

INSIDER PICKS & POWER PLAYS™

Sam Houston - 01/11/2025

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	HOU - 01/11 - Dirt 6f. 3&up. Mdn \$8,500 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 1-2) / Pick 3 (Races 1-2-3) Top 3: 6-7-2 Speed: -- Class: -- Pace: --				2:00/(1:00)/12:00/11:00
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	15/1	Wma Madjic Slippers	Urieta, Jr. V M	Deleon R	
2	7/2	Rb Douglas	Valdez-Jiminez E	Torrez J	
3	6/1	Fionna	Huckaby R	Ruggeri N	
4	20/1	Wma Nash Rambler	Fuentes M	Whitaker N	
5	4/1	Uptown Hastamanana	Diego I V	Padilla C A	
*6	2/1	Burning Shores Aa	Rodriguez A	Torrez J	
7	3/1	Rb Queen Esther	Alvarez J L	Ruggeri N	7: HotJockey
First Time Lasix: Pg#1					

Race 2	HOU - 01/11 - Turf 1m. 4 & 5yo, F & M. Mdn \$33,000 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 2-3) / Pick 3 (Races 2-3-4) / Pick 4 (Races 2-3-4-5) Top 3: 6-7-5 Speed: 5-7-3 Class: 5-6-1 Pace: 7-1-2				2:30/(1:30)/12:30/11:30
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	10/1	Summertimee	Landeros C	Willis M J	
2	8/1	Hooh Her	Elliott S	Willis M J	2: HotJockey
3	12/1	Tiz a Knockout	Wethy Jr. F	Jacks K E	
4	20/1	Charming Leah	Diego I V	Jacks K E	
5	9/2	Ziti	Parker D L	Cappellucci D	
*6	5/2	Sugarcoat	Cabrera D	Davis S H	6: Clocker Special-4f
7	7/5	Legacy Defined	Goncalves L D	Craddock K	7: SharpAndReady
Blinkers On: Pg#2					

Race 3	HOU - 01/11 - Dirt 7f. 3, 4, & 5yo. Mdn Cln \$20,000 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 3-4) / Pick 3 (Races 3-4-5) Pick 5 (Races 3-4-5-6-7) Top 3: 5-7-3 Speed: 6-5-7 Class: 7-3-8 Pace: 5-7-8				3:00/(2:00)/1:00/12:00
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	15/1	Golden Pursuit	Gonzalez E	Jenkins B	
2	8/1	Bennett's Leader	Wiseman I	Pish D	
3	6/1	Drama King	Sanchez O	Eoff T	
4	30/1	Doc Henry Ridge	Guerra R	Kotara R	4: Clocker Special-3f
*5	3/1	Sippin Scotch	Diaz R	Pish D	
6	8/1	Bayou Boy	Valdez-Jiminez E	Cravens III R E	
7	2/1	Xander S	Diego I V	Padilla C A	
8	4/1	King Adolis	Wade L	Baldillez Jr. A	
Blinkers On: Pg#6 First Time Lasix: Pg#2,3					

Race 4	HOU - 01/11 - Dirt 5f. 4&up. F & M. Cln \$5,000 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 4-5) / Pick 3 (Races 4-5-6) / Pick 5 (Races 4-5-6-7-8) Top 3: 6-8-5 Speed: 6-8-4 Class: 6-8-7 Pace: 6-4-8				3:30/(2:30)/1:30/12:30
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	12/1	Eagle Express	Cabrera D	Gourneau J	1: DistanceSpecialist
2	15/1	Hot Patootie	Gonzalez E	Govea C	
3	12/1	Tay Tay's Baby	Valdez-Jiminez E	Cravens III R E	
4	10/1	Sharp Likeness	Worrie A S	Gourneau J	
5	4/1	Stormy Bisonette	Wiseman I	Williams S F	
*6	2/1	Louisiana Cowgirl	Diego I V	Hebert M	6: BlueChipTrainerPlay DistanceSpecialist
7	8/1	Texas Red Bel	Wade L	Payne D W	7: Clocker Special-4f
8	5/2	Waving Bye	Wethy Jr. F	Bravo F	8: Clocker Special-4f

