

# INSIDER PICKS & POWER PLAYS™

## Los Alamitos QH - 05/18/2025

**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.

Race 1	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 1000y. 3&up, F & M. Clm \$6,250					9:10/ 8:10/ 7:10/( 6:10)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum) / \$1 Early Double / \$1 Pick Four / \$1 Place Pick All					
	Top 3: 7-3-4		Speed: 1-2-3	Class: 7-6-4	Pace: --	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
1	6/1	Rickelle	Cruz D D	Aquino A M		
2	4/1	Intense Moment	Vargas S R	Gonzalez F L		
3	8/1	Ara	Herrera C	Haley G		
4	5/2	Conquest Celsius	Hernandez E	Aquino A M		
5	20/1	Scoring Leap	Rojas Fernandez E K	Aquino A M		
6	6/1	Sweet Ella Rae	Payeras E	Uranga J J		
*7	2/1	Bornstostaythirsty	Orduna-Rojas F	Monascal J B		
Blinkers Off: Pg#5						

Race 2	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 1000y. 3&up. Clm \$8,000					9:36/ 8:36/ 7:36/( 6:36)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum wager) / \$1 Pick Three					
	Top 3: 1-5-4		Speed: 4-1-3		Class: 5-3-1	Pace: --
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
*1	6/1	Southern Slang	Escobedo A	Vallejo G		
2	4/1	Half Right	Lopez H R	Uranga J J	2: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse HotJockey	
3	3/1	Hungry Hearts	Ramirez R S	Farias J		
4	5/1	Evenerevenworse	Orduna-Rojas F	Vallejo G		
5	7/2	Perfecto Amor	Payeras E	Farias A	5: ExitKeyRace	
6	5/2	Square D' Oro	Camacho-Flores L	Vallejo G	6: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse	

Race 3	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 1000y. 3&up, Clm \$6,250					10:02/ 9:02/ 8:02/( 7:02)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum wager) / \$1 Pick Three					
	Top 3: 1-5-6		Speed: 5-4-6		Class: 5-1-6	Pace: --
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
*1	2/1	Oobubbakakayo	Payeras E	Uranga J J		
2	6/1	Senor Reece	Hernandez E	Aquino A M		
3	8/1	Mucho Suerte	Alcala J R	Aquino A M		
4	6/1	Ocasek	Barandela S	Lucas R J		
5	8/5	Grazen Touch	Ramirez R S	Aguirre P G	5: SharpAndReady	
6	6/1	Big Splash	Orduna-Rojas F	Vallejo G		

Race 4	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 1000y. 3&up. StrAlw \$9,500				10:28/ 9:28/ 8:28/( 7:28)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Quinella / \$1 Pick Three / \$2 Pick Six				
	Top 3: 2-3-5		Speed: 2-5-	Class: 3-2-5	Pace: --
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	15/1	Debt Monger	Franco C	Aquino A M	
*2	3/5	To Speight Her	Hernandez E	Morfin S	2: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse
3	8/1	Project Leader	Lopez H R	Uranga J J	3: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse HotJockey
4	5/2	Lessons of Autism	Payeras E	Nunez J	4: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse
5	5/1	Perfect D	Ramirez R S	Cunningham B T	5: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse SharpAndReady

Race 5	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 1000y. 3&up, F & M. Mdn \$13,000					10:54/ 9:54/ 8:54/( 7:54)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum wager) / \$1 Double / \$1 Pick Three					
	Top 3: 3-6-5		Speed: 3-6-1		Class: 3-6-1	Pace: --
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
1	15/1	Sassy Mischief	Camacho-Flores L	Preciado G		
2	6/1	Blonde for Life	Escobedo A	Gomez R		
*3	8/5	Mo Pearls Please	Payeras E	Hollendorfer J	3: Clocker Special-1100y	
4	4/1	It Is Written	Hernandez E	Eaton T		
5	7/2	Lit de Tiger	Herrera C	Haley G		
6	3/1	Never Not Once	Ramirez R S	Flores A	6: ExitKeyRace	

Race 6	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 110y. 3&up. Clm \$20,000 \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum wager) / \$1 Pick Four Top 3: 6-7-4 Speed: 6-1-5 Class: -- Pace: --					11:20/10:20/ 9:20/( 8:20)
	Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	4/1	Bravery	Lara I	Willoughby S		
2	20/1	Marco Cartel	Vargas S R	Nunez J		
3	5/1	Job Done	Nicasio E	Glenn, Jr. J W		
4	7/2	Nomad Too	Roman J	Farias A		
5	10/1	Run Thru the Nite	Lozano R	Casselman M V		
*6	5/2	Back Side of Water	Franco C	Casselman M V		
7	3/1	Bella Hunting	Ramirez R S	Castaneda K		

