

INSIDER PICKS & POWER PLAYS™

Sam Houston - 04/06/2025

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 3) #3 Maybelly Race 6) #2 Berry Mischievous

Race 1 HOU - 04/06 - Dirt 6f. 3, 4, & 5yo, F & M. Mdn \$33,000 2:00/(1:00)/12:00/11:00
WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 1-2) / Pick 3 (Races 1-2-3)
Top 3: 2-5-6 **Speed:** 2-6-5 **Class:** 5-6-2 **Pace:** 6-7-5

Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	30/1	Lavender Will	Benavides D	Kotara R	
*2	3/5	Golly Holly	Elliott S	Asmussen S M	
3	20/1	Sherrys Ridge	Guerra R	Kotara R	
4	10/1	Dixie's Heart	Wethey Jr. F	Jacks K E	4: Clocker Special-4f
5	6/1	Expect a Patriot	Diego I V	Pish D	5: Clocker Special-4f ExitPossibleKeyRace
6	4/1	Songerrie	Triana, Jr. A	Asmussen S M	
7	20/1	A Thousand Sails	Cabrera D	Castellanos J	7: ExitPossibleKeyRace HotJockey
8	15/1	Imagoldensong	Sanchez O	Jacks K E	

Race 2 HOU - 04/06 - Turf 1m. 3&up, F & M. Clm \$15,000 2:30/(1:30)/12:30/11:30
WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 2-3) / Pick 3 (Races 2-3-4) /
Pick 4 (Races 2-3-4-5)
Top 3: 1-2-8 **Speed:** 2-4-5 **Class:** 8-1-2 **Pace:** 3-5-2

Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	8/5	Callin for Dollars	Wethey Jr. F	Jacks K E	
2	9/2	In Open Court	Elliott S	Willis M J	2: HotTnr/JkyCombo HotTrainer
3	12/1	Factor That	Rivera S	Rengstorf T	
4	8/1	Lexington Diva	Jimenez Aburto L M	Govea C	
5	6/1	Cactus Blossom	Wade L	Bravo F	
6	20/1	Run Witt Run	Wiseman I	Gourneau J	6: HotJockey
7	10/1	Keep the Bling	Cabrera D	Jacks K E	7: HotJockey
8	4/1	Gypsan	Parker D L	Pish D	

Race 3 HOU - 04/06 - Dirt 6f. 3, 4, & 5yo, F & M. Mdn Clm \$7,500 3:00/(2:00)/1:00/12:00
WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 3-4) / Pick 3 (Races 3-4-5)
Top 3: 3-2-6 **Speed:** 3-2-4 **Class:** 3-6-2 **Pace:** 6-2-3

Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	6/1	Jamie Zee	Jimenez Aburto L M	Rangel R	
2	9/2	Glitters Andie	Wade L	Young R A	
***3	1/1	Maybelly	Fuentes M	Young R A	3: SharpAndReady
4	15/1	Charming Leah	Wethey Jr. F	Jacks K E	
5	12/1	Doc's Delight	Guerra R	Willis M J	5: Clocker Special-5f HotTrainer
6	3/1	Mucho Vapor	Wiseman I	Martin S	6: HotJockey
7	20/1	Isobela	Meche C	Werneth R A	7: HotTrainer

Blinkers Off: Pg#4

Race 4 HOU - 04/06 - Dirt 7f. 3&up, F & M. Clm \$7,500 3:30/(2:30)/1:30/12:30
WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 4-5) / Houston Hi-5 /
Pick 3 (Races 4-5-6) / Pick 5 (Races 4 thru 8)
Top 3: 8-2-4 **Speed:** 3-8-1 **Class:** 8-1-9 **Pace:** 4-8-5

Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	5/2	Its My Money Too	Parker D L	Davidson S N	
2	8/1	Math Mystery	Wiseman I	Hurley T R	2: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse ExitPossibleKeyRace HotJockey
3	6/1	Wicked Song	Diaz R	Caldwell J R	3: HotJockey HotTnr/JkyCombo
4	7/2	Turn On the Bling	Cabrera D	Jacks K E	4: HotJockey
5	9/2	Sharp Likeness	Wade L	Gourneau J	5: ExitPossibleKeyRace
6	20/1	Miss Carmen Cibo	Sanchez O	Rengstorf T	
7	30/1	Jaded Tiger	Hernandez J A	Hinckson M	7: ExitKeyRace
*8	6/1	Desert Glow	Wethey Jr. F	Rengstorf T	8: BlueChipTrainerPlay
9	8/1	Coinmaker	Gonzalez E	Baldillez Jr. A	9: ExitPossibleKeyRace

Race 5 HOU - 04/06 - Turf 1 1/4m. 3&up, Alw \$34,500 4:00/(3:00)/2:00/1:00
WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 5-6) / Pick 3 (Races 5-6-7) /
Pick 4 (Races 5-6-7-8)
Top 3: 5-12-2 **Speed:** 5-3-10 **Class:** 5-6-1 **Pace:** 10-7-2

Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	9/2	Good Swimmer	Parker D L	Willis M J	1: HotTnr/JkyCombo HotTrainer
2	8/1	Escaping the Blues	Wethey Jr. F	Bravo F	
3	20/1	Noble Eagle	Diego I V	Padilla C A	3: HotTnr/JkyCombo
4	30/1	Courageously	Wade L	Fogarty D	
*5	3/1	Coastal Brink	Elliott S	Asmussen S M	
6	20/1	Up Up and Away	Wiseman I	Gelner J J	6: HotJockey
7	10/1	Mo Saturdays	Valdez-Jiminez E	Cravens III R E	
8	15/1	Sarge's Sermon	Cabrera D	Ramirez-Rodriguez A	8: BlueChipTrainerPlay HotJockey
9	6/1	Twenty One Skidoo	Guerra R	Craddock K	
10	5/1	News At Nine	Triana, Jr. A	Young S E	
11	50/1	My Calante	Sanchez O	Roberts J B	
12	8/1	Moon Cat	Diaz R	Caldwell J R	12: HotJockey HotTnr/JkyCombo

Race 6	HOU - 04/06 - Dirt 5½f. 3, 4, & 5yo. Mdn \$33,000 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 6-7) / Pick 3 (Races 6-7-8) Top 3: 2-3-4 Speed: 2-6-3 Class: 2-6-3 Pace: 2-5-4				4:30/ (3:30)/ 2:30/ 1:30
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	20/1	Chasing the Rush	Diaz R	Caldwell J R	1: <i>HotJockey</i> <i>HotTnr/JkyCombo</i>
***2	9/5	Berry Mischievous	Camacho V	Gustafson A	2: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
3	8/1	Bradix	Gonzalez E	Padilla C A	
4	6/1	Sippin Scotch	Wiseman I	Pish D	4: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i> <i>HotJockey</i>
5	20/1	Snowmageddon	Jimenez Aburto L M	Castellanos J	
6	4/1	Obvious Conclusion	Cabrera D	Love, Sr. A	6: <i>HotJockey</i>
7	30/1	Spiders Revenge	Guerra R	Kotara R	
8	15/1	Fly Red Bird Fly	Rivera S	Rivera J J	
9	30/1	Doc Henry Ridge	Benavides D	Mendoza E V	
10	10/1	Curly's One Thing	Elliott S	Asmussen S M	
11	20/1	Polito Tito	Triana, Jr. A	Asmussen S M	
12	12/1	Super Ekati	Fuentes M	Love, Sr. A	

Blinkers On: Pg#5,7

Race 7 HOU - 04/06 - Dirt 7f. 3&up, Clm \$7,500 5:00/(4:00)/3:00/2:00
WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 7-8)
Top 3: 7-12-2 **Speed:** 2-12-7 **Class:** 7-4-3 **Pace:** 9-11-12

Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	12/1	I'm a Cowboy	Parker D L	Pish D	
2	8/1	Barefoot Samurai	Cabrera D	Gustafson A	2: HotJockey
3	10/1	Hard Gold	Diaz R	Caldwell J R	3: DistanceSpecialist HotJockey HotTnr/JkyCombo
4	6/1	Pinky Ring Bling	Valdez-Jiminez E	Cravens III R E	
5	6/1	Witt's Taquito	Sanchez O	Sauceda J	
6	20/1	Barbacoa	Fuentes M	Sauceda J	
*7	4/1	Veracruz	Gonzalez E	Govea C	7: BlueChipTrainerPlay
8	15/1	Will the Thrill	Wade L	Pish D	
9	8/1	Talk About Autism	Rivera S	Calvario S	9: BlueChipTrainerPlay
10	30/1	Midnight Hunter	Perez J A	Baldillez Jr. A	
11	12/1	Bandera Bling	Diego I V	Jacks K E	11: HorseForCourse HotTnr/JkyCombo
12	9/2	Stans Home Run	Wethey Jr. F	Jacks K E	12: ExitKeyRace

Race 8 HOU - 04/06 - Turf 1 1/4m. 3&up, Alw \$35,000 5:30/(4:30)/3:30/2:30
WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Houston Hi-Five
Top 3: 1-11-5 **Speed:** 11-5-10 **Class:** 11-5-10 **Pace:** 11-6-2

Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	3/1	Imua Kai	Wethey Jr. F	Hebert M	
2	20/1	Prowling Tiger	Cabrera D	Govea C	2: BlueChipTrainerPlay DistanceSpecialist HotJockey
3	20/1	Papa Rizzo	Wade L	Roberts J B	
4	6/1	Country Caper	Diaz R	Bravo F	4: HotJockey
5	8/1	From the Heart	Parker D L	Davidson S N	
6	30/1	Cliff Diver	Jimenez Aburto L M	Rengstorf T	6: Clocker Special-4f DistanceSpecialist
7	10/1	Sonic Posse	Sanchez O	Bravo F	7: Clocker Special-4f
8	30/1	Paintbrush	Guerra R	Garza J E	
9	4/1	Cinco Richie	Valdez-Jiminez E	Ramirez-Rodriguez A	9: BlueChipTrainerPlay
10	8/1	Sharp Spark	Elliott S	Gelner J J	10: Clocker Special-5f
11	9/2	A. P.'s Secret	Diego I V	Young R A	

Track Bias

MEET(01/03-03/30)					WEEK(03/24-03/30)				
Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts	Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts
5 1/2f Dirt	47	57%	E	Rail/Ins	5 1/2f Dirt	4	100%	E	Rail/Ins
6f Dirt	54	30%	E	Inside	6f Dirt	7	0%	E/P	Inside
7f Dirt	17	6%	P	Inside	7f Dirt	1	0%	E	Middle
1m Turf	37	16%	P	Outside	1m Turf	3	0%	P	Middle
Routes Turf	19	16%	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%	ltm%	\$2ROI
#4 Desert Glow	Rengstorf Tony	Rte to Sprint	55	22%	45%	0.37
#5 Sarge's Sermon	Ramirez-Rodriguez Abel	Turf starts	41	22%	51%	0.85
#7 Veracruz	Govea Cesar	2nd after clm	30	20%	43%	1.17
#7 Talk About Autism	Calvario Samuel	Down 2+ classes	24	29%	63%	0.03
#8 Prowling Tiger	Govea Cesar	2nd after clm	30	20%	43%	1.17
#8 Cinco Richie	Ramirez-Rodriguez Abel	Turf starts	41	22%	51%	0.85

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 Dixie's Heart	3yo	HOU	4f	3/30	0:49 ¹ B	22/81	6/38
#1 Expect A Patriot	4&up	HOU	4f	3/30	0:48 ³ B	9/81	12/89
#3 Doc's Delight	3yo	HOU	5f	3/30	1:01 ⁴ Bg	3/10	1/5
#6 Berry Mischievous	3yo	HOU	4f	3/30	0:49 ¹ B	22/81	6/38
#6 Sippin Scotch	4&up	HOU	4f	3/30	0:47 ⁴ B	4/81	4/89
#8 Cliff Diver	4&up	HOU	4f	3/30	0:48 ² B	7/81	7/89
#8 Sonic Posse	4&up	HOU	4f	3/30	0:47 ³ B	2/81	1/89
#8 Sharp Spark	4&up	HOU	5f	3/30	1:00 ⁴ B	1/10	1/13

