

Dennis Stagliano's Del Mar Tip Sheet



Sunday, July 26, 2026

1st Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta / \$2 Rolling Double 50c Rolling Pick 3 / \$1 Superfecta (10c min) 50c Early Pick 5 / \$2 WPS Parlay

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Candy Bar (KY)	7/2	Kazushi Kimura	125	6 M	L b	Jose R. Valdez
2	Mars Magic (CA)	15/1	Epifanio Garcia	123	5 M	L	D. Wayne Baker
3	Ima Joker (KY)	8/1	Joe Bravo	125	5 M	L	Doug F. O'Neill
4	Shocking Grey (CA)	6/1	Antonio Fresu	125	7 M	L	Jeff Mullins
5	Lubie's Music (KY)	12/1	Emisael Jaramillo	123	4 F	L	Richard E. Mandella
6	Cameron Slough (KY)	4/1	Armando Ayuso	123	6 M	L	Blaine D. Wright
7	Sareeha (IRE)	5/2	Julien R. Leparoux	125	7 M	L	Mark Glatt
8	Corporal Violette (IRE)	6/1	Armando Aguilar	125	7 M	L	Mark Rheinford

2nd Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

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#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Bello Rosso (CA)	15/1	Kyle Frey	120	3 R	L	Brendan W. Galvin
2	Van Gogh Style (CA)	2/1	Tyler Baze	120	3 G	L	Sean McCarthy
3	Mickey (CA)	3/1	Joel Rosario	125	4 G	L	Val Brinkerhoff
4	De Facto (CA)	5/1	Armando Ayuso	120	3 G	L	Brian J. Koriner
5	Zakiel (KY)	5/2	Cesar Belmont	120	3 G	L	Peter Eurton
6	Practical Blame (CA)	6/1	Joe Bravo	120	3 C	L	Brendan W. Galvin

3rd Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

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#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Dream Seeker (KY)	3/1	John R. Velazquez	122	2 C		Michael W. McCarthy
2	Dee Snook (IRE)	8/1	Antonio Fresu	119	2 F		Doug F. O'Neill
3	Automatic Press (KY)	4/1	Joel Rosario	122	2 C		Peter Miller
4	Oscar Storm (KY)	20/1	Armando Aguilar	122	2 C		Philip A. Oviedo
5	Saudi Runner (KY)	10/1	Ricardo Gonzalez	122	2 C		Michael W. McCarthy
6	Let Her Fly (KY)	5/2	Emisael Jaramillo	119	2 F		Doug F. O'Neill
7	Super Spike (KY)	8/1	Juan J. Hernandez	122	2 C		Michael W. McCarthy
8	Wildcatter (KY)	6/1	Umberto Rispoli	122	2 C		Richard E. Mandella

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4th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta \$2 Rolling Double / 50c Rolling Pick 3 50c Middle Pick 4 / \$1 Superfecta (10c min) / \$2 WPS Parlay

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Shared Future (KY)	7/2	Armando Aguilar	123	7 M	L	Mark Rheinford
2	Goodnight Nellie (CA)	4/1	Cesar Belmont	125	5 M	L	Andy Mathis
3	Medjugorje (KY)	5/1	Armando Ayuso	118	3 F	L	Richard E. Mandella
4	Rabeeba (KY)	5/1	Ricardo Gonzalez	118	3 F	L	Bob Baffert
5	Cipriani (KY)	5/2	Juan J. Hernandez	123	4 F	L b	Bob Baffert
6	Quick Kate (CA)	4/1	Kazushi Kimura	123	5 M	L	Craig Anthony Lewis

5th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta / \$2 Rolling Double 50c Rolling Pick 3 / \$1 Superfecta (10c min) \$2 WPS Parlay

