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This **Inside Track to the Pegasus World Cup** wagering guide is a combination of some of the best handicapping forces in the country. The Racing Dudes have been at it for years, offering handicapping picks and analysis daily for 10+ years. The Racing Dudes handicappers have scoured over these Pegasus World Cup competitors for over a year and are ready to cash in BIG!

With a huge event like the Pegasus World Cup, you know your main Dudes will be at it again for an exclusive Pegasus World Cup bankroll wagering article **only available in this guide**. Bet alongside the Dudes, who will be taking some **HUGE** swings this year!

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The \$3 million Pegasus World Cup headlines a massive card featuring 8 stakes worth over \$5.3 million in purses. The undercard includes the \$1 million Pegasus World Cup Turf (G1), the \$500,000 Pegasus World Cup Filly & Mare Turf (G3), the \$200,000 Inside Information (G2), the \$200,000 William L. McKnight (G3), the \$150,000 La Prevoyante (G3), the \$150,000 Fred W. Hooper (G3), and the \$100,000 Carousel Club.

Last year, we told you Life Is Good would take it to Knicks Go. The year before, we said Knicks Go couldn't lose. Three years ago, we told you to play Mucho Gusto and he romped home at 3/1. In 2019, we told you City of Light would upset the favorite Accelerate, and that's exactly what happened! **We are a perfect 6-for-6 in the Pegasus**, as we also had Arrogate and Gun Runner. Let's keep it rolling!

IN THIS ALL-INCLUSIVE INSIDE TRACK TO THE PEGASUS WORLD CUP, YOU WILL FIND:

- ◆ Race-by-race analysis of all eight stakes races on the Pegasus World Cup card, including:
 - ◆ Overview of the Race
 - ◆ Race Shape and Pace Analysis
 - ◆ Top Selections
 - ◆ Major Threats
 - ◆ Long Shots to Use
 - ◆ Exclusive Picks and Plays for each race which include: Win bet, place or show bet, long shot across the board play, exacta, trifecta, superfecta, horses to use in multi-race wagers, what to play on a straight wager, and what to play on an exotic wager.
- ◆ Race-by-race analysis, betting suggestions, and multi-race plays for the entire Pegasus World Cup card
- ◆ Pegasus World Cup Live Bankroll Plays, featuring the exact tickets the Dudes will be playing at Gulfstream Park for all stakes races on the Pegasus World Cup card from Racing Dudes' own Aaron Halterman and Jared Welch
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Each Win, Place, Show, or Across the Board wager comes with a confidence rating so that you can see how strongly we feel about each pick.

Finally, always remember to wager responsibly and never wager more than you can afford.

Good luck at the Pegasus World Cup!



LIVE BANKROLL PLAYS

WITH THE RACING DUDE'S OWN
AARON HALTERMAN & JARED WELCH

It's time for the first big event of the year! The Pegasus World Cup is finally here and the Dudes are ready to go! This year, we're going to once again give you the **EXACT** race-by-race wagering plan of Aaron and Jared, who will be betting the Pegasus card throughout the day. You can play these tickets exactly, or you can take our opinions and sprinkle in your own thoughts as well. The decision is up to you. We shot for an approximate \$200 budget.

Let's not waste any more time. Here's our wagering plan for all 8 stakes races on the card:

Race #6: LA PREVOYANTE

Let's try to get a bit creative to start. We both like the favorite #5 Adventuring, but not enough to bet the win at what will be a short price. We'll wheel her on top of a \$5 trifecta with #2 Personal Best and #4 Beside Herself in second. We'll then play those two with #6 Transient added into the third spot.

\$5	Race #6 La Prevoyante: TRIFECTA PART WHEEL
1st	#5 Adventuring
2nd	#2 Personal Best, #4 Beside Herself
3rd	#2 Personal Best, #4 Beside Herself, #6 Transient
\$20	Ticket #1 Total

Race #7: CAROUSEL CLUB

We'll go with another trifecta in this one for a low amount since this is our least confident race on the card. Our top picks are #6 Into the Sunrise and #10 Steady On, so we will play those two on top. Then we will sprinkle in

#2 Skyro and #7 Summer Assault in the second and third spots.

