

Dennis Stagliano's Del Mar Tip Sheet



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Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta / \$2 Rolling Double \$1 Place Pick All / 50c Rolling Pick 3 50c Early Pick 5 / \$2 WPS Parlay

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Don Rebelde (KY)	15/1	Ricardo Gonzalez	120	3 C	L	Hector O. Palma
2	Newton (KY)	2/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	3 C	L	Bob Baffert
3	Essos (KY)	4/1	Joel Rosario	120	3 G	L	Mark Glatt
4	On the Burner (KY)	3/1	Antonio Fresu	120	3 C	L	Anthony K. Saavedra
5	Collmus (KY)	8/5	Juan J. Hernandez	125	5 H	L	Bob Baffert

2nd Race

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

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Honky Tonk Girl (KY)	8/1	Kazushi Kimura	122	2 F		Peter Miller
2	Avalon Rose (KY)	5/1	Julien R. Leparoux	122	2 F		Robert B. Hess, Jr.
3	Mystic Aurora (KY)	6/1	Abel Lezcano	122	2 F		Victor L. Garcia
4	Golden Chispa (KY)	12/1	Joel Rosario	122	2 F		Victor L. Garcia
5	Thebeachisback (KY)	7/2	Ricardo Gonzalez	122	2 F		Michael W. McCarthy
6	Liberty N Justice (KY)	3/1	Antonio Fresu	122	2 F		George Papaprodromou
7	Vallendar (KY)	5/1	Armando Ayuso	122	2 F		Ian Kruljac
8	Pacemaker (KY)	8/1	Emisael Jaramillo	122	2 F	b	Doug F. O'Neill

3rd Race

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	No Cap (CA)	6/1	Emisael Jaramillo	124	5 M	L	Brian J. Koriner
2	Sweet Gal of Mine (KY)	6/1	Mike E. Smith	122	5 M	L	Richard Baltas
3	Miss Mandalay (GB)	8/1	Joel Rosario	122	5 M	L	Robert B. Hess, Jr.
4	O K Rose (CA)	8/1	Juan J. Hernandez	124	5 M	L	Peter Eurton
5	Marian Cross (GB)	7/2	Hector Isaac Berrios	124	5 M	L	Dan Blacker
6	Comeback Girl (KY)	5/2	Armando Ayuso	122	4 F	L	Leonard Powell
7	Midnight Cowgirl (CA)	20/1	Edwin A. Maldonado	120	3 F	L	Ryan Hanson
8	Confidentiality (KY)	12/1	Ricardo Gonzalez	118	3 F	L	Mark Glatt
9	Dial a Friend (KY)	8/1	Welfin R. Orantes	124	5 M	L	Jesus Mendoza

4th Race

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

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Themayor of Delmar (KY)	20/1	Julien R. Leparoux	120	3 C	L	Robert B. Hess, Jr.
2	Truth Or Dare (KY)	5/2	Juan J. Hernandez	120	3 C	L	Bob Baffert
3	Knave of Hearts (KY)	8/1	Kazushi Kimura	120	3 C	L	Mark Glatt
4	Bad Reputation (KY)	12/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	120	3 C	L	Karen Headley
5	Roscoe's Brother (KY)	4/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	3 C	L	Mark Glatt
6	Black Tie Optional (KY)	7/2	Joel Rosario	120	3 C	L	Bob Baffert
7	Scorpy (KY)	6/1	Mike E. Smith	120	3 C	L	Richard E. Mandella
8	Cheever (KY)	5/1	Antonio Fresu	124	4 G	L	Mark Glatt

5th Race

Wager Types: \$1 Exacta / \$2 Quinella / 50c Trifecta / \$2 Rolling Double 50c Rolling Pick 3 / \$1 Superfecta (10c min) \$2 Pick 6 / \$2 WPS Parlay

