

INSIDER PICKS & POWER PLAYS™

Thistledown - 10/03/2024

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 6) #5 Sweeping Giant Race 8) #5 Blue Nomore

Race 1	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. Clm \$12,500				(12:50)/11:50/10:50/ 9:50
	\$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$1 Pick 3 (Races 1-2-3) / \$.50 Pick 4 (Races 1-2-3-4)				
	Top 3: 2-8-4	Speed: 2-8-3	Class: 8-2-6	Pace: 4-1-7	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	12/1	Slick Eddie	Vigil N	Faulkner R C	
*2	9/5	Rollin My Way	Cedillo M	Zielinski R	
3	15/1	Lotsa Matcha	Batista L A	Gonzalez R	
4	9/2	Showtime Boy	Terraza G	Galloway K	4: <i>HotTrainer</i>
5	15/1	Cloud Princess	Diaz A I	Szczepanski E	
6	5/1	Itsmyluckycoyne	Salazar Becerra F	Flores I	6: <i>HotJockey</i>
7	20/1	Windy Valley	Halдар D J	Winters M	
8	2/1	Kingdom Diamond	Bowen R	Meyers S	
Blinkers On: Pg#3					

Race 2	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 1m. 3&up. Clm \$16,000 (1:20)/12:20/11:20/10:20 \$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$1 Pick 3 (Races 2-3-4) Top 3: 1-3-7 Speed: 1-6-2 Class: 1-7-4 Pace: 1-5-3				
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	5/2	Mo Dont No	Bracho J A	Radosevich J A	1: <i>HorseForCourse</i> <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i> <i>HotJockey</i> <i>HotTnr/JkyCombo</i> <i>HotTrainer</i>
2	6/1	Visual Mission	Diaz A I	Rivera N	
3	3/1	Romantic Cowboy	Gonzalez L A	McDonald J H	3: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i> <i>HotJockey</i>
4	10/1	Indian Fever	Bowen R	Hamm T E	4: <i>DistanceSpecialist</i> <i>HotTnr/JkyCombo</i>
5	8/1	Spirit of Akron	Giron A A	Bailey R	
6	9/2	Sammy's Smile	Barbaran E	Radosevich J A	6: <i>HotTrainer</i>
7	4/1	Dr. Zarnett	Feliciano R	Meyers S	

Race 3	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. F & M. NG \$75,000 (1:50)/12:50/11:50/10:50				
	\$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$1 Pick 3 (Races 3-4-5) / \$.20 Pick 6 (Races 3-8) - 70% Carryover				
	Top 3: 2-5-1		Speed: 5-2-1	Class: 2-5-3	Pace: 2-5-1
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	5/2	Midnight Wonder	Salazar Becerra F	Skerrett J	1: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse HotJockey
*2	9/5	Back to Ohio	Loveberry J	Rivelli L	2: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse ExitPossibleKeyRace SharpAndReady
3	4/1	Sweet Unique	Vigil N	Zielinski R	3: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse ExitPossibleKeyRace
4	12/1	Wortherweightngold	Aviles Y	Rone M L	4: DistanceSpecialist
5	2/1	Generous Lover	Martinez G A	Sharp J	

Race 4	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 5½f. 3&up. Clm \$16,000 (2:20)/ 1:20/12:20/11:20				
	\$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$1 Pick 3 (Races 4-5-6) / \$.50 Pick 5 (Races 4-8)				
	Top 3: 1-2-6	Speed: 2-1-3	Class: 2-1-3	Pace: 1-6-2	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
*1	9/5	Drilin' for Gems	Houghton T D	Jackson J R	1: DistanceSpecialist ExitPossibleKeyRace HotJockey
2	2/1	Tahlequah Joe	Toledo J S	Radosevich J S	4: HotJockey
3	5/1	Smoocher	Barbaran E	Gorham R M	
4	7/2	One Step Aside	Salazar Becerra F	DaCosta J	
5	12/1	Gibby My Corn	Bowen R	Trevino S G	
6	8/1	Orville B	Batista L A	Morales S M	

