J	8: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
9	12/1	Cal's Goal	Ayuso A	Yakteen T	
10	30/1	Senor Tequilas	Monroy F	Ramos J	
11	6/1	Another Bulleit	Demuro M	Capestro P S	
12	12/1	Throwthefirstpunch	Lezcano A	O'Neill D F	12: <i>HotTrainer</i>
Blinkers Off: Pg#3					

Race 7	SA - 09/28 - Dirt 1¼m. 3&up. F & M. Grd2 \$200,000				7:08/ 6:08/ 5:08/(4:08)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Late Pick 4 (\$5.00)				
	Top 3: 5-3-2	Speed: 5-1-3	Class: 5-3-1	Pace: 5-3-4	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	6/1	Sugar Fish	Baze T	Mullins J	1: <i>HorseForCourse</i>
2	9/2	La Kika	Berrios H I	O'Neill D F	2: <i>HotTrainer</i>
3	7/5	Cavalieri	Hernandez J J	Baffert B	3: <i>HorseForCourse</i>
4	8/1	Howin	Kimura K	Baffert B	
***5	3/2	Richi	Fresu A	Baffert B	5: <i>HorseForCourse</i>
					6: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
Blinkers Off: Pg#1					

Race 8	SA - 09/28 - Turf 1m. 3&up. F & M. AlwOClm \$61,000				7:38/ 6:38/ 5:38/(4:38)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / Superfecta (\$10) / RollingDouble (\$2) / Late Pick 3 (\$3- 15% takeout) / 3x3 (\$1) / Leg 2 of All Turf Pick 3				
	Top 3: 2-6-14	Speed: 12-6-1	Class: 6-14-12	Pace: 7-5-2	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	10/1	Waltz Across Texas	Lezcano A	Dunham D	
*2	6/1	Hello Kid O Kid O	Hernandez J J	Barocio L	
3	8/1	Princesa Del Tigre	Frey K	McCanna T	
4	30/1	Practical Dazzle	Demuro M	Galvin B W	
5	12/1	We the Hobby	Kimura K	Miller P	
6	9/2	Lady Mendelssohn	Rispoli U	Gaines C	6: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
7	5/1	Lavender Love	Cohen D	Baltas R	7: <i>HotTrainer</i>
8	20/1	Miss Will	Gonzalez R	Glatt M	
9	20/1	California Rocks	Valdivia, Jr. J	Dunham D	
10	4/1	Quantum Innery	Baze T	Mullins J	10: <i>HotTrainer</i>
11	5/1	Garden Party	Herrera D A	Powell L	
12	6/1	True Patriot	Berrios H I	Hess, Jr. R B	
13	20/1	Dontmesswithtess	Carmona S	Wilensky S	
14	9/2	Issa Court	Berrios H I	Sadler J W	14: <i>Clocker Special-5f</i>
Blinkers Off: Pg#14					

Race 9	SA - 09/28 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. Grd2 \$200,000				8:08/ 7:08/ 6:08/(5:08)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / Superfecta (\$10) / LateDouble (\$5- 15% takeout)				
	Top 3: 1-2-8	Speed: 2-5-6	Class: 2-1-8	Pace: 8-5-2	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	3/1	Dr. Venkman	Rispoli U	Glatt M	1: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
2	7/5	Straight No Chaser	Velazquez J R	Blacker D	2: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
3	12/1	Awesome Rhythm	Ayuso A	Garcia V L	3: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i>
4	30/1	Smooth Cruisein	Frey K	Headley K	
5	10/1	Speed Boat Beach	Smith M E	Baffert B	5: <i>Clocker Special-5f</i>
6	15/1	Wound Up	Cohen D	Barocio L	6: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i>
7	12/1	Imagnick	Berrios H I	Sadler J W	7: <i>Clocker Special-5f</i>
8	5/2	Imagination	Hernandez J J	Baffert B	8: <i>Clocker Special-5f</i>