Race 7	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 110y. 3&up, Mdn \$8,000					11:46/10:46/ 9:46/( 8:46)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum wager) / \$1 Pick Three					
	Top 3: 6-2-1		Speed: 1-3-5		Class: --	Pace: --
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
1	3/1	Twice Over	Roman J	Farias A		
2	5/2	Flying Cowgirl	Aceves R	Farias J		
3	6/1	Torito Cash Cartel	Gasca E	Mendoza J		
4	6/1	Jazzy Girl	Arriaga M	Jones P C	4: ExitPossibleKeyRace	
5	8/1	Belia	Vargas S R	Perez S R		
*6	2/1	Work With It	Lopez H R	Glenn, Jr. J W	6: HotJockey	
First Time Lasix: Pg#6						

Race 8	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 300y. 2yo, F. Mdn \$10,500					12:12/11:12/10:12/( 9:12)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum wager) / \$1 Late Double					
	Top 3: 4-3-1		Speed: 4-2-1	Class: --		Pace: --
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
1	7/2	Seraphina Hawk	Ramirez R S	Nunez J		
2	6/1	Mental Lapse	Alcala J R	Gonzalez F L		
3	3/1	Slatedtoshine	Roman J	Figueroa R		
*4	6/5	La Popiz Chick	Lozano R	Zamudio V A	4: ExitPossibleKeyRace	
5	12/1	Linda Isle	Lara I	Willoughby S		
6	8/1	Fear the Speer	Franco C	Casselman M V		
Blinkers On: Pg#6						

Race 9	LA - 05/18 - Dirt 400y. 3yo. NG \$44,880					12:38/11:38/10:38/( 9:38)
	\$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$1 Superfecta (.10 cent minimum wager)					
	Top 3: 5-1-6      Speed: 1-6-7      Class: --      Pace: --					
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
1	4/1	Invasive	Escobedo E G	Jungers M E		
2	20/1	Prey n Cartel	Ramos C	Jungers M E	2: <i>ExitKeyRace</i>	
3	9/2	Apolittical Bet	Nicasio E	Castillo R	3: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i> <i>HorseForCourse</i> <i>ExitKeyRace</i>	
4	8/1	Vgk Zigfield Follies	Roman J	Farias A		
*5	3/1	Midnight Mood	Cervantes A R	Castillo R		
6	4/1	Holmybeeranwatchthis	Ramirez R S	Willis E D	6: <i>HorseForCourse</i> <i>HotTrainer</i>	
7	5/1	Steel Blue Cartel	Mendez C	Flores J A		
8	12/1	Cm Jesse B a Cowboy	Franco C	Lindsey L		
9	12/1	Cm Cowgirls Are Cool	Lozano R	Lindsey L		

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
#5 Mo Pearls Please	4&up	LA	5f	5/9	1:00	H	6/10 7/35

Distance Specialists Running Today								
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over the same distance as today's race.								
RaceHorse	Win%	Sts	Wn	PI	Sh	DistSwitch	ClassRank	
#2 Half Right	35%	17	-	6	2	5	NO	3/6
#2 Square D' Oro	45%	11	-	5	1	2	NO	6/6
#4 To Speight Her	75%	8	-	6	1	0	NO	3/5
#4 Project Leader	41%	41	-	17	11	2	NO	4/5
#4 Lessons of Autism	50%	6	-	3	1	1	NO	5/5
#4 Perfect D	33%	30	-	10	9	6	NO	1/5
#9 Apolittical Bet	43%	7	-	3	0	1	NO	3/9

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	
#2 Perfecto Amor	13Apr256LA 2	Clm6250	2/6	2	4.6	
#5 Never Not Once	18Jun239SA 8	fsMdSpWt	4/9	8	19.9	
#7 Jazzy Girl	06Apr258LA 4	Md8000	1/1	4	5.5	
#8 La Popiz Chick	19Apr259LA 2	FutTrf6000	1/1	2	19.2	
#9 Prey n Cartel	30Mar258LA 4	sMdSpWt	2/5	4	1.3	
#9 Apolittical Bet	15Feb258LA 9	LAWntrDbG1-G1	3/6	9	26.6	

Horses for Courses Running Today								
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over this track and surface.								
RaceHorse	Win%	Sts	Wn	PI	Sh	TrkSwitch	ClassRank	
#2 Half Right	40%	10	-	4	-	2	NO	3/6
#2 Square D' Oro	45%	11	-	5	-	2	NO	6/6
#4 To Speight Her	75%	8	-	6	-	0	NO	3/5
#4 Project Leader	44%	39	-	17	-	11	1	4/5
#4 Lessons of Autism	50%	6	-	3	-	1	1	5/5
#4 Perfect D	33%	30	-	10	-	9	6	1/5
#9 Apolittical Bet	50%	6	-	3	-	0	1	3/9
#9 Holmybeeranwatchthis	38%	8	-	3	-	1	1	6/9

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	
Lopez Henry Reynoso	2(#2),4(#3),7(#6)	8	2 0 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	
#9 Holmybeeranwatchthis	Willis Eddie D	10	4 2 1

### Sharp and Ready in Today

Runners that hold a significant Speed and Class advantage in the race.

RaceHorse	Lastout	Date-trk-#	FP
#3 Grazen Touch	fMd20000	10Dec23LRC6	1
#4 Perfect D	Alw6250s	19Apr25LA2	3