Race 5	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. Alw \$31,400				(2:50)/ 1:50/12:50/11:50
	\$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$1 Pick 3 (Races 5-6-7) / \$.50 Pick 4 (Races 5-6-7-8)				
	Top 3: 7-2-1		Speed: 7-1-2	Class: 2-1-7	Pace: 1-7-4
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	9/2	More Love	Aviles Y	Waltz B	1: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse
2	2/1	Onasa	Loveberry J	Rivelli L	
3	15/1	Road to Stardom	Salazar Becerra F	Calderon I	3: BlueChipTrainerPlay HotJockey
4	12/1	Goodyellowbrickrd	Halder D J	Skerrett J	
5	7/2	Hitsville	Fernandez V R	Brown G	
6	5/2	Midnight Majesty	Bowen R	Puhl K A	6: HotTrainer
*7	8/1	Noiso Mischievous	Ramgeet A R	Ramgeet T	7: SharpAndReady

Race 6	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 1m. 3&up. OptClm \$8,000 (3:20)/ 2:20/ 1:20/12:20				
	\$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta / \$1 Pick 3 (Races 6-7-8)				
	Top 3: 5-2-6	Speed: 5-2-6	Class: 5-2-4	Pace: 6-1-5	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	10/1	Bourbon Over Ice	Perez R A	Urieta J	1: HorseForCourse
2	2/1	Double Thunder	Bowen R	Young R T	2: BlueChipTrainerPlay DistanceSpecialist
3	12/1	Deep Faith	Batista L A	Morales S M	
4	9/2	Hammerin Aamer	Bracho J A	Radosevich J A	4: HoJockey HoJTrnr/JkyCombo HoTrainer
***5	9/5	Sweeping Giant	Feliciano R	Canegata J	5: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse
6	7/2	My Brother Cam	Salazar Becerra F	Ray K	6: HoJockey
Blinkers Off: Pg#3					

Race 7	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 1 ¹ / ₁₆ m. 3&up. Alw \$29,700				(3:50)/ 2:50/ 1:50/12:50
	\$1 Daily Double / \$1 Exacta / \$1 Trifecta / \$.10 Superfecta				
	Top 3: 2-6-3		Speed: 6-2-4	Class: 2-6-4	Pace: 2-3-4
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	7/2	Washington's Union	Barbaran E	Farrior A	
*2	2/1	Spellcast	Bowen R	Hamm T E	2: HorseForCourse HotTrn/JkyCombo
3	6/1	Scrimper	Vigil N	Zielinski R	3: HorseForCourse
4	10/1	Randello	Perez R A	Vlaun M	
5	9/2	Need to Know Basis	Diaz A I	Rivera N	
6	5/2	Ekali's Way	Bracho J A	Cline R C	6: HorseForCourse HotJockey HotTrn/JkyCombo

Race 8	TDN - 10/03 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. Alw \$38,400				(4:20/ 3:20/ 2:20/ 1:20	
	\$1 Exacta/ \$1 Trifecta/ \$.10 Superfecta					
	Top 3: 5-6-3		Speed: 5-6-1		Class: 5-1-6 Pace: 1-5-3	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
1	9/2	It'sgoodtobeseen	Diaz A I	Tumblin A		
2	7/2	Overload	Barbaran E	Gorham R M		
3	10/1	Worthy Opponent	Houghton T D	Huffman C M	3: <i>HotJockey</i> <i>HotTrainer</i>	
4	12/1	Wolfine	Halder D J	Winters M	4: <i>ExitKeyRace</i>	
***5	2/1	Blue Nomore	Aviles Y	Tooley J	5: <i>ExitKeyRace</i>	
6	9/5	Golden Flag	Bowen R	Hamm T E	6: <i>HorseForCourse</i> <i>HotTrn/JkyCombo</i>	

Track Bias

MEET(04/22-09/26)					WEEK(09/20-09/26)				
% Wire					% Wire				
Distance	Races	Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts	Distance	Races	Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts
5½f Dirt	180	41%	E	Rail	5½f Dirt	10	30%	E/P	Middle
6f Dirt	361	32%	E/P	Mid/Out	6f Dirt	11	18%	E/P	Rail
1m Dirt	175	26%	E	Inside	1m Dirt	4	75%	E	Rail/Ins
1¼m Dirt	7	57%	E	Middle	1¼m Dirt	1	100%	E	Middle

