

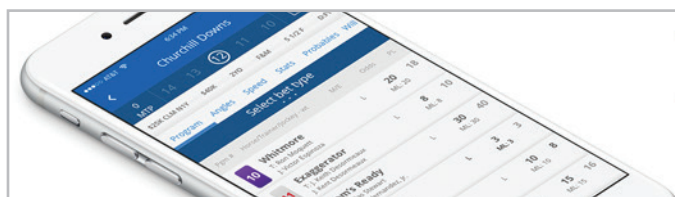
DEL  MAR

DEL MAR RACE MEET BETTING GUIDE

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DEL MAR STAKES SCHEDULE

Date	Race	Grade	Purse	Restrictions	Surface	Distance
Wednesday, Jul 19	Oceanside Stakes		\$100,000	3YO	Turf	1 Mile
Friday, Jul 21	Osunitas Stakes		\$75,000	F&M, 3&UP	Turf	1 1/16 Miles
Saturday, Jul 22	San Diego Handicap	Gr. II	\$300,000	3&UP	Dirt	1 1/16 Miles
Saturday, Jul 22	Eddie Read Stakes	Gr. II	\$250,000	3&UP	Turf	1 1/8 Miles
Sun. Jul. 23	San Clemente Handicap	Gr. II	\$200,000	F3YO	Turf	1 Mile
Sun. Jul. 23	Wickerr Stakes		\$75,000	3&UP	Turf	1 Mile
Wed. Jul. 26	Cougar II Handicap	Gr. III	\$100,000	3&UP	Dirt	1 1/2 Miles
Fri. Jul. 28	Real Good Deal Stakes		\$150,000	3YO	Dirt	7 Furlongs
Sat. Jul. 29	Bing Crosby Stakes	Gr. I	\$300,000	3&UP	Dirt	6 Furlongs
Sat. Jul. 29	California Dreamin' Stakes		\$150,000	3&UP	Turf	1 1/16 Miles
Sun. Jul. 30	Clement L. Hirsch Stakes	Gr. I	\$300,000	F&M, 3&UP	Dirt	1 1/16 Miles
Sun. Jul. 30	Fleet Treat Stakes		\$150,000	F3YO	Dirt	7 Furlongs
Wed. Aug. 2	CTBA Stakes		\$100,000	F2YO	Dirt	5 1/2 Furlongs
Fri. Aug. 4	Daisycutter Handicap		\$75,000	F&M, 3&UP	Turf	5 Furlongs
Sat. Aug. 5	Sorrento Stakes	Gr. II	\$200,000	F2YO	Dirt	6 1/2 Furlongs
Sat. Aug. 5	Yellow Ribbon Handicap	Gr. II	\$200,000	F&M, 3&UP	Turf	1 1/16 Miles
Sun. Aug. 6	La Jolla Handicap	Gr. III	\$150,000	3YO	Turf	1 1/16 Miles
Sunday, Aug 6	Graduation Stakes		\$100,000	2YO	Dirt	5 1/2 Furlongs
Friday, Aug 11	Solana Beach Stakes		\$150,000	F&M, 3&UP	Turf	1 1/16 Miles
Saturday, Aug 12	Best Pal Stakes	Gr. II	\$200,000	2YO	Dirt	6 1/2 Furlongs
Sunday, Aug 13	Rancho Bernardo Handicap	Gr. III	\$100,000	F&M, 3&UP	Dirt	6 1/2 Furlongs
Wednesday, Aug 16	CTT and TOC Handicap		\$75,000	F&M, 3&UP	Turf	1 3/8 Miles
Friday, Aug 18	Green Flash Handicap		\$75,000	3&UP	Turf	5 Furlongs
Saturday, Aug 19	Pacific Classic	Gr. I	\$1,000,000	3&UP	Dirt	1 1/4 Miles
Saturday, Aug 19	Del Mar Oaks	Gr. I	\$300,000	F3YO	Turf	1 1/8 Miles
Saturday, Aug 19	Del Mar Handicap	Gr. II	\$250,000	3&UP	Turf	1 3/8 Miles
Sunday, Aug 20	Del Mar Mile	Gr. II	\$200,000	3&UP	Turf	1 Mile
Wednesday, Aug 23	Harry F. Brubaker Stakes		\$75,000	3&UP	Dirt	1 Mile
Friday, Aug 25	Tranquility Lake Stakes		\$75,000	F&M, 3&UP	Dirt	1 Mile
Saturday, Aug 26	Pat O'Brien Stakes	Gr. II	\$200,000	3&UP	Dirt	7 Furlongs
Saturday, Aug 26	Shared Belief Stakes		\$100,000	3YO	Dirt	1 Mile
Sunday, Aug 27	Torrey Pines Stakes	Gr. III	\$100,000	F3YO	Dirt	1 Mile
Wednesday, Aug 30	Generous Portion Stakes		\$100,000	F2YO	Dirt	6 Furlongs
Friday, Sep 1	I'm Smokin Stakes		\$100,000	2YO	Dirt	6 Furlongs
Saturday, Sep 2	Del Mar Debutante	Gr. I	\$300,000	F2YO	Dirt	7 Furlongs
Saturday, Sep 2	John C. Mabee Stakes	Gr. II	\$200,000	F&M, 3&UP	Turf	1 1/8 Miles
Sunday, Sep 3	Del Mar Derby	Gr. II	\$250,000	3YO	Turf	1 1/8 Miles
Sunday, Sep 3	Del Mar Juvenile Turf		\$100,000	2YO	Turf	1 Mile
Monday, Sep 4	Del Mar Futurity	Gr. I	\$300,000	2YO	Dirt	7 Furlongs
Monday, Sep 4	Del Mar Juvenile Fillies Turf		\$100,000	F2YO	Turf	1 Mile
Monday, Sep 4	C.E.R.F. Stakes		\$75,000	F&M, 3&UP	Dirt	6 Furlongs