\$1	Race #7 Carousel Club: TRIFECTA PART WHEEL
1st	#6 Into the Sunrise, #10 Steady On
2nd	#2 Skyro, #6 Into the Sunrise, #7 Summer Assault, #10 Steady On
3rd	#2 Skyro, #6 Into the Sunrise, #7 Summer Assault, #10 Steady On
\$12	Ticket #2 Total

Race #8: INSIDE INFORMATION

Once again we will go with a trifecta in this one, but this time with a \$2 base because we have a bit more confidence. Our top pick is #4 Obligatory, so we'll put her on top, along with #7 Maryquitecontrary. Then we will sprinkle in #1 Famed and #10 R Adios Jersey in the second and third spots.

\$2	Race #8 Inside Information: TRIFECTA PART WHEEL
1st	#4 Obligatory, #7 Maryquitecontrary
2nd	#1 Famed, #4 Obligatory, #7 Maryquitecontrary, #10 R Adios Jersey
3rd	#1 Famed, #4 Obligatory, #7 Maryquitecontrary, #10 R Adios Jersey
\$24	Ticket #3 Total

Race #9: WILLIAM L. MCKNIGHT

We kept it very simple in this spot. We do not have confidence in much in this race, so we boxed our top picks #4 Abaan and #11 Red Knight in an exacta.

\$10	Race #9 W. L. McKnight: EXACTA BOX
1st 2nd	#4 Abaan, #11 Red Knight
\$20	Ticket #4 Total

Race #10: FRED W. HOOPER

This is yet another race where we do not have a strong opinion. Our top four horses were similar here, so we just boxed them in a trifecta for a low amount and moved on to the next race.

\$.50	Race #10 Fred W. Hooper: TRIFECTA BOX
1st 2nd 3rd	#1 Miles D, #3 Mish, #6 Black Belt, #7 Picking Up Pennies
\$12	Ticket #5 Total

Race #11: PEGASUS WORLD CUP F&M TURF

We started a pick 3 in this spot looking to cash in on the big 3 Pegasus races. We started off with using #3 Wakanaka, #4 Sweet Enough, #6 Queen Goddess, and #9 Shantisara in this leg. Then, we used #12 City Man in leg two, while rounding it out with #5 Defunded, #7 Skippylongstocking, and #10 Cyberknife in the final leg.

\$5	Race #11 Pegasus World Cup F&M Turf: PICK 3
11th	#3 Wakanaka, #4 Sweet Enough, #6 Queen Goddess, #9 Shantisara
12th	#12 City Man
13th	#5 Defunded, #7 Skippylongstocking, #10 Cyberknife
\$60	Ticket #6 Total

Race #12: PEGASUS WORLD CUP TURF

#12 City Man was our top choice, so we used him on top of another trifecta in this race, while also using #6 Lady Speightspeare on top. We then used those two horses again in second and third along with #3 Atone and #10 Ivar.

\$2	Race #12 Pegasus World Cup Turf: TRIFECTA PART WHEEL
1st	#6 Lady Speightspeare, #12 City Man
2nd	#3 Atone, #6 Lady Speightspeare, #10 Ivar, #12 City Man
3rd	#3 Atone, #6 Lady Speightspeare, #10 Ivar, #12 City Man
\$24	Ticket #7 Total

Race #13: PEGASUS WORLD CUP

We debated a lot of different things with this one, but in the end, we felt a simple exacta box was the best bet. #7 Skippylongstocking and #10 Cyberknife are the two we like the most, so we will box them up and call them home with hopes of a decent score to round out the card!

\$20	Race #13 Pegasus World Cup: EXACTA BOX
1st 2nd	#7 Skippylongstocking, #10 Cyberknife
\$40	Ticket #8 Total

That pushes our final budget to \$212, which is close to our desired \$200. This year, we made more risky wagers than normal, so please bet responsibly. Let's hope we can get a couple of these home! Good luck to everyone! 🐾



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RACE No6:

La Prevoyante Stakes (G3)

1 1/2 MILES (TURF)
Fillies & Mares
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$150,000

OVERVIEW:

The Le Prevoyante kicks off the first of 8 straight stakes races on this loaded Pegasus Day card. This one "only" has a field of 8 runners, which is the smallest of all the stakes fields, but it still should provide a competitive race. There are several ways you can go in this one.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A SLOW PACE

Pure Speed: Bow Draw

Pressing Speed: Adventuring

Stalkers: Personal Best, Beside Herself, Transient

Closers: Lisheen, Soul of an Angel, My Candy Girl

This should be a pretty slow pace, which is normal for 1 1/2-mile races on the turf. They will go slow early, which will make for an all-out sprint as they turn for home.

