

# BETFRED

Visit our online betting website

[www.betfred.co.za](http://www.betfred.co.za)



BETFRED

OFFICIAL BETTING PARTNER



SCAN HERE TO  
DOWNLOAD FIXTURES

01 DEC 2025

**MAX PAYOUT LIMIT:**  
ON HORSE RACING



**R5 MILLION**

HORSE RACING TOTEPOOL (OPEN-BET)



**R200 000**

HORSE RACING (FIXED-ODDS)

## KENILWORTH (SA) BETTING NOW AVAILABLE

**06**  
DEC 2025

### Cape Filles Guineas

**13**  
DEC 2025

### Cape Guines



# s'Thatha iFestive

STAND A CHANCE TO WIN  
DAILY WITH BETFRED

Take a Nifty Fifty Bet to the value  
of R25 or more to enter.

Draws take place daily at 3pm.



AIRTIME

VOUCHERS

SMARTPHONES

SMART TV



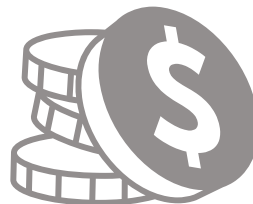
## FREDS BEST BET (UK)

**Crest Of Stars**  
(Plumpton Race3)

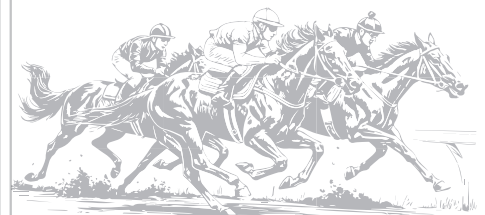
**Shipbourne**  
(Kempton Race 1)

**Laddie Cooper Mia**  
(Ayr race 5)

TOP UP  
YOUR ONLINE  
ACCOUNT  
HERE IN STORE



TOTE STRETCH  
**BETFRED**  
offers **5% Boost**  
on the selected tote markets



**18+**

Ts & Cs Apply

BETFRED is a licensed betting operator. No person under the age of 18 years is permitted to gamble.

Winners know when to stop. National Responsible Gambling Programme toll-free counselling line: 0800 006 008

**R1 AYR** 4846m  
 13:15 | (GMT12:15) | GBP £8,000 | 4U HCP CHSE C5  
 2026 AYR RACECOURSE MEMBERSHIPS NOW...  
 Chase **TURF** **SOFT** Participants #11

**JIRKO** (3) was a respectable third on seasonal reappearance making debut over fences in a Kelso novice handicap chase improving from some poor results in hurdle races. Will be thereabouts. **WAINWRIGHT** (8) provides first start this season delivering initial chase outing. Last seen finishing sixth in a handicap hurdle at this venue during February. Placed third the start prior at Newcastle. Potential. **LEWA HOUSE** (6) lost out by 0.5L placing second before failing to follow up when fifth over course and distance a month ago. Could bounce back. **DIDNTGOTWENTY** (10) is not discounted running third on the penultimate attempt..

**1 WHOLLY BOLEY** 76.0kg  
 63x20 Jockey: SEAN BOWEN ★  
 Trainer: D F BOURKE  
 Owner: Scott Lowther  
 D Career: 11 : 1-2-1 (37 days)  
 Ran in a steeplechase (4700m) at Kelso last time out but failed to finish. Worth another chance and cannot be discounted lightly.

**2 SWALLOWS SONG** 74.0kg  
 474x7 Jockey: D MCMENAMIN ★  
 Trainer: I JARDINE  
 Owner: Raymond Anderson Green  
 Career: 13 : 1-2-4 (37 days)  
 Was returning from a layoff last start when beaten 19 lengths into seventh in a hurdle (4500m) at Kelso. Improvement in store.

**3 JIRKO** 73.0kg  
 8x0x3 Jockey: MR B LYNN  
 Trainer: N W ALEXANDER  
 Owner: Gemmell, Horn, Morris & M  
 Career: 7 : 0-0-1 (23 days)  
 Made a strong return from a 267-day layoff last time out in a steeplechase (4700m) at Kelso, finishing third when partnered by today's rider Bruce Lynn. Strips fitter and is again a top chance.

**4 TORY HILL** 71.5kg  
 0587x Jockey: M J BEWLEY  
 Trainer: G BEWLEY  
 Owner: Alan Udale  
 Career: 9 : 0-4-0 (293 days)  
 Seven-year-old gelding who returns from a break. Finished off last campaign when seventh in a steeplechase (4820m) at this track. Resuming in tougher. Rates a place hope only on run before a spell.

**5 RED NED** 70.5kg  
 60x07 Jockey: C NICHOL  
 Trainer: M A M THOMSON  
 Owner: Cakemuir Racing  
 Career: 11 : 0-1-0 (30 days)  
 Finished a modest seventh in a hurdle (4900m) at this track last start. That came after he eased out of the race two runs ago. Confidence may have taken a hit.

**6 LEWA HOUSE** 70.0kg  
 282x5 Jockey: ROSS CHAPMAN  
 Trainer: CATCH BISSETT  
 Owner: Bissett Racing  
 Career: 27 : 1-5-4 (30 days)  
 Returned from a layoff last time out in a steeplechase (4800m) at this track, finishing fifth when partnered by today's rider Ross Chapman. Fitter and expected to go close this time.

**7 JOIE MORE** 70.0kg  
 09x04 Jockey: M J HAMILTON  
 Trainer: M J STEPHEN  
 Owner: Mrs Jackie Stephen  
 Career: 14 : 0-2-0 (23 days)  
 Safely held latest finishing fourth but beaten 11 lengths in a steeplechase (4700m) at Kelso. Rates well and can feature in the finish again.

**8 WAINWRIGHT** 69.5kg  
 x736x Jockey: CALLUM BEWLEY  
 Trainer: N RICHARDS ★  
 Owner: Greystoke Owners lli  
 Career: 6 : 0-0-1 (293 days)  
 Back from a 293-day break. Finished off last campaign when sixth in a hurdle (4100m) at this track, beaten 24 lengths. Could prove tough to stop.

**9 WORTH THE WALK** 67.5kg  
 x687x Jockey: BRIAN HUGHES  
 Trainer: M HAMMOND  
 Owner: Phil Ellerby  
 D BF Career: 7 : 1-2-1 (309 days)  
 Not raced for 11 months. Closed off last preparation when seventh in a hurdle (3990m) at Sedgefield, beaten 52 lengths. Solid top-three chance.

**10 DIDNTGOTWENTY** 66.0kg  
 47x35 Jockey: SEAN QUINLAN  
 Trainer: M TODHUNTER  
 Owner: J W Hazeldean  
 Career: 9 : 0-0-1 (30 days)  
 Opened the campaign with a respectable third in a hurdle (4030m) at Hexham then last start was outside the top-three in a hurdle (4900m) at this track four weeks ago. Major player.

**11 KNIGHTPHASE** 64.5kg  
 00x70 Jockey: PETER JAY KAVANAGH  
 Trainer: W COLTHERD  
 Owner: Coltherd Racing Club  
 D BF Career: 5 : 1-0-0 (23 days)  
 Failed to finish last start over the jumps at Kelso after finishing seventh the run before in a 4200m hurdle at Kelso. Expect he will struggle.