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	First Light (CA)	12/1	Cesar Belmont	124	4 F	L	Carla Gaines
2	Verenice (CA)	3/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	3 F	L	Carla Gaines
3	Running Iron (CA)	8/1	Victor Espinoza	120	3 F		Paula S. Capestro
4	Mustang Knicky (CA)	12/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	120	3 F	L	Steve R. Knapp
5	Come On Om (CA)	4/1	Tyler Baze	120	3 F	L	Sean McCarthy
6	Hayley Amber (KY)	20/1	Alfredo L. Bautista	119	5 M	L	Sally P. Rivera
7	Zuzu's Classic Gal (CA)	7/2	Abel Lezcano	124	5 M	L	Mark Glatt
8	Girl Fire (CA)	20/1	Edgar Payeras	124	5 M	L	Felix L. Gonzalez
9	Danzing Daisy (CA)	8/1	Armando Ayuso	120	3 F	L	Sean McCarthy
10	Druliner (CA)	8/1	Joel Rosario	120	3 F	L	Craig Anthony Lewis
12	Let It Begin (CA)	8/1	Edwin A. Maldonado	120	3 F	L b	Ryan Hanson
13	Mia Pia (CA)	12/1	Kyle Frey	124	4 F	L	Karen Headley
14	Platinum Groove (CA)	5/1	Juan J. Hernandez	120	3 F	L	Jeff Mullins

6th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

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#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Cotta Ride (CA)	4/1	Kazushi Kimura	120	3 F	L	Craig Anthony Lewis
2	Salty Siss (KY)	6/1	Armando Aguilar	120	3 F	L	Vann Belvoir
3	How It Is (CA)	12/1	Edwin A. Maldonado	120	3 F	L	Edward R. Freeman
4	Spy in Disguise (CA)	20/1	Francisco Monroy	120	3 F	L	Alberto Ruvalcaba
5	Perfect Smile (KY)	7/2	Joel Rosario	124	4 F	L	Peter Miller
6	Champagnia (CA)	20/1	Jeremy Laprida	120	3 F	L	Bill McLean
7	Boracay Miss (KY)	20/1	Alfredo L. Bautista	115	3 F	L	Jeff Bonde
8	Cindys Beach House (KY)	12/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	124	4 F	L	Bill McLean
9	Queen of Bantry (CA)	15/1	Cristobal Herrera	120	3 F	L	Alberto Ruvalcaba
10	Shedunit (OK)	30/1	Adrian Escobedo	124	4 F	L	Charles S. Treece
11	My Babycakes (KY)	3/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	3 F	L	Doug F. O'Neill
12	Surprise D' Oro (CA)	12/1	Ali Husain	113	3 F	L	Hector O. Palma
13	Glory'z Clubhouse (CA)	12/1	Tyler Baze	124	4 F	L	Sean McCarthy
14	Willow in the Wind (CA)	12/1	Antonio Fresu	120	3 F	L	Ruben Gomez

7th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta / \$2 Rolling Double 50c Rolling Pick 3 / \$1 Superfecta (10c min) 50c Late Pick 5 / \$2 WPS Parlay \$3 Turf Pick 3 (R7-9-11)

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Rogue Legend (GB)	8/1	Antonio Fresu	120	3 C	L	Philip D'Amato
2	Private Gem (CA)	4/1	Julien R. Leparoux	124	5 H	L	Mark Glatt
3	Mescalero (KY)	8/1	Umberto Rispoli	122	4 G	L	Richard E. Mandella
4	Poseidon's Law (KY)	3/1	Emisael Jaramillo	122	4 C	L	Jose Francisco D'Angelo
5	Dr. My Eyes (LA)	12/1	Joe Bravo	118	3 C	L	Philip D'Amato
6	Sir Rocket (CA)	12/1	Joel Rosario	124	5 G	L	Neil D. Drysdale
7	Valiant Son (KY)	10/1	Juan J. Hernandez	122	5 G	L	Blaine D. Wright
8	Legal Heir (MD)	8/1	Kazushi Kimura	122	4 C	L	Vann Belvoir
9	Yacowlef (IRE)	6/1	Armando Ayuso	124	6 G	L	Hector O. Palma
10	Re Armed Jon (KY)	12/1	Ricardo Gonzalez	122	5 G	L	Victor L. Garcia
11	See Through It (CA)	8/1	Cesar Belmont	124	9 G	L	Genaro Vallejo
12	Killourney Reigns (IRE)	15/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	118	3 G	L	Philip D'Amato

