

TRACK PHANTOM 2020 BREEDERS CUP REPORT



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PICK 5 WAGER			PICK 5 WAGER			PICK 6 WAGER			TOP SELECTIONS	
1 ST RACE	50c Pick 5	\$640	8 TH RACE	50c Pick 5	\$600	7 TH RACE	\$1 Pick 6	\$720		
1 ST	1		8 TH	6,10,11,12		7 TH	1,3,4,6,7,10,11,14		BEST BET	
2 ND	2,3,6,7,8,9,10,12		9 TH	2,6,13		8 TH	10,11,12		#4 TOM'S D'ETAT (12 TH)	
3 RD	1,2,4,5,6,7,8,10		10 TH	1,5,9,10		9 TH	6		LIVE LONGSHOT	
4 TH	1,2,3,7		11 TH	2,3,6,7,10		10 TH	1,2,5,8,9,10		#6 SAFE VOYAGE (9 TH)	
5 TH	1,7,8,12,14		12 TH	2,3,4,8,9		11 TH	2,3,6,7,10		MOST LIKELY	
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KEENELAND 1ST (10:15 ET) 94			KEENELAND 2ND (10:45 ET) 31			KEENELAND 3RD (11:20 ET) 38			KEENELAND 4TH (12:02 ET) 61	
PERRYVILLE STAKES			LAFAYETTE STAKES			FORT SPRINGS STAKES			BREEDERS' CUP F&M SPRINT (G1)	
\$125,000 6F DIRT			\$150,000 7F DIRT			\$125,000 6F DIRT			\$1,000,000, 6F DIRT	
1 NASHVILLE	4-5		10 MIND CONTROL	8-1		5 MISS T TOO	5-1		1 SPEECH	6-1
6 RELENTLESS DANCER	5-1		8 STRIKE THAT	6-1		6 FAIR MAIDEN	8-1		3 COME DANCING	8-1
4 BANGO	5-1		9 EBBEN	8-1		2 ANNA'S FAST	10-1		7 SERENGETI EMPRESS	3-1
5 WILD WES	15-1		7 EVERFAST	10-1		7 MERNEITH	3-1		2 GAMINE	7-5
1ST: 1 NASHVILLE			1ST: 10 MIND CONTROL			1ST: 5 MISS T TOO			1ST: 1 SPEECH	
He would have been the top choice in the Breeders' Cup Sprint had he gone there. He really can't be beat today. He gets the rail and will be five-lengths in front before you know it. Time of both races legit. Tracks weren't all that fast.			One of the better betting races on the card. You can go many different ways. This one had excuses in recent starts. Sloppy tracks 2, 4 back. Shuffled last out. Stumble at the start 5, 9 back. The G1 winner is 4 for 8 at this 7F distance.			One of a few in here with a strong turn of speed. Had the lead all the way all 4 of her exacta finishes. She'll likely get sent here again. Winner 4 back came back to win two G3's since. 4 th (Sconsin) took the G2 Eight Belles at CD early Sep.			There have been 21 fillies/mares who cut back from route to this G1 sprint. 13 of 21 got into the super at average odds of 17-1 (includes 67-1 winner Bar of Gold). Awful start in the Ky Oaks cost her. G1 winner on this dirt. Sharp drills.	
2ND: 6 RELENTLESS DANCER			2ND: 8 STRIKE THAT			2ND: 6 FAIR MAIDEN			2ND: 1 COME DANCING	
Michael Maker colt picked up checks in 3 graded stakes including last time to Breeders' Cup Sprint bound Yaupon. That winner will be the first or second choice in the Sprint. 5 th , 6 th , 7 th hit the board next. He'll pick off tired foes late.			Game victory over the 2019 G1 Woody Stephens winner Hog Creek Hustle in last. He's never missed the board and only out of the exacta once in his nine race career. Is 2 for 2 at the distance and 1 for 1 at KEE. He can track or press.			She beat just 3 runners in last but did it very well with a strong stretch run at CD. It was her first start on dirt and 2 nd time with blinkers. Bound to work out a great trip with the fast pace. Getting 1st time Lasix and keeps Lanerie here.			65% of the exacta spots in 13 years of this race were deep closers or off-the-pace stalkers (just 1 speed hit the top 2). The pace could be suicidal and this one will be far back. Improved in each start in 2020. Will be passing tired foes.	
