

Race Day Date	September 7 th
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Race-Day Overview

We have reached the final Saturday of the Del Mar summer meet, and what I am about to say is not because of those circumstances: this might be the best betting card all meet. I have spent countless hours deep diving into these races and trying to come up with some winners for you guys, so hopefully that effort turns into success!

We will do our best to give you ideas on whom to bet and how, plus stats on trainers/jockeys when appropriate. It is imperative that you CHECK FOR SCRATCHES AND CHANGES, because we often send out the DMPP's BEFORE scratches are officially posted. So, our final selections might be VERY DIFFERENT if races contain even a couple scratches!! If that's the case and Spot/Price Plays involve surface changes, those picks will NOT count towards the ROI Stats! We send out the DMPP's early to give you ample amount of time to study and make decisions before the races begin. Finally, as we always say....."these picks are our opinions....once you make a bet, they become your opinions!" GOOD LUCK to all this summer at Del Mar! Now, onto today's action!!

Today's Picks

**For information on how to read an "ABC Grid" and ticket construction, please refer to our podcast website, hhhracingpodcast.com, and go to the "Power Picks" section...you have to scroll down a bit under the DMPP promotion...a video explanation is also available on the page.

Go to the next page for our analysis of the races......good luck!





Racetrack: Del Mar

ABC Grid - Post Time 4:30pm EST

Race	А	В	С	Caveman Picks	Caveman Bet	Caveman Cost
1	7,8	4	2,9	7,8	\$0.50	\$80
2	5,11	1,10	6,7	1,5,10,11		
3	3	2,4,8	9,10	2,3,4,8		
4	7	4,6	2	7		
5	2,4	1,11,12	3,5	1,2,4,5,12		
6	6	4,5	1,9,10	-		
7	1,8	5	3,9	1,5,8	\$0.50	\$180
8	1,8	7,10,11	3,5	1,7,8,10,11		
9	1,6	-	2,4	1,6		
10	2,4,5,8	-	3,9,11,12	2,4,5,8		
11	7,8	11	3,5,9	7,8,11		

Top 3 Selections

Race	1st	2nd	3rd
1	8	7	4
2	11	5	1
3	3	2	4
4	7	4	6
5	2	5	12
6	6	4	5
7	1	8	5
8	8	1	7
9	1	6	4
10	4	2	5
11	7	8	11





Today's Analysis

Today's Late Pick 5 might be the best Late Pick 5 of the entire meet. Unless you think Didia is a cinch in the John C. Mabee, you're looking at a ticket of at least \$100. Didia is owned by Resolute Racing, which is the farm that I worked for over the summer, and they have said from the beginning that this is simply a race to get her over the track for November. She could just be that much better than Anisette, but I feel like Anisette still has something to prove, and today means much more to her than it does to Didia. If you really wanted to slim things down, you could single my best bet of the Late Pick 5, which happens to be the end to the penultimate day of racing down at Del Mar.

Below are today's Price / Spot Plays. These are not usually the favorites, but horses I like that will provide some value (hopefully 5-2 or higher in general). The "Stars" rating is 1-5, with 5 being the MOST CONFIDENT / RECOMMENDED PLAYS.

Price/Spot Play(s)

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
3	3	Iron Man Cal	9-2	4	\$15 Win/Place

Notes

The #3 Iron Man Cal is just another one of those examples in which trainer Phil D'amato excels at. He debuted going 5F, and he ran an honest race finishing 4th by only 2 lengths. The 1st and 3rd place finishers are both stretching out to 2 turns in the Juvenile Turf tomorrow, which is what he's also bred to do, and it looks like that might be a pretty live race. He might show a good deal of speed, and I wouldn't be surprised if he finds himself on the lead and Fresu says come and catch me if you can. The price will most likely come down, but I'd still rather have him with the experience than one of the first time starters

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
4	7	Jack's Magic Girl	8-1	6	AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE TO WIN!!!
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THIS IS MY PLAY OF THE MEET AT DEL MAR!!! The #7 Jack's Magic Girl is a horse that I could probably talk about for 5 straight minutes, but I'm going to try to keep it as concise as possible. Jack's Magic Girl is bred TOP AND BOTTOM to go long on the dirt (Good Magic out of a Medaglia D'oro mare), so the decision to run on turf last time was simply because 2 year-old fillies can only go as far as 6 or 6.5 furlongs. She was VERY impressive in the debut, as she sat towards the rear and EXPLODED late,

albeit with a pretty good trip, but they were not going fast at all up front and the pace held together





pretty well. That race only came back a 57 on beyer, which is extremely slow on Timeform, and suggests that beyer could be as much as 10 points higher. If you don't believe that, the two horses that have come back out of that race have improved their beyers by 18 and 20 points. I personally think there's going to be plenty of speed to set things up for her: Proud Starlet HAS to send from the inside, Nooni hasn't shown the ability to stalk just yet, Vodka with a Twist will be much closer than in her last effort, and Night Beacon broke slow and was unable to show her speed last time. She's working like a monster in the mornings, the connections chose this race over R5 (300k vs 100k), she's going to be a good price because of A) debut on turf, B) slow fig, and C) there are 2 Bafferts and a D'amato. I love everything about Jack's Magic Girl, and like I said above, she is my play of the meet.

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
7	1	Lottery Pick	6-1	3	Big Exactas: 1/5,8 Smaller Exactas: 5,8/1

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The #1 Lottery Pick is coming out of the same race as a couple of familiar foes. It was his first race in 9 months, he closed from far out of it in a race where the speed held together, and he was wider than wide around the far turn and into the stretch. He's going to be fresh 2nd time off the bench, he's going to save ground down on the rail, and he's going to get a lot more speed to run into than he did last time. Even though he's only 1/5 with a 2nd at Del Mar, he's run some really nice races here, and we should get every bit of 6-1 considering how wide open this race is on paper.

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
8	8	No Cap	12-1	4	\$10 Win, \$15 Place
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The #8 No Cap was not a horse I was a huge fan of last time, but I definitely am this time. She ran 3rd behind Wishtheyallcouldbe and Sharp Ride, but she had significant trouble. It's not so much that she steadied, but she was in tight and uncomfortable for an extended period of time. I don't know if it was just the proximity of the rail or the dirt in her face, but whatever it was, she did not like it at all. Once she got away from that, the two horses I just mentioned had already gotten the jump and had all the momentum, but she stayed on for third and showed some fight. She draws outside today, it's her 2nd start in the Korinor barn, and there really isn't much speed on paper, so I expect her to outrun her odds

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
11	7	Sophisticate	9-2	5	\$25 Win
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If it weren't for Jack's Magic Girl in the Debutante, this would definitely be my play of the day.

Sophisticate ran in the same Hannah Buckle race that several horses are coming out of. She was wide throughout, came with a late run, and was really goofy switching back and forth with lead changes.



It's her 2nd time going a route of ground, and she attracts the likes of Hector Berrios, who has had much success teaming up with Shireffs on the turf this summer. Just like Dashingly last weekend, she's coming in training better than ever, and as long as she's able to save some ground, I really like her chances to close out the day.

Good luck with all your wagers.... CRUSH YOUR BETS!!

