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### HAPPY HOUR

**11 March 2025 (12:00 to 13:00)**  
Race 5 (Champion Hurdle Challenge)

**12 March 2025 (12:00 to 13:00)**  
Race 5 (Queen Mother Champion Chase)

**13 March 2025 (12:00 to 13:00)**  
Race 5 (Stayers Hurdle)

**14 March 2025 (12:00 to 13:00)**  
Race 5 (Cheltenham Gold Cup)

### EXTRA PLACE RACE

**11 March 2025 (Extra place race)**  
Race 3 (Ultima Handicap Chase)

**12 March 2025 (Extra place race)**  
Race 6 (Grand Annual Handicap Chase)

**13 March 2025 (Extra place race)**  
Race 2 (Novices Limited Handicap Chase)

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R1 SEDGEFIELD

3381m

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Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD** Participants #4

DEMOISELLE KAP (2) seeks a fourth consecutive victory following wins at Fontwell by an impressive 21L five days ago as well as Newcastle and over course and distance. The one to beat. KABUKI (4) makes first start this year following a wind operation. Last seen finishing a distant seventh at Uttoxeter in November. Possibilities. INFERNO SACREE (3) was third contesting a 4100m Plumpton handicap hurdle last month. Will be up at the finish. RUSSIAN VIRTUE (1) can fill out fourth place.

1 RUSSIAN VIRTUE

75.5kg

x7494 Jockey: JOSHUA THOMPSON  
Trainer: D W THOMPSON  
Owner: Tony Livingston & Graeme  
CD Career: 45 : 8-4-6 (36 days)



Hasn't fired a shot this time in, the latest beaten 13 lengths in fourth in a hurdle at Carlisle. Struggling to recapture his best form of late and appears tested in this line up.

2 DEMOISELLE KAP

75.0kg

7x111 Jockey: L SCOTT ★  
Trainer: J CANDLISH ★  
Owner: Larry Melrose  
CD Career: 26 : 7-1-1 (5 days)



In sterling form since returning this prep, stringing together three wins over the obstacles. Added to the tally last start with victory in a steeplechase (3560m) at Fontwell Park. Versatile performer who is hard to go past.

3 INFERNO SACREE

72.0kg

x2363 Jockey: TOM BUCKLEY +  
Trainer: N J HAWKE  
Owner: Russell Lane  
Career: 32 : 5-1-5 (29 days)



Was unplaced two back in a hurdle (3100m) at Leicester. Finished third last start in a much better performance in a hurdle (4100m) at Plumpton, beaten 6 lengths. Likely to play a major role.

4 KABUKI

71.0kg

x437x Jockey: W MAGGS  
Trainer: D M JNR  
Owner: Mrs Carol Shaw  
Career: 5 : 1-0-1 (115 days)



Five-year-old returning from a spell of four months. Closed last campaign with a seventh in a hurdle (3200m) at Uttoxeter. No excuses today in this small field.

Race Selections

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

Favorite: DEMOISELLE KAP  
Possible alternative: KABUKI  
The cover: INFERNO SACREE

R2 SEDGEFIELD

3381m

15:18 |(GMT14:18)| GBP £7,700 | 4U HDLE C4

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Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD** Participants #4

BOND BROKER (1) bids for a hat-trick on the back of victories at Fakenham and then Southwell making an impressive hurdle debut scoring by 3.75L. Looks to double up for a leading yard. BRODERICK (2) won by 2.5L at Newcastle two starts back and followed with a second at Doncaster 20 days ago. Will be up at the finish and can bounce back. LIBERTY LOOMING (4) is a hurdle debutante after a below-par career on the flat. Interesting. ROGUE SEA (3) can contest fourth spot.

1 BOND BROKER

75.5kg

x1x1x Jockey: MR FREDERICK GINGELL  
Trainer: P NICHOLLS  
Owner: Owners Group 118  
Career: 6 : 4-0-1 (85 days)



Was most recently at the races three months ago. Started just once when last in work and won in a maiden hurdle (3180m) at Southwell, getting home by 4 lengths. Genuine jumper with four wins to his name from six starts.

2 BRODERICK

75.5kg

39212 Jockey: G SHEEHAN ★  
Trainer: J CANDLISH ★  
Owner: A C O'keeffe  
D Career: 7 : 1-2-1 (20 days)



Is racing in honest fashion having missed the frame only once this time in. Comes into this after filling second placing over 3900m in a hurdle at Doncaster last time. Fought on last time. Big chance again.

3 ROGUE SEA

72.0kg

80x08 Jockey: ROSS CHAPMAN  
Trainer: J CANDLISH ★  
Owner: Dermot Hanafin And Stan K  
Career: 10 : 2-1-0 (22 days)



Five-year-old gelding third-up here following pretty moderate runs this campaign. Ran eighth in a hurdle at Carlisle in latest. Others appear to be going better.

4 LIBERTY LOOMING

67.5kg

40x40 Jockey: MR L A MURTAGH  
Trainer: N J HAWKE  
Owner: Molly & Paul Willis  
Career: 12 : 0-0-0 (29 days)



Struggled into tenth at Wolverhampton last time and is yet to hit the frame in 12 career runs so far. Hard to have on latest form.