**R2 AYR** 3218m  
 13:45 | (GMT12:45) | GBP £9,000 | 4U HDLE C4  
 WESTERN HOUSE HOTEL VOUCHERS FOR CH...  
 Hurdle **TURF** **SOFT** Participants #12

**UPON TWEED** (1) bids for a hat-trick in as many career outings. Was a dominant 8.5L winner of a Newcastle jumpers flat race before winning by the same margin a course and distance novice hurdle. Leading contender. **TAKENASRED** (10) made a good start to hurdling when second in a Down Royal maiden hurdle on most recent appearance after failing to place in jumpers flat races. May go one better. **STEDE BONNET** (9) failed to land three-in-a-row finishing sixth on hurdle debut at Galway during August. Interesting following a break. **BALLYEDWARD** (2) is not discounted delivering initial hurdle outing after placing third at Down Royal last month.

**1 UPON TWEED** 73.0kg  
 1x1 Jockey: D MCMENAMIN ★★  
 Trainer: N RICHARDS ★  
 Owner: Eddie Melville  
 CD Career: 2 : 2-0-0 (30 days)  
 Travelled at the head of the field and got the job done first-up in a hurdle (3200m) at this track which was just his second racetrack appearance. Hard to stop again.

**2 BALLYEDWARD** 70.0kg  
 x20x3 Jockey: BRIAN HUGHES  
 Trainer: S CRAWFORD  
 Owner: SF Mcelroy  
 Career: 5 : 0-1-2 (31 days)  
 Resumed after a 211-day spell last start with a strong third in a bumper (3419m) at Down Royal. Fitter and sure to go well again.

**3 CHIEFMAN** 70.0kg  
 35690 Jockey: N MOSCROP  
 Trainer: R M SMITH  
 Owner: Bruce, Gillies And Smith  
 Career: 22 : 1-3-3 (57 days)  
 Latest form hasn't been up to scratch and he is now 616 days without a win. Finished 12th in a hurdle at Kelso latest. Has ability but struggling for form and needs to find best to feature here.

**4 CK O'MARA** 70.0kg  
 0 Jockey: BEN SMITH  
 Trainer: R M SMITH  
 Owner: John Murphy  
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (30 days)  
 Beaten 62 lengths on debut in a hurdle (3200m) at this track in soft going at very long odds. Should be improved but place prospects appear best.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
		2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	11				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	6		11		8	1	11
2nd	1	-	1	-	2	2	2
3rd	10		9		4	10	9

**5 DEFYING GRAVITY**

70.0kg

40x00 Jockey: ALAN DOYLE  
Trainer: ANDREW HAMILTON ★  
Owner: A B Hamilton  
Career: 5 : 0-0-0 (19 days)



Well held two starts back and wasn't any better in a hurdle (3200m) at this track in latest performance. Winless over this trip and needs to improve to feature.

**6 L'ARME DE BONHEUR**

70.0kg

2x0 Jockey: MR B LYNN  
Trainer: N W ALEXANDER  
Owner: Sandy's Angels  
Career: 2 : 0-1-0 (30 days)



Comes here 30 days after a 59 length 11th first-up in a hurdle (3200m) at this track at just his second racetrack appearance. Must be respected.

**7 LIKE MINDED**

70.0kg

Jockey: D FOX  
Trainer: LUCINDA RUSSELL & MICHAEL SCUDAMORE  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: First Start



Gelding by Wings Of Eagles out of Winged Empress. Was a EUR € 47,000 (Tattersalls.ie 2024 Derby Sale) purchase. Tough assignment at his first outing so tempted to favour others.

**8 ONE MILL HARBOUR**

70.0kg

5x11x Jockey: CHARLOTTE JONES +  
Trainer: J MOFFATT  
Owner: Darren Naylor  
D Career: 7 : 3-0-1 (752 days)



Returns from a 752-day spell. Finished off last prep with a win in a steeplechase (3100m) at Hexham, scoring by 7 lengths. Genuine jumper with three wins to his name from seven starts. Maybe later in the prep.

**9 STEDE BONNET**

70.0kg

2116x Jockey: SEAN BOWEN ★  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT ★  
Owner: Agardsley Investments Lim  
Career: 4 : 2-1-0 (121 days)



Form was good prior to a disappointing run last time in a maiden hurdle (3419m) at Galway so went for a break. Great chance on best form.

**10 TAKENASRED**

70.0kg

x50x2 Jockey: J J SLEVIN  
Trainer: SCRAWFORD  
Owner: J J Taylor  
Career: 6 : 0-1-0 (30 days)



Second up. Was second when resuming in a maiden hurdle (3419m) at Down Royal at long odds. Will strip much fitter for the run. Well placed here and could prove tough to beat.

**11 THE COFFEY BOY**

70.0kg

x1x86 Jockey: CALLUM BEWLEY  
Trainer: I DUNCAN  
Owner: Sinclair, Davidson & Hamm  
Career: 4 : 1-0-0 (19 days)



Unplaced in two appearances this time in work, both over the jumps. Finished eighth when resuming then was 15 lengths away in sixth more recently in a hurdle (3200m) at this track. Will be thereabouts.

**12 WHEREARETHEJUDGES**

70.0kg

4x Jockey: SEAN QUINLAN  
Trainer: D F BOURKE  
Owner: Janet Lowther & Michelle  
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (247 days)



Fresh up here after making debut then heading back to the paddock. Kicked off career in a at Tranwell back in March 29, and was safely held when fourth and beaten 8 lengths. Has since switched yards. Looks tested without big improvement.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
4	6	3, 5, 10, 11	1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 12				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1	1	1	1	9	9	1
2nd	9	9	8	-	3	7	8
3rd	10	11	-	-	4	1	11

**Favorite: UPON TWEED**  
**Possible alternative: TAKENASRED**  
**The cover: LIKE MINDED**

**R3 AYR**

4892m

14:15 | (GMT13:15) | GBP £8,000 | 4UHCP HDLE C5

BOOK NEW YEARS DAY LUNCH @WESTERNHO...

Hurdle **TURF** **SOFT** Participants #10

TAKE A HIKE (5) left behind three disappointing efforts winning by 3.75L attempting a handicap hurdle at Kelso on most recent appearance. Under the same claiming jockey as last time and rates a major player. ZEEZEE (8) bids to turn a pair of runner-up efforts into a win after placing second in a novice handicap hurdle at Perth before filling the same spot at Sedgefield. May go one better. SHOESHINE BOY (3) left behind five disappointing efforts to place third in a Hexham handicap hurdle last time. Holds winning course and distance form. Place hope. KELVIN FORLONGE (2) only placed once in five starts. Interesting making handicap debut.

**1 OUR SAM**

76.0kg

200x0 Jockey: MISS LEAH NORECI  
Trainer: J MOFFATT  
Owner: Paul Bartlett & Djm  
Career: 30 : 4-3-2 (10 days)  
Gear: [blinkers]



Resumed after a 97-day spell last start and was eased out of the race in a hurdle (5100m) at Catterick. Prefer to see again.

**2 KELVIN FORLONGE**

75.5kg

x4x55 Jockey: P WADGE  
Trainer: LUCINDA RUSSELL & MICHAEL SCUDAMORE  
Owner: R B H Young  
Career: 5 : 0-0-1 (23 days)



Easily accounted for last start in a hurdle (4500m) at Kelso finishing fifth and beaten 26 lengths. Looks to be on the up and can take the next step.

**3 SHOESHINE BOY**

74.5kg

79x83 Jockey: C MAGGS  
Trainer: D W WHILLANS  
Owner: Mousetrap Racing  
CD Career: 34 : 5-8-3 (24 days)



Well held last start in a hurdle (4700m) at Hexham finishing third and beaten 13 lengths. Strong run latest and can measure up this time.

**4 BOLLIN MATILDA**

71.0kg

1x6x0 Jockey: R MCLERNON  
Trainer: D W WHILLANS  
Owner: Callum Whillans  
Career: 12 : 2-0-1 (24 days)



Returned from a spell in a hurdle (4700m) at Hexham but failed to finish. Worth another chance and is worth consideration.