Race 10	SA - 09/28 - Turf 1m. 3yo. F. AlwOClm \$61,000				8:38/ 7:38/ 6:38/(5:38)
	Win (\$2) / Place (\$2) / Show (\$2) / Exacta (\$1) / Trifecta (\$1) / Superfecta (\$10) / Super High5 (\$1) / Leg 3 of All Turf Pick 3				
	Top 3: 4-2-1	Speed: 4-2-8	Class: 4-8-2	Pace: 1-2-8	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	5/1	Edge of Mali	Desormeaux K J	Mullins J	1: <i>HotTrainer</i>
2	7/2	Slick	Rispoli U	DAmato P	2: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
3	12/1	Cat The Confidante	Lezcano A	Sadler J W	3: <i>Clocker Special-5f</i>
*4	5/2	Take A Breath	Berrios H I	Glatt M	
5	20/1	Atia	Velazquez J R	McCarthy M W	5: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
6	8/1	Miss Artois	Hernandez J J	Baltas R	6: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
7	15/1	Resolve	Herrera D A	Powell L	7: <i>HotTrainer</i>
8	6/1	Ribbons	Demuro M	Powell L	
9	10/1	Hey Jessie	Smith M E	McCarthy S	
10	30/1	Lila	Ayuso A	Baltas R	10: <i>HotTrainer</i>
11	30/1	Hey Lil Lady	Kimura K	Hess, Jr. R B	
12	15/1	Aleramo	Gonzalez R	McCarthy M W	12: <i>HotTrainer</i>
13	7/2	Delightful Laura	Berrios H I	Shirreffs J A	
14	20/1	Precise Timing	Baze T	Sadler J W	14: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
Blinkers On: Pg#9,13 Blinkers Off: Pg#5 First Time Lasix: Pg#4					

Track Bias									
MEET(12/26-06/15)					WEEK(06/09-06/15)				
Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts	Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts
6f Dirt	140	36%	E	Mid/Out	6f Dirt	3	67%	E	Middle
6f Turf	103	27%	P	Mid/Out	6f Turf	6	17%	P	Mid/Out
6½f Dirt	44	34%	E	Rail/Ins	6½f Dirt	2	50%	E/P	Middle
1m Dirt	112	27%	E	Outside	1m Dirt	7	29%	E/P	Outside
1m Turf	146	25%	E	Rail	1m Turf	9	22%	P	Outside
Routes Dirt	15	33%	E	Rail/Ins					

Blue Chip Trainer Plays						
Identifies profitable, high win% trainer angles which are applicable to horses running today.						
RaceHorse	Trainer	Angle	Sts	Win%	ltn%	\$2ROI
#1 Fight Back	Callaghan Simon	2nd off layoff	47	21%	40%	0.49
#4 Chai	Hess, Jr. Robert B	1st start w/trn	19	26%	42%	2.71
#4 Dare To Fly	DAmato Philip	1st on grass	71	23%	51%	1.80
#4 The Wild Grazer	Mullins Jeff	2nd off layoff	125	20%	52%	0.16
#10 Slick	DAmato Philip	2nd time Lasix	186	20%	49%	0.12
#10 Atia	McCarthy Michael W	3rd off layoff	84	25%	58%	0.10

Clocker 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 Brahms Mendelssohn	3yo	SA	4f	9/20	0:46 ³	H 3/29	2/44
#4 Princesa Moche	4&up	SA	4f	9/20	0:48	H 18/108	25/141
#5 Misty Heart	3yo	SLR	4f	9/20	0:48 ²	H 9/42	4/29
#6 Eye Of The Smiley	2yo	SA	4f	9/21	0:47 ²	H 12/132	7/119
#8 Lady Mendelssohn	3yo	SA	4f	9/22	0:47 ⁴	H 11/94	18/108
#8 Issa Court	4&up	SA	5f	9/20	0:59 ³	H 3/18	6/30
#9 Dr. Venkman	4&up	SA	4f	9/21	0:47	H 4/132	7/141
#9 Straight No Chaser	4&up	SA	4f	9/22	0:48	H 16/94	25/141
#9 Speed Boat Beach	4&up	SA	5f	9/22	0:59 ²	H 1/52	5/91
#9 Mbagnick	4&up	SA	5f	9/21	0:59 ²	H 1/89	5/91
#9 Imagination	4&up	SA	5f	9/20	1:00	Hg 13/75	11/91
#10 Cat The Confidante	3yo	SA	5f	9/21	0:59 ³	H 4/22	3/20
#10 Precise Timing	3yo	SA	4f	9/22	0:47 ²	H 7/94	12/108