3RD: 4 BANGO			3RD: 9 EBBEN			3RD: 2 ANNA'S FAST			3RD: 1 SERENGETI EMPRESS	
He is the only runner to earn a 90+ fig other than the favorite Nashville. That came last out in a game 8-1 win over a foe in here. His best efforts have been on dirt although the stakes win at TP 4 back was quite good. Gets a great trip.			Winner the last time he went 7F. That was 4 starts back at CD when he took a 50k claimer despite traffic. Pressed in both routes prior to the G3 and was a winner each time (10-1 in the win 2 back). Excellent form. Lanerie stays up.			Blinkers were on in the first two starts for Wesley Ward. Removed 3 back in a win at TP. Last is better than it might look. Winner came back to win three straight graded stakes. 6 th shocked G3 Delaware Oaks next out at nearly 40-1.			Absolute speedball is a G1 winner at a route (Kentucky Oaks) and also at the sprint distance (Ballerina). Speed has surrendered readily in 13 year history (just once in the exacta). Dangerous if she is allowed to breathe early in here.	
VALUE: 6 RELENTLESS DANCER			VALUE: 7 EVERFAST			VALUE: 6 FAIR MAIDEN			VALUE: 1 COME DANCING	
A) 1 B) 4,6 C) 2,3,5,7			A) 7,8,9,10 B) 2,3,6,12 C) 1,4,5,11			A) 2,5,6 B) 1,4,7,8,10 C) 9			A) 1,2,3,7 B) 6,9 C) 5,8	

KEENELAND 5TH (12:39 ET) 40 BREEDERS' CUP TURF SPRINT (G1) \$1,000,000, 5F TURF	KEENELAND 6TH (1:18 ET) 69 BREEDERS' CUP DIRT MILE (G1) \$1,000,000, 1M DIRT	KEENELAND 7TH (1:57 ET) 44 BREEDERS' CUP F & M TURF (G1) \$2,000,000, 1M 1/4 TURF	KEENELAND 8TH (2:36 ET) 77 BREEDERS' CUP SPRINT (G1) \$2,000,000, 6F DIRT
1 BIG RUNNUER 12-1 7 LEINSTER 4-1 12 GOT STORMY 7-2 14 EXTRAVAGANT KID 15-1	10 COMPLEXITY 2-1 5 KNICKS GO 7-2 7 RUSHIE 20-1 4 WAR OF WILL 10-1	3 PEACEFUL 12-1 1 STARSHIP JUBILEE 10-1 7 TEREHELLUM 20-1 6 RUSHING FALL 5-2	10 YAUPON 7-2 11 DIAMOND OOPS 8-1 12 HOG CREEK HUSTLE 30-1 6 FRANK'S ROCKETTE 10-1
1ST: 1 BIG RUNNUER Initially the rail draw looked like a bad thing for this one. But there just is not all that much speed and if Hernandez can get him out of the gate, he may go wire to wire. 63% to have run in the top 2 in this race all-time were either on the lead or pressing 2 nd . The Eddie D has been a key prep. Working strongly.	1ST: 10 COMPLEXITY He was a Grade 1 winner in just his 2 nd start for Chad Brown when he won the Champagne as a 2YO. Seems to have found that form again this year with 2 strong wins and a game runner-up in a typhoon two back. Should be in the absolute perfect tracking spot. Brown and JL Ortiz are a lethal combination.	3RD: 3 PEACEFUL Beat no one home at 7-2 last time out in the Group 1 Chariot. The ground was so bad that a line can be drawn through that one. Probably lost a win chance 3 back when lacking room from inside before getting clear. She surged near the finish and just missed. First Lasix. R Moore up again signifies confidence.	1ST: 10 YAUPON Undeclared 3YO has not been behind a runner since the first call of a sharp debut win. There is some other speed in the race but not the kind we usually see. That should allow him to relax just a bit. Asmussen won this race last year with Mitole. Third place 2 back won the 102k Jersey Shore next. Acid test today.