**5 TAKE A HIKE**

69.0kg

x47x1 Jockey: JAMIE BRACE +  
Trainer: D J JEFFREYS  
Owner: Barber, Hunter's Jeffreys  
Career: 12 : 1-3-1 (23 days)



Returned from a 169-day spell last start with a win in a hurdle (4200m) at Kelso with today's rider Jamie Brace piloting. Leading contender.

**6 COVENTRY**

68.5kg

46887 Jockey: PETER JAY KAVANAGH  
Trainer: M L HARRISON  
Owner: Dally Jock Tony & Dah Rac  
Career: 37 : 1-6-0 (41 days)



Struggling to break through and has been a long time now since a win. May well be suited by the longer distance now. Looks well placed here and gets chance to do better.

**7 BOOLAMORE CLASSIC**

66.5kg

350x0 Jockey: MR B LYNN +  
Trainer: N W ALEXANDER  
Owner: Quandt, Cochrane, Lysaght  
C BF Career: 13 : 1-1-1 (23 days)



Returned from a spell in a steeplechase (4700m) at Kelso but failed to finish. Worth another chance and shouldn't be far away.

**8 ZEEZEE**

64.5kg

5x522 Jockey: SEAN QUINLAN  
Trainer: ADAM NICOL  
Owner: Semore Kurdi  
Career: 7 : 0-2-0 (25 days)



In the money two runs ago in a hurdle (4810m) at Perth. Repeated the dose last time when second in a hurdle (4200m) at Sedgefield, beaten 13 lengths. A big run is on the cards.

**9 SOLWAY PRIMROSE**

64.5kg

15x0x Jockey: D MCMENAMIN ★★  
Trainer: M L HARRISON  
Owner: D A Harrison Racing  
Career: 9 : 1-1-1 (81 days)



Failed to finish at the final run last campaign over 4670m at Ulttoxeter. Faces a tough task.



**10 EUCHAN FALLS**

64.5kg



8270x Jockey: N MOSCROP  
Trainer: R M SMITH  
Owner: Blue Circle Racing  
C Career: 36 : 2-7-0 (135 days)

Resumes today after a break of five months. Last raced when he pulled up in a 5100m steeplechase at Cartmel. Sure to measure up on his best form.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
	3, 6	1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 10	7, 9

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	5	5	3	7	10	4	4
2nd	7	7	-	3	1	5	1
3rd	8	-	-	10	8	9	9

**Favorite:** TAKE A HIKE  
**Possible alternative:** ZEEZEE  
**The cover:** SHOESHINE BOY

**3 ROCK ON JET**

73.5kg



x134x Jockey: M J BEWLEY  
Trainer: G BEWLEY  
Owner: Ivinson, Mandle, Annett An  
C Career: 9 : 1-3-3 (251 days)

Not raced for nine months. Closed off last preparation when fourth in a hurdle (3250m) at Hexham, beaten 7 lengths. Makes strong appeal.

**4 MY KIWI GIRL**

73.0kg



221x0 Jockey: **BRIAN HUGHES +**  
Trainer: N W ALEXANDER  
Owner: They Are Never At Home Pa  
C Career: 7 : 2-2-1 (30 days)

Pulled up when first up from a 238- day break last start in a steeplechase (3300m) at this track. In the mix if she is anywhere near right.

**5 LANGDALE LANE**

71.0kg



5x6x5 Jockey: BEN SMITH  
Trainer: R M SMITH  
Owner: Campbell & Hogg  
C Career: 12 : 1-1-2 (19 days)

Finished last campaign poorly and didn't show any improvement first-up when beaten 20 lengths in a hurdle (4100m) at this track. Needs to show stark improvement to threaten here.

**6 SOUTHEY**

69.5kg



x1x53 Jockey: J J SLEVIN  
Trainer: S CRAWFORD  
Owner: P M J Mcalister  
Career: 10 : 1-1-2 (51 days)

Unplaced two runs back in a in a maiden hurdle (4425m) at Downpatrick. Did a better job last time when third (4828m) at Portrush P2p, beaten 16 lengths. Right in the mix if he is at his best.

**7 TRUCKERS CRUISING**

68.0kg



0x500 Jockey: **SEAN BOWEN \***  
Trainer: **G ELLIOTT \***  
Owner: Mulligan/Finnegan/Saunders  
Career: 15 : 1-0-0 (15 days)

Is experiencing a win-drought of about 18 months. Finished tenth, beaten 36 lengths, at his latest appearance in a hurdle (3218m) at Navan. Rates highly and can break through.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
		1, 5	2, 3, 4, 6, 7

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	3	3	2	2	7	7	2
2nd	4	6	-	3	5	2	4
3rd	1	2	-	4	1	1	3

**Favorite:** ROCK ON JET  
**Possible alternative:** ARTHUR'S QUAY  
**The cover:** HEADS OR HARPS

**R5 AYR**

3923m

15:15 | (GMT+14:15) | GBP £8,000 | 3U HCP HDLE C5

FESTIVE DINING AT WESTERN HOUSE HOT...

Hurdle **TURF** **SOFT** Participants #9

LADDIE COOPER MIA (7) failed to place in five attempts since finishing runner-up when racing more than a year ago. Most recently missed the placings to be fourth in a Sedgefield handicap hurdle. Possibilities. FOREST BLAZE (2) was fifth making seasonal reappearance and stable debut in a Hexham handicap hurdle. Wears first-time cheekpieces for added improvement. FLYING SANDPIPER (9) maintains some attraction from bottom of the weights. Managed a fourth at Kelso providing latest outing. Potential. FOSTERED PHIL (1) cannot be discounted after placing twice before a last-start seventh at Ayr a month ago.

**1 FOSTERED PHIL**

76.0kg



61337 Jockey: D FOX  
Trainer: WILLIAM YOUNG JNR  
Owner: W G Young Jnr  
Career: 20 : 2-5-6 (30 days)

Disappointing when seventh last start in a hurdle (3200m) at this track after finishing third at Perth two starts back. Bold showing expected.

**2 FOREST BLAZE**

75.5kg



714x5 Jockey: **M J HAMILTON +**  
Trainer: MARK WALFORD  
Owner: M Blades, Craggs, Clark A  
BF Career: 11 : 2-0-2 (24 days)

Finished fifth when fresh from a spell last start in a hurdle (4700m) at Hexham, with today's rider Jamie Hamilton aboard. Key runner who is expected to feature.

**3 CHER TARA**

74.0kg



06395 Jockey: NON RUNNER ★  
Trainer: **G ELLIOTT \***  
Owner: James W Power  
Career: 16 : 1-1-2 (19 days)

Finished ninth the start before last in a hurdle (4928m) at Down Royal then wound up in fifth most recently in a hurdle (3910m) at this track. Won't find this easy.

**4 SO MANY ROADS**

73.0kg



340x7 Jockey: R MCLERNON  
Trainer: D W WHILLANS  
Owner: The Wellfed Boys  
C Career: 14 : 1-0-1 (19 days)

Was returning from a layoff last start when beaten 22 lengths into seventh in a hurdle (3910m) at this track. Each-way chance with added fitness.

**5 LOVE THAT**

69.5kg



068x0 Jockey: BEN SMITH  
Trainer: R M SMITH  
Owner: Rainton Construction  
Career: 14 : 1-1-1 (19 days)

Finished last campaign in ordinary fashion and was no better resuming 19 days ago in a hurdle (3910m) at this track. Looks safely held again.

