DEL MAR full card + KD stakes for Saturday (9-10-22) By Jarrod Horak (<u>therunawayhorse.com</u>, <u>todaysracingdigest.com</u>)

DMR Weather: Cloudy. High 82. **DMR Best Bets (races 1, 9)**

DMR Pick 4-5 Spread Tickets included in .pdf file

Del Mar Recap for Friday (9-9-22)

Good main track upgraded to fast by race 2. The turf races were moved to the main track. Two front running winners on dirt (5f, 9f).

Peter Miller saddled two dirt sprint winners.

Del Mar Stakes Recaps for 9-9-22

I'm Smokin Stakes (CA-bred, 6f): Giver Not a Taker (\$4.60) looked best on paper but was surprisingly not the favorite. She stalked from the outside post and ran down race favorite Straighten Up to score by 2.25 lengths. The runner-up was 7+ clear of 27-1 show finisher Amigo G A. Merit Song, Hacking It Up, and Moon Ice also ran. The final time was 1:09.82.

September 9 Claims: Race 4 - Back Ring Luck (\$25k, Steve Knapp), Perfect Cut (\$25k Herman Wileksky), Tartini (\$25k, Luis Mendez). Race 5 - Sheza Girly Girl (\$20k, Jonathan Wong). Race 8 - Fort Moultrie (\$40k, Tim Yakteen), Moody Jim (\$40k, Mike Puype), Neptune's Storm (\$40k, Adam Farias), One Fast Bro (\$40k, Quinn Howey).

The 20 cent Rainbow 6 pool was \$143,066, and multiple tickets with six winners paid \$38,214,92. The jackpot carryover stands at \$87,784.

Del Mar Full Card Highlights for Friday (9-9-22)

DMR 1 Americaredwhiteblu/Bright Leaf Exacta (\$12.40)

DMR 7 GIVER NOT A TAKER (Best Bet #2, \$4.60)

Double (races 6-7, \$126.40)

Pick 3 (races 5-7, \$1,365.40)

Double (races 7-8, \$29.40)

Pick 3 (races 6-8, \$1,292,80)

*Full card highlights based on \$2 wagers unless otherwise noted.

September 10 Picks:

DMR 1 (Str-Alw, 6f) - DMR Best Bet

Primary - #8 MORAWETH, #7 D D S Express

Secondary - #5 Baladi, #6 Multi Platinum

Wagers: #8 to win, Exacta 6-7-8/5, Trifecta

7-8/5-6-7-8/5-6-7-8

Comments: #8 Moraweth (3-1) dropped from optional claiming into a \$32k/2L spot Aug. 25, and he pressed outside and landed the place. O'Neill claimed him last time and Rispoli hops aboard. He figures to press outside again. #7 D D S Express (4-1) added blinkers and returned with a sharp prominent throughout \$20k maiden

claiming victory second time out July 28. Puype shows a profit second after a layoff and with his recent grads trying winners for the first time. **#5 Baladi** (5-2) stalked, led, and held the place in a similar local extended sprint Aug. 13. This is his winning trip, Hernandez strings along, and he might move up in his second start after a layoff. He sports two local works since his last. **#6 Multi Platinum** (3-1) was way up the track in his MSW bow June 19. He showed up in a \$40k maiden claimer second time out, and dueled and pulled well clear in that local 6.5f affair Aug. 6. Miyadi claimed him away from Baffert that day and he dueled and weakened to 4th at 7f Aug. 13. He removes blinkers, cuts back a furlong, and meets less speed. Maldonado knows him now.