2ND: 7 LEINSTER He was closer to the pace in the last 2 starts than he'd been in a long time. It produced back to back wins over this track. He's now won 3 of 4 on this grass course and was a close 2 nd in the other (G2 Woodford year ago). The Woodford has been a strong prep for this. Should get the run of the race from the 7 hole.	2ND: 5 KNICKS GO Whatever the issues he had previously for Colebrook have disappeared in his two starts for Brad Cox. He went to the front in both starts and kept his foot on the pedal. Shining moment was the G1 Breeders' Futurity here in 2018. Has home court advantage but he bumps up significantly for this. Will try to wire.	2ND: 1 STARSHIP JUBILEE 7YO mare is easy to root for. She was a 16,000 claim in Jan 2017. She has won 16 of 29 for these connections for over \$1.9M. One of the greatest claims ever. Only 2 losses in last 9 starts came on a yielding turf and when she was hurt by a slow pace (two back). Think Geroux is going to fit her like a glove. Value price.	2ND: 11 DIAMOND OOPS Will be a popular option outside of the top two favorites in here. He closed in strong fashion to beat a few foes that are in here last out over this track. He has looked very good since he beat 2 runners in the BC Dirt Mile in '19. Very big run to win the Turf Sprint two back from a tough rail run. Very strong drills
3RD: 12 GOT STORMY Ran second in the BC Mile last year as a 3-1 favorite. Finished the year with a Grade 1 win at Del Mar. Wasn't nearly as sharp to start this year beaten as a 2-1 or less chance 3 straight (twice off the board). Last 3 seemed to resemble what she was last year. \$2M earner is going to be tough but may be overbet.	3RD: 7 RUSHIE Underrated trainer in play here. This one is entering off a win in the G2 Pat Day Mile in Sep. That was definitely not a strong field but he did look good in the win. Castellano was up there and the third place finish two back in the G2 Blue Grass. He got a sluggish start there from the 10 post. Sneaky today.	3RD: 7 TEREHELLUM Terebellum and Peaceful come out of the same G1 race at Newmarket. Both trainers said the ground was among the worst they have ever seen due to record rainfall. This filly nearly pulled off the 5-1 upset in the Q1 Queen Anne at Ascot. Gosden/Dettori team is very dangerous. Gets first time Lasix today.	3RD: 12 HOG CREEK HUSTLE Back to back losses in opt clm class in last two starts. He did run well in both of those starts. Toss the turf race as it doesn't appear to be his surface. That Met Mile run was better than it looked as he stumbled out of the gate. Could be dangerous if the early pace is fast and contested. Very big price is likely.
VALUE: 14 EXTRAVAGANT KID A) 1,7,8,12,14 B) 3,4,6,9,11 C) 2,5,10,13	VALUE: 7 RUSHIE A) 5,10 B) 1,3,4,7,12 C) 2,6,8,9,11	VALUE: 1 STARSHIP JUBILEE A) 1,3,6,7 B) 4,10,11 C) 2,5,9,13,14	VALUE: 12 HOG CREEK HUSTLE A) 10,11 B) 2,6,7,8,12 C) 1,3,5,9,15
HISTORICAL TRENDS (12 Years) This race has been held at 6.5F at SA 7 times (which is a much different race coming down-the-hill). It's been at 5F 4 times and once (here at KEE in 2015) was at 5.5F. Trainer Peter Miller has 3 straight wins in this race ('17, '18, '19) and all at long odds. No Euro's have hit the board in 12 years. The race has been won by speed and closers alike.	HISTORICAL TRENDS (13 Years) 4 of the 13 winners all-time went wire to wire (including Spun to Run at 9-1 last year). But 3 of those 4 wire to wire winners were at speed-friendly Santa Anita. Favorites are only 2 for 13 (15%) on the win-end and just 38% have hit the board. The Kelso at Belmont have been the most productive prep. Liam's Map won at 1-2 in '15 when held at KEE.	HISTORICAL TRENDS (21 Years) Euro shippers have dominated in the 21 years of this race (including the '19 winner). Euro's have made up 35 of 63 trifecta spots all-time (55%) despite a smaller subset. So Cal based runners have been in the money just 5x with no wins. Surprisingly, Aidan O'Brien with 16 starters, just 4 in the money, no wins. The Flower Bowl at BEL is the key prep.	HISTORICAL TRENDS (36 Years) Speed or pace pressers account for 8 straight wins in this race. The last real closer to win was at CD in 2011. There are two prep races that have had the most winners. The SA Championship and the Vosburgh are those key prep races. Favorites won 25% but the last 5 years had low prices in the trifecta. Only 3 runners went wire to wire (8%).