8th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta / \$2 Rolling Double 50c Rolling Pick 3 / \$1 Superfecta (10c min) 50c Late Pick 4 / \$2 WPS Parlay

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	How Lovely (IRE)	5/1	Armando Aguilar	124	4 F	L	Steve R. Knapp
2	Can You Dream (CA)	15/1	Edgar Payeras	120	3 F	L	Rafael DeLeon
3	Spotted Haze (CA)	5/2	Juan J. Hernandez	124	4 F	L	Jeff Mullins
4	Lovely Medaglia (CA)	12/1	Epifanio Garcia	124	4 F	L	D. Wayne Baker
5	Emma G (CA)	12/1	Cesar Belmont	120	3 F	L	Edward R. Freeman
6	Donttellourwives (FL)	5/1	Joel Rosario	124	4 F	L	Francisco Rodriguez
7	Danzing Flyer (CA)	7/2	Mike E. Smith	124	5 M	L	Clifford W. Sise, Jr.
8	Bear's Board (KY)	4/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	3 F	L b	Jorge Farias

9th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta \$2 Rolling Double / \$3 Late Pick 3 \$1 Superfecta (10c min) / \$2 WPS Parlay / \$1 3x3

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Astronomer (KY)	20/1	Julien R. Leparoux	121	7 G		Simon Callaghan
2	Mondego (GB)	8/1	Emisael Jaramillo	123	6 G		Michael W. McCarthy
3	Cabo Spirit (KY)	12/1	Mike E. Smith	121	7 G		George Papaprodromou
4	Almendares (GB)	8/1	Antonio Fresu	121	6 G		Philip D'Amato
5	Gold Phoenix (IRE)	3/1	Hector Isaac Berrios	121	8 G		Philip D'Amato
6	Stay Hot (KY)	10/1	Armando Ayuso	121	5 H		Peter Eurtan
7	Seal Team (GB)	8/1	Joel Rosario	121	6 H		Richard E. Mandella
8	Formidable Man (KY)	7/5	John R. Velazquez	125	5 H		Michael W. McCarthy
9	Mi Hermano Ramon (KY)	20/1	Juan J. Hernandez	121	6 G		Mark Glatt



10th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta / \$5 Late Double \$1 Superfecta (10c min) / \$2 WPS Parlay

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Big Juanito (KY)	8/1	Abel Lezcano	121	6 G	L	Robert B. Hess, Jr.
2	Cupid's Crusader (KY)	8/1	Edgar Payeras	121	7 G	L	Genaro Vallejo
3	Oobubbakakayo (CA)	10/1	Cesar Belmont	123	5 G	L	Genaro Vallejo
4	Royal 'n Rando (CA)	3/1	Joel Rosario	123	7 G	L	Mike Puype
5	Sunset Storm (KY)	15/1	Alfredo L. Bautista	114	5 G	L	Val Brinkerhoff
6	Shortman (CA)	12/1	Armando Aguilar	121	7 H	L	Oscar Heredia
7	Levon (ON)	20/1	Kyle Frey	121	6 G	L	Vann Belvoir
8	Mici's Express (CA)	4/1	Kazushi Kimura	123	5 G	L	Isidro Tamayo
9	Cathal (IRE)	12/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	121	5 G	L	Jose R. Valdez
10	Mongolian Max (KY)	7/2	Antonio Fresu	121	5 G	L	Steven Miyadi
11	Pioneer Prince (KY)	4/1	Emisael Jaramillo	121	6 G	L o	Doug F. O'Neill

11th Race - Del Mar - Sunday, July 26th, 2026

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta \$1 Superfecta (10c min) / 50c Super High 5