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Dirty Words (KY)	5/1	Armando Ayuso	120	4 G	L o	Hector O. Palma
2	Bro Bro (CA)	6/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	4 G	L b	Francisco Rodriguez
4	Gypsy Tears (CA)	12/1	Tyler Baze	120	7 H	L	Val Brinkerhoff
5	Nijinsky Halo (CA)	20/1	Armando Aguilar	120	4 G	L	Genaro Vallejo
6	One Smokin Dude (CA)	4/1	Antonio Fresu	122	4 G	L	George Papaprodromou
7	The Big Cheeseola (CA)	12/1	Kazushi Kimura	120	6 G	L	Jesus J. Uranga
8	Des Doigts (KY)	12/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	120	5 G	L	George L. Lopez
9	Geezer (CA)	7/2	Cesar Belmont	120	6 G	L	Doug F. O'Neill
10	Clever Clover (CA)	8/1	Joel Rosario	124	5 G	L	Isidro Tamayo
11	Devil Moon (KY)	20/1	Alfredo L. Bautista	117	7 G	L	Ruben Gomez
12	Novinophobia (CA)	15/1	Edgar Payeras	122	5 G	L	Sergio Morfin
13	Duran (KY)	20/1	Jeremy Laprida	120	6 G	L	Isidro Tamayo

6th Race

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 (R6-8-10)

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
1	Camila Catalina (KY)	15/1	Julien R. Leparoux	120	3 F	L b	Robert B. Hess, Jr.
2	Revera (KY)	5/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	3 F	L	John W. Sadler
3	Hallowed Hall (LA)	20/1	Tyler Baze	120	3 F		Angelo Tekos, Jr.
4	Snappy Comeback (KY)	3/1	Joel Rosario	120	3 F	L	Jose Francisco D'Angelo
5	Yours Sincerely (IRE)	7/2	Antonio Fresu	120	3 F	L	Philip D'Amato
6	Will Happen (KY)	4/1	Armando Ayuso	122	3 F	L	Richard Baltas
7	Surfin' U. S. A. (KY)	8/1	Juan J. Hernandez	120	3 F	L	Leonard Powell
8	Still Unwritten (CA)	8/1	Edwin A. Maldonado	120	3 F	L	Ryan Hanson
9	Zolene (FL)	12/1	Hector Isaac Berrios	120	3 F	L	Jose Francisco D'Angelo

7th Race

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	One Last Strike (CA)	5/1	Emisael Jaramillo	120	3 G	L	Richard Baltas

#	Horse	Odds	Jockey	Wgt	A/S	M/E	Trainer
2	Miguelito (CA)	30/1	Cristobal Herrera	124	4 G	L b	Debbie Winick
3	Proof He's Fast (CA)	8/1	Cesar Belmont	120	3 G	L	Andy Mathis
4	Daddys Star (CA)	20/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	120	3 C	L	Tim McCanna
5	Driftingandreaming (CA)	4/1	Joel Rosario	120	3 C	L	John W. Sadler
6	Ride the Tiger (CA)	8/1	Armando Ayuso	120	3 C	L	Brian J. Koriner
7	Mystic Moses (CA)	7/2	Armando Aguilar	120	3 G	L	Steven Miyadi
8	Charmz Away (CA)	9/2	Alfredo L. Bautista	119	4 G	L	Luis Mendez
9	Strike It Solo (CA)	12/1	Kyle Frey	124	4 G	L	Bill McLean
10	Low Tox (CA)	8/1	Edwin A. Maldonado	120	3 C	L	George Papaprodromou