TOP CHOICE: #5 ADVENTURING

This can definitely be seen as a class drop for her after taking on some tough company in her last 2 starts. She also stretches back out in distance, which is similar to where she won 3 starts back at Kentucky Downs. She should get a solid stalking trip here, which will make her tough to catch down the stretch.

MAJOR THREATS: #2 Personal Best, #4 Beside Herself, #6 Transient

Personal Best gets back to the turf today, which is where she won 2 starts back at Aqueduct. Beside Herself will also enjoy moving back to the turf for this one, which is her best surface. Transient is yet another one that gets back to the turf, where she won 2 back at Aqueduct.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #1 Lisheen

This one should improve moving back to the turf today after running second over the synthetic in her last start. She has proven form at this distance as well, which is always a good thing when going long on the lawn. If the pace can materialize, then she can come running late and pick up some pieces.

OTHERS: #3 Bow Draw, #7 Soul of an Angel, #8 My Candy Girl

These three looked to be a little overmatched in what is otherwise a pretty evenly-matched group. Any of these winning would be a surprise.

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #5 Adventuring - Confidence Level: 4 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #4 Beside Herself - Confidence Level: 4 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #6 Transient - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

EXACTA: 4,5/4,5,6

TRIFECTA: 4,5/2,4,5,6/2,4,5,6

SUPERFECTA: 2,4,5,6 BOX

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 5

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$40 to win on #5 Adventuring

EXOTIC WAGER: \$5 Exacta 4,5/4,5,6



RACE No. 7:

CAROUSEL CLUB STAKES

1 MILE & 70 YARDS
on ALL WEATHER TRACK
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$100,000

OVERVIEW:

We'll move to the synthetic for the inaugural Carousel Club, which drew a field of 12 plus 4 also eligible horses. This one is extremely wide-open and there is no doubt we could see a big price come in this spot.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A FAST PACE

Pure Speed: Wolfie's Dynaghost, Into the Sunrise

Pressing Speed: Skyro, Ramsey Solution, Steady On

Stalkers: King Cause

Closers: Carpenters Call, Summer Assault, Greyes Creek, Tango Tango Tango, California Frolic, Business Model

This large field should product a fast pace, with several of these runners having the ability to fly early on in the race. It might set up well for runners coming from off the pace.

TOP CHOICE: #10 STEADY ON

This will be his second start over the synthetic surface after nearly winning a similar race last time out against a solid field. He should stalk the pace in a perfect position here, as long as he does not get hung too wide on the first turn. Also, he should improve in his second straight race over the surface.

MAJOR THREATS: #2 Skyro, #5 Wolfie's Dynaghost, #8 Greyes Creek

Skyro goes for 2 in a row today after winning over this surface last time out. Wolfie's Dynaghost won a similar race on this card last season. He ran extremely well over this surface. Greyes Creek goes for 2 in a row after winning on synthetic at Turfway Park last time out.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #7 Summer Assault

Summer Assault was a close second over this track last time out behind Skyro, who we like in second today. He should be competitive once again.

OTHERS: #4 Carpenters Call, #6 Into the Sunrise, #9 Tango Tango Tango, #11 California Frolic, #12 Business Model

There is a lot of filler in this race that just doesn't look to have much of a chance. Unfortunately, that seems to be everyone in this group.