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	It's a Fairlife (CA)	12/1	Ricardo Gonzalez	118	3 F	L	Mark Glatt
2	Ryan's Girl (CA)	5/1	Kazushi Kimura	125	4 F	L	Genaro Vallejo
3	Mperfection (CA)	10/1	Hector Isaac Berrios	123	4 F	L	John C. Ivory
4	Fibonaccis Ride (CA)	8/1	Victor Espinoza	123	4 F	L	Antonio C. Garcia
5	Goje (CA)	7/2	Antonio Fresu	118	3 F	L	George Papaprodromou
6	Kool Mariah (CA)	20/1	Tyler Baze	118	3 F	L	Ian Kruljac
7	Eighties (CA)	4/1	Armando Ayuso	118	3 F	L o	Antonio C. Garcia
8	Newport Dreamz (CA)	8/1	Welfin R. Orantes	123	4 F	L	Tim Yakteen
9	Whopper Factor (CA)	20/1	Edgar Payeras	118	3 F	L	Monty R. Meier
10	Hello Kid O Kid O (CA)	12/1	Joe Bravo	123	4 F	L	Andrew Harris
11	Wild West Coast (CA)	8/1	Joel Rosario	118	3 F	L	Neil D. Drysdale
12	We the Hobby (CA)	5/1	Umberto Rispoli	123	4 F	L	Peter Miller

DENNIS STAGLIANO'S DEL MAR PICKS TODAY

BEST BET OF THE DAY

Race 5 – #7 ZUZU'S CLASSIC GAL

ZUZU'S CLASSIC GAL made an outstanding career debut after taking plenty of time to reach the races, and she ran like a filly with considerable upside. Despite racing greenly through portions of the stretch, she finished strongly while proving she belongs against this level. Horses often make their biggest improvement from the first start to the second, and trainer Mark Glatt has a history of moving runners forward after educational debuts.

The return at the same five-furlong distance is ideal, and another clean break should allow her to settle just behind the early leaders before producing a decisive late kick. The experience she gained first time out should make her far more

professional, while the pace scenario appears favorable for her closing style.

Several rivals have shown ability, but **ZUZU'S CLASSIC GAL** appears to own the highest ceiling in this field. She gets the nod as the horse most likely to deliver a winning performance.

BEST VALUE PLAY

Race 3 – #8 WILDCATTER

WILDCATTER debuts in a demanding two-turn turf event, a difficult assignment for any first-time starter, but this colt has trained like a runner with considerable talent. Richard Mandella rarely rushes young horses, preferring to develop them patiently before unveiling them when they're prepared to compete.

His pedigree suggests that stretching out immediately is exactly what he wants, and his recent workouts indicate enough foundation to handle the mile. While several experienced runners deserve respect, **WILDCATTER** offers attractive value because many bettors will naturally gravitate toward runners with prior starts.

If he runs to the promise he's shown in the mornings, he has every opportunity to make an immediate impact.

LIVE LONGSHOT

Race 6 – #5 PERFECT SMILE

Although **PERFECT SMILE** isn't the morning-line favorite, she consistently delivers competitive efforts and owns enough tactical speed to secure an ideal stalking position. Her most recent race can be forgiven after encountering trouble leaving the gate, yet she still battled on respectably. Dropping into a softer spot while facing a field lacking standout quality gives her an outstanding opportunity to improve. She has repeatedly demonstrated she belongs with this level of company and should offer better wagering value than the leading public choices. At fair odds, **PERFECT SMILE** is capable of rewarding players looking beyond the obvious favorites.

RACE 1 – Top 4 Picks: 1-7-4-6

#1 CANDY BAR has been facing stronger company than she meets here and returns to one of her preferred distances after tackling tougher allowance and stakes competition. The addition of blinkers, along with the switch to Kazushi Kimura, should help her secure a ground-saving trip from the rail before producing her best run turning for home. **#7 SAREEHA** remains a dangerous veteran with plenty of early speed and drops into a more favorable spot after competing against tougher optional claiming company. **#4 SHOCKING GREY** stretches back to a mile where she previously enjoyed success, while **#6 CAMERON SLOUGH** figures to be closing steadily if the pace becomes contested. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 2 – Top 4 Picks: 2-4-5-3

