

BEST BETS



BEST BET: 4 MR. JAGERMEISTER (7th)

LONGSHOT: 8 SO ALIVE (6th)

LIKELY: 3 BELLAFINA (3rd)

TAM P5	RACE 8	\$360
2,5,7 * 1,2,4,8,9		
1,2,4,6,7,11 * 3,8 * 1,4,6,8		

TUP P4	RACE 5	\$158
2,3,6,7,8 * 1,2,8		
2,3,4 * 1,3,4,7,8,9,10		

SATURDAY 2/9/19

<p>1 GULFSTREAM R6 (1:27 CT) 84 SUWANEE RIVER-G3 150K, 1M 1/8 TURF</p> <p>4 RYMSKA 3-5 3 AVIE'S MINESHAFT 8-1 2 SPECIAL EVENT 6-1 5 VALEDICTORIAN 6-1</p> <p><u>PICK: 4 RYMSKA</u> Chad Brown runner is coming out of the key running of the G1 Martiarc. 4th and 12th both came back to win and 8th and 11th both came back to run in the money (the only 4 to have returned). Only other off-the-board run was the BC Juv Filly Turf. Strong works at Palm M.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 3 AVIE'S MINESHAFT</u> She's only been on the turf twice. She got a career best 91 Beyer three back in the grass debut with a 5-1 win in a stakes and then a career second best last out when tagged on the wire as the favorite. Have to notice drills at PMM, sensational workouts on that track.</p> <p>A) 4 B) 2,3,5 C) 1,6,7</p>	<p>2 TAMPA BAY R8 (2:50 CT) 67 TAMPA BAY-G3 175K, 1M 1/16 TURF</p> <p>7 HEART TO HEART 9-5 5 IRISH STRAIT 6-1 2 INSPECTOR LYNLEY 5-1 3 DIVISIDERO 4-1</p> <p><u>PICK: 7 HEART TO HEART</u> Masterful ride by Leparoux to get this one in contention in the G3 last out. He broke in a tangle, was behind early and went 5 wide on the first turn. He was wide again on the 2nd turn. Clearly best with a solo lead which he may get in here. 4 for 6 at the distance.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 5 IRISH STRAIT</u> Could get a great trip following the top pick early on. Drew the rail in last and was sent up to hold position. He drew off late. Pretty honest runner with 400k in the bank. If the top choice isn't fully right, he could inherit the lead. Had a troubled trip two starts ago.</p> <p>A) 2,5,7 B) 3,4 C) 6,8</p>	<p>3 SANTA ANITA R5 (3:30 CT) 94 LAS VIRGENES-G2 200K, 1M DIRT</p> <p>3 BELLAFINA 2-5 2 ENAYA ALRABB 4-1 4 MOTHER MOTHER 7-2 1 CALF MOON BAY 12-1</p> <p><u>PICK: 3 BELLAFINA</u> She's proven to be at the head of the class here in So Cal. She's lost just twice. Once in her debut and the other as the favorite in the BC Juvenile Fillies from the 10 post two back. Completely dominated many in here in last. Hard to see her get beat off that win.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 2 ENAYA ALRABB</u> Dam is a half to Lotta Kim, the dam of super filly Rachel Alexandra (13 for 19, \$3.5M). 2nd in last to a Baffert trained sib to American Pharoah, Chasing Yesterday, who has won 4 of 5 in her career. Smith stays aboard and she comes in with a strong string of works.</p> <p>A) 3 B) 2,4 C) 1,5</p>	<p>4 TAMPA BAY R10 (3:52 CT) 68 ENDEAVOR-G3 175K, 1M 1/16 TURF</p> <p>6 HAWKSMOOR 3-1 2 GET EXPLICIT 9-2 4 MONTE CRISTA 12-1 1 SHE'S PRETTY LUCKY 15-1</p> <p><u>PICK: 6 HAWKSMOOR</u> Speedster is coming off a 3.5 month layoff in here for trainer Delacour. She hasn't won a race since going wire to wire in the 2017 NY Handicap at Belmont at 12-1. Castellano up three back in huge 2nd at 8-1. Note 4th by just 1 to female turf champ Sistercharlie 4 back.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 4 MONTE CRISTA</u> Went on a run of 4 wins in 5 starts with only loss a race in which she was favored, ran 3rd after missing the break. Came off the layoff and was eased on the soft going at Belmont two back. Off slow again in last. Came back with a strong 5F move. We'll see better here.</p> <p>A) 2,4,6 B) 1,7,11 C) 3,5,9,10</p>