Also Eligibles: #13 Smokin' T, #14 Like the King, #15 Parkland, #16 Red Line Overdrive

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #10 Steady On - Confidence Level: 2.5 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #2 Skyro - Confidence Level: 2 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #8 Greyes - Confidence Level: 2 out of 5

EXACTA: 2,8,10 BOX

TRIFECTA: 2,5,8,10 BOX

SUPERFECTA: 2,5,8,10 BOX

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 2,5,8,10

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$10 to win on #10 Steady On

EXOTIC WAGER: \$.50 Cent Trifecta BOX 2,5,8,10



RACE №8:

7 FURLONGS (DIRT)
Fillies & Mares
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$200,000

INSIDE INFORMATION STAKES (G2)

OVERVIEW:

A field of 10 will line up to do battle this year in the Inside Information, which has served as one of the better races on this card each season. Multiple graded stakes winner Obligatory headlines the field; however, this will not be an easy victory for her, as there are several solid horses in this field.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A MODERATE PACE

Pure Speed: *R Adios Jersey*

Pressing Speed: *Miss Speedy, Fire On Time*

Stalkers: *Colorful Mischief, Ja Warrior, Diamond Wow, Last Leaf*

Closers: *Famed, Obligatory, Maryquitecontrary*

There is enough speed in this race to keep things honest; however, we should not see a blazing pace in this one. Everyone should have a fair chance.

TOP CHOICE: #4 OBLIGATORY

There is no doubt this will serve as a major class drop today as she is used to facing the toughest horses in this division. She also is a perfect 2 for 2 over this track and she should get better positioning this time around after falling too far back in her last start. She will be tough to hold off down the stretch if she fires her best effort.

MAJOR THREATS: #1 Famed, #7 Maryquitecontrary, #10 R Adios Jersey

Famed goes for 3 in a row today after a dominant win in a stakes race at Remington Park. Maryquitecontrary has won 4 in a row coming into this one, including the local prep race. R Adios Jersey goes for 2 in a row after taking home a small stakes race at Tampa Bay Downs.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #3 Colorful Mischief, #5 Fire On Time

Colorful Mischief was second last time out in the local prep race for this one and has the best connections in the race. Fire On Time gets back to the dirt today after a failed race over the synthetic surface at Turfway Park in her last start.

OTHERS: #2 Miss Speedy, #6 Jag Warrior, #8 Diamond Wow, #9 Last Leaf

This one seems to be pretty top-heavy, so we will not be playing the horses in this group. Any of these winning would be fairly surprising.

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #4 Obligatory - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #1 Famed - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #7 Maryquitecontrary - Confidence Level: 2.5 out of 5

EXACTA: 1,4,7 BOX

TRIFECTA: 1,4,7,10 BOX

SUPERFECTA: 1,4,7,10

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 1,4,7,10

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$20 to win on #4 Obligatory

EXOTIC WAGER: \$.50 Trifecta BOX 1,4,7,10



RACE No. 9:

WILLIAM L. MCKNIGHT STAKES (G3)

1 1/2 MILES (TURF)
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$200,000

OVERVIEW:

The William L. McKnight has become a popular race on this Pegasus Day card. It usually produces a large field and this year is no different, as 12 runners will line up for battle in this spot. Defending champion Abaan will look to repeat, but 2-time runner-up Temple also returns hoping to finally turn the tables.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A SLOW PACE

Pure Speed: *Harlan Estate*

Pressing Speed: *Channel Maker, Abaan*

Stalkers: *Time for Trouble, Pao Alto*

Closers: *Shawdyshawdyshawdy, Agitare, Temple, Value Engineering, Reigning Spirit, Red Knight, Wicked Fast*

This is yet another marathon turf race that should have a slow pace. They'll crawl early, and then will likely fly home

TOP CHOICE: #11 RED KNIGHT

This one can be a tad inconsistent, which is a worry, but it is a good sign that Irad Ortiz Jr. will be aboard here. That means the horse is likely doing well and that trainer Mike Maker feels most confident in this runner. Maker is one of the best when it comes to winning these long marathons on the turf, which is another positive for Red Knight.

MAJOR THREATS: #4 Abaan, #6 Temple, #7 Channel Maker

Abaan won this race last year and has proven form in these marathon turf races, but we have not seen him at his best lately. Temple finished second in this race in back-to-back years. Channel Maker gets class relief after taking on the best horses in his division last time out.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #3 Pao Alto, #9 Value Engineering

Pao Alto gets some class relief in this spot after running a decent race over this track last time out against tougher runners. Value Engineering looks for 2 in a row after winning over the synthetic surface in his last start. He has solid races over the turf as well.

OTHERS: #1 Time for Trouble, #2 Shawdyshawdyshawdy, #5 Agitare, #8 Harlan Estate, 10 Reigning Spirit, #12 Wicked Fast

This one is so wide-open that it would not be surprising if anyone from this group gets the win. We considered many of these, but we just prefer others a bit more.