#2 VAN GOGH STYLE has improved with every start and appears poised to graduate after a solid runner-up finish against similar California-bred company. His tactical speed should allow him to control or press a moderate pace, giving him every opportunity to finish the job. **#4 DE FACTO** stretches out around two turns for the first time and owns the pedigree to improve significantly with added distance. **#5 ZAKIEL** displayed promise in his sprint debut and should appreciate today's route assignment, while **#3 MICKEY** has enough experience to remain a factor throughout despite tackling younger rivals. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 3 – Top 4 Picks: 6-8-5-1

#6 LET HER FLY has already shown enough ability against quality maiden company to earn top billing while stretching around two turns. She improved noticeably when switched to turf and now appears ready to take another forward step with valuable experience behind her. **#8 WILDCATTER** debuts with an outstanding foundation and the pedigree to excel immediately over this distance, making him an attractive value contender. **#5 SAUDI RUNNER** owns one of the strongest pedigrees in the field and could outrun his morning-line odds if ready first time out, while **#1 DREAM SEEKER** represents another dangerous first-time starter from a patient, successful barn. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 4 – Top 4 Picks: 5-4-3-2

#5 CIPRIANI gets another opportunity after failing to fire as the favorite last time, but several important changes—including blinkers and a rider switch—should place her much closer to the pace from the start. She has previously shown enough talent to handle this group when producing her best effort. **#4 RABEEBA** was an impressive debut winner with considerable upside and rates the main danger for the powerful Baffert barn. **#3 MEDJUGORJE** earned a confidence-building maiden victory in her dirt debut and continues moving in the right direction, while **#2 GOODNIGHT NELLIE** has enough consistency to round out the major contenders. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 5 – Top 4 Picks: 7-5-3-14

#7 ZUZU'S CLASSIC GAL is the day's **Best Bet** after an outstanding debut in which she finished strongly despite showing signs of inexperience. That race should serve as the perfect foundation, and natural second-start improvement makes her the one to beat. She has the versatility to stalk the pace before launching her bid turning for home. **#5 COME ON OM** remains dangerous despite a disappointing effort last time and has enough early speed to make the field catch her. **#3 RUNNING IRON** returns from a lengthy layoff but flashed ability in her lone start and has every right to improve as a more mature three-year-old. **#14 PLATINUM GROOVE** has been knocking on the door against similar company and cannot be overlooked despite drawing outside. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 6 – Top 4 Picks: 1-5-3-11

#1 COTTA RIDE gets significant class relief after facing much stronger competition and lands the rail where she can establish ideal early position. The addition of Lasix and the drop into maiden claiming make this an excellent opportunity to break through. **#5 PERFECT SMILE** has consistently been competitive while facing similar company and deserves serious respect despite encountering trouble in her most recent outing. She projects another stalking trip and offers attractive wagering value. **#3 HOW IT IS** also benefits from a meaningful class drop after struggling against tougher maiden special weight company and could improve sharply against these. **#11 MY BABYCAKES** has enough tactical ability to remain within striking distance throughout and completes a competitive quartet. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 7 – Top 4 Picks: 6-8-4-2

#6 SIR ROCKET returns to the Del Mar turf where he has previously delivered some of his best performances. His recent runner-up finish came behind a repeat winner, and a return to his preferred surface should allow his late kick to prove decisive. **#8 LEGAL HEIR** has improved dramatically since shortening to one-turn races and possesses enough natural speed to control the early tempo if left alone. **#4 POSEIDON'S LAW** returns from a lengthy vacation but has trained well and owns the back class to threaten immediately when fresh. **#2 PRIVATE GEM** encountered significant traffic trouble in his last start and is capable of a much better effort with a cleaner journey. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 8 – Top 4 Picks: 7-3-6-1

