

INSIDER PICKS & POWER PLAYS™

Horseshoe Indianapolis - 08/18/2025

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.

3 STAR BEST BETS

Race 2) #5 Quality Dancer

Race 1	IND - 08/18 - Dirt 5½f. 2yo, F. Mdn \$43,520 (2:10)/ 1:10/12:10/11:10				
	Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 10 Cent Superfecta / 50 Cent Pick 3 (Races 1-2-3) / 50 Cent Pick 5 (Races 1-2-3-4-5)				
	Top 3: 6-7-1 Speed: 4-1-3 Class: 1-3-4 Pace: 4-3-9				
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	9/2	Cup of Coffee	Pedroza, Jr. M	Corrigan J	
2	8/1	Rhapsody in Motion	Sheehy D	Meah A M	
3	5/1	Lolly Poppin	Sanjur S	Mott W I	
4	10/1	Miss Clarke	Aragon R	Evans II M	4: BlueChipTrainerPlay
5	8/1	El Ma any	Prescott R A	McKeever A	
*6	3/1	Highlight Show	De La Cruz F	Cox B H	6: Clocker Special-4f HotJockey HotTnr/JkyCombo
7	7/2	Cuda Cutie	Bermudez S E	West A M	
8	15/1	I Mean Business	Jurado E	Spicer J T	
9	30/1	Jr Miss Starlet	Achard A	Cazares J	
Blinkers On: Pg#1					

Race 2	IND - 08/18 - Dirt 1m70yds. 3&up. MdnCln \$5,000 (2:41)/ 1:41/12:41/11:41				
	Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 10 Cent Superfecta / 50 Cent Pick 3 (Races 2-3-4) / \$1 Pick 4 (Races 2-3-4-5)				
	Top 3: 5-4-1	Speed: 5-3-1	Class: 5-4-1	Pace: 4-6-2	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	12/1	Hyperion Bridge	Romero J M	Davis J D	1: <i>HotTrainer</i>
2	10/1	Stand Up Charlie	Sanjur S	Beckman A	
3	2/1	My Mile's Vow	Contreras L	Davis J D	3: <i>HotTrainer</i>
4	10/1	Lambay	Bermudez S E	West A M	4: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
***5	6/5	Quality Dancer	De La Cruz F	Green D	5: <i>HotJockey</i> <i>SharpAndReady</i>
6	12/1	Paddy's Dream	Roman E A	Haran J	6: <i>BlueChipTrainerPlay</i>
7	8/1	T D Memories	Gutierrez J R	Fosdick S V	

Race 3	IND - 08/18 - Turf 1 1/4 m. 3&up, F & M. Mdn \$38,500 (3:12)/ 2:12/ 1:12/12:12				
	Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 10 Cent Superfecta / 50 Cent Pick 3 (Races 3-4-5)				
	Top 3: 6-11-10 Speed: 11-3-2 Class: 10-11-4 Pace: 8-10-11				
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	8/1	Tempest Jill	Pedroza, Jr. M	Cazares J	
2	9/2	Eurcool	Prescott R A	Vaughn T	
3	5/1	Tamarac Square	Contreras L	Holden J J	
4	4/1	Goody Two Socks	Murrill M	Eggleston T	4: <i>HotTnr/JkyCombo</i>
5	6/1	What You Wished	Bermudez S E	Holden J J	
*6	5/1	Si O Si	Ramos J D	Matthews R	6: <i>HotJockey</i>
7	30/1	Very	Albornoz J I	Rechy C	7: <i>HotTrainer</i>
8	10/1	Jogger	Roman E A	Lauer M E	
9	6/1	C V Cinnamon Rose	Gutierrez J R	Gonzalez, Jr. A	
10	3/1	Bootlegger Justice	Pedroza, Jr. M	Douglass D	
11	5/2	Get Even Kid	Burgos A	Haran J	

Race 4	IND - 08/18 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. MdnCln \$15,000 (3:43)/ 2:43/ 1:43/12:43				
	Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 10 Cent Superfecta / 50 Cent Pick 3 (Races 4-5-6) / 50 Cent Pick 5 (Races 4-5-6-7-8)				
	Top 3: 4-7-3 Speed: 4-7-5 Class: 7-4-5 Pace: 5-4-2				
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	30/1	Left	Roman E A	Mullins S D	
2	20/1	Bella's Charm	Ramos J D	Cline R C	2: HotJockey
3	9/2	Count the Cash	Leahey H	Wisner T J	
*4	2/1	C V Ronin Legacy	Gutierrez J R	Gonzalez, Jr. A	
5	5/1	Moore Gold	Achard A	Cazares J	
6	15/1	Yoshida's Impact	Bermudez S E	Donjuan S	
7	8/5	Jake's Trouble	De La Cruz F	West A M	7: HotJockey
First Time Lasix Pg#2					

