# Del Mar

## Race 5 — 11/14/2026

Class: Md Sp Wt 65k

Distance: 8f (1 mile)

Surface: Turf

Purse: $65,000

Starters: 9

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT. Purse $65,000 (plus $19,500 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. (Non-Starters For A Claiming Price Of $40,000 Or Less In The Last 3 Starts Preferred). (Rail at 12 feet).

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# COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

**Del Mar R5**
**Saturday, November 14, 2026 | 1 Mile Turf | 2YO | Maiden Special Weight**

## Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

### True Front Runners

**Will Do One** (Post 6) — The only proven speed: led into the stretch and dug in for 2nd in a dirt mile here on 8/22. First turf start.

### Stalkers / Pressers

**Dream Seeker** (Post 2) — A stalker-closer, not early speed: 4th-7th early in all three turf starts. **Ziwhat** (Post 8) pressed in 2nd-3rd early in his Emerald Downs routes.

### Closers

**Summer Mischief** (Post 5) and **Big Caslon** (Post 3) were mid-pack or worse early in their starts. **Psalm** (Post 9), **Flight Club** (Post 1) and **Movingwithpurpose** (Post 7) come from off the pace. First-time starter **Special Performer** (Post 4) has no running style yet.

### Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **MODERATE** early pace—projected :23 1/5 opening quarter, :47 2/5 half-mile. Will Do One is the lone speed; Dream Seeker sits behind him.

## Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

| Post | Horse | ML Odds | Model Win % | Implied ML % | Edge |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Flight Club | 8-1 | 7% | 11.1% | -4.1% |
| 2 | Dream Seeker | 3-1 | 28% | 25.0% | **+3.0%** |
| 3 | Big Caslon | 8-1 | 8% | 11.1% | -3.1% |
| 4 | Special Performer | 6-1 | 10% | 14.3% | -4.3% |
| 5 | Summer Mischief | 5-1 | 18% | 16.7% | **+1.3%** |
| 6 | Will Do One | 4-1 | 11% | 20.0% | -9.0% |
| 7 | Movingwithpurpose | 15-1 | 3% | 6.3% | -3.3% |
| 8 | Ziwhat | 8-1 | 10% | 11.1% | -1.1% |
| 9 | Psalm | 10-1 | 5% | 9.1% | -4.1% |
| | **TOTAL** | | **100%** | **124.7%** | |







Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion. Corrected: Dream Seeker 25.0% (not 20.1%), so he is +3.0% (not +7.9%); Will Do One 20.0%; Summer Mischief 16.7% (+1.3%, not +4.6%); the 8-1s 11.1%, so Ziwhat is –1.1% (not +1.1%). Dream Seeker, the 3-1 favorite, is an overlay—no fade.

## Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

**Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★★★)**

**Dream Seeker** (Post 2) — Model Win %: 28%

PTW Profile: The model's top horse and the 3-1 morning-line favorite. Girvin gelding, 0-for-3, all at a mile on turf. The form line is the reverse of what the report said: 3rd here on 7/26, **2nd by 3/4** as the 2-1 favorite here on 9/4, then **7th by 5 1/2 at 12-5** at Santa Anita on 10/3. Michael McCarthy is 0-for-4 at the meet. Juan Hernandez (6-for-16) rides. At 3-1 (25.0% implied), +3.0%.

Strengths: Most turf experience; top rider; two good efforts here.

Concerns: Flat as the favorite last out.

Trip Projection: Stalks inside and bids in the stretch.

**Summer Mischief** (Post 5) — Model Win %: 18%

PTW Profile: Greatest Honour gelding, 0-for-2. 6th by 4 1/2 in a 6f turf maiden at Santa Anita on 10/11 at 29-1; 4th in a $150,000 maiden claimer on dirt here on 8/8. Mid-pack early in both—not early speed. Stretches from 6f to a mile. Jeff Mullins is 1-for-2 at the meet. Kyle Frey rides. At 5-1 (16.7% implied), +1.3%.