Also Eligible: #13 Barberini

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #11 Red Knight - Confidence Level: 2.5 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #6 Temple - Confidence Level: 2 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #7 Channel Maker - Confidence Level: 2 out of 5

EXACTA: 6,7,11 BOX

TRIFECTA: 4,6,7,11 BOX

SUPERFECTA: 4,6,7,11 BOX

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 3,4,6,7,11

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$10 to win on #11 Red Knight

EXOTIC WAGER: \$.50 cent Trifecta BOX 4,6,7,11



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RACE №10:

FRED W. HOOPER STAKES (G3)

1 MILE (DIRT)
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$150,000

OVERVIEW:

A crazy-full field of 13 horses will contest this year's running of the Fred W. Hooper, which looks extremely competitive on paper. Several of these horses like to go to the front as well, which could lead to a puzzling pace scenario, and that blurs the picture even further.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A FAST PACE

Pure Speed: *Mish, Octane, Black Belt, Picking Up Pennies, Doc Amster, Dean Delivers*

Pressing Speed: *Hoist the Gold, Prevalence*

Stalkers: *Endorsed, The Reds, Twelve Volt Man*

Closers: *Miles D, Noble Drama*

This race should have a blazing pace. Several of these horses like to go early, which could set it up for the closers in this spot.

TOP CHOICE: #7 PICKING UP PENNIES

Ever since this Saffie Joseph Jr. trainee moved to this 1-mile distance, he has been a force. He has 3 straight wins coming into this and it is a good sign that Jose Ortiz picked up the mount. There is no doubt this will be a jump up in class, though, which is the only question mark. We will see if he is up to the challenge.

MAJOR THREATS: #1 Miles D, #3 Mish, #6 Black Belt

Miles D returns today from a long layoff but has plenty of class and should get a nice pace setup here. Mish is the "other" Saffie horse in this race and could pull the upset on the front end. Black Belt goes for three in a row, while also getting Irad aboard once again.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #9 Endorsed, #11 Dean Delivers

Endorsed is always around in the end, and he finally won a race last time out Dean Delivers usually puts in a solid effort over this track and was second 3 starts back as this distance.

OTHERS: #2 Noble Drama, #4 Octane, #8 Doc Amster, #10 The Reds, #12 Prevalence, #13 Twelve Volt Man

This is easily the most wide-open race on the card. If you like horses that are in this category, do not let us talk you off of them. We just prefer others a tad more than this group.

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #7 Picking Up Pennies - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #1 Miles D - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #6 Black Belt - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

EXACTA: 1,6,7 BOX

TRIFECTA: 1,3,6,7 BOX

SUPERFECTA: 1,3,6,7 BOX

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 1,3,6,7

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$10 to win on #7 Picking Up Pennies

EXOTIC WAGER: \$.50 cent Trifecta BOX 1,3,6,7



RACE No11:

1 1/16 MILES (TURF)
Fillies & Mares
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$500,000

TAA PEGASUS WORLD CUP FILLY & MARE TURF (G3)

OVERVIEW:

Last year's inaugural Pegasus Filly and Mare Turf provided an entertaining race while producing a great winner in Regal Glory. The second running of the race looks just as exciting, with another Chad Brown horse likely to be favored this year in Shantisara. This will not be easy, though, as several of these are talented runners.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A FAST PACE

Pure Speed: *Artie's Princess, Dalika, Bay Storm*

Pressing Speed: *Justify My Love*

Stalkers: *Sweet Enough, Mona Stella, Queen Goddess*

Closers: *Wakanaka, Lady Rockstar, Shantisara, Perseverancia*

For a turf race, this one look like it will have a pretty fast pace, which should really set up well for horses coming from behind.

TOP CHOICE: #3 WAKANAKA

She comes into this race off of a nice win at Keeneland, where she defeated a few of her main rivals here. The pace looks to be considerably strong in this spot, which will only help her late running style. If she fires a top effort, then she is going to be tough to hold off as she looks to make up for finishing sixth in this race last year, which was her first start in the United States.

