

OAKLAWN PARK



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Race 1	50c Pick 5	Race 3	50c Pick 5	Race 5	50c Pick 5	Race 5	50c Pick 5	BEST BET OF THE DAY	
1 ST	6	3 RD	3,4,5,7,9,10	5 TH	3,4,5,9,10,12	7 TH	1,3,4,5,7,9	6 LOVE SUPREME (5-2)	
2 ND	1,3,4,6,8,9,10	4 TH	1,2,3,4,8,9	6 TH	1,8,11,14	8 TH	3,7,8,9	RACE 1	
3 RD	3,4,9,10	5 TH	3,5,8,10,12	7 TH	1,3,4,5,7,9	9 TH	8,9	LIVE LONGSHOT	
4 TH	1,2,3,4,9	6 TH	11	8 TH	2,3,4,7,8,9	10 TH	3,4,6,8,10	4 STRATO (8-1)	
5 TH	3,5,8,10,12	7 TH	1,4,7,9	9 TH	8	11 TH	5,7,9,13	RACE 7	
Total Ticket Cost \$350		Total Ticket Cost \$360		Total Ticket Cost \$432		Total Ticket Cost \$480		MOST LIKELY WINNER	
								8 EWING (6-5)	
								RACE 9	

1 - OAKLAWN PARK (1:30 ET) 68	2 - OAKLAWN PARK (2:01 ET) 40	3 - OAKLAWN PARK (2:32 ET) 27
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT 110K, 6F DIRT	MAIDEN CLAIMING 30K, 1M DIRT	CLAIMING 12K, 6F DIRT
6 LOVE SUPREME 5-2	4 MCKINZIE'S GLORY 3-1	4 OOPS AND DOWNS 15-1
7 QUICK TO CHARM 2-1	6 DONITA 6-1	3 JET PACK 5-2
3 GRACE ME 5-1	1 RELEVATE 5-1	10 BLUE DAZZLER 4-1
4 WICKED ONE 15-1	10 WITH KINDNESS 5-2	9 SORRY NOT SORRY 20-1
PICK: 6 LOVE SUPREME	PICK: 4 MCKINZIE'S GLORY	PICK: 4 OOPS AND DOWNS
She was on the rail in her last start. For most of the race she was trapped down on the inside. Once she got clear racing room she closed well but the winner had already left the scene. 5 th and 6 th two back both won MSW races in their next starts. Was close to the likely favorite (#7) to the outside in the first two starts. Has decent works.	Trainer Ken McPeek has 2 wins and 4 in the money from his last 5 starts at OP. All 5 of those runners were ridden by this jockey, Esquivel. That is important as he has two in this race and this first call rider lands here. She had blinkers added last start. She ran well on the turf at FG despite getting steadied. The surface change a concern.	This might end up being a tall order. She is cutting back from routes where she was far back early and now will try to win a sprint on a track favoring speed. But if she can stick a bit closer than expected she might run down some vulnerable low prices. She did split the field last 2 times out. If this track is allowing closers, she can win.
VALUE: 3 GRACE ME	VALUE: 6 DONITA	VALUE: 9 SORRY NOT SORRY
It may mean nothing but rider Christian Torres is riding this first timer for a lower percentage outfit. He rides 1 st call for Mark Casse who is hitting at 45% at the meet so far. Casse has two in the race and Torres is not on either of them. Pretty steady worktab leading into this but she does have a 3-week break from 1/17 to 2/6. Check tote.	Trainer Cipriano Contreras is 8 for 12 (67%) first off the claim and running in a maiden claiming race at OP and off at 4-1 or less. In other words, the betting matters as this outfit bets their live runners. Showed speed in all 3 starts and this track has certainly been speed favoring of late. The last two works are particularly sharp drills.	She exits the same race as the top choice. She was two behind that one in a flat effort. Like the top choice, she is cutting back in distance and will be trying to close in from far back in this sprint. Ind-bred likely needed her last start off the layoff. She did face better in upper level Ind-bred races last year. Will follow the top choice home.
A) 6,7 B) 2,3,4 C) 5 D) 1	A) 1,4,6,10 B) 3,8,9 C) 7 D) 5,11	A) 3,4,10 B) 5,7,9 C) 1,6 D) 2