Distance Specialists Running Today							
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over the same distance as today's race.							
RaceHorse	Win%	Sts	Wn	Pl	Sh	DistSwitch	ClassRank
#3 Twilight Empire	80%	5	-	4	-	0	1/4
#3 Ole Silver	50%	8	-	4	-	1	2/4
#4 Yellow Sun Dress	75%	4	-	3	-	1	2/10
#4 Invincible Molly	50%	6	-	3	-	1	6/10
#4 Tight Squeeze	100%	2	-	2	-	0	1/10
#9 Straight No Chaser	63%	8	-	5	-	0	1/8
#9 Awesome Rhythm	75%	4	-	3	-	0	6/8
#9 Wound Up	40%	5	-	2	-	0	8/8

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 Kiss for Lulu	23Aug256DMR ¹¹	sMdSpWt	1/2	11	18.4
#1 Irish Element	23Aug256DMR ⁷	sMdSpWt	1/2	7	58.9
#1 Star of Delhi	23Aug256DMR ⁹	sMdSpWt	1/2	9	70.8
#1 Fight Back	23Aug256DMR ⁶	sMdSpWt	1/2	6	6.2
#1 Mav Man	23Aug256DMR ²	sMdSpWt	1/2	2	7.5
#1 Benny's Puzzle	23Aug256DMR ⁵	sMdSpWt	1/2	5	55.5
#1 Brahms Mendelssohn	23Aug256DMR ¹⁰	sMdSpWt	1/2	10	37.4
#2 A Friend of Mine	27Jul258DMR ⁵	fMdSpWt	2/5	5	24.8
#4 Chai	17Aug258EMD ³	fEmdDstfB50k	3/5	3	6.7
#7 Sugar Fish	01Sep258DMR ⁵	frTranqLakeB100k	1/1	5	3.3
#7 Richi	02Aug2510DMR ³	fCLHrsch-G1	1/2	3	3.5
#10 Miss Artois	16Aug2510DMR ¹	fMdSpWt	1/2	1	2.2

Horses for Courses Running Today							
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over this track and surface.							
RaceHorse	Win%	Sts	Wn	Pl	Sh	TrkSwitch	ClassRank
#3 Twilight Empire	50%	4	-	2	-	1	1/4
#3 Ole Silver	57%	7	-	4	-	1	2/4
#4 Yellow Sun Dress	75%	4	-	3	-	1	2/10
#7 Sugar Fish	57%	7	-	4	-	1	3/5
#7 Cavalieri	100%	3	-	3	-	0	2/5
#7 Richi	40%	5	-	2	-	1	1/5
#9 Straight No Chaser	50%	4	-	2	-	0	1/8
#9 Wound Up	100%	4	-	4	-	0	8/8

Hot Trainers with Starters Today					
Trainers with starters today which have been hot in the past 14 days.					
RaceHorse	Trainer	Record Last 14 Days			
#1 Irish Element	O'Neill Doug F	14	6	4	1
#2 Gathered	McCarthy Michael W	5	3	0	0
#4 The Wild Grazer	Mullins Jeff	6	2	1	2
#4 Princesa Moche	O'Neill Doug F	14	6	4	1
#5 Headstrong Ways	Baltas Richard	4	2	1	1
#6 Dark Blue	McCarthy Michael W	5	3	0	0
#6 Throwthefirstpunch	O'Neill Doug F	14	6	4	1
#7 Sugar Fish	Mullins Jeff	6	2	1	2
#7 La Kika	O'Neill Doug F	14	6	4	1
#8 Lavender Love	Baltas Richard	4	2	1	1
#8 Quantum Innergy	Mullins Jeff	6	2	1	2
#10 Lila	Baltas Richard	4	2	1	1
#10 Miss Artois	Baltas Richard	4	2	1	1
#10 Aleramo	McCarthy Michael W	5	3	0	0
#10 Atia	McCarthy Michael W	5	3	0	0
#10 Edge of Mali	Mullins Jeff	6	2	1	2