MAJOR THREATS: #2 Dalika, #7 Lady Rockstar, #9 Shantisara

Dalika looks for 2 straight wins today after a dominant effort last time out in the Cardinal Handicap (G3) at Churchill Downs. Lady Rockstar was a close second in the local prep race for this one last time out. Shantisara is a deserving favorite; however, she must rebound from a poor effort in her last start.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #4 Sweet Enough, #6 Queen Goddess

Sweet Enough goes for 2 in a row today after a nice allowance win over this track in her last start. This will be her third race off of the layoff. Queen Goddess also goes for 2 in a row today after a sharp Grade 3 score at Santa Anita Park in her last start.

OTHERS: #1 Artie's Princess, #5 Mona Stella, #8 Justify My Love, #10 Bay Storm, #11 Perseverancia

This race looks to be a little top-heavy, which makes these horses hard to play. It would be surprised if any of these made a huge impact in the race.

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #3 Wakanaka - Confidence Level: 3.5 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #9 Shantisara - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #7 Lady Rockstar - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

EXACTA: 3,7,9 BOX

TRIFECTA: 2,3,7,9 BOX

SUPERFECTA: 2,3,7,9 BOX

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 3,9

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$20 to win on #3 Wakanaka

EXOTIC WAGER: \$2 Exacta BOX 3,7,9



RACE No12:

PEGASUS WORLD CUP TURF STAKES (G1)

1 1/8 MILES (TURF)
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$1,000,000

OVERVIEW:

The Pegasus World Cup Turf has been a great addition to this card and this year's race looks stout on paper once again. A full field of 12 plus 2 also eligibles have signed on to compete in yet another race that looks pretty wide-open on paper.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A MODERATE PACE

Pure Speed: *Atone, One More Bid*

Pressing Speed: *Lady Speightspeare, Ivar, City Man*

Stalkers: *Wit, Good Governance, Decorated Invader*

Closers: *Hurricane Dream, Speaking Scout, Who's the Star, Master Piece*

There is enough speed in this race to keep things honest; however, we should not see a blazing pace in this one. Everyone should have a fair chance.

TOP CHOICE: #12 CITY MAN

There is no doubt the post draw is not great for City Man today, but he comes into this race on a roll, including a very impressive win in the local prep. His early stalking speed will be a nice weapon here, plus he has shown a solid closing kick in his last couple of races despite being boxed in for a lot of the race. He should be sitting on a big effort.

MAJOR THREATS: #6 Lady Speightspeare, #9 Decorated Invader, #10 Ivar

Lady Speightspeare will try the boys today after running third in the Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf (G1) last time out. Decorated Invader was an impressive second in the local prep race for this. Ivar always seems to hit the board in these races but never can quite finish the job.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #1 Wit, #4 Hurricane Dream, #7 Speaking Scout

Wit nearly won a Grade 1 race last time out but must move up to face older horses today, which will be a challenge. Hurricane Dream makes his first start in the United States but has a solid overseas resume. Speaking Scout won the Hollywood Derby (G1) in his last start.

OTHERS: #2 Good Governance, #3 Atone, #5 One More Bid, #8 Who's the Star, #11 Master Piece

This is one of the more wide-open races on the card, so don't be scared to use some of these if you like them. Pretty much every horse could make an impact in this race.

Also Eligibles: #13 King Cause, #14 Steady On

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #12 City Man - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #10 Ivar - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #6 Lady Speightspeare - Confidence Level: 2.5 out of 5

EXACTA: 6,10,12 BOX

TRIFECTA: 6,9,10,12 BOX

SUPERFECTA: 6,9,10,12 BOX

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 6,10,12

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$10 to win on #12 City Man

EXOTIC WAGER: \$.50 cent Trifecta BOX 6,9,10,12 BOX



RACE No13:

PEGASUS WORLD CUP STAKES (G1)

1 1/8 MILES (DIRT)
4-Year-Olds & Upward
\$3,000,000

OVERVIEW:

It's time for the main event! The Pegasus World Cup does not have a huge headliner like in years past; however, from a betting standpoint, it is probably the best edition of the race ever. We have seen mostly shorter prices win in the past, but this year looks pretty wide-open, which will make things interesting.