DMR 2 (Clm-20k, 6f)

Primary - #7 SQUARE DEAL, #3 El Tigre Terrible Secondary - #1 Manitowish, #2 Black Storm, #4 Established

Wagers: #7 to win, Trifecta Key 7/1-2-3-4, Trifecta 1-2-3-4/7/1-2-3-4

\$1 Place Pick ALL (races 2-11): 3-7/7/2-5/1-11/4/5-7/6/5/3/2 (\$16)

Comments: **#7 Square Deal** (5-1) rediscovered sharp form when dropping back into the claiming ranks in his last three starts. He was 2nd at GG May 8, scored at DMR July 29, and was a solid 3rd for \$16k Aug. 19. Knapp claimed him last time and Frey was aboard for his local \$12.5k win July 29. **#3 El Tigre Terrible** (5-2) was a stakes winner in 2019 and 2020 but lost his way in his last ten starts. He has not been seen since finishing last of five

at SA Jan. 9. Prat takes the call and he has been working steadily for this, and he cannot be claimed. #1

Manitowish (5-1) stalked and scored in a \$20k sprint at SA June 17, and Miyadi claimed him that day. He was clearly second best in a local \$16k flat mile affair July 22 and Ruiz nabbed him out of that heat. He is back in a sprint and can compete with these if he maintains form. #2

Black Storm (4-1) earned a decent number in a sharp local \$16k score at 29-1 odds Aug. 19, and he beat Square Deal that day. He can get involved late if the pace heats up. #4 Established (3-1) was a prominent throughout winner as the favorite for Papaprodromou in a local \$20k affair July 23, and Knapp claimed him. He ran last in a \$32k turf sprint Aug. 6 and his new trainer Wong puts him back on dirt.

DMR 3 (OC-40k, 5T)

Primary - #10 TIME TO PARTY, #9 Lincoln City Secondary - #7 Gregory's Pride, #1 Straight No Chaser, #2 Encroachment, #3 Commander Khai

Wagers: #10 to win, Exacta 9-10/7-9-10, Trifecta 1-2-7-9-10/1-2-7-9-10/3

Comments: #10 Time to Party (8-1) deserves one more chance for Miller. He returned with a neck defeat June 19 and chased and weakened in his last pair. He puts blinkers back on and reconnects with his winning rider Prat. #9 Lincoln City (6-1) was nabbed out of his last by Miller and he chose this spot over Friday's route finale. He desperately needed his local turf sprint return July 28 (first start in 17+ months), and he lands leading rider Hernandez. He won a turf sprint (6.5f) at SA last year. #7

Gregory's Pride (3-1) is 1-for-11 with nine minor awards. He was on the wrong end of the win photo in his last three starts including a nose and a neck defeat at this course and distance July 22 and Aug. 18. Rispoli strings along and he should be heard from in the lane. #1 Straight No Chaser (4-1) broke fast from post 10 and went 21 and change, and kept on going in his sharp local 5T bow July 24. He had a fast 5f work for this Sept. 2 and figures to hustle out of the inside gate under Maldonado. #2 Encroachment (5-1) wired the field in his last two claiming turf sprints, and the 2-3 finishers from his last were next-out winners. #3 Commander Khai (8-1) landed the show in his last pair and fired trifecta shots in five of six local outings.

DMR 4 (Mcl-20k, 8f)

Primary - #10 DAD BOD, #8 Maynard Secondary - #5 Flying Fred, #2 Careless Kitten, #4 Sproston

Wagers: #10 to win, Exacta 8-10/5-8-10, Trifecta 4-8-10/2-5/2-5

Comments: #10 Dad Bod (6-1) briefly stalked above par fractions before fading (8th by 24 lengths) in his CA-bred MSW bow Aug. 7, and the winner and show finisher both returned to score. Glatt excels with straight maiden droppers, dam has tossed two winners from three starters, and he sports a trio of local works since his initial start. Curatolo has good stats with this outfit. #8 Maynard (3-1) dropped into the upper maiden claiming ranks in his last two turf starts and showed some signs of life in those events. He drops to the bottom maiden claiming rung and

switches to dirt in his second start after a layoff for competent low profile trainer Sise Jr. Smith strings along and it is interesting that he always works from the gate. Even with all those gate moves, he broke slow on two occasions this year. #5 Flying Fred (7-2) drops from a local \$62.5k turf route in his third start after a layoff. He hit the board in a trio of \$30k maiden claiming routes at FG earlier this year and Maldonado knows him now. #2 Careless Kitten (7-2) is 0-for-16 with six minor awards. He was a close 2nd in his last pair and might move forward in his second start after a long layoff. He crossed the line first in a dirt route last fall but was placed 2nd for causing interference. #4 Sproston (6-1) broke slow, raced wide from an outer post, and never got seriously involved in his local \$40k sprint debut Aug. 6. The \$160k Frosted second timer adds blinkers.

