

## Off to the Races! - Hoosier Park on Thursday, May 16, 2019

Whether you've come for the beautiful horses, great friends or a little gambling, we hope you enjoy your experience at the track today. We even have some fun facts and useful suggestions to help you cash a few winning tickets!



Harness racing is all about preparation, dedication and competition. Each and every race the horses and their owners, trainers and drivers contend for a share of the purse money and the glory of winning. But wait! You can also become part of the action by placing wagers on today's races. Because the track itself has no stake in who wins or loses, when you bet on the harness races you're not playing against the house like with casino gaming, you are playing against all the other horse players at the track and at simulcast locations throughout the country.

**It's time to place your bets!** There are two basic approaches to wagering:

**1) Handicapping** involves studying previous races in order to predict the likely outcome of a race today. Experienced handicappers analyze the information found in the race program, but we've made it easy and done all the work for you!

### The Science of "Handicapped" Bets -

If you like to take a more calculated approach to your wagering, feel confident in the expert recommendations we've laid out below. They are all based on scientific analysis of previous races and modeled after the methods used by top handicappers. In addition to the past performances we also look at the trainers who prepare the horses for the races and the drivers that guide them during the races. Select the wager that's right for you based on the amount of money you're willing to invest and the amount of risk you're willing to take. Play it safe or take a shot at a big score, the choice is yours.

**2) Hunch betting** is perhaps the most enjoyable way for new fans to play the races. Knowledge of racing is not required, but an imagination is!

### The Art of "Hunch" Bets -

There are no right or wrong selections here, and the options are endless! Horse names can make for some great hunch bets, just look for one that you think is particularly clever or meaningful. If you have a favorite color or lucky number, look at each horse's assigned saddlecloth for your pick. The tote board lists odds to win for each horse. Pick high odds if you like long shots and low odds if you prefer favorites. Finally, sometimes the best drivers and trainers can win with horses handicappers wouldn't give a strong chance. Trust in these professionals that know how to get the job done.

There are many types of wagers, but our plays only involve:

- Win** (horse must finish 1st)
- Show** (horse can finish 1st, 2nd or 3rd)
- Exacta Box** (horses must finish 1st & 2nd in either order)
- Trifecta Box** (horses must finish 1st, 2nd & 3rd in any order)



There are **14** races today featuring:

- 128** Different Horses
- 29** Different Drivers
- 81** Different Trainers

*Note: in some cases certain wagers may not be offered due to an insufficient number of horses in the race.*

## WAGERING RECOMMENDATIONS

<b>Race 1:</b>	If you like the Green saddlecloth color worn by <b>#4 Shezlockednloaded</b> consider a wager.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on <b>#7 This Peach Rocks</b>	\$2 to Win on <b>#2 Lady Capulet</b>
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on <b>#7 This Peach Rocks, #2 Lady Capulet and #5 Dojea Rita</b>	\$1 Trifecta Box on <b>#7 This Peach Rocks, #2 Lady Capulet and #6 Kak's Rockin</b>
<b>Race 2:</b>	Place your bets on <b>Shedaisy Ten</b> if <b>#5</b> is your lucky number.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on <b>#1 Mystical Bay</b>	\$2 to Win on <b>#3 Lucky Jewel</b>
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on <b>#1 Mystical Bay, #3 Lucky Jewel and #4 Skyway Dusty</b>	\$1 Trifecta Box on <b>#1 Mystical Bay, #3 Lucky Jewel and #2 Another Temptation</b>
<b>Race 3:</b>	If <b>#10 Adios Amigos</b> looks alert and focused in the post parade, consider a wager.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on <b>#6 Perfect Virgin</b>	\$2 to Win on <b>#2 Cardiac Fashion</b>
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on <b>#6 Perfect Virgin, #2 Cardiac Fashion and #7 Royal Rex</b>	\$1 Trifecta Box on <b>#6 Perfect Virgin, #2 Cardiac Fashion and #9 Ally-Con</b>
<b>Race 4:</b>	<b>#6 Real Catch</b> has one of the top drivers in the sulky for today's race.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on <b>#1 Sage Master</b>	\$2 to Win on <b>#7 Glory Beach</b>
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on <b>#1 Sage Master, #7 Glory Beach and #8 Panedictine</b>	\$1 Trifecta Box on <b>#1 Sage Master, #7 Glory Beach and #3 Silver Shooter</b>
<b>Race 5:</b>	<b>#9 Rockinatheryman</b> has raced 25 times. Consider a wager on this horse with the most experience.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on <b>#2 Sweet She Rock</b>	\$2 to Win on <b>#5 Topville Royalmama</b>
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on <b>#2 Sweet She Rock, #5 Topville Royalmama and #4 Beturbottomdollar</b>	\$1 Trifecta Box on <b>#2 Sweet She Rock, #5 Topville Royalmama and #6 Lady Medusa</b>