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TOP JOCKEYS AND TOP TRAINERS OF PAST 3 YEARS

DEL MAR JOCKEYS 2016

JOCKEY	STARTS	1ST	2ND	3RD	WIN %	EARNINGS
1. Rafael Bejarano	175	38	34	23	22%	\$2,545,394
2. Flavien Prat	215	38	32	29	18%	\$2,431,351
3. Santiago Gonzalez	221	31	34	21	14%	\$1,508,387
4. Kent Desormeaux	145	25	28	21	17%	\$1,702,510
5. Tyler Baze	195	23	25	35	12%	\$1,442,848
6. Norberto Arroyo Jr.	127	19	13	17	15%	\$1,038,782
7. Stewart Elliott	109	17	10	9	16%	\$652,590
8. Victor Espinoza	79	15	10	12	19%	\$1,641,910
9. Tiago Pereira	104	13	12	10	13%	\$664,490
10. Gary Stevens	68	11	8	2	16%	\$1,004,431

DEL MAR JOCKEYS 2015

JOCKEY	STARTS	1ST	2ND	3RD	WIN %	EARNINGS
1. Rafael Bejarano	223	39	42	30	17%	\$2,470,590
2. Flavien Prat	194	30	29	26	15%	\$2,222,694
3. Joe Talamo	196	27	18	16	14%	\$1,603,448
4. Tyler Baze	216	26	28	32	12%	\$1,727,242
5. Mario Gutierrez	143	26	16	14	18%	\$1,614,256
6. Santiago Gonzalez	183	23	18	24	13%	\$1,366,186
7. Kent Desormeaux	108	21	13	14	19%	\$1,147,144
8. Martin Garcia	142	18	15	17	13%	\$1,310,580
9. Corey Nakatani	89	16	11	4	18%	\$768,816
10. Tiago Pereira	109	14	9	8	13%	\$600,510

DEL MAR JOCKEYS 2014

JOCKEY	STARTS	1ST	2ND	3RD	WIN %	EARNINGS
1. Rafael Bejarano	196	42	33	30	21%	\$2,629,022
2. Kent Desormeaux	174	32	31	25	18%	\$2,256,606
3. Elvis Trujillo	199	30	24	30	15%	\$1,848,932
4. Mike Smith	122	27	13	14	22%	\$2,773,584
5. Tyler Baze	212	21	27	25	10%	\$1,697,990
6. Drayden Van Dyke	181	20	24	23	11%	\$1,151,268
7. Victor Espinoza	133	19	14	17	14%	\$1,787,076
8. Joe Talamo	212	19	27	25	9%	\$1,751,994
9. Fernando Perez	152	17	12	11	11%	\$859,302
10. Corey Nakatani	88	15	7	13	17%	\$1,269,114