**Will Do One** (Post 6) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: Omaha Beach colt, 0-for-3, all on dirt. 2nd by 1 1/2 on the lead in a dirt mile here on 8/22; 8th by 10 1/4 at Santa Anita on 10/12. First turf start. Gary Mandella is 0-for-6 this year and 0-for-16 on turf. At 4-1 (20.0% implied), –9.0%.

**Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★★★)**

**Special Performer** (Post 4) — Model Win %: 10%

PTW Profile: **First-time starter** by Oscar Performance. Jeff Mullins is 11% with debut runners and 13% first time on turf. Joel Rosario rides. UNRATED. At 6-1 (14.3% implied), –4.3%.

**Ziwhat** (Post 8) — Model Win %: 10%

PTW Profile: 0-for-4 with three 3rds, **all at Emerald Downs** (not El Segundo), in a maiden race and three local stakes—none graded. First turf start. Jerry Hollendorfer trains. Kazushi Kimura rides. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), –1.1%.

**Tier 3 — Pace Factors / Longshots (★★)**

**Big Caslon** (Post 3, 8%): One start, 6th by 11 1/4 in a 5f turf maiden at Indiana Grand; he was 6th early, not on the lead. –3.1%.





**Flight Club** (Post 1, 7%): $260,000 Flightline colt, 0-for-2 on dirt; first turf start. George Papaprodromou is 0-for-8 at the meet and 0-for-27 with first-time turf starters. –4.1%.

**Psalm** (Post 9, 5%): $1,250,000 Into Mischief colt, 5th as the 13-10 favorite and 10th on dirt; first turf start. –4.1%.

**Movingwithpurpose** (Post 7, 3%): 8th in a 5f turf maiden; blinkers on. –3.3%.

## Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

### PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

| Horse | Opening Speed | Sustained Speed | Deceleration Profile |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dream Seeker | STRONG | ELITE | Low — turf form |
| Summer Mischief | STRONG | STRONG | Moderate |
| Will Do One | ELITE | VULNERABLE | High — dirt speed |
| Ziwhat | STRONG | STRONG | Moderate — three 3rds |
| Big Caslon | STRONG | VULNERABLE | High |
| Flight Club | STRONG | VULNERABLE | High |
| Movingwithpurpose | STRONG | VULNERABLE | High |
| Psalm | VULNERABLE | VULNERABLE | High |
| Special Performer | UNRATED | UNRATED | First-time starter |

### Critical MPH Insight

**Dream Seeker** keeps the best sustained rating but is a stalker, not the speed (STRONG opening). **Will Do One** is the early leader. Ziwhat is downgraded from ELITE sustained: his three 3rds came at Emerald Downs on dirt.

## Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

### Likely to Improve

**Dream Seeker** — Back to Del Mar, where he ran his two best races.

**Summer Mischief** — Stretches out after a sprint try on turf.

### Bounce / Regression Risks

**Will Do One** — Turf debut for a barn winless on turf this year.

**Psalm** — Badly beaten in both starts.





## Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

**WIN BET: DREAM SEEKER** — Confidence 5/10 — Target odds: 11-4 or better

Model projects 28% win probability, the highest in the field. At 3-1 (25.0% implied), +3.0%. Fair price is about 5-2.

Value Assessment: **SLIGHT VALUE** (+3.0%).

**VALUE PLAY: SUMMER MISCHIEF** — Confidence 3/10 — Target odds: 5-1 or better

Model projects 18% at 5-1 (16.7% implied): +1.3%.

**LONGSHOT PLAY: None**—no overlay at 10-1 or higher.

**Multi-Race Sequences: Pick 3 / Pick 4 / Pick 5 / Pick 6 — Top 3**

**A: Dream Seeker** — 28%
**B: Summer Mischief** — 18%
**C: Will Do One** — 11%

**Combined Projected Probability: 57%**

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## Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★★ (3 of 5 stars)

**Dream Seeker** is the top pick and the favorite, and he is an overlay. No favorite to fade. Five horses make their turf debut.

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