

RACE No9



PROJECTED PACE:



PACE ANALYSIS

Pure Speed: National Treasure, Muth

Pressing Speed: Subsanador

Stalkers: Newgate, Indispensable

Closers: Katonah, Senor Buscador

Summary: Trainer Bob Baffert has three runners in this race, including the two main speed horses, which means he should be able to control the early tempo. If he does, the others will be hard pressed to catch #3 National Treasure or #5 Muth, who already seems like the horses to beat regardless of the pace.

RACING DUDES

WORKOUT ANALYSIS

TRENDING UP

#3 National Treasure: fired a bullet in his last race which signals he's ready to rebound from a poor effort last out.

#5 Muth: Working strong for months leading up to last race; nice work since that race as well.

TRENDING DOWN

#1 Newgate: Slow recent works while running off of a layoff.

#7 Indispensable: Working a tad slower than normal since his last race on September 1st at Del Mar.

PICKS & PLAYS

WIN: #3 National Treasure

LONGSHOT: #1 Newgate

EXACTA: 3,5/2,3,5

TRIFECTA: 3,5/1,2,3,5/1,2,3,5

HALTERMAN



PICKS & PLAYS

WIN: #5 Muth

LONGSHOT: #1 Newgate

EXACTA: 5/3,6

TRIFECTA: 3,5/1,3,5,6/1,3,5,6

WELCH



TOP 4

1. #3 National Treasure
2. #5 Muth
3. #2 Subsanador
4. #1 Newgate

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1. #5 Muth
2. #3 National Treasure
3. #6 Senor Buscador
4. #1 Newgate

THE BET

WIN BET

#3 NATIONAL TREASURE

BANKROLL

10-15%

BET ANALYSIS

These are always tricky races to handicap when one trainer has multiple horses that show early speed. I project **#3 National Treasure** gets the lead, and **#5 Muth** stalks the pace, setting up a match race down the stretch. I think National Treasure will be able to hold him off if he gets out to a comfortable lead.

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THE BET

WIN BET

#5 MUTH

BANKROLL

10-15%

BET ANALYSIS

This really feels like a match race between the two main Bob Baffert horses. And while I do respect the **#3 National Treasure**, I'm a big believer in the **#5 Muth**. He's healthy, filled out, and should run huge here in a prep for the Classic. Fairly confident in him in this spot but won't be easy.

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