DMR 5 (OC-40k, 8T)

Primary - #7 RELAXED ARTIST, #5 Subsidize
Secondary - #11 Midnight Jostar, #1 Coalinga Road, #8
Bang for Your Buck, #2 Li Mi Bai, #6 Prince Abama
Wagers: #7 to win, Exacta 5-7/5-7-11, Superfecta
2-5-6-7/1-8-11/1-8-11/1

Comments: #7 Relaxed Artist (6-1) makes his first start in half a year for Glatt and Smith is 4-for-8 with this outfit recently. He ran well in his last two turf sprints and proved he could fire a fresh shot in a rallying runner-up finish at 6.5T Feb. 26. He is bred to handle the added ground of this race. #5 Subsidize (8-1) ran last in a dirt sprint for his new trainer Miller Aug. 13. He sports a pair of wins on turf, Prat ends up here, and barn shows a profit dirt/turf. #11

Midnight Jostar (4-1) fired trifecta shots in his last five turf routes. Rispoli had options and decided to stay here, and the two-time local winner is 0-for-7 at one mile. #1 Coalinga Road (5-1) is 2-for-3 with a runner-up finish at DMR. He got plenty of pace help when rallying to finish a 1/2 length in front of Midnight Jostar July 30. Bravo is a profitable 2-for-12 with Gaines and he probably won't be as far back this time. #8 Bang for Your Buck (6-1) finished in the top three in his last five turf starts including a head defeat in the local California Dreamin' Aug. 6. #2 Li Mu Bai (10-1) did not have smooth sailing in either of his starts in this country. This is his second start in 8+ months and Hernandez takes the call. #6 Prince Abama (5-1) ran well in both local turf starts last year. This is his first outing in 7+ months for D'Amato and Berrios is 0-for-6 with this barn.

DMR 6 (MSW, 5.5f)

Primary - #4 SPEED BOAT BEACH, #9 Fort Bragg Secondary - #8 Gun Bullet, #11 Hejazi Wagers: #4 to win, Exacta 4/8-9-11, Exacta 8-9-11/4 20 cent Rainbow Pick 6 Ticket (Races 6-11): 4-9-11/5-6-7/3-6/1-5/3-8/3-9 (\$28.80)

Comments: #4 Speed Boat Beach (5-2) is a \$200k Bayern first timer for Baffert and Prat rides. He sports three local gate moves for this and could easily hit the ground running. #9 Fort Bragg (2-1) is a \$700k Tapit firster for the productive Hernandez/Baffert team. Four of his six local moves were from the gate and he looks live at first asking. #8 Gun Bullet (6-1) is a \$475k Keeneland sales grad for win early sire Gun Runner and dam has

tossed four winners from six starters (2 stakes winners). Sadler shows a profit with first timers and he shows two local gate moves for this. AE #11 Hejazi (8-5) stalked the pace and was clearly second best in his local 5.5f bow as the heavy favorite Aug. 20. Baffert and company paid more than \$3 million for this son of Bernardini and dam has tossed three winners from four starters. Smith will ride back if he draws in.

DMR 7 (Del Mar Juvenile Fillies Turf, 8T)

Primary - #5 THEBESTISYETTOBE, #7 Commanche Country

Secondary - #6 Havana Angel, #9 Sell the Dream, #8 Queenzy

Wagers: #5 to win, Quinella 5/8-9, Trifecta

5-6-7/5-6-7-8-9/8-9

Comments: #5 Thebestisyettobe (4-1) won her 7T bow in Ireland and the runner-up and show finisher were both next-out winners. D'Amato has her now and she shows two local works for this, and Prat climbs aboard. #7

Comanche Country (3-1) shipped from Ireland and rallied for the win as the chalk at this course and distance July 30. Rispoli and D'Amato do business together and she should make her presence felt in the lane. #6 Havana

Angel (5-2) was part of the trifecta in her last four overseas turf sprints. She shows four local turf works for this and leading rider Hernandez ends up here. #9 Sell the Dream (6-1) wired the field in her turf sprint bow and rallied wide to land the show in the CTBA on dirt Aug. 7. Koriner shows a profit first route and dirt/turf. #8 Queenzy (8-1) stretched out and went last-to-first at this course/

distance Aug. 10. Smith has been clicking with Mullins recently and she is a late threat in her third start after a layoff.

