

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 9 races today featuring:

78 Horses

29 Different Jockeys

52 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: #1 R Hot Twenty's is the youngest horse in this race.		
	Some Reward Opportunity	Higher Reward Opportunity
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #2 Evolution	\$2 to Win on #3 Big Awesome
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #2 Evolution, #3 Big Awesome, #4 King Dude Of Ocala and #6 Go To Win	\$2 Exacta box on #2 Evolution, #3 Big Awesome and #4 King Dude Of Ocala

Race 2: #1 Cool Iris is the only gray horse in the race.		
	Some Reward Opportunity	Higher Reward Opportunity
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #6 R True Sensation	\$2 to Win on #4 Taylor's Belle
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #6 R True Sensation, #4 Taylor's Belle, #2 U Know I B Lion and #5 Poppy's Jewel	\$2 Exacta box on #6 R True Sensation, #4 Taylor's Belle and #2 U Know I B Lion

Race 3: #5 Keppel Bay 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 #8 Trumpi	\$2 to Win on #4 Pirate Beach
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #8 Trumpi, #4 Pirate Beach, #3 Striking Heir and #2 First Reward	\$2 Exacta box on #8 Trumpi, #4 Pirate Beach and #3 Striking Heir

Race 4: #10 Icy Calm is the only horse in this race that has never raced before.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #5 Tempers Way	\$2 to Win on #3 Marynmike
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #5 Tempers Way, #3 Marynmike, #9 Ms Genuine and #7 Lady Brexit	\$2 Exacta box on #5 Tempers Way, #3 Marynmike and #9 Ms Genuine

Race 5: #3 Sassy Miss Margie has raced 1 times - fewer than any other horse in the race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #5 Super Twenty Five	\$2 to Win on #4 Luna Fortis
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #5 Super Twenty Five, #4 Luna Fortis, #7 Suzie'ssteppinout and #6 Scowling Ridge	\$2 Exacta box on #5 Super Twenty Five, #4 Luna Fortis and #7 Suzie'ssteppinout

Race 6: #2 Red Curls has raced 17 times - more than any other horse in the race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #1 Itsagimme's Girl	\$2 to Win on #5 Monkey Mind
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #1 Itsagimme's Girl, #5 Monkey Mind, #6 Warrior's Way and #4 Sweet Moochie	\$2 Exacta box on #1 Itsagimme's Girl, #5 Monkey Mind and #6 Warrior's Way

Race 7: #6 Tamper is the oldest horse in this race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #2 Persistent Run	\$2 to Win on #10 Peas And Carrots
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #2 Persistent Run, #10 Peas And Carrots, #8 Money Broker and #7 Osvaldo	\$2 Exacta box on #2 Persistent Run, #10 Peas And Carrots and #8 Money Broker

Race 8: #3 Runaway Posse has earned \$373,474 - more than any other horse in the race.		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #11 Combat Controller	\$2 to Win on #6 City Plan
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #11 Combat Controller, #6 City Plan, #5 Coltrane and #2 Birdsnest Party	\$2 Exacta box on #11 Combat Controller, #6 City Plan and #5 Coltrane

Race 9: The #4 horse, Bonsai Benny, has 11 letters in its name - is 11 your lucky number?		
	<i>Some Reward Opportunity</i>	<i>Higher Reward Opportunity</i>
\$2 Ticket	\$2 to Show on #5 Mesange	\$2 to Win on #1 Lets Dance Some Mo
\$12 Ticket	\$1 Exacta box on #5 Mesange, #1 Lets Dance Some Mo, #11 Exotic Gold and #7 Captured Beauty	\$2 Exacta box on #5 Mesange, #1 Lets Dance Some Mo and #11 Exotic Gold