Race 5	IND - 08/18 - Turf 1m. 3&up. OptCln \$12,000				(4:14)/ 3:14/ 2:14/ 1:14
	Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 1st Leg of \$1 Horseshoe Hat Trick Turf Pick 3 (Races 5;7-8) / 10 Cent Superfecta / 50 Cent Pick 3 (Races 5-6-7) / ITOBA \$1 Pick 4 (Races 5-6-7-8)				
	Top 3: 12-2-5		Speed: 12-3-7	Class: 12-4-5	Pace: 2-8-9
	Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer
1	8/1	Heavy Hitter	Lagunes G	Hester H	
2	7/2	Elevated Game	Contreras L	Matthews R	2: DistanceSpecialist
3	12/1	Daddy Justify	Pedroza, Jr. M	Santamaria C	
4	6/1	Hydro Frost	Roman E A	Elliott M L	
5	5/2	Nip N Tuck	Esquivel E	Contreras C	5: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse HotTnr/JkyCombo HotTrainer
6	15/1	Nacho Chrome	Burgos A	Medina T	
7	20/1	Nikolaou	Sanjur S	Dixon, Jr. J	7: ExitKeyRace
8	10/1	Backyard Justice	Ulloa A P	Granitz A J	8: DistanceSpecialist HorseForCourse
9	15/1	Mission Mike	Lebron V	Cahill S F	9: ExitPossibleKeyRace
10	8/1	Hold Your Applause	De La Cruz F	Richardville T	10: ExitKeyRace HotJockey
11	20/1	Epimythium	Sheehy D	Hayes M S	
*12	3/1	Couperin	Lebron V	Kordenbrock M	12: BlueChipTrainerPlay

Race 6	IND - 08/18 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. Alw \$38,000				(4:45)/ 3:45/ 2:45/ 1:45
	Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 10 Cent Superfecta / 50 Cent Pick 3 (Races 6-7-8) / 10 Cent Grand High 5 (Pentafecta)				
	Top 3: 10-2-1		Speed: 2-10-1	Class: 2-3-4	Pace: 5-10-3
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	4/1	Woodaz	Gutierrez J R	Garcia G	1: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i>
2	7/2	Tap Tap Tap It In	Murrill M	Eggleston T	2: <i>HotTnr/JkyCombo</i>
3	5/1	Special Creed	Roman E A	Elliott M L	3: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
4	12/1	El Michoacano	Sanjur S	Duran A	
5	15/1	Goldwyn	Ramos J D	Klopp R L	5: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i> <i>HotJockey</i> <i>HotTnr/JkyCombo</i>
6	20/1	R Guy Max	Mojica O	Richardville T	
7	20/1	Dauwe	Grisales Rave D	Gonzalez L	
8	6/1	Jammin Justice	Prescott R A	McGovern S	
9	8/1	Bourbon Curiosity	Ulloa A P	Silva M A	9: <i>ExitPossibleKeyRace</i>
*10	9/2	Sleepy	De La Cruz F	Klopp R L	10: <i>Clocker Special-4f</i> <i>HotJockey</i>

Race 7	IND - 08/18 - Turf 1 1/4m. 3&up. F & M. MdnCln \$12,500				(5:16)/ 4:16/ 3:16/ 2:16
	Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta /				
	2nd Leg of \$1 Horseshoe Hat Trick Turf Pick 3 / 10 Cent Superfecta /				
	50 Cent Pick 3 (Races 7-8-9) / 10 Cent Grand High 5 (Pentafecta)				
	Top 3: 7-2-10 Speed: 2-7-10 Class: 7-2-11 Pace: 11-3-6				
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	20/1	Malice Mama	Villarreal O	Pittman B	1: ExitKeyRace
2	5/1	Tiz Salty	De La Cruz F	Thompson M R	2: ExitPossibleKeyRace
3	12/1	Melly's Birkin	Prescott R A	Cunningham S J	HotJockey
4	15/1	No Apologies	Sheehy D	Walsh B P	3: Clocker's-4f (CDT)
5	30/1	Little Juanita	Mojica, Jr. R	Deegan J	ExitPossibleKeyRace
6	20/1	Mi Kataleya	Leahey H	Matthews R	
*7	2/1	Mischief Lily	Pedroza, Jr. M	Dobbs, Jr. R E	6: BlueChipTrainerPlay
8	10/1	Melody	Sanjur S	Hernandez R	ExitPossibleKeyRace
9	20/1	Silent Secretary	Anderson M	Radosevich J S	7: HotTrainer
10	5/1	Reimagine	Ramos J D	Simpson D	9: ExitPossibleKeyRace
11	8/1	Air Force Thunder	Gutierrez J R	Garcia G	10: HotJockey
12	20/1	Jesse Jane	Murrill M	Fletcher K	
13	20/1	Loris Still Curlin	Pedroza, Jr. M	Wittek K	
First Time Lasix: Pg#5					