<p>4 – OAKLAWN PARK (3:04 ET) 20 STARTER ALLOWANCE 65K, 1M 1/16 DIRT</p> <p>2 MENA 10-1 4 SWEETALKINGBOURBON 7-2 3 BESTFRIEND ROCKET 15-1 1 SYSTEMIC CHANGE 5-2</p> <p>PICK: 2 MENA It looks like there will be two runners winging it on the lead in here. The one who gets to sit comfortably off of that pace, and save ground, as this one will do, could be in the garden spot. He was moved too soon last time out. He's 2 for 9 (4 in the top two) at the distance. Looks like he prefers a fast track. Positioning is the main asset.</p> <p>VALUE: 3 BESTFRIEND ROCKET He's been placed over his head in quite a few starts. He was without Lasix in the stakes last time out at nearly 40-1. The run two back at the 40k claiming level was in line with his talent. Figures to be midpack behind what appears to be a fast pace. Should be a big price as there are a lot of options. Drop and Lasix puts him in the mix.</p> <p>A) 1,2,3,4 B) 5,8,9 C) 6 D)</p>	<p>5 – OAKLAWN PARK (3:36 ET) 61 MAIDEN CLAIMING 20K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>5 COOL UNDER FIRE 15-1 9 PEARCY ROAD 7-2 12 HUCKABY 3-1 3 BALI DEAN 15-1</p> <p>PICK: 5 COOL UNDER FIRE Trainer Ernie Witt has had 6 runners go from MSW to a maiden claimer for Ark-breds sprinting here at OP. He won 3 of those and was second in two others (beaten a neck and a length in those losses). Hesitated to start in the debut and that made the task impossible from the two post. Two works since last. Will appreciate the drop.</p> <p>VALUE: 3 BALI DEAN His only start came in the 50k maiden claiming ranks in a race that two others in this race were in. He was slow into stride and ran near the back of the pack for much of the race. He did make a move to get within 5 lengths and took a bit of money. Apprentice rider stays and he is in light (110 lbs). First time Lasix here. Huge class drop.</p> <p>A) 5,9 B) 3,12 C) 4,10,14 D) 1,2,6,7,11</p>	<p>6 – OAKLAWN PARK (4:08 ET) 64 CLAIMING 12K, 1M 1/16 DIRT</p> <p>11 GA MO TAK 3-1 14 TREBLE CHEF 7-2 1 COBBLESTONE BRIDGE 5-2 8 BRITTANY'S DREAM 10-1</p> <p>PICK: 11 GA MO TAK Trainer Brad Cox has had just one horse go from an allw at Oaklawn Park to claiming for this ownership. He won on that move. This one hasn't been able to find his level since arriving in the US. While he was 10th last time out, that was in a much tougher race. If he is healthy (a big if) he stands out on the class move. Adds more ground.</p> <p>VALUE: 8 BRITTANY'S DREAM There are no obvious speed types in this race. The two on the outside are sprinters stretching out so they may go to the front. This one will be close. He sat in a good spot in the last start when beaten just two lengths. He is a La-bred who hasn't won since he took a 100k stakes at LAD two years ago. Bejarano stays up. Will be forward.</p> <p>A) 1,11,14 B) 8,9,10 C) 12 D) 4,6</p>
<p>7 – OAKLAWN PARK (4:40 ET) 59 CLAIMING 25K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>4 STRATO 8-1 9 BETTYS CASH 8-1 7 KING PEANUT 3-1 1 CHOCTAW ZIP 20-1</p> <p>PICK: 4 STRATO He ran on a fast track just twice in 2024. He won from the 10 post here to break his maiden and was a strong runner-up at Indiana in allowance at 9-1. Got third here in April 2025 with a career best 79 Beyer. He won at this level two back at Indiana and was a game third despite steady in last. Appears to be perfectly spotted today.</p> <p>VALUE: 9 BETTYS CASH Last time Quinonez rode this 7YO gelding was 3 back at RP. He was second in there despite a wide trip in a good allowance race. Was over his head a bit in the last two starts so the drop makes sense. All 4 wins came here at OP vs. Ark-breds. He normally goes to the front and will do so today. This track has been favoring speed runners.</p> <p>A) 4,7,9 B) 1,3,5,11,12 C) 6 D) 2,8,10</p>	<p>8 – OAKLAWN PARK (5:11 ET) 47 CLAIMING 75K, 1M DIRT</p> <p>9 MASTER MULE 8-1 8 HOMER'S ODYSSEY 15-1 3 LA HOULIGAN 5-1 7 BARB 5-2</p> <p>PICK: 9 MASTER MULE This feels like a good spot for a closer. There are plenty of speed types that might set up a fast pace but none of those speedsters are reliable to outlast the pace. This one moves to a trainer that is 33% on the move to his barn from another trainer. Has a lively work on this dirt surface one week ago. Will be running past wobbly foes.</p> <p>VALUE: 8 HOMER'S ODYSSEY Took the drop to this level and won two starts ago for his first win. That was with this same rider aboard. He tried tougher on synthetic in the last start but only split the field at 17-1 at TP. Asmussen has a lot of runners so he could drop this one off the last start but he shows a bit of confidence placing at this level. Trip will decide it.</p> <p>A) 3,7,8,9 B) 2,4 C) 1,10 D) 6</p>	<p>9 – OAKLAWN PARK (5:42 ET) 84 OZARK 150K, 6F DIRT</p> <p>8 EWING 6-5 9 OSCAR'S HOPE 5-2 2 TIZ MARY'S COMET 8-1 4 SWUNG 6-1</p> <p>PICK: 8 EWING Exceptional start to his career. This 585k purchase won both starts as a two-year old. Crushed in the debut by 12. He then gamely beat a serious colt in Obliteration in the second start. That one just ran second in the \$1.5M Saudi Derby on Sat. Casse hitting at 45%. Certainly has bigger plans later so he doesn't have to win this today.</p> <p>VALUE: 2 TIZ MARY'S COMET Slight upset facing La-bred maiden claimers in the first start. Connections gave him a shot in a much tougher allowance and almost pulled off a 25-1 upset. Winner was a Joe Sharp runner who had just run one length off in a 100k stakes. Good horses can come from anywhere. Has natural speed but has been game late in his races.</p> <p>A) 8 B) 2,4,9 C) 1,3 D) 5,7</p>