8th Race

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	News At Ten (GB)	5/1	Armando Ayuso	122	6 G	L	Peter Eurton
2	Joejoe Go (KY)	7/2	Juan J. Hernandez	122	4 G	L	Christopher Davis
3	In the Tank (KY)	12/1	Kyle Frey	124	5 G	L	Anthony K. Saavedra
4	Henry Adams (IRE)	6/1	Tyler Baze	122	5 G	L	Richard Baltas
5	Dynodave (CA)	12/1	Hector Isaac Berrios	124	4 C	L	Charles S. Treece
6	American Glory (GB)	10/1	Emisael Jaramillo	122	5 G	L	Leonard Powell
7	Call Me Sir (CA)	4/1	Kazushi Kimura	122	4 G	L	Mark Glatt
8	Factor Analysis (KY)	6/1	Tiago Josue Pereira	122	5 H	L	Robert B. Hess, Jr.
9	King of Clubs (KY)	15/1	Antonio Fresu	122	5 G	L b	Mark Glatt
10	Amplitude (NY)	12/1	Joel Rosario	124	5 G	L	John W. Sadler

9th Race

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	Sentient Soon (CA)	5/1	Kyle Frey	120	2 F		Jeff Bonde
2	Jolene Fury (CA)	5/1	Armando Aguilar	120	2 F		Jorge Periban
3	Strident Miss (CA)	4/1	Kazushi Kimura	120	2 F		Paula S. Capestro
4	You Trust Me (CA)	12/1	Joel Rosario	120	2 F		Simon Callaghan
5	Free Closer (CA)	8/5	Juan J. Hernandez	120	2 F		Michael W. McCarthy
6	Stay Bossy (CA)	6/1	Antonio Fresu	120	2 F		Steven Miyadi
7	On Broadway (CA)	8/1	Drayden Van Dyke	118	2 F		George Papaprodromou

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Race 1 – Top 4 Picks: #3 Essos - #2 Newton - #5 Collmus - #4 On the Burner

#3 Essos gets the nod in the opener after showing the type of consistent form that fits well against this field. He has enough tactical speed to secure good early position and should get the first run turning for home. **#2 Newton** is the main danger for the powerful Baffert barn and figures to be involved throughout from just off the pace. **#5 Collmus** deserves plenty of respect while dropping into a favorable spot and has the class to threaten if the top pair soften each other up. **#4 On the Burner** has enough early foot to stay within striking range and completes the top four.

EXOTICS: EX: 3-2 • TRI: 3-2-5 • SUPER: 3-2-5-4

Race 2 – Top 4 Picks: #2 Avalon Rose - #5 Thebeachisback - #6 Liberty N Justice - #3 Mystic Aurora

#2 Avalon Rose gets the slight edge in this competitive juvenile event after showing enough talent to suggest improvement is coming. She has trained steadily and looks capable of working out an ideal stalking trip before making her move turning for home. **#5 Thebeachisback** has shown ability in the morning and represents a dangerous first-time starter from a strong barn. **#6 Liberty N Justice** has the pedigree and connections to fire at first asking and should be in contention throughout, while **#3 Mystic Aurora** has enough early speed to secure good position and can hang around for a share.

EXOTICS: EX: 2-5 • TRI: 2-5-6 • SUPER: 2-5-6-3

Race 3 – Top 4 Picks: #1 No Cap - #5 Marian Cross - #4 O K Rose - #2 Sweet Gal of Mine

#1 No Cap draws the rail but has the tactical speed and consistency to make that post an advantage. She has been facing similar company and appears ready to deliver one of her better efforts with a ground-saving trip. **#5 Marian Cross** has run competitively against comparable rivals and should get every opportunity to challenge in the stretch. **#4 O K Rose** continues to knock on the door and has enough class to make her presence felt throughout, while **#2 Sweet Gal of Mine** rounds out the top four with enough late kick to earn a minor award.

EXOTICS: EX: 1-5 • TRI: 1-5-4 • SUPER: 1-5-4-2

Race 4 – Top 4 Picks: #2 Truth Or Dare - #8 Cheever - #7 Scorpy - #6 Black Tie Optional

#2 Truth Or Dare gets the call after showing the most reliable recent form in a field where several runners have upside. He should enjoy a favorable stalking trip behind the early speed before taking command in upper stretch. **#8 Cheever** has enough class to make the favorite earn it and rates the main threat from the outside. **#7 Scorpy** has trained forwardly for this assignment and could improve with another solid effort, while **#6 Black Tie Optional** represents another dangerous Baffert runner capable of getting a piece with his tactical speed.