RACE SHAPE: EXPECT A FAST PACE

Pure Speed: *Ridin With Biden, Defunded*

Pressing Speed: *White Abarrio, Art Collector, Stilleto Boy*

Stalkers: *Simplification, Skippylongstocking, Cyberknife*

Closers: *Proxy, Get Her Number, Last Samurai, O'Connor*

There is no way around this one being fast up front because there are a few horses in here who can fly. If a closer is good enough, they will have an honest shot here to pick up the pieces.

TOP CHOICE: #10 CYBERKNIFE

This race looks to be much more competitive than recent years; however, we are still going with the favorite. Cyberknife seems to be the classiest horse in the race, coming into this race off of an impressive second in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile (G1). That race has been a great producer of Pegasus winners, so we will give that angle a shot once again this year.

MAJOR THREATS: #4 White Abarrio, #5 Defunded, #7 Skippylongstocking

White Abarrio seems to be rounding back into form, and the last time he was at Gulfstream Park he won the Florida Derby (G1). Defunded goes for 3 in a row in this spot today for Bob Baffert. Skippylongstocking won the local prep for this race in impressive fashion.

LONGSHOTS TO USE: #1 Proxy, #2 Simplification, #11 Stilleto Boy

Proxy goes for 2 Grade 1 wins in a row after a nice victory in the Clark Stakes (G1) at Churchill Downs. Simplification looks to get back on track after a lackluster effort last time out. Stilleto Boy was a solid third in this race last season.

OTHERS: #3 Ridin With Biden, #6 Art Collector, #8 Get Her Number, #9 Last Samurai, #12 O'Connor

There is a lot of filler in this race that just doesn't look to have much of a chance. Unfortunately, that seems to be everyone in this group.

Also Eligibles: #13 Hoist the Gold, #14 Endorsed

PICKS AND PLAYS:

BET TO WIN: #10 Cyberknife - Confidence Level: 4 out of 5

BET TO PLACE: #7 Skippylongstocking - Confidence Level: 4 out of 5

ACROSS THE BOARD PLAY: #5 Defunded - Confidence Level: 3 out of 5

EXACTA: 5,7,10 BOX

TRIFECTA: 4,5,7,10 BOX

SUPERFECTA: 4,5,7,10 BOX

MULTI-RACE WAGER HORSES: 5,7,10

STRAIGHT WAGER: \$40 to win on #10 Cyberknife

EXOTIC WAGER: \$5 Exacta BOX 5,7,10

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Race 1: 2-3-7-13

#2 Breaker of Chains gets class relief today. **#3 Watch It** finally gets on the turf today, while making her second start off of a layoff. **#7 Siempre Elegante** gets class relief as well, while moving back to the turf today. **#13 Wonka** could be tough now that he draws into the race.

Exacta: 2,3,7 BOX

Trifecta: 2,3,7,13 BOX

Multi-Race: 2,3,7

Suggested Bet: \$.50 Cent Trifecta BOX 2,3,7,13

Race 2: 6-3-8-5

#6 Foxburg debuts for solid connections after several fast workouts. **#3 Kentucky Joker** was a solid third behind a good horse last time out. **#8 Bourbon Resolve** should improve in his second start after running decent on debut. **#5 Summonyourcourage** has been close to winning several times, while having the best connections in the race.

Exacta: 3,6,8 BOX

Trifecta: 3,5,6,8 BOX

Multi-Race: 3,5,6,8

Suggested Bet: \$.50 Cent Trifecta BOX 3,5,6,8

Race 3: 1-7-9-11

#1 Corelli has the fastest speed figures in the race but returns off of a long layoff. **#7 Ready for the Lady** gets back to the turf today, while also returning to the distance where he won a Grade 3 race 3 starts back at Woodbine. **#9 Ever Dangerous** gets Irad Ortiz Jr. aboard, which is a good sign. **#11 Onenightstandards** should be solid at this distance for Maker.

Exacta: 1,7,9 BOX

Trifecta: 1,7,9,11 BOX

Multi-Race: 1

Suggested Bet: \$.50 Trifecta BOX 1,7,9,11

Race 4: 7-1-6-3

#7 Mozay moves over to the synthetic surface after 2 solid races on the turf. **#1 Kahiko** moves back to her best surface today. **#6 Keeper of Time** won this race last season. **#3 Cafe Society** moves back to the synthetic surface, where she nearly won twice at Presque Isle Downs.