Race 8	IND - 08/18 - Turf 1m. 3&up. Alw \$46,240 Daily Double / Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 3rd Leg of \$1 Horseshoe Hat Trick Turf Pick 3 / 10 Cent Superfecta / 10 Cent Grand High 5 (Pentafecta)				(5:47)/ 4:47/ 3:47/ 2:47
	Top 3: 12-7-4		Speed: 3-6-12	Class: 3-12-6	Pace: 7-4-5
	Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer
1	4/1	Passing Judgment	Murrill M	Foley G D	1: DistanceSpecialist
2	6/1	Natural Rights	Ramos J D	Asmussen S M	2: HotJockey
3	10/1	Dance Some Mo	Pedroza, Jr. M	Van Berg T L	3: ExitPossibleKeyRace
4	5/1	Fantastic Vow	Bermudez S E	West A M	4: Clocker Special-5f
5	20/1	Stonemont Reunion	Bealmear J C	Rider D M	
6	8/1	Real Fast	Roman E A	Lobo P H	6: BlueChipTrainerPlay
7	6/1	Foligno	De La Cruz F	Cox B H	7: Clocker Special-5f HotJockey HotTnr/JkyCombo
8	12/1	Zartownis	Cannon D	Murphy C	
9	10/1	Royal Spirit	Contreras L	Reed E R	
10	20/1	Mucho Mojo	Burgos A	Habeeb D J	
11	8/1	Sovereigns Joy	Mojica O	Maker M J	
*12	7/2	Palm Tree	Esquivel E	Contreras C	12: BlueChipTrainerPlay HotTnr/JkyCombo HotTrainer
Blinkers On: Pg#8					

Race 9	IND - 08/18 - Dirt 300y. 2yo. Mdn \$18,000				(6:15)/ 5:15/ 4:15/ 3:15	
	Exacta / Trifecta / 50 Cent Trifecta / Superfecta / 10 Cent Superfecta / 10 Cent QH Only Grand High 5 (Pentafecta - Separate Carryover)					
	Top 3: 5-10-1		Speed: 1-10-8		Class: -- Pace: --	
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles	
1	9/2	Jess R Patriot	Pina R D	Eggleston T		
2	30/1	Bar B	Esqueda E N	Esqueda C		
3	12/1	Zoomin Cartel6	Banuelos I	Garcia C		
4	30/1	Ivory Jayn	Villamil Bocanegra D	Perez N		
*5	5/2	Valiant Richard	Luna Diaz L E	Eggleston T		
6	20/1	El Tornilo	Rodriguez A	Rodriguez G		
7	15/1	Valiant the Storm	Vazquez-Gomez G	Vazquez J A		
8	5/1	Danifurr	Morin F	Garcia M		
9	8/1	Buck Bunny	Macias O	Chavez S		
10	7/2	Watch for Estela	Martinez L D	Cunningham A F	10: ExitKeyRace	
11	20/1	Too Much Corona 23	Rodriguez G	Rodriguez G		
12	30/1	Fa Beach Run	Ruiz-Cortez C	Esqueda C		
First Time Lasix: Pg#9						

Track Bias									
MEET(04/15-08/12)					WEEK(08/06-08/12)				
Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts	Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred RunSty	Posts
5½f Dirt	90	39%	E	Rail/Ins	5½f Dirt	3	0%	E	Rail
6f Dirt	130	35%	E	Outside	6f Dirt	8	38%	E	Rail/Ins
1m Turf	43	19%	E/P	Rail/Ins	1m Turf	3	33%	E	Outside
1m70yds Dirt	67	24%	E	Mid/Out	1m70yds Dirt	8	38%	E	Mid/Out
1¼m Turf	25	16%	E	Outside	1¼m Turf	3	33%	E/P	Mid/Out

Blue Chip Trainer Plays						
Identifies profitable, high win% trainer angles which are applicable to horses running today.						
RaceHorse	Trainer	Angle	Sts	Win%	ltm%	\$2ROI
#1 Miss Clarke	Evans II Michael	Turf to Dirt	38	21%	53%	0.59
#2 Lambay	West Aaron M	46-90daysAway	81	20%	41%	0.27
#2 Paddy's Dream	Haran John	2nd time Lasix	19	26%	42%	7.02
#5 Couperin	Kordenbrock Matt	Shipper	26	23%	46%	0.25
#7 Mi Katalaya	Matthews Randy	1st at route	15	27%	53%	3.57
#8 Real Fast	Lobo Paulo H	90+ days away	132	23%	45%	0.64
#8 Palm Tree	Contreras Cipriano	3rd off layoff	98	29%	59%	0.65