<p>5 OAKLAWN PARK R7 (4:20 CT) 72 KING COTTON 100K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>5 HEARTWOOD 3-1 1 WILBO 7-2 10 DAN THE GO TO MAN 20-1 2 BOURBON COWBOY 1-1</p> <p><u>PICK: 5 HEARTWOOD</u> He's kind of been a second tier sprinter vs the best in the country and he has outrun his odds with them quite often. He's been off poorly in a few starts and been in tough spots in others. Only 3 behind some of the best sprinters 4 back. 1:10B drill coming in.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 10 DAN THE GO TO MAN</u> He's been better after dropping back to the sprint distance and adding blinkers 5 back. Had front wraps on two back and also drew the 11 post and stopped. Came back strong in the allw win here. Rider up in that win is off to the rail runner. He may forget to stop.</p> <p>A) 1,5,10 B) 2,8,9 C) 3,4,6</p>	<p>6 TAMPA BAY R11 (4:25 CT) 74 SAM F DAVIS-G3 250K, 1M 1/16 DIRT</p> <p>8 SO ALIVE 5-1 3 KNICKS GO 5-2 6 KENTUCKY WILDCAT 9-2 1 COUNTER OFFER 12-1</p> <p><u>PICK: 8 SO ALIVE</u> Trainer Todd Pletcher has won this race 6x already and been on the board numerous other times including with sib Vino Rosso last year. Love the way he re-rallied when passed by Counter Offer and really strode out well late in the opt clm win. Sharp drills.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 1 COUNTER OFFER</u> Sat a perfect trip in 5th about 4 behind the speed duel between 4 runners in the prep last out. He made a huge move and passed the top choice before being outrun late. He has a big closing move and Gallardo is good fit for him. Picks up a minor award in here.</p> <p>A) 3,8 B) 1,6 C) 2,7,9</p>	<p>7 TURF PARADISE R7 (4:55 CT) 83 PHOENIX GOLD CUP 75K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>4 MR. JAGERMEISTER 6-5 3 IZZY THE WARRIOR 5-1 2 MINISTER OF SOUL 3-1 5 NEVER GIVE IN 9-2</p> <p><u>PICK: 4 MR. JAGERMEISTER</u> This is the pride of Minnesota. He is going to become the all-time winningest MN-bred in short order. Losses can be excused (grass 4 back, top Asmussen sprinter Mitole 6 back, 44.1 fractions in the San Vicente, star Amy's Challenge). Awesome workouts for a return.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 3 IZZY THE WARRIOR</u> Diodoro has two in here (with the scratch of #6) and this one is a router with speed cuts back to a sprint. He is 4 for 11 (9 in the top 3) at the distance and has won 2 of 3 over this track. Think he's a better sprinter and may get into a good spot in this small field today.</p> <p>A) 4 B) 2,3,5 C) 1</p>	<p>8 SANTA ANITA R9 (5:30 CT) 55 SAN MARCOS-G2 200K, 1M 1/4 TURF</p> <p>8 BEACH VIEW 5-1 3 CHICAGO STYLE 3-1 1 UNAPOLOGETIC 10-1 5 PLATINUM WARRIOR 12-1</p> <p><u>PICK: 8 BEACH VIEW</u> 6YO horse has only 12 career starts but was a Grade 3 winner three back at 9-1 at DMR. Might have been best in the G2 vs Chicago Style. Was blocked at the head of lane and had to wait. Winner got the jump. 2nd in last beat McKinzie in the G2 San Pas next start.</p> <p><u>VALUE: 1 UNAPOLOGETIC</u> Might be something here. Won two straight off a layoff last summer (beat the top pick in one of them). Didn't handle the dirt next and was off in the air and steadied in the start after. Fought back in the start 2 back and Franco got aboard in last for 5-1 upset.</p> <p>A) 3,8 B) 1,4,5,12 C) 2,6,7,10,13</p>