DEL MAR TRAINERS 2016

TRAINER	STARTS	1ST	2ND	3RD	WIN %	EARNINGS
1. Phil D'Amato	108	23	14	13	21%	\$1,503,154
2. Peter Miller	115	21	16	16	18%	\$1,069,206
3. Richard Baltas	94	20	18	11	21%	\$1,223,188
4. Bob Baffert	77	19	17	8	25%	\$1,691,775
5. Doug O'Neill	135	11	18	24	8%	\$894,438
6. John Sadler	62	11	8	11	18%	\$810,080
7. Mark Glatt	60	11	11	10	18%	\$478,581
8. James Cassidy	53	10	4	8	19%	\$525,319
9. Michael Machowsky	24	9	0	3	38%	\$279,122
10. Richard Mandella	33	7	6	1	21%	\$779,592

DEL MAR TRAINERS 2015

TRAINER	STARTS	1ST	2ND	3RD	WIN %	EARNINGS
1. Jerry Hollendorfer	104	22	12	15	21%	\$1,535,072
2. Peter Miller	141	20	22	17	14%	\$1,375,276
3. Doug O'Neill	110	17	21	13	15%	\$1,521,300
4. Richard Baltas	79	17	6	14	22%	\$932,956
5. Phil D'Amato	91	14	13	12	15%	\$1,055,582
6. Bob Baffert	66	13	13	8	20%	\$1,083,920
7. Mike Puype	79	12	4	10	15%	\$671,302
8. John Sadler	60	11	6	6	18%	\$645,734
9. Bob Hess	59	11	4	10	19%	\$395,842
10. Richard Mandella	42	8	6	9	19%	\$1,588,626

DEL MAR TRAINERS 2014

TRAINER	STARTS	1ST	2ND	3RD	WIN %	EARNINGS
1. Jerry Hollendorfer	96	20	20	11	21%	\$1,996,986
2. Peter Miller	132	20	15	19	15%	\$1,153,054
3. John Sadler	112	17	11	19	15%	\$1,231,918
4. Doug O'Neill	134	16	19	21	12%	\$1,312,766
5. Bob Hess	62	15	9	7	24%	\$595,560
6. Bob Baffert	71	12	9	8	17%	\$1,116,490
7. Phil D'Amato	71	11	5	14	15%	\$987,970
8. Vann Belvoir	47	9	3	3	19%	\$233,040
9. Mark Glatt	63	8	13	10	13%	\$666,152
10. Richard Baltas	52	8	7	4	15%	\$549,192



AT A GLANCE

A look at the previous full Del Mar meet: November 11, 2016 through December 4, 2016

AVG. WINNING ODDS: 5.02 - 1

FAVORITE WIN%: 33% **FAVORITE ITM%:** 66%

EXOTICS	PAYOFF
Quinella	41.18
Exacta	78.68
Daily Double	77.11
Trifecta	611.6
Pick 3	571.64
Superfecta	3,641.34
Pick 4	3,937.05
Pick 5	17,531.08
Pick 6 Jackpot	59,791.94
Place Pick All	3,457.84
Super High Five	18,440.67



TRACK BIAS MEET (11/11 - 12/04)

Distance	# Race	% Wire	Best Style	Best Posts
6.0fDirt	19	42%	E	Mid/Out
6.5fDirt	14	43%	E	Mid/Out
1 MileDirt	23	48%	E	Inside
1 1/16mDirt	2	0%	E/P	Inside
Turf Sprint	10	40%	E	Outside
Turf Routes	38	18%	S	Outside

TRACK BIAS WEEK (11/28 - 12/04)

Distance	# Race	% Wire	Best Style	Best Posts
6.0fDirt	5	20%	E/P	Outside
6.5fDirt	3	100%	E	Rail
1 MileDirt	6	50%	E	Inside
1 1/16mDirt	2	0%	E/P	Inside
Turf Sprint	4	25%	P	Outside
Turf Routes	10	20%	S	Outside

WHO'S HOT, WHO'S NOT

HOT TRAINERS	Starts	Wins	Place	Show	Avg. Odds	Winning Favorites	'15-' 16 Win %
Miller Peter	24	10	3	4	5.11	7	19%
Motion H. Graham	8	4	1	0	6.09	1	16%
Sadler John W.	11	4	1	1	10.42	1	16%
Morey William E.	3	3	0	0	3.5	1	19%
Gaines Carla	5	2	0	0	5.42	1	11%

HOT JOCKEYS	Starts	Wins	Place	Show	Avg. Odds	Winning Favorites	'15-' 16 Win %
Desormeaux Kent J.	20	5	2	2	8.3	0	17%
Stevens Gary L.	8	2	0	0	14.08	0	15%