DMR 8 (G1 Del Mar Debutante, 7f) **Primary - #3 AND TELL ME NOLIES, #6 Home Cooking**Secondary - #5 Fast and Shiny, #8 Ice Dancing **Wagers: #3 to win, Exacta 3-5-8/6, Trifecta 3-6/3-5-6-8/3-5-6-8**

Comments: #3 And Tell Me Nolies (3-1) was an okay 4th of 10 in her local bow and added blinkers and earned a quality speed rating in a gritty neck victory at 6.5f Aug. 14. Miller's \$230k purchase drilled a bullet for this Aug. 31 and should make his presence felt throughout. #6 Home Cooking (9-5) removed blinkers and showed marked improvement in her romping 5.5f maiden win Aug. 21. She relaxed nicely for Smith last time and Baffert's \$260k Honor Code filly will probably like this trip. #5 Fast and **Shiny** (8-1) comfortably stalked and smartly scored in her local 5f maiden win at 6-1 odds Aug. 7. Hernandez hops aboard the \$150k daughter of Bernardini and Baffert excels with his recent grads trying winners for the first time. #8 Ice Dancing (8-1) broke slow and rallied wide for the show in the And Tell Me Nolies maiden race Aug. 14. Prat hops on Mandella's promising Frosted filly and she shows three local moves since her bow.

DMR 9 (G2 John C. Mabee, 9T) - DMR Best Bet Primary - #1 GOING TO VEGAS, #5 Going Global Secondary - #3 Avenue de France Wagers: #1 to win, Exacta 1-5, Trifecta 1-5/1-3-5/1-3-5 Comments: #1 Going to Vegas (5-2) landed the place in all three graded turf routes this year. The fresh mare won this event last summer under Saturday's rider Prat, and she owns early-pressing versatility. #5 Going Global (4-5) captured seven of her last ten starts and exits a sharp local win as the favorite in the Yellow Ribbon (G2). Rispoli was aboard for both of her wins this year and a stalking trip is expected. She likes this course and distance. #3

Avenue de France (6-1) is in the best form of her career. She fired exacta shots in her last four turf route stakes starts and and was second best in the Yellow Ribbon (G2) Aug. 13. She was part of the trifecta in all six local starts.

DMR 10 (Clm-40k, 6f)

Primary - #8 AS AMATTER OF FACT, #3 Moose Mitchell

Secondary - #11 Tahoe Secrets, #5 Tizlightning, #2 Street Art

Wagers: #8 to win, Quinella 3-8, Trifecta 3-8/2-3-5-8-11/2-3-5-8-11

Comments: #8 As Amatter of Fact (4-1) dueled from post 12 and faded in the Oceanside at 8T July 22. He is 2-for-2 on dirt and 3-for-3 at this distance, and he will probably stalk the pace under Berrios. Wong is enjoying a fantastic summer. #3 Moose Mitchell (5-2) dropped to \$25k, dueled outside, and scored by 2+ lengths Aug. 14, and Miller claimed him that day. Prat hops aboard the pace factor. #11 Tahoe Secrets (6-1) earned an improved speed rating when stalking and graduating at LRC July 2, and finished an even 3rd vs. local starter allowance foes at

7f Aug. 13. He might work out a comfortable outside stalking trip at playable odds. **#5 Tizlightning** (6-1) figures to appreciate returning to the main track. He is 3-for-3 in dirt sprints and should be forwardly placed. **#2 Street Art** (10-1) dueled from the inside post and finished 3rd vs. starter allowance foes at 5T Aug. 11. He is 0-for-7 on turf, his lone win was on fast dirt, and he should make his presence felt throughout under Vazquez.