EXOTICS: EX: 2-8 • TRI: 2-8-7 • SUPER: 2-8-7-6

Race 5 – Top 4 Picks: #4 Gypsy Tears - #6 One Smokin Dude - #1 Dirty Words - #9 Geezer

#4 Gypsy Tears gets the call in this competitive claiming event after facing similar company while showing enough consistency to handle this group. A favorable pace scenario should allow him to settle into striking position before making his move turning for home. **#6 One Smokin Dude** has the tactical speed to secure an ideal trip and figures to be a major factor throughout. **#1 Dirty Words** draws the rail and should save valuable ground while stalking the leaders, and **#9 Geezer** has enough late punch to rally into the superfecta.

EXOTICS: EX: 4-6 • TRI: 4-6-1 • SUPER: 4-6-1-9

Race 6 – Top 4 Picks: #6 Will Happen - #2 Revera - #7 Surfin' U. S. A. - #4 Snappy Comeback

#6 Will Happen rates the one to beat after steadily improving against similar company and appears poised for another forward move. She has enough tactical speed to work out a perfect stalking trip before taking over in the stretch. **#2 Revera** has been competitive against better fields and should be running strongly in the final furlong. **#7 Surfin' U. S. A.** has enough class to make her presence felt from just off the pace, while **#4 Snappy Comeback** owns the ability to stick around for a share if she breaks alertly.

EXOTICS: EX: 6-2 • TRI: 6-2-7 • SUPER: 6-2-7-4

Race 7 – Top 4 Picks: #5 Driftingandreaming - #7 Mystic Moses - #1 One Last Strike - #3 Proof He's Fast

#5 Driftingandreaming gets the nod after showing the most reliable recent form in a field that appears evenly matched. He should enjoy a favorable stalking trip before getting first run on the leaders entering the stretch. **#7 Mystic Moses** has enough early foot to keep the favorite honest from the outset and figures to battle throughout. **#1 One Last Strike** benefits from the rail draw and can save ground before launching his bid, while **#3 Proof He's Fast** has enough ability to complete the superfecta with a late rally.

EXOTICS: EX: 5-7 • TRI: 5-7-1 • SUPER: 5-7-1-3

Race 8 – Top 4 Picks: #2 Joejoe Go - #7 Call Me Sir - #1 News At Ten - #8 Factor Analysis

#2 Joejoe Go looks best in this competitive turf event after posting consistent efforts against similar rivals. He has enough tactical speed to secure an excellent trip and should prove difficult to deny in the lane. **#7 Call Me Sir** has the class and

versatility to keep the pressure on throughout and rates the principal danger. **#1 News At Ten** should save ground from the rail before producing his late kick, while **#8 Factor Analysis** owns enough back class to round out the top four.

EXOTICS: EX: 2-7 • TRI: 2-7-1 • SUPER: 2-7-1-8

Race 9 – Top 4 Picks: #5 Free Closer - #6 Stay Bossy - #1 Sentient Soon - #2 Jolene Fury

#5 Free Closer appears to have the edge in this juvenile finale after displaying the strongest combination of early speed and finishing ability. She has trained sharply for this assignment and should work out an ideal stalking trip before taking command approaching the stretch. **#6 Stay Bossy** looks like the main threat with enough natural talent to keep the favorite honest throughout and should be finishing well. **#1 Sentient Soon** draws the rail and has enough early foot to save ground while remaining within striking distance from the start. **#2 Jolene Fury** has shown enough promise to contend for a share and can complete the superfecta with another forward move.

EXOTICS: EX: 5-6 • TRI: 5-6-1 • SUPER: 5-6-1-2

BEST BET: Race 1 – **#3 Essos**

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