



DEL MAR POWER PICKS TIP SHEET

Race Day Date	September 5th
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Current ROI	\$2.37

Race Day Overview

WELCOME TO DAY 21 of the DEL MAR POWER PICKS!!! We are very excited to bring you Del Mar Power Picks for our second consecutive year! It will ALWAYS be Fast and Firm Where the Turf Meets the Surf! If you're interested in more West Coast racing coverage, check out Pacific Horseplayers with Noah Meagher, Ryan Anderson, and Jackson Muniz. We are LIVE on Youtube, X, and other various platforms EVERY THURSDAY NIGHT at 9:30 PM EST. The feature on the card is the I'm Smokin S. Let's dive right in!

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 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!



ABC GRID - POST TIME: 6:00pm EST

Race	A	B	C	Caveman Picks	Caveman Bet	Caveman Cost
1	6	3	1,2	3,6	\$0.50	\$54
2	3,4	6	8	3,4,6		
3	8,9	3,4,5,6	-	3,4,5,6,8,9		
4	1,4	7	3,9	1,4,7	\$0.50	\$18
5	1	-	2,4,5,9,10,11	1		
6	2,(11)	5,6	1,4	2,5,6 (11)		
7	5	1,6	3	1,5,6		
8	7	1,2	5,6,10	7		

Top 3 Selections

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



Today's Pick 5 Analysis

The Early Pick 5 is a fantastic sequence and probably the bet I'm looking most forward to playing Friday, but that doesn't mean that the Late Pick 5 isn't a great sequence. All three spot plays come within the late pick 5, and as a matter of fact, they all come as legs of the \$3 Late Pick 3, which has proved to be a tremendous bet throughout the meet. And even though the I'm Smokin S. is a bit of a smaller field, you've got some talented Cal-breds in there, and bettors will have to make decisions on who to use and how strongly.

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

Price/Spot Plays

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
6	2	Radiant View	6-1	4	\$20 Win #2
Notes:					
Jackson Muniz' play of the meet is in this race, and that is #6 Counterbalance . I wouldn't be happier to lose to him, considering he'll be making an aggressive wager, but the direction I'll be going is #2 Radiant View . She was a bit tardy from the blocks on debut, and got shuffled back to second to last early. While down on the inside, she came with a nice rally while lugging in a bit through the lane. Not to mention, she lost to South Bay, who I LOVE tomorrow in the Juvenile Fillies Turf, and Hypergamy, who was very good as well, could draw in today. If she does, I'd most likely use both, but the favorite could be compromised by the outside post. Regardless, Radiant View should get a nice inside trip. Hopefully she's good enough					

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
7	5	Thirsty Rebel	3-1	5	\$25 Win #5
Notes:					
THIS IS MY PLAY OF THE DAY AT DEL MAR!!! The debut from #5 Thirsty Rebel was among the more impressive first-out victories we've seen over the course of the Del Mar meet. He broke well from the inside, so he was up against it from the beginning, but there were two rivals to his outside that were a bit quicker, showing serious					



professionalism to take dirt, stalk in behind them, and come with one run. And this was a serious run, as he put away those two rivals with ease and powered home. There was always some indication from the O'Neill barn that this 2yo had some talent, and I have a feeling there could be some serious talent on display from him Saturday.

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
8	7	Penny Worth	7-2	4	\$20 Win #7

Notes:

If you're playing any of these late wagers, whether it be the \$3 Late Pick 3 or \$5 Late Double, **#7 Penny Worth** seems like a favorite you can probably lean on. Her first start was decent, which is why she was favored last time, and her trip was less than ideal. Around the far turn, the jockey was looking behind him a few times, and I'm not sure if it was a tack issue, but clearly something wasn't right. She tried to make a run in the lane, but got shut off, then even made a brief rally in the final 1/16. The second choice here is 0/9, so it's no secret that this is a very soft spot that she's found herself in. She'll probably take some money, but like I said earlier, I think she could be very reliable.

\$3 Late Pick 3

2,11 / 5 / 7 - \$6 ticket

\$5 Late Double

5 / 7 - \$5 ticket