COLD TRAINERS	Starts	Wins	Place	Show	Avg. Odds	Beaten Favorites	'15-' 16 Win %
Eurton Peter	14	0	1	1	17.3	2	15%
Belvoir Vann	12	0	2	1	38.08	0	9%
Dollase Craig	10	0	0	0	25.68	0	10%
Puype Mike	10	0	1	1	5	2	14%

COLD JOCKEYS	Starts	Wins	Place	Show	Avg. Odds	Beaten Favorites	'15-' 16 Win %
Pereira Tiago Josue	17	0	3	2	21.25	1	11%

BETTING GUIDE - GRADED STAKES SCHEDULE

by Alastair Bull

As well as being a great destination, Del Mar will host some of the country's best horses. And with the seaside track hosting the Breeders' Cup for the first time this year, the summer meet also gives potential Breeders' Cup contenders extra experience for the most important racedays of the fall.

The season begins with a bang with the **San Diego Handicap (G2)** July 22. This race has been growing in stature, and last year it was won by California Chrome after a stirring battle with Dortmund. This year it is set to feature the return of the world's highest-rated horse, Arrogate, who has won seven straight. The San Diego Handicap will be his first start since a stirring victory in the Dubai World Cup at the end of March.

The San Diego Handicap is the most important lead-up to the richest and most prestigious race of the meet, the \$1 million **Pacific Classic (G1)** at 1 1/4 miles Aug. 19. In the past two years it has been won by champions California Chrome and Beholder, and it is a likely target for Arrogate.

The first Grade I races at Del Mar come at the end of July. The six furlong **Bing Crosby Stakes**, one of California's biggest sprints, is on Saturday, July 29, and the next day features the **Clement L. Hirsch Stakes**. One of California's premier races for fillies and mares, the Clement L. Hirsch was won three times by Zenyatta last decade, and its last two editions were won by Beholder and Stellar Wind.

Del Mar also hosts the first Grade I races in California for 2-year-olds, the **Del Mar Debutante** for fillies Sept. 2 and **Del Mar Futurity** the following day. Futurity winners in recent years include Nyquist and American Pharoah, while champion filly Songbird won the Debutante two years ago. Both races are at seven furlongs, and the juveniles get important lead-ups in the **Sorrento Stakes (G2)** for fillies Aug 5, and the **Best Pal Stakes (G2)** Aug. 12.

The Del Mar turf hosts nine graded stakes races. The most important is the **Del Mar Oaks (G1)** on Pacific Classic Day, Aug 19. Run over 1 1/8 miles, this attracts many of the best 3-year-old turf fillies in the country. Colts and geldings get their chance in the **Del Mar Derby (G2)** Sept. 3.

Also significant on the turf are two races for turf milers, the **Eddie Read Stakes (G2)** July 22 and the **Del Mar Mile (G2)** Aug 20. Midnight Storm won both races last year prior to finishing third in the Breeders' Cup Mile. Fillies and mares are also well catered for on turf, with the **Yellow Ribbon Handicap (G2)** Aug. 5 and the **John C. Mabee Stakes (G2)** Sept. 2, while the stayers get their chance in the 1 3/8 mile **Del Mar Handicap (G2)** Aug. 19.

With these and several other top races, Del Mar will keep players interested throughout the meet.



JUVENILE STARS COME OUT AT DEL MAR

by James Scully

Del Mar is known for 2-year-old racing, with juvenile champions American Pharoah, Songbird, Nyquist and Champagne Room competing at the seaside oval during the last three summer sessions, and the 2017 meet holds added significance with the Breeders' Cup making its first appearance at the track this fall.

Many exciting prospects will be unveiled over the next seven weeks and a pair of centerpiece events, the Del Mar Futurity (G1) on September 4 and Del Mar Debutante (G1) two days earlier, are offered at the conclusion of the meet.

Here is a preview of 2-year-olds with racing experience who may be pointing toward Del Mar, listed by trainer:

Bob Baffert

No race is more deserving of Bob Baffert's namesake than the Del Mar Futurity. The Hall of Fame trainer has posted a remarkable 13 wins in the important 7-furlong test, including victories by Triple Crown hero American Pharoah and Hall of Famer Silver Charm, and he has 35 horses nominated to the 2017 edition. Along with 24 nominees to the Debutante, Baffert could have more than 50 2-year-olds in action at Del Mar. Here are a few prominent runners who have started:

DIAMONDSANDPEARLS: With \$1.7 million price tag, Congrats filly brought lofty expectations into debut and didn't disappoint, rolling to 6 ¼-length maiden tally at Santa Anita in early June. August 5 Sorrento (G3) up next.