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 Highlight Show	2yo	IND	4f	8/8	0:48 ³ Bg	9/27	9/54	
#6 Woodaz	3yo	IND	4f	8/8	0:47 ¹ B	1/27	3/58	
#6 Goldwyn	3yo	IND	4f	8/6	0:47 ¹ B	2/31	3/58	
#6 Sleepy	3yo	IND	4f	8/6	0:47 ¹ B	2/31	3/58	
#7 Melly's Birkin	3yo	CDT	4f	8/9	0:47 ³ B	5/24	2/22	
#8 Funtastic Vow	4&up	IND	5f	8/7	1:00 B	1/6	3/18	
#8 Folgino	3yo	IND	5f	8/9	1:00 ² B	3/13	1/17	

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
#5 Elevated Game	43%	7 -	3 -	0 -	1	NO	10/12
#5 Nip N Tuck	33%	12 -	4 -	2 -	2	NO	3/12
#5 Backyard Justice	33%	6 -	2 -	3 -	0	YES	12/12
#8 Passing Judgment	50%	6 -	3 -	1 -	1	YES	5/12

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
#5 Nikolaou	05Jun255CD ⁶	C1m12500c		2/5	6	10.4
#5 Mission Mike	25Jul251BT ¹	C1m8000		1/1	1	3.3
#5 Hold Your Applause	08Jul255IND ⁶	OC8000c		2/5	6	5.9
#6 Special Creed	30Jul258IND ¹⁰	sGvnrnsHB250k		1/2	10	16.7
#6 Bourbon Curiosity	30Jul254IND ⁵	sAlw38000n1x		1/2	5	8.4
#7 Malice Mama	11Jun255BT ⁶	fMd7500		2/6	6	14.5
#7 Tiz Salty	12Jul259ELP ³	fMd16000		1/2	3	5.6
#7 Melly's Birkin	28Jul256IND ⁴	fMd12500		1/2	4	2.9
#7 Mi Katalaya	16Jul252IND ³	fMd5000		1/1	3	13.9
#7 Silent Secretary	28Jul256IND ⁶	fMd12500		1/2	6	15.8
#8 Dance Some Mo	24Jul254BT ¹	OC16000n1x		1/1	1	0.1
#9 Watch for Estela	28Jun251IND ⁶	sFutTr115000		2/5	6	2.7

Horses for Courses Running Today							
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over this track and surface.							
RaceHorse	Win%	Sts	Wn	Pl	Sh	TrkSwitch	ClassRank
#5 Nip N Tuck	36%	14 -	5 -	3 -	1	NO	3/12
#5 Backyard Justice	36%	11 -	4 -	5 -	0	NO	12/12

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		
De La Cruz Fernando	1(#6),2(#5),4(#7),5(#10),6(#10),7(#2),8(#7)			20	5	1 3
Ramos Joseph D	3(#6),4(#2),6(#5),7(#10),8(#2)			20	7	3 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 Hyperion Bridge	Davis Joseph D	19	8	0	0
#2 My Miley's Vow	Davis Joseph D	19	8	0	0
#3 Very	Rechy Chaz	4	2	0	0
#5 Nip N Tuck	Contreras Cipriano	9	3	1	4
#7 Mischief Lily	Dobbs, Jr. Robert E	8	4	0	2
#8 Palm Tree	Contreras Cipriano	9	3	1	4

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 Highlight Show	Cox Brad H/De La Cruz Fernando	7	3	0	0
#3 Goody Two Socks	Eggleston Tim /Murrill Mitchell	7	3	2	0
#5 Nip N Tuck	Contreras Cipriano /Esquivel Emmanuel	5	3	0	2
#6 Tap Tap Tap It In	Eggleston Tim /Murrill Mitchell	7	3	2	0
#6 Goldwyn	Klopp Randy L/Ramos Joseph D	7	2	1	0
#8 Palm Tree	Contreras Cipriano /Esquivel Emmanuel	5	3	0	2
#8 Folgino	Cox Brad H/De La Cruz Fernando	7	3	0	0

Sharp and Ready in Today			
Runners that hold a significant Speed and Class advantage in the race.			
RaceHorse	Lastout	Date-trk-#	FP
#2 Quality Dancer	sMd15000	06Aug25IND3	2