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## LATEST LOUISIANA DERBY PROBABLES

Based on Racing Office updates, published news reports and interviews with horsemen.

Louisiana Derby nominations close Saturday. Entries to be drawn March 27 at 11:30 a.m. in the Fair Grounds paddock.

**Horse**, alphabetically (with trainer, jockey when known and "Road to the Kentucky Derby" qualifying points) Career record, earnings; best efforts; most recent start listed last

Channel Isle (Wayne Lukas, Jon Court, 1)

8-2-1-1, \$100,650; Won Jan. 26 entry-level allowance at Oaklawn; 4<sup>th</sup>, Southwest (GIII)

Code West (Bob Baffert, Martin Garcia, 20)

6-1-3-2, \$146,000; 2<sup>nd</sup>, Feb. 23 Risen Star S. (GII) at FG, by a nose

**Departing** (Al Stall Jr., Brian Hernandez Jr., 0-not Triple Crown nominated)

3-3-0-0, \$78,000; Undefeated, won MSW, Alw at FG; Won March 2 \$50,000 Texas Heritage S. at Hou

Golden Soul (Dallas Stewart, Calvin Borel, 4)

4-1-2-0, \$77,400;  $2^{nd}$ , Jan. 19 Lecomte S. (GIII) at FG;  $6^{th}$ , Feb. 23 Risen Star S. (GII) at FG

**Ground Transport** (Michael Stidham, James Graham, 0)

2-2-0-0, \$55,800; Won Jan. 19 MSW and Feb. 23 Alw at FG

Hip Four Sixtynine (Bobby Barnett, Jamie Theriot, O-not Triple Crown nominated)

7-1-2-0, \$46,410; Won Feb. 23 MSW at FG

Mylute (Tom Amoss, Shaun Bridgmohan, 2)

8-2-2-2, \$217,695;  $2^{nd}$ , Jean Lafitte S. and  $3^{rd}$ , Delta Jackpot (GIII) at DeD;  $7^{th}$ , Feb. 23 Risen Star S. (GII) at FG

Nina's Dragon (Lloyd Mason, Julien Couton, 4-unranked, not Triple Crown nominated)

4-1-1-2, \$69,690; 2<sup>nd</sup>, Feb. 16 El Camino Real Derby (GIII) at GG

Palace Malice (Todd Pletcher, Edgar Prado, 10)

4-1-2-1, \$111,135; 3<sup>rd</sup>, Feb. 23 Risen Star S. (GII) at FG

**Proud Strike** (Steve Asmussen, 0)

4-1-1-1, \$40,180; Won Jan. 12 MSW at FG by 7  $\frac{1}{2}$  lengths;  $8^{th}$ , Feb. 23 Risen Star S. (GII) at FG

**Revoultionary** (Todd Pletcher, Javier Castellano, 10)

5-2-1-2, \$188,500; Won Dec. 28 MSW at Aqu by 8 ½ lengths; Won Feb. 2 Withers (GIII) at Aqu

**Sunbean** (Al Stall Jr., Colby Hernandez, 0-not Triple Crown nominated)

4-3-1-0, \$131,769; Won Dec. 31 La. Futurity, Feb. 1 Alw, Feb. 23 Gentilly S. at FG, all against fellow La.-breds

Tiz a Minister (Paul Aguirre, 10)

10-2-4-2, \$282,780; Won restricted Jan. 26 California Breeders Champion S. at SA; 3<sup>rd</sup>, San Felipe (GII) at SA