DMR 11 (MSW, 8T)

Primary - #3 VELVET, #9 Kitty Kitana

Secondary - #2 Leisurewear, #6 Tiergarten, #7 Automax, #8 Ruthless But Kind

Wagers: #3 to win, Exacta 3-9/2-3-9, Trifecta

3-9/3-6-7-8-9/2

50 cent Super High Five: 3-9/3-9/2-6-7-8/2-6-7-8 (\$24)

Comments: #3 Velvet (4-1) took action in all five starts and was out of the top three for the first time when finishing 4th as the beaten favorite Aug. 4. She had a tardy beginning from the inside post Aug. 4 and stalked fast fractions, worked her way up to 2nd, and weakened to 4th. Hernandez sticks and she might go a bit better in her second start after a layoff. #9 Kitty Kitana (5-2) hit the board in all four starts and placed in the Sweet Life (G3) Feb. 12. She rallied from an outer post to miss by a head in her local 8T return Aug. 4, and she gets the services of Prat and could easily earn her diploma for D'Amato. #2 Leisurewear (4-1) hit the board in six of her last nine starts including back-to-back solid efforts in local turf routes. This is her third start after a layoff and Rispoli

strings along. #6 Tiergarten (12-1) broke slow and ended up an okay 5th of 9 in her long ago local turf sprint bow last summer. She disappeared for almost a year and was an okay 6th of 10 in her turf route return Aug. 4. Smith knows her now and dam has tossed four turf winners. #7 Automax (8-1) took some action and rallied for the place in her 5T bow Aug. 12. They paid \$203k for this one and she sports back-to-back bullets for this. Bravo wins races with Papaprodromou but barn struggles with second timers and first route runners. #8 Ruthless But Kind (20-1) had a troubled beginning and finished 7th of 10 in her local turf route bow Aug. 4. They paid \$625k for the War Front filly and profitable turf rider Berrios hops aboard.

Rolling Daily Double & Pick 3 Contenders – in order of preference:

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2 (7-3-1-2-4)
3 (10-9-7-1-2-3)
4 (10-8-5-2-4)
5 (7-5-11-1-8-2-6)
6 (4-9-8-11)
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(8-7-5-6)

7 (5-7-6-9-8)

8 (3-6-5-8)

9 (1-5-3)

10 (8-3-11-5-2)

11 (3-9-2-6-7-8)

ROLLING DAILY DOUBLE/PICK 3 WAGERING STRATEGIES

For \$2 Rolling Doubles and 50 cent Pick 3 tickets, key the

top choice in each race to all other contenders. See examples below:

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$2 Double (Race 1-2):
Ticket 1 (8-7)
Ticket 2 (8/1-2-3-4-7)
Ticket 3 (5-6-7-8/7)

$2 Double (Races 2-3):
Ticket 1 (7-10)
Ticket 2 (7/1-2-3-7-9-10)
Ticket 3 (1-2-3-4-7/10)

50 cent Pick 3 (Race 1-3):
Ticket 1 (8-7-10)
Ticket 2 (8/1-2-3-4-7/1-2-3-7-9-10)
Ticket 3 (5-6-7-8/1-2-3-7-9-10)
Ticket 4 (5-6-7-8/1-2-3-4-7/10)

DMR Early Pick 5 Spread Tickets (races 1-5, Total Cost - $48):
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Ticket 1	Ticket 2	Ticket 3
Race 1: 8	Race 1: 7, 5, 6	Race 1: 8
Race 2: 7, 3	Race 2: 7, 3	Race 2: 1
Race 3: 10, 9	Race 3: 10, 9	Race 3: 10, 9
Race 4: 10, 8	Race 4: 10, 8	Race 4: 10, 8
Race 5: 7, 5	Race 5: 7, 5	Race 5: 7, 5
Cost: \$8.00	Cost: \$24.00	Cost: \$4.00
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Ticket 4	Ticket 5	Ticket 6
Race 1: 8	Race 1: 8	Race 1: 8
Race 2: 7, 3	Race 2: 7, 3	Race 2: 7, 3
Race 3: 7	Race 3: 10, 9	Race 3: 10, 9
Race 4: 10, 8	Race 4: 5	Race 4: 10, 8
Race 5: 7, 5	Race 5: 7, 5	Race 5: 11
Cost: \$4.00	Cost: \$4.00	Cost: \$4.00