**R4 AYR**

3319m

14:45 | (GMT+13:45) | GBP £10,000 | 4U HCP CHSE C4

AYR RACECOURSE RACING CLUB ONLY 50 ...

Chase **TURF** **SOFT** Participants #7

ROCK ON JET (3) is racing consistently with one win and four placed efforts in five starts prior to missing out on the placings finishing fourth attempting a Hexham handicap hurdle. Holds winning form at this venue. May bounce back. ARTHUR'S QUAY (1) represents notable connections. Placed third in latest contesting a handicap chase at Newton Abbot. Will be thereabouts. HEADS OR HARPS (2) was an impressive 13L winner tackling track and trip before finishing sixth in a Kelso handicap chase making seasonal reappearance. Could return to winning ways. MY KIWI GIRL (4) cannot be discounted on second outing this prep.

**1 ARTHUR'S QUAY**

76.0kg



55423 Jockey: R MCLERNON +  
Trainer: BEN HASLAM  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: 43 : 7-5-5 (17 days)

Well held last start in a steeplechase (4000m) at Newcastle finishing third and beaten 21 lengths. Rates strongly on latest and expected to feature in the finish again.

**2 HEADS OR HARPS**

73.5kg



421x6 Jockey: **D FOX +**  
Trainer: LUCINDA RUSSELL & MICHAEL SCUDAMORE  
Owner: Mark Blandford  
CD Career: 9 : 2-1-0 (23 days)

Resumed from a spell with a disappointing sixth in a steeplechase (3400m) at Kelso. Best form stacks up nicely. Gets chance to atone.

**6 BEAT THE RETREAT**

69.5kg



5208x Jockey: MR B LYNN  
Trainer: N W ALEXANDER  
Owner: Rhona & Erin Donnelly  
C Career: 20 : 2-2-3 (151 days)

Back from a 151-day break. Finished off last campaign when eighth in a hurdle (4000m) at Perth, beaten 69 lengths. Rates a minor hope only in this line-up.

**7 LADDIE COOPER MIA**

66.0kg



587x4 Jockey: BRIAN HUGHES  
Trainer: ADAM NICOL  
Owner: Molly & Paul Willis  
Career: 9 : 0-1-0 (25 days)

Was returning from a layoff last start when beaten 3.5 lengths into fourth in a hurdle (4200m) at Sedgefield. Before that first-up run she made the move to the Adam Nicol stable. Fitter and sure to improve sharply.

**8 ROCK N ROLL CHAMP**

66.0kg



540x8 Jockey: MR E AUSTIN  
Trainer: M S E FORSTER  
Owner: Dave Skeldon & Sandy Fors  
Career: 14 : 0-0-1 (21 days)

Returned from a layoff last time out in a hurdle (4000m) at Carlisle, finishing eighth when partnered by today's rider Edward Austin. Will strip fitter and makes plenty of appeal.

**9 FLYING SANDPIPER**

64.5kg



0x0x4 Jockey: PETER JAY KAVANAGH  
Trainer: M J STEPHEN  
Owner: Friends From The North  
Career: 8 : 0-0-0 (23 days)

Finished fourth when fresh from a spell last start in a hurdle (4200m) at Kelso, with today's rider Peter Kavanagh aboard. Key runner who is expected to feature.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
	1, 4, 5, 6, 7	2, 8, 9	3				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	2	2	-	4	5	1	2
2nd	1	6	-	6	2	4	6
3rd	6	1	-	-	7	9	4

Favorite: LADDIE COOPER MIA  
Possible alternative: FOREST BLAZE  
The cover: FLYING SANDPIPER

**R6 AYR**

3923m

15:45 | (GMT14:45) | GBP £8,000 | 3U HCP HDLE C5

FESTIVE DINING AT WESTERN HOUSE HOT...

Hurdle **TURF** **SOFT** Participants #9

RED CADILLAC (2) managed to secure a head victory on seasonal reappearance contesting a handicap hurdle at Carlisle three weeks ago. May double up on the back of that success. HOLLY BIRD (5) failed to place past six outings. Finished fifth in a 3200m novice hurdle at Ayr on latest attempt and improvement is expected. OZZY COSMO (1) has only placed once the previous six starts which was a third at Newcastle during February. Holds winning form at this venue. Possibilities. VELVET VULCAN (6) is yet to score when tackling jumps. Ran sixth last month in a handicap hurdle at this track. More is needed.

**1 OZZY COSMO**

76.0kg



030x8 Jockey: P WADGE  
Trainer: N W ALEXANDER  
Owner: Turcan Adams Gilmour  
C Career: 9 : 1-0-1 (30 days)

Resumed after a spell last start with a modest eighth in a hurdle (3200m) at this track. Fitter and will be tough to beat this time.

**2 RED CADILLAC**

75.5kg



326x1 Jockey: CALLUM BEWLEY +  
Trainer: N RICHARDS ★  
Owner: Greystoke Owners li  
Career: 9 : 1-1-2 (21 days)

Returned from a 250-day spell last start with a win in a hurdle (3400m) at Carlisle with today's rider Callum Bewley steering. Key runner who is expected to feature again.

**3 GRAND VOYAGE**

75.5kg



45x08 Jockey: JOSHUA THOMPSON  
Trainer: W COLTHERD  
Owner: Shire Dreamers  
C Career: 33 : 4-6-6 (23 days)

Has been well held in two runs from a spell, the latest when beaten 19 lengths into eighth in a 4200m hurdle at Kelso. Has ability and can figure in the finish.

**4 EN AVANT**

73.5kg



x3505 Jockey: MR K BROGAN  
Trainer: H MCMAHON  
Owner: Miss HM McMahon  
Career: 18 : 2-0-2 (17 days)

Finished a modest fifth in a steeplechase (3300m) at Newcastle last start. That came after he pulled up two runs back. Looks to have the job ahead.

**5 HOLLY BIRD**

71.0kg



0x5x5 Jockey: D MCMENAMIN ★  
Trainer: M A M THOMSON  
Owner: Midnight Racing Club  
Career: 8 : 0-1-1 (19 days)

Returned from a layoff last time out in a hurdle (3200m) at this track, finishing fifth when partnered by today's rider Danny McMenamin. Can find winning form this time.

**6 VELVET VULCAN**

67.5kg



71566 Jockey: BEN SMITH  
Trainer: R M SMITH  
Owner: Burns Partnership  
Career: 30 : 2-3-1 (30 days)

Missed the frame two back in a 2600m flat contest at this track then again missed out in a hurdle (3200m) at this track last start. In the mix.

**7 BREADALBANE LASS**

66.0kg



725x0 Jockey: NON RUNNER  
Trainer: R M SMITH  
Owner: R Michael Smith  
Career: 8 : 0-1-0 (19 days)

Was returning from a layoff last start when beaten 68 lengths into 13th in a hurdle (3910m) at this track. Needs to go up a level.

**8 BRAY DALE**

65.5kg



753x0 Jockey: MR B LYNN  
Trainer: CATCH BISSETT  
Owner: Bissett Racing  
Career: 10 : 1-0-1 (19 days)

Sent out big odds and didn't do much when resuming hurdle, beaten 29 lengths. Hasn't won for four years now. Similar finish expected against this lot.