<b>Race 6:</b>	Consider a wager on #8 if the name <b>Special Sauce</b> has a special significance to you.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #2 Always A Fiji	\$2 to Win on #3 Uncaged
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #2 Always A Fiji, #3 Uncaged and #4 Mr Gorgeous	\$1 Trifecta Box on #2 Always A Fiji, #3 Uncaged and #10 Fox Valley Smooth
<b>Race 7:</b>	#3 She's A Kitten has been prepared for today's race by one of the top trainers.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #2 Susie's Soul	\$2 to Win on #7 Townline Flyinlady
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #2 Susie's Soul, #7 Townline Flyinlady and #5 Classic Comedy	\$1 Trifecta Box on #2 Susie's Soul, #7 Townline Flyinlady and #1 Spring Cruise
<b>Race 8:</b>	#3 Serene Hall could be considered a value bet based on the 25/1 morning line odds.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #7 Mayfair Well	\$2 to Win on #10 Kai Matthew
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #7 Mayfair Well, #10 Kai Matthew and #1 Stick With Patsy	\$1 Trifecta Box on #7 Mayfair Well, #10 Kai Matthew and #4 Gd Lone Survivor
<b>Race 9:</b>	It has been 6 days since #8 Tell Me Mindy raced. It may be the right time for a wager today.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #3 J-S Perfect Cache	\$2 to Win on #1 It Can Happen
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #3 J-S Perfect Cache, #1 It Can Happen and #2 Miss Fire	\$1 Trifecta Box on #3 J-S Perfect Cache, #1 It Can Happen and #5 Whateveryoulike
<b>Race 10:</b>	#7 Ideals Oath is the oldest horse in this race. Consider a wager if you favor age.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #3 Galyns Gift	\$2 to Win on #9 Karefree Kara
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #3 Galyns Gift, #9 Karefree Kara and #1 She Said	\$1 Trifecta Box on #3 Galyns Gift, #9 Karefree Kara and #2 Allspeedallthetime
<b>Race 11:</b>	#3 Puddin Cheeks is considered the long shot to win this race. Place a bet if you like the underdog.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #6 Sunny Sasha	\$2 to Win on #5 Measuredperfection
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #6 Sunny Sasha, #5 Measuredperfection and #7 Kota's Swan	\$1 Trifecta Box on #6 Sunny Sasha, #5 Measuredperfection and #1 Double Account
<b>Race 12:</b>	#2 Hypo Flip has won more races than any other. Consider a bet if you think the trend will continue.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #3 Norman's Madeline	\$2 to Win on #8 Casting Shadows
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #3 Norman's Madeline, #8 Casting Shadows and #7 Rough N Ready	\$1 Trifecta Box on #3 Norman's Madeline, #8 Casting Shadows and #6 Bellacache
<b>Race 13:</b>	#2 Incredible Show has the fewest lifetime starts. Consider a wager if inexperience doesn't matter to you.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #4 Pure Maid	\$2 to Win on #3 Fully A Virgin
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #4 Pure Maid, #3 Fully A Virgin and #7 Sage IVy	\$1 Trifecta Box on #4 Pure Maid, #3 Fully A Virgin and #5 Kinda Like Kori
<b>Race 14:</b>	#5 Dancin Lance has the highest lifetime earnings. Place a bet if you think it's all about the money.	
	<b>Some Reward Opportunity</b>	<b>Higher Reward Opportunity</b>
<b>\$2 Ticket</b>	\$2 to Show on #2 Tellitsabb	\$2 to Win on #3 Alwysasweetvictory
<b>\$6 Ticket</b>	\$1 Exacta Box on #2 Tellitsabb, #3 Alwysasweetvictory and #4 Big Bank Hank	\$1 Trifecta Box on #2 Tellitsabb, #3 Alwysasweetvictory and #1 Shadyman