KEENELAND 9TH (3:15 ET) BREEDERS' CUP MILE (G1) \$2,000,000, 1M TURF	76	KEENELAND 10TH (3:54 ET) BREEDERS' CUP DISTAFF (G1) \$2,000,000, 1M 1/8 DIRT	59	KEENELAND 11TH (4:33 ET) BREEDERS' CUP TURF (G1) \$4,000,000, 1M 1/2 TURF	66	KEENELAND 12TH (5:13 ET) BREEDERS' CUP CLASSIC (G1) \$6,000,000, 1M 1/4 DIRT	85
6 SAFE VOYAGE 15-1 2 KAMEKO 6-1 13 FACTOR THIS 8-1 8 MARCH TO THE ARCH 15-1		5 SWISS SKYDIVER 2-1 9 OLLIE'S CANDY 10-1 10 MONOMOY GIRL 8-5 1 CE CE 12-1		3 TARNAWA 6-1 2 MAGICAL 5-2 6 LORD NORTH 8-1 10 MOGUL 4-1		4 TOM'S D'ETAT 6-1 2 TIZ THE LAW 3-1 8 IMPROBABLE 5-2 3 BY MY STANDARDS 10-1	
1ST: 6 SAFE VOYAGE All 7 Euro's to win this last prepped in France. 3 of the 7 came out of the G1 Foret at Longchamp. Has really outrun his odds 7 straight starts back to the 3rd at 40-1 in the QEII at Ascot. He was getting to the top two in the Foret last out. Lacked room in the G2 four back. Was sharp beating One Master 3 back.		1ST: 5 SWISS SKYDIVER Gutsy, game, grizzled 3YO filly. She will make her 12 th start in the last twelve months. Turned back Kentucky Derby winner Authentic last out at 12-1 odds. Should get a perfect trip from the five post. She will likely allow Lady Kate to control the pace sitting on her flank. 3YO fillies have won this race 11 times.		1ST: 3 TARNAWA The G1 Vermeille (two back) is turning out to be a key race. 5 th from that race (Wonderful Tonight) won back to back G1 races since. 8 th (Valia) won a G2 in next start and then was 2 nd in G1 after. Will be closing and closers are 29 for 36 in this race. Trainer Weld is the top Irish trainer who won the '90 Belmont.		1ST: 4 TOM'S D'ETAT He was in such razor sharp form prior to the G1 Whitney last out. That race is a complete tossout. He stumbled very badly from the gate and was left with too much to do. He's won the last four off the break and the works are strong for this. Main weapon is his menacing move on the far turn. Rolls home late.	
