Hawthorne Racecourse - Thursday, Sep 12, 2024

Introduction

Horse Racing Nation's Power Picks are based on an advanced computer algorithm that weighs 14 predictive factors in each race. The algorithm weighs speed figures, pace, class, jockeys, trainers and other critical factors. The top picks have the lowest score in each race.

Here are Power Picks stats for the last 60 days:

Pick	Wins	Races	Win %
top pick	2112	6594	32.0
second top	1522	6594	23.1
third top	1007	6594	15.3

Here are the Power Picks results for All Tracks the last 14 days:

Track Name	Wins	Races	Win %
Penn National	9	17	52.9
Prairie Meadows	24	51	47.1
Hastings	6	13	46.2
Grants Pass	4	9	44.4
Presque Isle	21	48	43.8
Delaware Park	20	47	42.6
Century Mile	13	32	40.6
Thistledown	25	64	39.1
Fairmount Park	11	29	37.9
Parx Racing	21	58	36.2
Indiana Downs	25	72	34.7
Finger Lakes	17	49	34.7
Assiniboia	12	35	34.3
Woodbine	25	73	34.2
Fort Erie	11	33	33.3
Mountaineer	21	64	32.8
Del Mar	28	86	32.6
all tracks	464	1502	30.9
Canterbury Park	14	46	30.4
Colonial Downs	20	71	28.2
Saratoga	17	61	27.9
Remington Park	19	69	27.5
Belterra Park	16	64	25.0
Louisiana Downs	12	50	24.0
Timonium	9	38	23.7
Kentucky Downs	17	76	22.4
Gulfstream Park	13	60	21.7
Monmouth Park	10	47	21.3
Emerald Downs	10	47	21.3
Ferndale	7	33	21.2

Track Name	Wins	Races	Win %
Hawthorne	5	36	13.9
Laurel Park	2	19	10.5
Los Al Night	0	5	0.0

The top pick spread to the 2nd pick

Many customers have asked what about when the gap from the first horse to the second horse is larger? Here are the stats based on the size of the gap from the top pick's score to the second horse.

Spread (1st to 2nd)	Starts	Wins	Win %	1st or 2nd %
0 - 10	96685	27063	28.0	48.4
11 - 20	46651	15960	34.2	55.1
21 - 30	17004	6651	39.1	58.7
31+	4501	1935	43.0	61.7

Race #1

02:10 CT - 1 1/16M, Turf, $20,000 Claiming
The top pick is #4 Even the Wind the 9/5 ML favorite trained by Chris M. Block and ridden by Orlando Mojica. The four-year-old gelding by Gormley has good early speed in a projected paceless race in combination with better overall speed figures against this bunch to win in this spot.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
4	Even the Wind	9/5	1st	32
5	Hay Moon	7/2	2nd	50
6	Nathaniel's H…	9/2	3rd	54
2	Bourbon Life	5/2	4th	57

Race #2

02:38 CT - 6F, Dirt, $25,000 Claiming
Our pick is the 3/1 second choice, #2 Wildwood Sicilian. The five-year-old gelding by Ghaaleb is trained by Scott Becker and ridden by Travis Wales. He has the controlling early speed and standout speed figures in a projected slow pace.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
2	Wildwood Sic…	3/1	1st	31
4	Table Money	6/1	2nd	54
3	Cortese	9/5	3rd	59
5	Blow Torch	4/1	4th	60

Race #3

03:06 CT - 6F, Dirt, $80,000 Allowance Optional Claiming
The top selection is #5 Devil's Tower the 7/2 third choice on the morning line, trained by Armando Hernandez and Christopher A. Emigh. A six-year-old son of Into Mischief has good early speed in a projected paceless race in combination with better overall speed figures against this bunch to win in this spot.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
5	Devil's Tower	7/2	1st	39
3	Winnemac Av…	3/1	2nd	40
6	Went West	5/2	3rd	55
2	Eli's Promise	9/2	4th	58

Race #4

03:34 CT - 6F, Dirt, Maiden Special Weight
Our pick is the 5/2 second choice, #3 Irish Spark. The three-year-old filly by Firing Line is trained by James DiVito and ridden by Ademar Santos. She has the top combo of trainer and jockey.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
3	Irish Spark	5/2	1st	41
7	Laly	8/5	2nd	46
5	The Last Thrill	6/1	3rd	55
4	I Did the Math	9/2	4th	62

Race #5

04:02 CT - 6F, Dirt, $12,500 Claiming
The pick is the 6/1 fourth choice on the ML, #7 Midnight's Girl. The five-year-old mare by Midnight Storm is trained by Frank C. Randazzo, Jr. and ridden by Ademar Santos. She has good early speed in a projected paceless race in combination with better overall speed figures against this bunch to win in this spot.

Race #6

04:30 CT - 5 1/2F, Turf, Maiden Special Weight
The top pick is #3 Deal'em and Weep the 5/2 ML favorite trained by Chris M. Block and ridden by Orlando Mojica. The three-year-old filly by Cairo Prince has some upside still being lightly raced and speed figures that match up well in this field.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
7	Midnight's Girl	6/1	1st	47
2	Lucy Jane	4/1	2nd	59
5	Cocktail Cutie	9/2	3rd	61
4	Princess Tenko	3/1	4th	69

Race #7

04:58 CT - 6F, Dirt, Allowance

Our pick is the 3/1 second choice, #6 Miss Mikos. The three-year-old filly by Enticed is trained by Hugh Robertson and ridden by David Cohen. She has top ratings across all categories - good speed figures, top trainer and top jockey.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
6	Miss Mikos	3/1	1st	42
1	Devil	5/2	2nd	45
5	Lost Sunset	6/1	3rd	69
4	Rumbrandt	9/2	4th	71

Race #9

05:54 CT - 1M 70Y, Dirt, $5,000 Claiming

The top pick is #5 Ghaaleb's Ranger the 5/2 ML favorite trained by Scott Becker and ridden by Travis Wales. The five-year-old mare by Ghaaleb has the top combo of trainer and jockey.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
5	Ghaaleb's Ra…	5/2	1st	45
7	Summer At th…	5/1	2nd	50
8	Paddy Gal	7/2	3rd	59
3	Quilting Party	9/2	4th	67

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
3	Deal'em and …	5/2	1st	41
10	Life's Saga (I…	3/1	2nd	55
5	Cairo Dream	6/1	3rd	56
2	Georgia On E…	5/1	4th	71

Race #8

05:26 CT - 1 1/16M, Turf, $20,000 Claiming

Our pick is the 7/2 second choice, #6 Battle Scars. The six-year-old gelding by War Dancer is trained by Chris M. Block and ridden by Orlando Mojica. He has top ratings across all categories - good speed figures, top trainer and top jockey.

#	Picks	M/L	Rank	Score
6	Battle Scars	7/2	1st	43
4	Sailing Solo	3/1	2nd	55
5	Silver Quarters	4/1	3rd	56
2	Monsteronthe…	5/1	4th	69