



# PICK OF THE DAY

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## Pace Scenario

Never Surprised is the lone pacesetter who will set brisk fractions from the start. His distance limitations will help set up my Pick of the Day Naval Power.

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## RACE #11

### #11 Naval Power (GB)

World class horseman Charles Appleby had 2 horses entered in the Gr. 1 Makers Mark Mile at Keeneland on April 12, both owned and bred by Godolphin. The prohibitive favorite was the eventual winner and heavy favorite Master of the Seas. Naval Power, his barn-mate, was 3rd choice at 5-1. It was evident that this 4 year old was clearly being 'prepped' for this Gr. 1 stake stretching out to 1 1/8 miles. One of the tell-tale signs of this master plan by Appleby was his choice of riders for Naval Power that day and the switch in jocks today. Gaffalione rode Naval Power in the Makers Mark with Frankie Dettori jumping aboard Integration. Today the rider carousel places Dettori on Naval Power with Gaffalione getting on Integration. This was by design. Naval Power is a cut below the best turf horses in the Appleby barn, but he has shown steady progress since returning as a new gelding this year off a layoff. There's no question he will prefer today's distance and some 'give' to the turf course. Drawing an outside post with a long run into the first turn is more beneficial to Naval Power than drawing inside.

## Wagering Strategy

- \* Win bet on (11) NAVAL POWER
  - \* Exactas 11 over 1-2-5-6, reverse each for 1/3 as much
  - \* Trifecta 11 over 1-2-5-6 over ALL = \$18 for a \$0.50 wager
  - \* Trifecta 11 over 1-2-5-6 over 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 = \$12 for a \$0.50 wager
  - \* Trifecta 11 over 1-2-5-6 over 1-2-5-6 = \$6 for a \$0.50 wager
  - \* Trifecta 1-2-5-6 over 11 over 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 = \$12 for a \$0.50 wager
- TOTAL TRIFECTA WAGERS = \$48

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