Distance Specialists Running Today							
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over the same distance as today's race.							
Race	Horse	Win%	Sts	Wn	Pl	Sh	DistSwitch ClassRank
#4	Math Mystery	67%	9 -	6 -	0 -	2	NO 5/9
#7	Hard Gold	50%	4 -	2 -	1 -	0	NO 3/12
#8	Prowling Tiger	50%	4 -	2 -	2 -	0	YES 4/11
#8	Cliff Diver	33%	6 -	2 -	3 -	0	YES 6/11
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.							
Race	Horse	Key Race	Class	Level	Wn	NxtOut/Strs	Finish Odds
#1	Expect a Patriot	15Mar255HOU ²	f	MdSpWt		1/2	2 3.9
#1	A Thousand Sails	15Mar255HOU ⁷	f	MdSpWt		1/2	7 9.9
#4	Math Mystery	14Mar258HOU ⁵	f	CIm7500b		1/2	5 3.7
#4	Sharp Likeness	14Mar258HOU ²	f	CIm7500b		1/2	2 39.7
#4	Jaded Tiger	16Mar255FON ⁶	f	CIm2500n1y		2/4	6 60.2
#4	Coinmaker	14Mar258HOU ⁴	f	CIm7500b		1/2	4 9.2
#7	Stans Home Run	28Feb253HOU ⁸	OC	10000		2/4	8 8.9
Horses for Courses Running Today							
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over this track and surface.							
Race	Horse	Win%	Sts	Wn	Pl	Sh	TrkSwitch ClassRank
#4	Math Mystery	57%	7 -	4 -	0 -	1	NO 5/9
#7	Bandera Bling	33%	9 -	3 -	2 -	0	NO 9/12
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		
Cabrera David	1(#7),2(#7),4(#4),5(#8),6(#6),7(#2),8(#2)				18	5	3 1
Diaz Rene	4(#3),5(#12),6(#1),7(#3),8(#4)				9	3	2 2
Wiseman Isaiah	2(#6),3(#6),4(#2),5(#6),6(#4)				11	3	0 2
Hot Trainers with Starters Today							
Trainers with starters today which have been hot in the past 14 days.							
Race	Horse	Trainer	Record Last 14 Days				
#2	In Open Court	Willis Mindy J	15	5	1	1	
#3	Isobela	Werneth Robert A	3	2	0	0	
#3	Doc's Delight	Willis Mindy J	15	5	1	1	
#5	Good Swimmer	Willis Mindy J	15	5	1	1	
Hot Trainer/Jockey Combos Today							
T/J combos running today which have been hot in the past 14 days.							
Race	Horse	Combo	Record Last 14 Days				
#2	In Open Court	Willis Mindy J/Elliott Stewart	5	2	0	0	
#4	Wicked Song	Caldwell J. R./Diaz Rene	16	4	2	3	
#5	Moon Cat	Caldwell J. R./Diaz Rene	16	4	2	3	
#5	Noble Eagle	Padilla Carlos A/Diego Iram V	11	3	2	3	
#5	Good Swimmer	Willis Mindy J/Parker Deshawn L	3	3	0	0	
#6	Chasing the Rush	Caldwell J. R./Diaz Rene	16	4	2	3	
#7	Hard Gold	Caldwell J. R./Diaz Rene	16	4	2	3	
#7	Bandera Bling	Jacks Karen E/Diego Iram V	6	2	1	0	
Sharp and Ready in Today							
Runners that hold a significant Speed and Class advantage in the race.							
Race	Horse	Lastout	Date	trk	#	FP	
#3	Maybelly	fMdSpWt	01Feb	25HOU	7	5	