DMR Early Pick 4 Spread Tickets (races 2-5, Total Cost - \$48):

Ticket 1	Ticket 2	Ticket 3
Race 2: 7, 3 Race 3: 10, 9 Race 4: 10, 8 Race 5: 7, 5 Cost: \$8.00	Race 2: 1, 2 Race 3: 10, 9 Race 4: 10, 8 Race 5: 7, 5 Cost: \$8.00	Race 2: 7, 3 Race 3: 7, 1, 2 Race 4: 10, 8 Race 5: 7, 5 Cost: \$12.00
Ticket 4	Ticket 5	
Race 2: 7, 3 Race 3: 10, 9 Race 4: 5, 2 Race 5: 7, 5 Cost: \$8.00	Race 2: 7, 3 Race 3: 10, 9 Race 4: 10, 8 Race 5: 11, 1, 8 Cost: \$12.00	

DMR Late Pick 5 Spread Tickets (races 7-11, Total Cost - \$48):

Ticket 1	Ticket 2	Ticket 3
Race 7: 5, 7	Race 7: 6, 9, 8	Race 7: 5, 7
Race 8: 3, 6	Race 8: 3, 6	Race 8: 5, 8
Race 9: 1	Race 9: 1	Race 9: 1
Race 10: 8, 3	Race 10: 8, 3	Race 10: 8, 3
Race 11: 3, 9	Race 11: 3, 9	Race 11: 3, 9
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Ticket 4	Ticket 5	Ticket 6
Race 7: 5, 7	Race 7: 5, 7	Race 7: 5, 7
Race 8: 3, 6	Race 8: 3, 6	Race 8: 3, 6
Race 9: 5	Race 9: 1	Race 9: 1
Race 10: 8, 3	Race 10: 11, 5	Race 10: 8, 3
Race 11: 3, 9	Race 11: 3, 9	Race 11: 2
Cost: \$8.00	Cost: \$8.00	Cost: \$4.00

DMR Late Pick 4 Spread Tickets (races 8-11, Total Cost - \$48):

Ticket 1	Ticket 2	Ticket 3
Race 8: 3, 6	Race 8: 5, 8	Race 8: 3, 6
Race 9: 1, 5	Race 9: 1, 5	Race 9: 3
Race 10: 8, 3	Race 10: 8, 3	Race 10: 8, 3
Race 11: 3, 9	Race 11: 3, 9	Race 11: 3, 9
Cost: \$8.00	Cost: \$8.00	Cost: \$4.00
Ticket 4	Ticket 5	
Race 8: 3, 6	Race 8: 3, 6	
Race 9: 1, 5	Race 9: 1, 5	
Race 10: 11, 5, 2	Race 10: 8, 3	
Race 11: 3, 9	Race 11: 2, 6, 7, 8	
Cost: \$12.00	Cost: \$16.00	

BONUS STAKES FROM KENTUCKY DOWNS

KD 9 (G2 Turf Sprint, 6T)

Primary - #5 ARZAK, #12 Arrest Me Red Secondary - #7 Gregorian Chant, #8 Bran

Wagers: #5 to win, Exacta Box 5-12, Trifecta

5-12/5-7-8-12/5-7-8-12

Comments: **#5 Arzak** (9-2) exits a close 4th in the Troy (G3) at Saratoga and the show finisher was a next-out stakes winner. He won two stakes at Woodbine earlier this year including a G3, and landed the place in the Highlander (G2) at this distance July 2. I like his running style versatility and he reconnects with his winning pilot Kimura.

KD 10 (G2 Kentucky Turf Cup, 12T)

Primary - #4 ARKLOW, #8 Gufo

Secondary - #1 Red Knight, #7 Admission Office

Wagers: #4 to win, Exacta Box 4-8, Trifecta

4-8/1-4-7-8/1-4-7-8

Comments: **#4 Arklow** (7-2) exits an encouraging runner-up finish in the Bowling Green (G2), and that was his first start in 9+ months. His is 4 2-2-0 at Kentucky Downs, and he reconnects with his winning rider Geroux and can stalk or close. The 8yo horse can still run.