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 Romantic Cowboy	McDonald James H	Sprint to Rte	10	30%	50%	1.56
#5 Road To Stardom	Calderon Ivan	1st start w/trn	48	21%	44%	1.75
#6 Double Thunder	Young R. Terry	Shipper	30	23%	40%	3.58

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
#2 Indian Fever	33%	18 -	6 -	0 -	1	NO	3/7
#3 Midnight Wonder	45%	11 -	5 -	3 -	1	NO	4/5
#3 Back to Ohio	88%	8 -	7 -	1 -	0	NO	1/5
#3 Sweet Unique	50%	12 -	6 -	2 -	3	NO	3/5
#3 Wortherweightgold	38%	13 -	5 -	3 -	0	NO	5/5
#4 Drilin' for Gems	50%	4 -	2 -	0 -	1	NO	2/6
#5 More Love	50%	4 -	2 -	1 -	0	YES	2/7
#6 Double Thunder	57%	7 -	4 -	0 -	1	YES	2/6
#6 Sweeping Giant	45%	11 -	5 -	2 -	1	NO	1/6

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 Mo Dont No	10Sep245TDN ³	sC1m16000	1/1	3	3.1
#3 Back to Ohio	05Sep247TDN ¹	fsAngenoraB75k	1/2	1	0.9
#3 Sweet Unique	05Sep247TDN ⁴	fsAngenoraB75k	1/2	4	14.6
#4 Drilin' for Gems	16Sep244TDN ³	sC1m50000n3l	1/1	3	19.3
#8 Wolfine	19Aug243TDN ⁵	sAlw38400n3l	2/2	5	37.7
#8 Blue Nomore	19Aug243TDN ³	sAlw38400n3l	2/2	3	0.7

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
#2	Mo Dont No	33%	45 -	15 -	10 -	7	NO 1/7
#3	Midnight Wonder	80%	5 -	4 -	1 -	0	NO 4/5
#3	Back to Ohio	83%	6 -	5 -	1 -	0	NO 1/5
#3	Sweet Unique	67%	6 -	4 -	1 -	0	NO 3/5
#5	More Love	40%	5 -	2 -	2 -	0	YES 2/7
#6	Bourbon Over Ice	33%	12 -	4 -	2 -	4	NO 5/6
#6	Sweeping Giant	57%	7 -	4 -	1 -	1	NO 1/6
#7	Spellcast	50%	4 -	2 -	1 -	1	NO 1/6
#7	Scrimper	50%	8 -	4 -	0 -	1	NO 4/6
#7	Ekati's Way	83%	6 -	5 -	0 -	0	NO 2/6
#8	Golden Flag	75%	4 -	3 -	1 -	0	YES 3/6

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		
Bracho Jose A	2(#1),6(#4),7(#6)	9	3	0 3
Gonzalez L A	2(#3)	5	3	0 1
Houghton T D	4(#1),8(#3)	10	3	1 1
Salazar Becerra Fernando	1(#6),3(#1),4(#4),5(#3),6(#6)	12	3	3 1

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		
#1	Showtime Boy	Galloway Khadeem	3	2	0 0
#2	Mo Dont No	Radosevich Jeffrey A	16	7	1 4
#2	Sammy's Smile	Radosevich Jeffrey A	16	7	1 4
#5	Midnight Majesty	Puhl Kim A	12	4	2 3
#6	Hammerin Aamer	Radosevich Jeffrey A	16	7	1 4
#8	Worthy Opponent	Huffman Candace M	4	2	0 0

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	Indian Fever	Hamm Timothy E/Bowen Rocco	12	3	5 0
#2	Mo Dont No	Radosevich Jeffrey A/Bracho Jose A	7	4	0 1
#6	Hammerin Aamer	Radosevich Jeffrey A/Bracho Jose A	7	4	0 1
#7	Ekati's Way	Cline Robert C/Bracho Jose A	6	2	0 2
#7	Spellcast	Hamm Timothy E/Bowen Rocco	12	3	5 0
#8	Golden Flag	Hamm Timothy E/Bowen Rocco	12	3	5 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	Back to Ohio	IsAngenoraB75k	05Sep24TDN7 1
#5	Notso Mischievous	Alw29700NW2X	19Sep24TDN5 2