Race 5	HOU - 01/11 - Turf 1 1/16m. 4 & 5yo, F & M. Mdn \$33,000 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 5-6) / Pick 3 (Races 5-6-7) / Pick 4 (Races 5-6-7-8) Top 3: 2-4-9 Speed: 2-4-3 Class: 4-2-3 Pace: 3-4-2				4:00/(3:00)/2:00/1:00
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	30/1	Lavender Will	Huckaby R	Kotara R	1: ExitKeyRace
*2	8/5	Mizz Factor	Diego I V	Padilla C A	
3	6/1	Where Dreams Begin	Parker D L	Pish D	3: ExitKeyRace
4	3/1	Taps Mistress	Wethy Jr. F	Gelner J J	4: Clocker's-4f (DED) ExitKeyRace
5	20/1	Fun as All Git Out	Valdez-Jiminez E	Cravens III R E	5: ExitKeyRace
6	30/1	Sherrys Ridge	Guerra R	Kotara R	
7	8/1	Teleknetic	Diaz R	Gustafson A	7: ExitKeyRace
8	10/1	Makin a Beeline	Wiseman I	Clary J R	
9	9/2	County Slugger	Elliott S	Willis M J	9: Clocker Special-4f ExitKeyRace HotJockey

Race 6	HOU - 01/11 - Dirt 5 1/2f. 3yo. Alw \$34,500 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 6-7) / Pick 3 (Races 6-7-8) Top 3: 4-2-3 Speed: 4-9-3 Class: 4-2-3 Pace: 1-4-5				4:30/(3:30)/2:30/1:30
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	8/1	Multiple Opinions	Elliott S	Asmussen S M	1: HotJockey HotTnr/JkyCombo HotTrainer
2	5/2	Frozentap	Landeros C	Caldwell J R	2: SharpAndReady
3	9/2	My Wife Is Right	Valdez-Jiminez E	Cravens III R E	3: Clocker Special-3f ExitPossibleKeyRace
*4	3/1	Ruggles	Triana Jr. A	Davidson M B	
5	8/1	John	Manrique F J	Gustafson A	
6	12/1	Gold Front	Wade L	Eoff T	
7	15/1	Kangaroo Coast	Cabrera D	Davis S H	
8	30/1	Beggin for Trouble	Sanchez O	Rengstorf T	
9	6/1	Texas Creed	Diego I V	Cravens III R E	9: ExitPossibleKeyRace
First Time Lasix: Pg#2,3,5,6,7,8					

Race 7	HOU - 01/11 - Dirt 6 1/2f. 4&up. Alw \$35,000 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Daily Double (Races 7-8) Top 3: 7-9-3 Speed: 7-3-4 Class: 7-9-4 Pace: 9-3-6				5:00/(4:00)/3:00/2:00
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	10/1	Wish Man	Triana Jr. A	Davidson M B	
2	6/1	Sara's Shaman	Diego I V	Young R A	
3	7/2	Trust Daddy	Elliott S	Asmussen S M	3: HotJockey HotTnr/JkyCombo HotTrainer
4	10/1	Bobby Brinkley	Landeros C	Caldwell J R	4: ExitKeyRace
5	5/1	Proven Hope	Wade L	Diodoro R	5: ExitKeyRace
6	20/1	Hezakoolkat	Parker D L	Ramirez-Rodriguez A	6: HorseForCourse
*7	9/2	I Don't Get It	Gonzalez E	Cappellucci D	
8	20/1	Chief Brady	Valdez-Jiminez E	Roubion S	
9	6/1	Lauri's Wish	Bridgmohan J V	Thomas L	
10	15/1	Champagne Stoooper	Diaz R	Caldwell J R	
11	12/1	Third Street	Alvarez J L	Davis S H	11: HotJockey

Race 8	HOU - 01/11 - Turf 1m. 4&up. Alw \$35,000 WPS / Exacta / Trifecta / Superfecta / Houston Hi-Five Top 3: 2-7-8 Speed: 7-2-6 Class: 7-2-6 Pace: 3-6-8				5:30/(4:30)/3:30/2:30
Pg#	ML	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Power Play Angles
1	10/1	Hold Your Applause	Manrique F J	Kane M	
*2	5/2	Sharp Spark	Elliott S	Gelner J J	2: ExitKeyRace HotJockey
3	9/2	Turquoise Blue	Diego I V	Jacks K E	3: Clocker Special-5f
4	5/1	Heir to Greatness	Landeros C	Caldwell J R	
5	6/1	Whiskey Not Wine	Elliott S	Willis M J	5: ExitKeyRace HotJockey
6	8/1	Malibu S S	Diaz R	Pish D	
7	3/1	Kentucky Dawn	Wethy Jr. F	Eoff T	
8	7/2	Rodeo Champ	Alvarez J L	Davis S H	8: HorseForCourse HotJockey
9	12/1	Red Mountain	Triana Jr. A	Martin S	

Track Bias

MEET(01/05-04/07)					WEEK(01/03-01/04)				
Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred Run/ST	Posts	Distance	Races	% Wire	Preferred Run/ST	Posts
5 1/2f Dirt	55	27%	E/P	Inside	5 1/2f Dirt	6	67%	E	Mid/Out
6 1/2f Dirt	38	34%	E/P	Outside	6 1/2f Dirt	2	0%	E/P	Mid/Out
1m Turf	51	20%	E/P	Middle	1m Turf	2	0%	E/P	Inside
1 1/16m Turf	21	10%	E/P	Ins/Mid	1 1/16m Turf	2	50%	P	Inside
Sprints Dirt	19	32%	E	Outside					

