

Race Day Date	10/11
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Race-Day Overview

We begin Week 2 of the Keeneland Power Picks with an interesting yet challenging 10-race card. Today's card consists of 6 dirt races and 4 turf races, highlighted by the Grade 3 Sycamore

The Sycamore, which comes as Race 9 on the afternoon, features older males going 3 turns on the grass. This field of 11 is headed by none other than THE #11 Bold Act, who of course won this race last year. Is he the same as he was last year? A big effort could put him back into the 'Yes' column. However, there are plenty of foes attempting to prevent such repeat. Ohana Honor, Highway Robber, or maybe even some others, might have something to say about that.

Make sure to check out Thursday's episode covering Saturday's Late Pick 5! Also, be sure to join us LIVE Saturday and Sunday morning for Keeneland Today! Good luck!

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 SPP promotion...a video explanation is also available on the page.

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

Racetrack: Keeneland

ABC Grid - Post Time 1:00 p.m. EST

The "Stars" rating is 1 - 5 and represents the level of confidence we have in our picks for each race.

Race	А	В	С	Caveman Picks	Caveman Bet	Caveman Cost	Stars/Rating
1	6,8	2,5	7	6,8	\$.50	\$96	3



2	8	3,4,6	1,9	3,4,6,8			2
3	4,10	5,6	7,8	4,10			4
4	1,9	3	6,8	1,9			4
5	3,5	2,8,11,12	1,7	2,3,5,8,11,12			3
6	1	2	3	1,2	\$.50	\$72	4
7	4,10	2,6	3,5,9,11	2,4,6,10			3
8	4	5,8	2,7,10	4			5
9	3,4,10	-	1,7,9,11	3,4,10			4
10	4,10,12	3,7,9	1,11	3,4,7,9,10,12			3

P5 Strategy/Analysis

Friday's Pick 5 is a sequence that requires bettors to take a stand somewhere, and the place I've chosen to do so is in Race 8 with the #4 Patch Adams. I believe Race 6 is a 2-horse race between the 1 and 2, and I'm looking for the 1 to strike the upset. Race 7 is a semi-difficult turf race where I'm putting my faith in the horses coming out of the PG Johnston at Saratoga. In the Sycamore, I have opinions about several horses, and one of those being the tossing of Bold Act. The finale could be the most difficult race in the sequence, and it seems like it might be logical to try to get to that race and hope for a price to close out the day.

\$3 Turf Pick 3 ABC Grid

Race	А	В	С	Caveman Picks	Caveman Bet	Caveman Cost
5	3,5	2,8	11,12	2,3,5,8	\$3	\$72
7	4,10	2,6	-	4,10		
9	3,4,10	-	1,7,9,11	3,4,10		

\$3 Turf P3 Strategy/Analysis

Top 3 Selections

Race	1st	2nd	3rd
1	6 - Don't Worry	8 - Gala Rose	2 - Sweet Star
2	8 - Desperate Proposal	3 - Abbi Fede	6 - Malachi
3	10 - Mean Eileen	4 - Likely Perspective	6 - She's All Charm
4	1 - Lunar Module	9 - Trust Daddy	3 - Cathedral Beach
5	3 - Alcove	5 - Urban Legend	2 - Go Captain
6	1 - Enclosure	2 - Fancy	3 - Inventing



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7	4 - Lady Orient	10 - Reining Flowers	2 - Into the Fray
8	4 - Patch Adams	8 - Bob Mo	5 - Calling on Heaven
9	3 - Highway Robber	10 - Ohana Honor	4 - Data Man
10	12 - What's Her Number	10 - Quiet Confidence	4 - Walk Street

Noah's Play of the Day

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
8	4	Enclosure	9-2	5	\$50 Win

Notes: I am really hoping we get somewhere close to 9-2 on Enclosure. She's a horse that is very versatile as 2-back she went to the lead and never looked back, and 3-back she broke her maiden from last in a field of five. Last time was an awful effort over an extremely finicky Churchill dirt when it gets some moisture. It would not surprise me if she shows some speed from the inside, and either way, she's going to be sitting a tremendous trip.

Most Likely Winner of the Day

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
8	4	Patch Adams	5-2	5	Exacta: 4/8

Notes: The #4 Patch Adams has the potential to be a very nice racehorse. This is a homebred for Winstar who is by Into Mischief and out of a Distorted Humor mare who was a nice horse in her short career. Brad Cox does extremely well with first time starters at Keeneland, and she is working like a monster.

Longshot Play of the Day

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
2	6	Malachi	20-1	3	Big Exacta: 3,4,8/6 Small Exacta: 6/3,4,8

Notes: Malachi is a horse that debuted at Kentucky Downs and is one that looks to have some raw ability. He was far back early and came with a run against what looks like a decent field. He adds the blinkers which could help keep him a little straighter in the lane. He may not entirely be bred for dirt, but he's worth a shot at 20-1.

Price/Spot Play(s)

* Price / Spot Plays are not usually the favorites, but horses we like that will provide some value (hopefully 5-2 or higher in general). The "Stars" rating is 1 – 5.

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)			
1 6 Don't Worry 4-1 3 \$15 Win/Place								
I 0 Doint worry 4-1 3 \$15 win/Place Notes: This is not a very good group of maidens, and the fields that Don't Worry has been facing are night and day compared to this group. I love the class angle with Vicky Oliver along with the turf to dirt, she's bred for dirt, working steadily, and you should get a fair price to kick off the day.								
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4	1	Lunar Module	4-1	4	\$25 Win		
Notes: There is no doubt that Lunar Module's form is dirtied up. Last time he was on turf, and 2-back he was part of a							
suicidal pace. He's much better with a target, but the key to him is he's got that natural speed that can put him in a great							
position fro	om the insid	e post.					

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
5	3	Alcove	6-1	3	\$20 Win, \$10 Place

Notes: Alcove is a horse that debuted here at Keeneland, however, that was on the dirt. He finally broke his maiden last time in start number four with a solid victory at Horseshoe Indianapolis. His numbers are maybe on the slower side which could keep his price closer to that 6-1 range. He's going to be sitting a great trip, the question is just whether or not he's able to keep improving.

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
7	4	Lady Orient	9-2	3	Big Exacta: 4/2,6,10 Small Exacta: 2,6,10/4

Notes: Lady Orient had a much more difficult trip than it looks on paper last time. She was rank and fighting the jockey early on, and was towards the rear of the field in a race with a bit of a cold pace. When the real running started, she had already expended too much energy to have anything of significance down the lane. Look for her to run big in here, especially if she;s able to relax down the backside.

Favorite Vertical/Horizontal Plays Not Included in Price/Spot Play Bets

Race	Bet Type	Selections	Cost
3	Double	\$20 Double: 4,10 / 1	\$40
6	Exacta	\$25 (Dutched): 1 / 2 , 2 / 1	\$25
9	Double	\$15 Double: 3,4,10 / 12	\$45

Good luck with all your wagers.... CRUSH THOSE



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