**9 KING GRIS**

64.5kg



x859x Jockey: SEAN BOWEN ★  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT ★  
Owner: Sette A Milano Syndicate  
Career: 6 : 0-0-1 (187 days)

Back from a 187-day break. Finished off last campaign when ninth in a hurdle (3400m) at Cartmel, beaten 34 lengths. Has switched to the Gordon Elliott stable. Has ability and worth including.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
	6, 7, 8	1, 2, 3, 5, 9	4				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	3	2	-	1	9	9	3
2nd	2	3	-	3	6	5	1
3rd	6	6	-	-	2	2	2

Favorite: RED CADILLAC  
Possible alternative: HOLLY BIRD  
The cover: OZZY COSMO

**R7 AYR**

3218m

16:15 | (GMT+15:15) | GBP £4,500 | 45 HUNT FLAT C5

AYR RACECOURSE GIFT VOUCHERS FOR CH...

**TURF SOFT**

Participants #9

BROADWAY TED (1) is the pick of the career debutants. Bred by Getaway out of two-time G3 winner Morning Run and is a half-brother to G3 For Auction Novice Hurdle third She's A Fine Wine. Worth considering. DUBHAIN (3) was a good 0.5L winner on sole point-to-point start. Followed with a rules debut third in a Down Royal jumpers flat race a month ago. Will be thereabouts. BERWICK LAW (8) is another making first appearance looking to have an impact. Bred by Kapgarde out of Malice Des Epeires. Potential. CONISTON COMMANDER (2) is a Soldier Of Fortune gelding who rates a place chance providing initial racecourse outing.

**1 BROADWAY TED**

71.0kg

- Jockey: SEAN BOWEN ★  
 - Trainer: G ELLIOTT ★  
 - Owner: David L'estrang  
 - Career: First Start



Gelding by Getaway out of Morning Run. The in-form Gordon Elliott stable is likely have him primed. Worth watching closely.

**2 CONISTON COMMANDER**

71.0kg

- Jockey: D MCMENAMIN ★  
 - Trainer: N RICHARDS ★  
 - Owner: Accurite Racing  
 - Career: First Start



Gelding by Soldier Of Fortune out of Five Star Present. Watch the market closely as he hails from the in-form N G Richards stable.

**3 DUBHAIN**

71.0kg

1x3 Jockey: J J SLEVIN  
 Trainer: SCRAWFORD  
 Owner: S F Mcelroy  
 Career: 2 : 1-0-1 (30 days)



Showed encouraging signs first up on November 1 when third in a bumper (3419m) at Down Royal. Fitter and worth following up.

**4 HIDDEN MOUNTAIN**

71.0kg

- Jockey: C NICHOL  
 - Trainer: EWAN WHILLANS  
 - Owner: Distillery Stud  
 - Career: First Start



Gelding by Maxios out of Do The Fandango. Market watch advised.

**5 JOHNNY TWO JETS**

71.0kg

- Jockey: BEN SMITH  
 - Trainer: R M SMITH  
 - Owner: R Michael Smith  
 - Career: First Start



Gelding by Ocovango out of Havnt Time. Was a EUR € 5,000 (Tattersalls.ie 2024 July Store Sale) purchase. Might just need this run but watch the market.

**6 L'APPEL DU LARGE**

71.0kg

- Jockey: MR B LYNN  
 - Trainer: N W ALEXANDER  
 - Owner: Coltman,Douglas Miller,Ma  
 - Career: First Start



Gelding by Great Pretender out of Rapsodie Sea. Market watch advised.

**7 AM I BOVERED**

67.5kg

4x0 Jockey: MR A ANDERSON  
 Trainer: M SE FORSTER  
 Owner: Dont Mind If We Do  
 Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (21 days)



Comes here 21 days after a 46 length tenth first-up over 3400m in a flat race at Carlisle at just her second racetrack appearance. Might be out of her depth.

**8 BERWICK LAW**

67.5kg

- Jockey: BRIAN HUGHES  
 - Trainer: I JARDINE  
 - Owner: Raymond Anderson Green  
 - Career: First Start



Filly by Kapgarde out of Malice Des Epeires. Nice profile and expected to measure up.

**9 CULZEAN**

67.5kg

- Jockey: ALAN DOYLE  
 - Trainer: I DUNCAN  
 - Owner: Stephen Sinclair & Ian Du  
 - Career: First Start



Filly by Frontiersman out of Belfast Central. Might just need this run but watch the market.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
	7		1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	3	3	-	-	1	1	-
2nd	7	-	-	-	5	2	-
3rd	-	-	-	-	2	3	-

Favorite: BROADWAY TED  
 Possible alternative: DUBHAIN  
 The cover: BERWICK LAW

**R1 PLUMPTON**

3974m

13:35 | (GMT12:35) | GBP £9,950 | 4U HCP CHSE C5

EXTECH CLOUD CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS' H...

Chase **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #5

**BIRDMAN BOB (3)** produced best form on seasonal return a month ago scoring by 10L a similar level course and distance novices handicap chase. Enjoys the track and this looks a suitable assignment to follow up. Leading contender. **KING OF HIGHWAYS (2)** showed plenty of improvement two weeks ago when a smart 2L third in a 4000m novices handicap chase at Lingfield. Likely to build on that effort representing a leading local yard. Holds appeal. **ATREIDES (1)** made the frame on three occasions including a 4400m second among this company at Fontwell before a not disgraced fifth at the same venue two weeks back. Claims. **CRAC DE MEGAUDAIS (4)** might show more providing second outing after a Huntingdon fifth. Next best.

**1 ATREIDES**

76.0kg

72325 Jockey: **BRADLEY HARRIS**  
Trainer: **N P MULHOLLAND**  
Owner: The Chancers Partnership  
Career: 22 : 0-5-6 (15 days)



Did a good job to finish second two back in a steeplechase (4340m) at Fontwell Park but could only manage fifth in a steeplechase (4300m) at Fontwell Park last time, arriving 2.75 lengths behind the winner. Major player.

**2 KING OF HIGHWAYS**

75.5kg

546x3 Jockey: **MR FRED GORDON**  
Trainer: **C GORDON**  
Owner: Anthony Ward-Thomas  
Career: 6 : 0-0-1 (13 days)



Returned from a 310-day spell last start with a solid third in a steeplechase (4000m) at Lingfield, with today's rider Freddie Gordon piloting. Leading contender and can find winning form.

**3 BIRDMAN BOB**

75.5kg

520x1 Jockey: **FREDDIE MITCHELL**  
Trainer: **ANDY IRVINE**  
Owner: Surefireracing Secret Cir  
CD Career: 22 : 2-4-1 (28 days)



Returned from a 244-day spell with a dominant 10 lengths win in a steeplechase (4000m) at this track last start. Key runner who is expected to feature again.

**4 CRAC DE MEGAUDAIS**

73.5kg

x43x5 Jockey: **TOM HUTSBY**  
Trainer: **T R GRETTON**  
Owner: John Edwards And Chris Ri  
D Career: 11 : 1-0-1 (20 days)



Returned from a spell last start with a modest fifth in a steeplechase (4000m) at Huntingdon. Has ability and can sneak into the finish.

**5 HILLTOWN**

70.0kg

210x0 Jockey: **DANIEL SANSON**  
Trainer: **S MULLINS**  
Owner: S Mullins Racing Club  
C Career: 20 : 3-3-3 (14 days)



Returned from a 574- day layoff most recently and did not finish the race in a hurdle (4100m) at this track. Might find this a bit too tough.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
		1, 2, 3, 4, 5	

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	4	4	4	5	2	2	5
2nd	3	3	3	3	1	1	-
3rd	1	-	-	-	3	5	-

Favorite: **BIRDMAN BOB**  
Possible alternative: **KING OF HIGHWAYS**  
The cover: **ATREIDES**

**R2 PLUMPTON**

4129m

14:05 | (GMT13:05) | GBP £9,099 | 4U HDLE MDNC 4

EAST SUSSEX FARMERS BENEVOLENT FUND...

Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #6

**FRESH KICKS (2)** represents a top yard. Showed plenty of progress three weeks back when 1L second contesting a 4200m novices hurdle at Kempton on seasonal return. Can continue the progress and rates a top selection. **HILLWALK (4)** indicated ability in January finishing third attempting a 3500m jumpers flat race on testing ground at Fontwell. Improvement expected now hurdling. **CREST OF VALOUR (1)** may take a step forward following a debut sixth contesting a 3600m newcomers jumpers flat race at Fontwell five weeks ago. Warrants a market check. **THE TWO HARRYS (5)** recorded a fair Lingfield fourth last season. Place hope.

**1 CREST OF VALOUR**

71.5kg

6 Jockey: **STWISTON-DAVIES**  
Trainer: **A J HONEYBALL**  
Owner: Crest Racing Iv  
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (36 days)



Debuted in a bumper (3560m) at Fontwell Park 36 days back and was easily beaten in sixth place. Further improved and looks a sharp improver.

**2 FRESH KICKS**

71.5kg

2x5x2 Jockey: **JAMES BOWEN**  
Trainer: **N HENDERSON**  
Owner: Michael Blencowe  
BF Career: 4 : 0-2-0 (21 days)



Was very good when returning from a 220-day layoff most recently, beaten one length into second in a hurdle (4200m) at Kempton Park. Leading contender and can find winning form.

**3 FURY LAD**

71.5kg

x2x6x Jockey: **JAMES DAVIES**  
Trainer: **R ROWE**  
Owner: The Encore Partnership Lx  
Career: 3 : 0-1-0 (599 days)



Six-year-old gelding who is back from a break. Finished off last campaign when sixth in a bumper (3300m) at Taunton. Resuming in tougher. Rates a place hope only on run before a spell.

**4 HILLWALK**

71.5kg

x2x3x Jockey: **CONOR O'FARRELL**  
Trainer: **N P MULHOLLAND**  
Owner: Ms S Exell  
Career: 3 : 0-1-1 (309 days)



Returns from a spell and looks ready for a bright campaign. Only appeared once when last in work and was among the placings in a jumpers flat race (3560m) at Fontwell Park. Sure to feature on his best form.

**5 THE TWO HARRYS**

71.5kg

6x4x7 Jockey: **M B J POWELL**  
Trainer: **HARRY DERHAM**  
Owner: Harry Redknapp  
Career: 4 : 0-0-1 (26 days)



Disappointed when resuming last start in a 3900m maiden hurdle at Chepstow, finishing seventh and beaten 37 lengths. Fitter for run. Place best.

**6 KILL THE GROOVE**

68.5kg

x333x Jockey: **MARC GOLDSTEIN**  
Trainer: **KAREN JEWELL**  
Owner: D Hill, N Emanuel & B Cha  
Career: 7 : 0-0-4 (160 days)



Back from a 160-day break. Finished off last campaign with a minor placing in a hurdle (4300m) at Newton Abbot, beaten 58 lengths. Changed yards to the Karen Jewell stable. This looks a tough line-up.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
	1	5, 6	2, 4

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	2	-	-	-	5	1	-
2nd	4	-	-	-	1	2	-
3rd	6	-	-	-	2	5	-

Favorite: **FRESH KICKS**  
Possible alternative: **HILLWALK**  
The cover: **CREST OF VALOUR**



**R3 PLUMPTON** 3195m

14:35 | (GMT13:35) | GBP £9,099 | 4U HDLE C4

THEO'S CHARM MEMORIAL NOVICES' HURD...

Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #8

CREST OF STARS (2) enhanced a promising jumpers flat race record a month ago winning by 1.75L over 3400m at Newton Abbot. Finds a good opportunity on hurdle debut with a top jockey booked. Leading player. CUEROS (1) made a winning start delivering his first hurdle attempt scoring by 14L a 3400m maiden hurdle at Newcastle before a good second at Wetherby. Main danger. GENERAL BRIAR (3) represents a notable local stable. Shaped well a month ago when 3.5L third tackling a 4200m maiden hurdle here. Holds claims. Both CELTIC QUEEN (6) and SUZY WOOD (8) might show progress and warrant a market check.

**6 CELTIC QUEEN**

5370x Jockey: CONOR O'FARRELL 66.5kg

Trainer: T VAUGHAN  
Owner: Mick O'boyle  
Career: 5 : 0-1-1 (224 days)



Finished off last preparation 12 of 14 runners at Kempton Park All Weather on April 21 over 2000m. Needs a market check.

**7 MY LOVELY HORSE**

336x0 Jockey: J TURNER 66.5kg

Trainer: D G BRIDGWATER  
Owner: David Bridgwater Racing  
Career: 4 : 0-0-2 (24 days)



Was returning from a 196-day layoff last start when she was eased out of the race in a maiden hurdle (3500m) at Fontwell Park. Prefer to see again.

**8 SUZY WOOD**

070x3 Jockey: C QUINN 66.5kg

Trainer: ANDY IRVINE  
Owner: Kilbrannan Racing  
Career: 4 : 0-0-1 (28 days)



Safely held latest finishing third but beaten 23 lengths in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at this track. Shapes nicely on latest run and among the hopes again here.

**1 JOREBEL**

11121 Jockey: MR FRED GORDON 76.5kg

Trainer: C GORDON  
Owner: D S Dennis  
Career: 12 : 4-2-1 (13 days)



Comes here off a nice win 13 days back in a steeplechase (3200m) at Lingfield. That result was on the back of a solid second in a hurdle (3200m) at this track. Can add to the recent impressive results.

**2 JACKPOT CASH**

1x066 Jockey: S TWISTON-DAVIES 75.5kg

Trainer: J P OWEN  
Owner: Pontoon Racing  
Career: 18 : 4-2-2 (20 days)



Has been well off best in three runs since winning at Sedgefield four back. Beaten 46 lengths when sixth in a steeplechase (4200m) at Hereford last start. Can sneak into the finish with the right run.

**3 ISKAR D'AIRY**

11x53 Jockey: C QUINN 75.5kg

Trainer: GARY & JOSH MOORE  
Owner: Mrs Arnold & Partner  
CD BF Career: 19 : 5-2-2 (33 days)



Should be fitter after two outings since resuming from a spell. Raced over this trip last time when third in a steeplechase (3300m) at Fakenham. Has scope for improvement and is ready to find peak form.

**4 TOUQUET**

00x02 Jockey: JAMES DAVIES 71.0kg

Trainer: N GIFFORD  
Owner: Graeme Brooks  
C Career: 9 : 2-1-0 (13 days)



Strong run last time out in a steeplechase (3200m) at Lingfield on November 18. Has strong claims in this race based on latest outing. Expected to go close.

**5 KITSILANO**

701x6 Jockey: M B J POWELL 70.0kg

Trainer: D G BRIDGWATER  
Owner: Simon Hunt And Bob Wilson  
Career: 15 : 2-0-1 (24 days)



Has raced 15 times and recorded just the one placing so far. Resumed with a sixth in a hurdle at Fontwell Park at big odds. Keen to just watch this time.

**6 MISS FEDORA**

150x5 Jockey: MR ELLIS COLLIER 66.0kg

Trainer: S MULLINS  
Owner: Simon & Christine Prout  
CD Career: 32 : 4-2-5 (24 days)



Resumed after a spell last start with a modest fifth in a steeplechase (3100m) at Hexham. Needs to go up a level.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
	4, 6, 8	2	1, 3, 5, 7

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1	1			1	3	5
2nd	2	2	-	-	2	2	-
3rd	5	5			3	8	-

Favorite: CUEROS  
Possible alternative: CREST OF STARS  
The cover: GENERAL BRIAR

**R4 PLUMPTON** 3418m

15:05 | (GMT14:05) | GBP £14,000 | 4U HCP CHSE C4

CHAILEY CLASSIC & VINTAGE TRACTOR C...