SERENGETI: By Algorithms, front-running colt blitzed foes posting 11-length maiden second-time out in late June. August 12 Best Pal (G2) likely target but also nominated to July 22 Sanford (G2) at Saratoga.

ZULFIKHAR: Romped making initial appearance at Los Alamitos on July 7, drawing off to 3 ¾-length decision. \$750,000 Bodemeister colt headed to Best Pal.

Doug O'Neill

Both of Doug O'Neill's Kentucky Derby winners, I'll Have Another and Nyquist, raced at Del Mar as juveniles and accomplished conditioner is expected to feature another deep roster of 2-year-olds this year.

HONEYMOONZ OVER: Second to Run Away and third to Serengeti, Congrats ridgling appears poised to graduate if he remains in maiden company.

SAUDI CHROMA: California-bred daughter of Lucky Pulpit drew off to smart 3 ¼-length tally when debuting in late May.

TYFOSHA: Gray filly bet down to 1-2 in debut but wound up a clear second to Surrender Now, who came back to win Landaluce by eight lengths. By Flatter, Tyfasha shows recent 6-furlong bullet work for second start.

Jeff Bonde

ISMELUCKY: After a runner-up effort, Lucky Pulpit filly rolled to easy win over open rivals when making second start at Santa Anita in mid-May.

Simon Callaghan

RUN AWAY: Bet down to odds-on in a pair of starts, Run Away and Hide colt has displayed high speed while easily defeating foes on the front end, most recently annexing the July 3 Santa Anita Juvenile by a 1 ½-length margin. Best Pal figures to be on his agenda.

Michael Machowsky

RUNAWAY GHOST: After just missing versus Argosy Fleet, front-running Ghostzapper colt drew off to sharp maiden tally the second-time out at Santa Anita in June.

Alfredo Marquez

BIG BOY CANDY: Twirling Candy colt rolled to an 8 ¼-length debut win and exits a third in the Santa Anita Juvenile.

Peter Miller

SURRENDER NOW: From the first crop of Morning Line, speedy filly displayed a dynamic turn of foot drawing away to eight-length score in July 2 Landaluce. Sorrento is next.

Kristin Mulhall

SIR VALENTINE: Made short work of state-bred foes at Santa Anita in May and Heat Shield colt shows fast series of works in preparation for stakes bow.

Gary Sherlock

EMPRESS OF LOV: Convincing maiden winner two back, Empire Way filly exits a fourth in Landaluce. Eligible to be a major factor in California-bred stakes.

Eddie Truman

ARGOSY FLEET: A game debut winner in May, Mineshaft colt exits runner-up finish in Santa Anita Juvenile.



HANDICAPPING DEL MAR WITH BRIS ALL-WAYS DATA

by Ed DeRosa

If there's one race type you want to pay attention to this summer at Del Mar when using Brisnet.com Past Performances, let it be turf sprints.

Unfortunately, turf sprints have made up less than 10% of all races since 2012, so a half dozen such races per week seems to be the absolute max, but the proprietary data found in Brisnet PPs such as Speed Ratings and Prime Power performs well in these types of races, so you should make the most of these opportunities.

Since 2012, there have been 119 turf sprints at Del Mar. The top-ranked horse by last-out Speed Rating has won "only" 28% of those races, but the return on investment is a robust +22.5%. Another positive ROI category among the top-ranked horses is Quirin Points, which supports handicapper Scott Shapiro's thought that when in doubt in these turf sprints, take the horse who's likely to make the lead. The top-ranked Quirin horse wins "only" 27% of the time, but the ROI is an even more robust 46.5%.

Prime Power is better for landing on standouts than action plays. The top-ranked horse by Prime Power in turf sprints wins just 23% of the time and is overbet with an ROI of

-17%. However, when the edge is at least 7 points the win percentage balloons to 32% with a +1% ROI.

The big Prime Power gaps are powerful across all race types. In dirt sprints, it's 54% winners when the gap is at least seven, however, the ROI is -2%. This is beating the wagering public, but it does mean these horses get crushed. Better as singles in multi-race wagers than win candidates.

Dirt and turf routes fare better in the ROI category with more than 50% winners AND a positive ROI with a gap of at least 6 points.

In 2,131 races at Del Mar since 2012, the best last-out Brisnet.com Speed Rating has won 25% while the top Prime Power is at 26%. These numbers suggest that favorites could be more vulnerable here than at most tracks. Of course, they win their fair share, but if a horse is close in ability to the favorite, it appears more lucrative to take the longer price.



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