2ND: 2 KAMEKO Winner of the 2000 Guineas at 5 starts ago at Newmarket as a 10-1 price. The runner-up won G2 next and the 3 rd and 4 th place ran 2 nd and 4 th in different G1's next. Winner two back has won 9 of 12 and 4 G1's. Runner-up is the favorite in the BC Turf two races later today. Was in traffic 3 back when 4 th in the Sussex.		2ND: 9 OLLIE'S CANDY Very, very close to putting this mare on top here. She always runs her race but hasn't won since a G1 win in the Hirsch 8 starts ago (15 months back). Started to hit her stride late in the Spinster in her last start. Couldn't reel in the lone leader in the Hirsch two back. Position will be key here given her forward style.		2ND: 2 MAGICAL Fantastic 5YO mare has earned \$5.3M in her 26-race career. She was 2 nd two years ago in this race behind the \$14M earner and superstar Enable. She beat the 9 for 13 (and 4-time Group 1 winner) Ghaiyyath for Charlie Appleby 2 starts back. Was in some traffic on the rail in the G1 Champions last out. One to beat.		2ND: 2 TIZ THE LAW 3YO faces older for the first time. The Classic has been won by a 3YO in 12 of 36 all-time although just 3 times since 2009 and all trained by Baffert. He can be forwardly placed but also has a big late kick. Skipped the Preakness to be at full strength for this. His works have been superb, maybe better than ever.	
3RD: 13 FACTOR THIS He comes into this race off his career best figure in the Dinner Party win at Pimlico. The runner-up was far clear of third. That runner-up returned to win a NY-bred stakes for Michale Maker in October with a 105 Beyer. Appears to have one more speed foe to deal with early (Halladay). Serious connections.		3RD: 10 MONOMOY GIRL Despite her unbelievable record (and HOF career) she's a bit of an enigma in here. Won all 3 starts off the 16-month layoff but looked a tad less brilliant in those wins. The outside post could be a problem as she has the same style as many in here. Would be no surprise here but am using her defensively only.		3RD: 6 LORD NORTH Euro shippers have won 16 of the last 21 editions of this race. Willing to look past his last start in the G1 Champion Stakes that Magical was in. Reported to not like the soft going. Lost a shoe 2 back when just over a length behind Magical. Repeat of the Price of Wales may win this for fun. Top connections.		3RD: 8 IMPROBABLE Might end up favored in here after his three strong Grade 1 wins following a huge runner-up effort in the OP Mile in his 2020 debut. He ended up with very big in-race advantages in the last two. Tracked a contested speed duel in his last start and sat on a slow pace in G1 Whitney two back. Major respect here.	
VALUE: 13 FACTOR THIS A) 2,6 B) 1,4,5,8,11,12,13 C) 3,7,10,14		VALUE: 9 OLLIE'S CANDY A) 1,5,9,10 B) 2,4,8 C) 3,6,7		VALUE: 6 LORD NORTH A) 2,3 B) 6,7,10 C) 1,4,5,8,9		VALUE: 3 BY MY STANDARDS A) 2,4,8 B) 3,9 C) 1,5,6,7,10	
HISTORICAL TRENDS (36 Years) This race has not been kind to speed horses having won just twice with the great Lure in '92 and '93. Deep closers or stalkers off the pace have won this 23 times (64%). A runner coming from last or near last have been in the top 3 every year since 1993. US-based are 22 of 36 (61%). The WO Mile has had a top 3 finisher in 11 of the last 13 years.		HISTORICAL TRENDS (36 Years) Low prices have dominated although last year's winner (Blue Prize) was 9-1. There have been 24 winners under 4-1 (67%). 28 of the 36 winners have come out of one of three preps: Spinster (11 wins), Beldame (9 wins) & Zenyatta (8 wins). 3 year olds have done well here with 11 wins against their older rivals. The running style has been mostly fair.		HISTORICAL TRENDS (36 Years) The winner of this race averaged near 10-1 all-time but have seen favorites win in back to back years (Bricks and Mortar and Enable). Closers dominate having won 29 of 36 years (81%). Euro shippers have won in 16 of the last 21 years (76%). Look for horses who were in the Arc de Triomphe or Turf Classic. Aidan O'Brien won 4 of the last 9 years.		HISTORICAL TRENDS (36 Years) Average win odds in this race is about 11-1. The Awesome Again at SA and the Jockey Club at BEL produced 7 winners each (JCGC had the winner in '19, Vino Rossi). 31 of 36 winners finished in the exacta in their previous start (86%). American Pharoah won in 2015 at KEE. 3YO's won 12 of 36 (33%) and were in the money with 38 of 117 runners (33%).	