Chase **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #6

JOREBEL (1) maintains a consistent profile for 2025 with a narrow 4000m success at Worcester preceding a strong 3L second in a 3200m course handicap hurdle. The six-year-old then made a winning chase debut two weeks ago beating TOUQUET (4) by a neck attempting a lower level 3200m handicap chase at Lingfield. May confirm form racing for a top local trainer. Big chance. The latter mentioned is a previous winner here and showed plenty of improvement that day. Further progress likely now chasing and may reverse form. JACKPOT CASH (2) was a below par sixth among this chase company at Hereford. Back down in journey. Might feature. MISS FEDORA (6) is two from three tackling track and trip. Could fill fourth spot.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
		2, 6	1, 3, 4, 5

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1	1	3	3	2	1	4
2nd	3	3	6	6	1	2	6
3rd	2	2	-	4	3	3	5

**1 CUEROS**

15x12 Jockey: M B J POWELL 73.0kg

Trainer: HARRY DERHAM  
Owner: A Taylor  
BF Career: 15 : 2-3-3 (16 days)



Found Fresh Perspective way too good last start in a hurdle (3200m) at Wetherby, finishing 6 lengths behind that dominant winner. Leading contender.

**2 CREST OF STARS**

9x2x1 Jockey: S TWISTON-DAVIES 70.0kg

Trainer: A J HONEYBALL  
Owner: Crest Racing X  
Career: 3 : 1-1-0 (33 days)



Resumed after a 224-day spell last start with a strong win on the flat at Newton Abbot over 3400m, getting home by 1.75 lengths. Big chance.

**3 GENERAL BRIAR**

26x03 Jockey: MR FRED GORDON 70.0kg

Trainer: C GORDON  
Owner: The Morestead Augean Stab  
Career: 6 : 0-2-2 (28 days)



Bounced back with a very competitive third in a maiden hurdle (4100m) at this track last start. That came after he took a tumble two runs ago. All set to continue the resurgent form.

**4 LORD OF THE GLANCE**

x07x0 Jockey: K WOODS 70.0kg

Trainer: A HALES  
Owner: In The Pink Partnership  
Career: 5 : 0-0-0 (32 days)



Has been very ordinary in all five career runs to date. Can't make a case for him today.

**5 MAJOR MAJOR**

5x622 Jockey: M J A BEST 70.0kg

Trainer: MRS CYNTHIA WOODS  
Owner: G Woods  
Career: 28 : 3-2-4 (55 days)



Making debut over the jumps. Finished second at his last appearance on the flat over 2200m at Southwell All Weather. May need more now hurdling.



Favorite: JOREBEL  
Possible alternative: TOUQUET  
The cover: ISKAR D'AIRY

**R5 PLUMPTON** 4129m

15:35 | (GMT14:35) | GBP £23,825 | 3UHCP HDLE C3

WEATHERBYS & BIRDIE CALENDARS HANDI...

Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #8

JACKSTELL (5) seeks a four-timer following a convincing 3.75L victory in a lower graded course and distance handicap hurdle four weeks ago. Ticks all the right boxes and looks promising hurdling. Top chance. Another seeking a four-timer is GRENADIER JED (7) after a 3.5L success among this hurdle company twenty four days ago over 3800m at Fontwell. Up in journey with the five-year-old looking progressive. Rates highly. A step forward is likely from BELIEVITANDUCAN (3) following a good return effort last month finishing 5L second in a 3200m Newbury handicap hurdle. Won at that track last season and holds every chance. Two-time course and distance winner BOURBALI (1) warrants thought revisiting hurdles.

**1 BOURBALI**

53x33 Jockey: MR BEN BROMLEY  
Trainer: JOE TIZZARD ★  
Owner: W Pope, E Legg, M Green &  
CD Career: 35 : 6-6-9 (23 days)



In the money two runs ago in a steeplechase (3600m) at Kempton Park. Repeated the dose at the latest outing when third in a steeplechase (4000m) at Wincanton, beaten 11 lengths. Can return to winning form.

**2 SIXTY PLUS**

111x6 Jockey: S TWISTON-DAVIES ★★  
Trainer: J P OWEN  
Owner: Terrahawks  
BF Career: 14 : 4-1-1 (21 days)



Finished sixth when fresh from a spell last start in a hurdle (4200m) at Kempton Park, with today's rider Sam Twiston-Davies steering. Has ability to test the top fancies.

**3 BELIEVITANDUCAN**

612x2 Jockey: T BELLAMY ★  
Trainer: A KING  
Owner: Owners Group 140  
Career: 12 : 3-4-1 (25 days)



Returned from a 223-day spell last start with a strong second in a hurdle (3270m) at Newbury. Can find winning form this time.

**4 AMERICAN SNIPER**

606x0 Jockey: MR RIAN CORCORAN ★  
Trainer: D PIPE ★  
Owner: Peter W Garnsworthy  
BF Career: 27 : 4-5-3 (38 days)



Returned from a spell last start with a modest 16th in a hurdle (4000m) at Cheltenham. Requires further improvement.

**5 JACKSTELL**

3x111 Jockey: G SHEEHAN ★★  
Trainer: J SNOWDEN ★  
Owner: Value Racing - Jackstell  
CD BF Career: 10 : 4-2-4 (28 days)



Continued the outstanding recent form to score in a hurdle (4100m) at this track, making it three wins in a row in jumps races, and an overall jumps record of four from ten. Big chance.

**6 ROYAL WAY**

073x3 Jockey: SEAN HOULIHAN  
Trainer: GARY & JOSH MOORE  
Owner: Celtic Contractors Limite  
Career: 15 : 4-1-3 (22 days)



Finished third and never threatened last start in a hurdle (3220m) at Sandown Park when beaten 13 lengths. Worth including here if repeats the run.

**7 GRENADIER JED**

511x1 Jockey: HARRY KIMBER +  
Trainer: R WALFORD  
Owner: Tony Brimble  
Career: 8 : 3-0-1 (24 days)



Resumed after a 276-day spell last start with a strong win in a hurdle (3800m) at Fontwell Park. Big chance to go two-for-two this prep.

**8 TWIST OF FATECATCH**

325x5 Jockey: CONOR O'FARRELL  
Trainer: N P MULHOLLAND  
Owner: David Ronald Fear  
BF Career: 8 : 1-2-1 (24 days)



Returned from a layoff last time out in a hurdle (4600m) at Exeter, finishing fifth when partnered by today's rider Conor O'Farrell. Looks tested in this line-up.

**R6 PLUMPTON**

3195m

16:05 | (GMT15:05) | GBP £7,250 | 4UHCP HDLE C5

KALM KITCHEN CHRISTMAS HANDICAP HUR...

Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #8

LOW EXPECTATIONS (2) bids for a hat-trick after two wins in November with a 7.5L success in a 3600m novices limited handicap hurdle at Fontwell preceding an impressive 13L victory tackling 4000m at Windsor a week ago. Leading contender. NO MORE BOLERO (8) secures a notable top jockey booking after an easy 13L success in this handicap hurdle level at Ludlow attempting the journey last week. Big chance. HILL STATION (4) brings consistent recent efforts with a Stratford 3200m handicap hurdle triumph before a pair of runner-up results including over course and distance a fortnight ago. Brings appeal. CASTLE QUARTER (5) might make the frame.