#7 DANZING FLYER gets substantial class relief after facing much stronger allowance company and reunites with Mike Smith, who guided her to victory previously. The return to a softer claiming level and favorable pace setup make her the horse to beat. **#3 SPOTTED HAZE** also drops in class and shortens back to her preferred sprint distance after an unsuccessful route attempt. **#6 DONTTELLOURWIVES** should appreciate a more honest pace after closing well against unfavorable race dynamics last time and figures to be finishing strongly. **#1 HOW LOVELY** has enough early speed to secure favorable position from the rail and remains dangerous if left alone on the front end. **EXOTICS:**

Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 9 – Top 4 Picks: 8-5-3-7

#8 FORMIDABLE MAN returns to his favorite course where he has consistently produced Grade 1-caliber performances. A winner of last year's Eddie Read, he enters this year's renewal off an impressive Shoemaker Mile victory and projects the ideal stalking trip behind what appears to be a moderate early pace. **#5 GOLD PHOENIX** remains one of California's premier turf runners and will once again be charging late, although the slightly shorter distance and expected pace scenario may work against his powerful closing style. **#3 CABO SPIRIT** has enough natural speed to control the tempo and could prove dangerous if allowed to dictate comfortable fractions. **#7 SEAL TEAM** owns enough class and consistency to contend throughout while offering value underneath in the exotic wagers. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 10 – Top 4 Picks: 10-4-1-8

#10 MONGOLIAN MAX gets a much-needed class drop after encountering significant traffic trouble in his most recent start. His previous races fit well against this field, and a cleaner trip should allow him to secure better early position despite drawing outside. **#4 ROYAL 'N RANDO** owns a dangerous late kick and should benefit if the leaders soften each other through honest fractions. **#1 BIG JUANITO** returns to Del Mar where he has produced some of his strongest performances and cannot be overlooked from the rail if able to save ground throughout. **#8 MICI'S EXPRESS** has enough tactical speed to work out an ideal stalking trip and remains a logical contender in a competitive claiming event. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

RACE 11 – Top 4 Picks: 4-5-1-2

#4 FIBONACCIS RIDE enters in excellent form following consecutive runner-up finishes against similar company and appears well positioned to earn a deserved victory. Her recent speed figures are among the strongest in the field, and another forward effort makes her the horse to beat. **#5 GOJE** stretches back around two turns after two excellent sprint efforts and possesses enough tactical speed to secure favorable early position. She has already shown she handles routing and should be involved from the opening furlong. **#1 IT'S A FAIRLIFE** returns from a lengthy layoff but won impressively over this course in her lone Del Mar appearance and has trained well enough to fire fresh. **#2 RYAN'S GIRL** stretches back to her preferred distance and has the consistency to complete the superfecta while applying pressure to the early pace. **EXOTICS:** Exacta box top 3 horses • Trifecta box top 4 horses • Superfecta box top 4 horses

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Successful horseplayers understand that handicapping is a marathon, not a sprint. Winning consistently is built on disciplined wagering, sound money management, and trusting quality selections over the long run. Some races will produce favorites, while others reward value plays or overlooked contenders. The key is remaining patient and allowing your bankroll to work for you instead of forcing action on every race.

Understanding Today's Selections

Top 4 Picks represent my strongest contenders in each race based on class,

current form, pace scenario, trainer and jockey patterns, speed figures, and overall probability of winning. **Best Bet** is the horse I believe has the strongest chance to win on today's entire card. **Best Value Play** is a horse that offers an excellent combination of winning potential and wagering value. These runners are ranked either first or second in their race and often provide better returns than the favorite.

Live Longshot is a horse capable of producing an upset at attractive odds. Although not expected to be the public choice, this selection has legitimate factors that make a winning performance possible.

Dennis Stagliano's Preferred Exotic Strategy

For Exactas, Trifectas, and Superfectas, I generally recommend splitting your investment:

- **50%** of your wager using the recommended **EXOTICS** box. **50%** keying the **Top 2 Picks** over the **Top 4 Picks**.

This approach provides coverage while also capitalizing when the strongest opinions finish on top. Above all, enjoy the races, wager responsibly, and never risk more than your predetermined bankroll allows.

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