10 – OAKLAWN PARK (6:13 ET) 48
ALLOWANCE 125K, 1M DIRT

4 FAUST	6-1
6 HEART N SOUL	10-1
8 DANCE SOME MO	3-1
10 CRISIS MANAGER	5-2

PICK: 4 FAUST

Broke his maiden here 9 months ago and then nibbled against strong sprinters in Kentucky. Career best came two back when third in a tough sprint. The 2nd and 4th place finishers from that race have won right back vs. allowance company here. Did not have Lasix in the last start but gets it back today. He has a route winning sib.

VALUE: 6 HEART N SOUL

He was third two back in what has turned out a strong race. Many of the also rans behind the runaway winner (who got a 107 Beyer) have come back to run well next time out. Very wide trip last out but still got withing 5 in the end. Stretchout is the big question. He did break his maiden at 1M 1/16 on the turf. Will be an overlay here.

A) 4,6,8 B) 3,10 C) 1,5,9 D) 2

11 – OAKLAWN PARK (6:44 ET) 55
MAIDEN CLAIMING 20K, 6F DIRT

7 BUTCH	15-1
13 MY RUSSIAN	4-1
9 SUPER MS	10-1
5 GO GO RO RO	3-1

PICK: 7 BUTCH

The only time this 4YO gelding ran in an Ark-bred sprint for maiden claimers was four starts ago. He closed well to finish third at 45-1. Bobbled at the break in the most recent start when bet down a bit to 9-1. Ran 4th out of 12 two back vs. open class maiden claimers at 61-1. He gets in light weight. Can win this at boxcar odds today.

VALUE: 9 SUPER MS

He hasn't beaten a horse in two starts but does have a few excuses. Debut came against open class MSW on a sloppy track. He hopped at the start and then faded out of it. Drew a wide post in the last start in Ark-bred MSW company. The fact he gets Lasix for the first time might indicate he bled in there (especially with the long layoff).

A) 5,7,9,13 B) 3,4,10 C) 1,2,6 D) 8,11

