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We are three months through the year which means Triple Crown Madness takes center stage. And this year we think there is a legit chance that the Kentucky Derby winner comes out of the West Coast.

KEY WORKOUT NOTES FOR SANTA ANITA DERBY

I'LL HAVE ANOTHER – Burst onto the Derby scene in early February when crushing the field in the Robert B Lewis Stakes at monster odds of 43-1. The race has not proved productive. 2nd place finisher Empire Way is now officially off the Derby trail. 3rd place finisher Rousing Sermon has run twice since; finishing off the board in the San Vicente, and recently running 3rd in the Louisiana Derby this past Sunday.

- ***March 3rd***: Worked between races and drilled a brilliant six panels. Eye gouging move as he was on the engine every step. Never had to be asked to earn a 1:10.00.
- ***March 12th***: Strange mile drill. Caught three furlong interior fractions in a slow motion 39.80. Not much spark. Geared back on purpose?
- ***March 30th***: More of a six furlong drill with him galloping out seven. Maybe the race-day work has skewed my level of expectation but this was another drill that lacked genuine energy.

Overall this is a horse I still hold a glass full of skepticism with. There is obviously an abundance of talent, as his win in the Lewis and subsequent bullet train workout on the 3rd clearly illustrates. But when we get closer to

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the big day we are forced to get picky with our opinion. We shall see on race day if I'll Have Another changes me from a bear to a bull.

CREATIVE CAUSE – Answered the call in a huge way for Harrington in second start of the year. His San Vicente effort left a small question mark on whether or not this gray was on the right path in his 3yo year. In the San Felipe he moved boldly to the front group at the top of the stretch and it appeared he was going to destroy the field. He lost a bit of focus when floating very wide before finally getting back on task in the final furlong. Once he saw his competition he seemed to re-break. The performance vaulted him into the ranks of Union Rags as early Derby favorite.

- **March 28th**: Not one of his better drills. Best stride was found early. Came home under pushing pressure and was hot around the neck. Important to note that Harrington did not have him in blinkers and he has also not been wearing his blinkers in recent gallops.

I am eager to see if Harrington blows him out in a similar manner than he did before the San Felipe this week. Before the San Felipe he logged a razor sharp half mile drill. *Please check my twitter feed @ClockerDH* for an update on how he looks in that final drill.

PAYNTER – The most interesting runner in the field. Heads into a 1 1/8 Grade 1 test off one career race at the distance of 5.5 furlongs. In his debut he wowed. He took over in the stretch and powered away with Garcia all but taking a nap in the irons. Galloped out with a ton.

- **March 27th**: This drill was scary good. Toyed with fast stable-mate Gun Boat. Splits paint a pretty picture – 24.60, 59.00, 1:11.00 – added topping is that he did this while appearing to be in a breeze. Best drill from any 3yo I have seen this year.

Baffert clearly has a boat load of confidence in this guy if he is willing to throw him in the Santa Anita Derby off one 5.5 furlong race. Sure is a lot to ask of any horse.

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SANTA ANITA CONTINGENT - Midnight Transfer, Blueskiesnrainbows, and Brother Francis are all looking the part. It appears the ability to separate these three is going to hinge on daily activity leading up to the race. [Follow Toby Turrell on twitter @morningworks](#) for up to date info on these three runners.

MARCH MADNESS RESULTS PAINT A PROFITABLE PICTURE

Congratulations to Dave Mason and crew for a great tournament of plays. Their BEST PLAY (4-star) of the tournament Indiana covered in the opening round and it was a foreshadowing of the results to come. Overall the suggested plays are at 30-15 entering the final game. You can check out the products from March Madness for free by clicking on the March Madness link on the home page.

MLB & NBA ON CASE'S RADAR

Keep an eye out for premium info and opinion on MLB & NBA. Dave Mason and crew will be bringing the same diligence to these products as they did to CASE NFL and March Madness.

A FOLLOW-UP IS A MUST

We started out the meet with high expectations for the Bruce Headley trained runner **OCTANE**. The colt disappointed. But this disappointment could bring the possibility of value in the next go round. On March 28th Octane stood out in a team drill with older winner Circle the Moon. He managed to have his head in front of the winner in that team drill. If Octane gives us a sniff of value the next time he shows up we will be forced to use a nice percentage of our bankroll backing him. One of the many ways to find a price is to give a mulligan for poor performances to horses like Octane that have displayed above average ability in their morning routine.

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*workout info from Santa Anita provided by Toby Turrell

*workout info from Hollywood Park provided by Donald Harris

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