Blue Chip Trainer Plays

Identifies profitable, high win% trainer angles which are applicable to horses running today.					
Race	Horse	Trainer	Angle	Sts	Win% \$2ROI
#4	Louisiana Cowgirl	Hebert Matt	46-90daysAway	57	21% 47% 1.19

Clocker Specials Running Today

Lists the fastest workouts during the past 7 days based on age and distance.							
Race	Horse	Age	Trk	Dis	Date	Time	Day Age/Dis
#2	Sugarcoat	4&up	HOU	4f	12/30	0:49 ² B	14/52 34/177
#3	Doc Henry Ridge	4&up	HOU	3f	1/2	0:36 ⁴ Bg	1/4 6/38
#4	Texas Red Bel	4&up	HOU	4f	12/29	0:49 ¹ B	14/91 25/177
#4	Waving Bye	4&up	HOU	4f	12/30	0:49 ² B	14/52 34/177
#5	Taps Mistress	4&up	DED	4f	1/3	0:49 B	2/48 8/146
#5	County Slugger	4&up	HOU	4f	12/30	0:49 B	8/52 18/177
#6	My Wife Is Right	3yo	HOU	3f	1/3	0:36 ⁴ B	4/10 3/34
#8	Turquoise Blue	4&up	HOU	5f	1/4	1:01 B	1/34 4/67

Distance Specialists Running Today

Runners who have performed exceptionally well over the same distance as today's race.							
Race	Horse	Win%	Sts	Wn	PI	Sh	DistSwitch ClassRank
#4	Eagle Express	33%	6 -	2 -	3 -	1	YES 4/8
#4	Louisiana Cowgirl	50%	4 -	2 -	0 -	1	YES 1/8

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	
#5 Lavender Will	26May2410LS ¹¹	fMdSpWt	3/8	11	46.6	
#5 Where Dreams Begin	19Oct246RP ⁵	fMd10000	2/5	5	5.3	
#5 Taps Mistress	12Jul247LS ⁵	fMdSpWt	4/9	5	9.2	
#5 Fun as All Git Out	19Oct246RP ⁶	fMd10000	2/5	6	19.2	
#5 Telekinetic	26May2410LS ⁷	fMdSpWt	3/8	7	3.5	
#5 County Slugger	09Oct241RP ⁶	fMd20000	3/6	6	10.6	
#6 My Wife Is Right	06Dec249OP ⁵	AdventB150k	1/2	5	29.5	
#6 Texas Creed	06Dec249OP ⁶	AdventB150k	1/2	6	38.3	
#7 Bobby Brinkley	13Jul247LS ²	sAssaultB82k	2/6	2	4.2	
#7 Proven Hope	27Nov242DED ¹	Alw36000n1x	2/5	1	14.3	
#8 Sharp Spark	06Dec247OP ⁶	Alw130000n1x	2/6	6	21.3	
#8 Whiskey Not Wine	15Nov249RP ⁴	Alw36000n2x	2/4	4	11.5	

Horses for Courses Running Today								
Runners who have performed exceptionally well over this track and surface.								
RaceHorse	Win%	Sts	Wn	Pl	Sh	TrkSwitch	ClassRank	
#7 Hezakoolkat	67%	3 -	2 -	1 -	0	YES	7/11	
#8 Rodeo Champ	40%	5 -	2 -	0 -	2	YES	5/9	

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				
Alvarez Jose L	1(#7),7(#11),8(#8)	7	3	1	1	
Elliott S	2(#2),5(#9),6(#1),7(#3),8(#2),8(#5)	12	5	1	2	

Hot Trainers with Starters Today					
Trainers with starters today which have been hot in the past 14 days.					
RaceHorse	Trainer	Record Last 14 Days			
#6 Multiple Opinions	Asmussen Steven M	9	4	1	2
#7 Trust Daddy	Asmussen Steven M	9	4	1	2

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			
#6 Multiple Opinions	Asmussen Steven M/Elliott Stewart	7	4	1	2
#7 Trust Daddy	Asmussen Steven M/Elliott Stewart	7	4	1	2

Sharp and Ready in Today			
Runners that hold a significant Speed and Class advantage in the race.			
RaceHorse	Lastout	Date-trk-#	FP
#2 Legacy Defined	fMdSpWt	21Nov24CD10	6
#6 Frozentap	MdSpWt	06Dec24RP8	1