**1 INFERNO SACREE**

253x3 Jockey: MR B CARVER  
Trainer: N J HAWKE  
Owner: Russell Lane  
CD Career: 36 : 5-2-7 (7 days)



Returned from a 223-day spell last start with a strong third in a hurdle (3400m) at Sedgefield. Key runner.

**2 LOW EXPECTATIONS**

46x11 Jockey: JAMES DAVIES +  
Trainer: N GIFFORD ★  
Owner: The Willow And Bridle Par  
Career: 9 : 2-0-1 (8 days)



Winner of both starts this time in, the latest scoring by 13 lengths in a hurdle (4000m) at Windsor. Will go close to a winning a hat-trick.

**3 THANKYOUANDPLEASE**

433x6 Jockey: CONOR O'FARRELL  
Trainer: SYD HOSIE  
Owner: Mrs Samantha Dunn  
Career: 10 : 0-2-2 (33 days)



Resumed after a spell last start with a modest sixth in a hurdle (4300m) at Newton Abbot. That run was the first for the Syd Hosie stable. Requires further improvement.

**4 HILL STATION**

32122 Jockey: L SCOTT +  
Trainer: DR R NEWLAND & J INSOLE  
Owner: Mark Albon & Partner  
Career: 50 : 5-10-3 (14 days)



Racing well since scoring three starts ago. Placed two runs back in a hurdle (3500m) at Fontwell Park then filled a minor prize again last start in a hurdle (3200m) at this track, beaten 4 lengths. Ready to find peak form.

**5 CASTLE QUARTER**

0x1x4 Jockey: BRADLEY HARRIS  
Trainer: N P MULHOLLAND  
Owner: Gavin Teversham  
D Career: 34 : 5-3-7 (24 days)



Finished fourth when fresh from a spell last start in a hurdle (3500m) at Fontwell Park, with today's rider Bradley Harris steering. Will strip fitter and makes plenty of appeal.

**Pace of the Race**

BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
		1, 4, 7, 8	2, 3, 5, 6

**Race Selections**

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	3	7	5	5	5	5	7
2nd	1	5	1	1	2	2	3
3rd	5	2	-	-	1	4	6

Favorite: JACKSTELL  
Possible alternative: BELIEVITANDUCAN  
The cover: GRENADIER JED

**6 GREGORIANS STAR**

71.5kg

30794 Jockey: **MARC GOLDSTEIN** +  
 Trainer: S WEST  
 Owner: The Affordable Partnershi  
**D BF** Career: 16 : 1-0-4 (14 days)



Has been finishing at the tail of the field in most recent outings, the latest in a hurdle (3200m) at this track. Hard to have on current form.

**1 ELUSIVE PB**

71.0kg

Jockey: HARRY REED  
 Trainer: NICK SCHOLFIELD  
 Owner: Nick Scholfield  
 Career: First Start



Gelding by Elusive Pimpemel out of Goplex. Tough to line up and betting is likely to provide the best guide.

**8 SOLDIER POET**

71.0kg

Jockey: JAMES DAVIES  
 Trainer: N GIFFORD ★  
 Owner: Michael O'shea  
 Career: First Start



Gelding by Soldier Of Fortune out of Symbolist. Will be better for the outing and tempted to give him this.

**7 VOIX DE BOCELLI**

71.0kg

65744 Jockey: **M B J POWELL** ★  
 Trainer: H KNIGHT  
 Owner: The Hck Syndicate  
 Career: 30 : 2-2-5 (11 days)



Couldn't find the top three two back in a hurdle (3200m) at this track then again missed out in a hurdle (3000m) at Wincanton last start. Big task ahead.

**2 FIVE BAR GATE**

71.0kg

5x1x6 Jockey: CONOR O'FARRELL  
 Trainer: N P MULHOLLAND  
 Owner: Bristow And Flower  
 Career: 3 : 1-0-0 (33 days)



Resumed after a 350-day spell last start with a modest sixth on the flat at Newton Abbot over 3400m beaten 8L. Before that first-up run he transferred to the N P Mulholland stable. May improve.

**8 NO MORE BOLERO**

71.0kg

42001 Jockey: **MR H COBDEN** ★ +  
 Trainer: J P OWEN  
 Owner: Simon Hunt And Bob Wilson  
**D BF** Career: 25 : 4-3-0 (7 days)



Finished tenth two runs ago at Newbury on the flat. Did a much better job last time when he scored with 13 lengths to spare in a hurdle (3200m) at Ludlow. Ideally placed to make it two on the trot.

**3 GETTINGAWAYWITHIT**

71.0kg

Jockey: **BRADLEY HARRIS**  
 Trainer: N P MULHOLLAND  
 Owner: Wright Merry  
 Career: First Start



Gelding by Getaway out of Betty Roe. Market watch advised.

**4 JET STEEL**

71.0kg

2x4 Jockey: JAMES BOWEN  
 Trainer: T VAUGHAN  
 Owner: The Pant Wilkin Partnersh  
 Career: 2 : 0-1-0 (26 days)



Springly-raced four-year-old who was appearing for only the second time when he clocked-in fourth first-up on the flat over 3200m at Chepstow. Will be hard to beat with added fitness.

**5 MESCALERO**

71.0kg

23 Jockey: M J QUINLAN  
 Trainer: HARRY EUSTACE  
 Owner: Andrew Mcgladdery  
 Career: 2 : 0-1-1 (40 days)



Talented five-year-old. Opened with a minor placing (3200m) at Worcester two starts back then found a couple better(3200m) at Worcester when market leader two months ago. Ideally placed to break the ice.

**6 ROAD TO NIRVANA**

71.0kg

8 Jockey: M T WORSLEY  
 Trainer: MICHAEL KEADY  
 Owner: Mel Fordham  
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (22 days)



Didn't come close on debut at Sandown Park, finishing eighth and beaten 97 lengths. Can only improve on that run but prefer to see.

**7 SAINT INVICTUS**

71.0kg

2x2 Jockey: **MR H COBDEN** ★  
 Trainer: SYD HOSIE  
 Owner: Syd Hosie  
 Career: 2 : 0-2-0 (22 days)



Performed well first up last start when second (3220m) at Sandown Park nearly three weeks ago. Key runner who looks hard to beat.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
6		2, 5	1, 3, 4, 7, 8

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	7	2			2	7	
2nd	5	-	-	-	3	4	-
3rd	4	-			4	5	

**Favorite: MESCALERO**  
**Possible alternative: SAINT INVICTUS**  
**The cover: FIVE BAR GATE**

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
	8	2, 3, 6, 7	1, 4, 5				

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	4	5	1	1	8	8	8
2nd	5	2	5	-	5	1	1
3rd	1	7	6	-	2	7	-

**Favorite: LOW EXPECTATIONS**  
**Possible alternative: NO MORE BOLERO**  
**The cover: HILL STATION**

**R7 PLUMPTON**

3574m

16:35 | (GMT+15:35) | GBP £4,999 | 45 HUNT FLAT C5

TOMMY, SWEATY, CREAKY, SLEEPY, GRUM...

**TURF GOOD SOFT**

Participants #8

MESCALERO (5) looks a promising five-year-old after a pair of placings including a 7.5L third contesting a 3200m jumpers flat event at Worcester six weeks back. The second horse won since boosting form. Leading player. SAINT INVICTUS (7) confirmed point-to-point potential when a promising runner-up over 3200m at Sandown three weeks ago. Open to plenty of improvement second up and with a top jockey booked rates a likely contender. Worth considering. FIVE BAR GATE (2) finished sixth of eleven debuting in a 3400m jumpers flat race at Newton Abbot. Interesting. JET STEEL (4) warrants a second look.