Exacta: 1,6,7 BOX

Trifecta: 1,3,6,7 BOX

Multi-Race: 1,3,6,7

Suggested Bet: \$.50 Cent Trifecta BOX 1,3,6,7

Race 5: 4-1-2-11

#4 Axthelm gets back to the turf today, while also getting class relief, and cutting back in distance. **#1 Double Clutch** also gets solid class relief for this but returns off of a layoff. **#2 Chasing the Crown** looks for 2 straight wins after a nice maiden win in his last start. **#11 Journeyman** runs first off of the claim for Saffie Joseph Jr., which could lead to improvement.

Exacta: 1,2,4 BOX

Trifecta: 1,2,4,11 BOX

Multi-Race: 1,2,4,11

Suggested Bet: \$.50 Cent Trifecta BOX 1,2,4,11



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MULTI-RACE ANALYSIS & PLAYS

RACE 1: \$0.50 PICK 5

2,3,7 with 3,5,6,8 with 1 with 1,3,6,7 with 1,2,4,11 = \$96

RACE 2: \$0.50 PICK 4

3,5,6,8 with 1 with 1,3,6,7 with 1,2,4,11 = \$32

RACE 6: \$0.50 PICK 4

5 with 2,5,8,10 with 1,4,7,10 with 3,4,6,7,11 = \$40

RACE 8: \$0.20 PICK 6

1,4,7,10 with 3,4,6,7,11 with 1,3,6,7 with 3,9 with 6,9,10,12 with 10 = \$128

RACE 9: \$0.50 PICK 5

4,6,7,11 with 1,6,7 with 3,9 with 6,10,12 with 5,7,10 = \$108

RACE 10: \$0.50 PICK 4

1,3,6,7 with 3,9 with 6,10,12 with 5,7,10 = \$36



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La Prevoyante Stakes	Adventuring Beside Herself Transient Personal Best	Adventuring Personal Best Transient Beside Herself	Adventuring Personal Best Transient Beside Herself	Personal Best Adventuring Transient Beside Herself	Adventuring Personal Best Lisheen Beside Herself	Beside Herself Transient Adventuring Personal Best	Personal Best Adventuring Transient Lisheen	Adventuring Personal Best Transient Beside Herself
Carousel Club	Steady On Skyro Greyes Creek Wolfie's Dynaghost	Into the Sunrise Steady On Summer Assault Skyro	Greyes Creek Ramsey Solution King Cause Steady On	Ramsey Solution Skyro Summer Assault Greyes Creek	Steady On Skyro Summer Assault California Frolic	Into the Sunrise Ramsey Solution King Cause Wolfie's Dynaghost	Steady On King Cause Skyro Wolfie's Dynaghost	Ramsey Solution Summer Assault Wolfie's Dynaghost Greyes Creek
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Pegasus World Cup Filly and Mare Turf	Wakanaka Shantisara Lady Rockstar Dalika	Queen Goddess Sweet Enough Shantisara Wakanaka	Shantisara Lady Rockstar Sweet Enough Wakanaka	Wakanaka Shantisara Lady Rockstar Artie's Princess	Wakanaka Dalika Shantisara Lady Rockstar	Wakanaka Dalika Shantisara Queen Goddess	Shantisara Wakanaka Lady Rockstar Dalkia	Shantisara Wakanaka Lady Rockstar Dalika
Pegasus World Cup Turf	City Man Ivar Lady Speightspeare Decorated Invader	City Man Lady Speightspeare Atone Ivar	City Man Master Piece Lady Speightspeare Atone	Lady Speightspeare Atone Ivar City Man	City Man Lady Speightspeare Wit Ivar	City Man Ivar Lady Speightspeare Atone	City Man Wit Atone Ivar	Ivar Hurricane Dream Lady Speightspeare City Man
Pegasus World Cup	Cyberknife Skippylongstocking Defunded White Abarrio	Skippylongstocking Defunded Cyberknife White Abarrio	Cyberknife Skippylongstocking White Abarrio Proxy	White Abarrio Defunded Cyberknife Proxy	Defunded Proxy Cyberknife Skippylongstocking	Cyberknife Simplification Skippylongstocking Art Collector	Cyberknife Art Collector Defunded White Abarrio	Proxy White Abarrio Get Her Number Art Collector



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