

Off to the Races!



Welcome to the track! We hope you have a wonderful time today. Whether you've come looking for beautiful horses, great friends or a little money and luck, we have some fun facts and useful suggestions to help you cash a winning ticket!

Horse racing is similar to other professional sports in that the horses and their owners, trainers and jockeys compete for money and glory, but horse racing offers one HUGE distinction - it is not just a spectator sport. YOU become part of the action by placing your wagers on the outcomes of today's races. When you bet on the races, you're not playing "against the house" because unlike Vegas-style gaming, the racetrack has no stake in who wins or loses.

Placing a Wager

There are two basic approaches to wagering:

Hunch betting is perhaps the most enjoyable way for new fans to play the races with their friends. It requires no knowledge of racing, but it does require imagination!

Handicapping involves studying the horses' previous races to predict the likely outcome of the race at hand. This past performance information, which is similar to a box score in other sports, is available in today's race program.

\$ When you're ready, consider each of the many wager types available, but our recommendations today will involve only the following:

Win (your horse must finish first)

Show (you win if your horse finishes first, second or third)

Exacta Box (pick two or more horses that must finish first and second in either order)

The Art of "Hunch" Bets

There are no rules - just fun! You are limited only by the depths of your own creativity.

Colors: The jockeys wear colorful shirts and caps called silks that are designed by each horse's owner. This is similar to the jerseys worn by teams in other sports. Do any of today's racing silks strike your fancy?

Numbers: Each horse is assigned the number seen on their saddlecloth. Do you have a lucky number? Which combination of numbers forms a date that has importance to you?

Odds: Professional handicappers examine the probability of a given entry winning by assigning odds to each horse. Do you root for the underdog? The horse with the highest odds is considered the long shot.

What's In A Name? Horse names provide an endless source of possibilities for hunch bets! Owners draw from many sources when naming their horses, including the names of the horse's mother (dam) and father (sire). For example, "Odor in the Court" was sired by "Judge Smells" while the dam of "Prenup" was "Homewrecker." Find a name that you think is clever or that is meaningful to you.

The Science of "Handicapped" Bets

If you don't trust that luck is on your side today, choose from the recommendations below, which are based on scientific analyses of previous races and modeled after the methods used by top handicappers. Select the wager that's right for you based on the amount of money you're willing to invest and the amount of risk you're willing to take.



There are 10 races today featuring:

89 Horses

30 Different Jockeys

59 Different Trainers

WAGER RECOMMENDATIONS

Due to the number of horses in a given race, in some cases Show or Exacta wagers may not be offered

Race 1: #7 My Charming Clyde has raced 123 times - more than any other horse in the race.		
	Some Reward Opportunity	Higher Reward Opportunity
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #5 High Multiple	\$2 to Win on #6 Blessed At Mass
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #5 High Multiple, #6 Blessed At Mass, #2 To Your Health and #4 St Padriag	\$2 Exacta box on #5 High Multiple, #6 Blessed At Mass and #2 To Your Health

Race 2: #6 R Point Made is the oldest horse in this race.		
	Some Reward Opportunity	Higher Reward Opportunity
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #4 Parrkaveli	\$2 to Win on #7 Fog Warning
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #4 Parrkaveli, #7 Fog Warning, #1 Mulled Wine and #8 Hebgone	\$2 Exacta box on #4 Parrkaveli, #7 Fog Warning and #1 Mulled Wine

Race 3: #3 Drinks On Maggie has earned \$41,240 - less than any other horse in the race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #6 All Good Times	\$2 to Win on #1 Partay
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #6 All Good Times, #1 Partay, #5 Pure Blarney and #2 Silly Factor	\$2 Exacta box on #6 All Good Times, #1 Partay and #5 Pure Blarney

Race 4: Consider a wager on Get Back Home if 3 is your lucky number.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #8 Irish Mail	\$2 to Win on #6 Zumbya
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #8 Irish Mail, #6 Zumbya, #7 Sunshines Out and #4 Cool River Ds	\$2 Exacta box on #8 Irish Mail, #6 Zumbya and #7 Sunshines Out

Race 5: Today is #4 Stingslikeabee's birthday!		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #6 Good Morning Jack	\$2 to Win on #5 Transfer Pricing
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #6 Good Morning Jack, #5 Transfer Pricing, #1 Togie and #2 Warhavoc	\$2 Exacta box on #6 Good Morning Jack, #5 Transfer Pricing and #1 Togie

Race 6: #2 Game Girl is considered the long shot to win this race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #4 Hardly Mate	\$2 to Win on #1 Ordinary Love
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #4 Hardly Mate, #1 Ordinary Love, #5 Queen Of The Party and #6 Sugar Cane Girl	\$2 Exacta box on #4 Hardly Mate, #1 Ordinary Love and #5 Queen Of The Party

Race 7: #8 Legacy Park is the youngest horse in this race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #7 Cape Laa Di Da	\$2 to Win on #5 Lloydly
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #7 Cape Laa Di Da, #5 Lloydly, #2 Perfect Pitch and #1 Kinky Sox	\$2 Exacta box on #7 Cape Laa Di Da, #5 Lloydly and #2 Perfect Pitch

Race 8: #8 Community Court is the only gray horse in the race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #6 Mas Chikilin	\$2 to Win on #7 Homefield
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #6 Mas Chikilin, #7 Homefield, #4 Elzabe's On Board and #2 My Computer	\$2 Exacta box on #6 Mas Chikilin, #7 Homefield and #4 Elzabe's On Board

Race 9: #2 My Cowboy has won 9 races - more than any other horse in this race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #3 Great Harbour Cay	\$2 to Win on #14 Grand Nenuco
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #3 Great Harbour Cay, #14 Grand Nenuco, #10 Giacallure and #7 Croce D'oro	\$2 Exacta box on #3 Great Harbour Cay, #14 Grand Nenuco and #10 Giacallure

Race 10: #2 Toki will start the race from post position 2 - is 2 your lucky number?		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #3 Happy Lady	\$2 to Win on #8 Legacy Girl
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #3 Happy Lady, #8 Legacy Girl, #4 Juanandora and #9 War Beauty	\$2 Exacta box on #3 Happy Lady, #8 Legacy Girl and #4 Juanandora