Pace of the Race

BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
		4	1, 2, 3

Race Selections

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

Favorite: BOND BROKER  
Possible alternative: BRODERICK  
The cover: LIBERTY LOOMING

R3 SEDGEFIELD

3288m

15:58 |(GMT14:58)| GBP £6,150 | 5U CHSE HCP C5

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

I'M TOO TIRED (1) won by 1.25L over course and distance three starts back on Boxing Day. Followed up with two below par performances finishing eighth at Catterick and fourth at this venue over 3900m. Can return to form. FEARLESS ACTION (3) placed four times in his previous six starts including a third at Catterick on most recent attempt. Can go near once again. DELPOTRO (2) failed to finish contesting a 3100m Catterick handicap chase in December. Improvement expected following a break. GUILLAUME (4) looks to bounce back from a ninth at Southwell. Prior to that result placed second at Bangor-on-Dee last September.

1 I'M TOO TIRED

76.0kg

33184 Jockey: ROSS CHAPMAN  
Trainer: J CANDLISH ★  
Owner: Alan Baxter & Jennie Cand  
CD Career: 21 : 2-2-6 (34 days)



Unplaced two starts ago in a steeplechase (3850m) at Catterick then produced a better result last time when he finished fourth in a steeplechase (3860m) at this track, beaten 16 lengths. Major player on his best figures.

2 DELPOTRO

76.0kg

6540x Jockey: MISS L M PINCHIN  
Trainer: C LONGSDON ★  
Owner: Jon's Birthday  
Career: 9 : 2-0-0 (84 days)



Failed to complete the course at his latest appearance in a 3140m steeplechase at Catterick then went for a break. Strong chance if he runs up to his best.

3 FEARLESS ACTION

72.5kg

20203 Jockey: D MCMENAMIN  
Trainer: C GRANT  
Owner: G F White  
Career: 22 : 1-6-3 (14 days)



Back to something like his best with a solid third in a steeplechase (3100m) at Catterick last start. That came after he eased out of the race two runs back. Only needs to jump well to be right in the finish.

4 GUILLAUME

71.5kg

4429x Jockey: MR T GILLARD  
Trainer: D M JNR  
Owner: The Shinton Family 1  
Career: 17 : 2-1-3 (159 days)



Not raced for five months. Closed off last preparation when ninth in a G1 (3200m) at Southwell, beaten 25 lengths. Could pose a serious challenge.

5 AUGHARUE

68.5kg

5200x Jockey: SAM COLTHERD  
Trainer: W COLTHERD  
Owner: Peryman Coltherd  
Career: 20 : 0-4-2 (102 days)



Resuming today. Last raced when he pulled up in a 3200m steeplechase at Musselburgh four months ago. Sure to measure up on his best form.

## 6 ZARA'S UNIVERSE

66.0kg

56602 Jockey: MR JOSEPH WILLIAMSON  
Trainer: A CROOK ★  
Owner: Ashgill Stud 2  
C Career: 36 : 3-4-4 (14 days)

Doesn't win out of turn but did a good job last start when beaten 5.5 lengths into second in a steeplechase (3100m) at Catterick. Has ability and is one of the chances.



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

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

Favorite: I'M TOO TIRED  
Possible alternative: FEARLESS ACTION  
The cover: DELPOTRO

## 3 LOVE TRUE

72.0kg

x4202 Jockey: HENRY BROOKE  
Trainer: OLIVER GREENALL & JOSH GUERRIERO  
Owner: E A Brook  
Career: 17 : 3-5-3 (19 days)

Took a tumble two starts back. Turned things around last time and grabbed second, beaten 5 lengths, in a hurdle (3900m) at Huntingdon. Can add to the better recent result.



## 4 INDEPENDENT JIMMY

72.0kg

4x439 Jockey: MR T GILLARD  
Trainer: D M JNR  
Owner: Ian Furlong  
Career: 8 : 0-1-1 (46 days)

Began his campaign with a couple of good runs before a safely held ninth in a hurdle (3900m) at Doncaster last time when well off best. This suits and rates an each way chance.



## 5 FAR AWAY WEST

67.5kg

36x26 Jockey: PETER JAY KAVANAGH  
Trainer: H BURNS  
Owner: H Burns  
Career: 15 : 0-2-2 (19 days)

Missed the placings latest when sixth in a hurdle at Huntingdon but was in the money for the first time when resuming two back in a Catterick hurdle. Solid effort fresh and can measure up here if bounces back.



## 6 CHESTER TONIK

64.5kg

x7890 Jockey: A WEDGE  
Trainer: M A DUNN  
Owner: West Buckland Bloodstock  
Career: 19 : 1-1-2 (54 days)

Struggling to find form and has not made an impression in runs. Does not look up to these on current form despite increased distance.



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

Favorite: SUPER SAINT  
Possible alternative: LOVE TRUE  
The cover: MAGGIES BOY

## 1 SUPER SAINT

76.0kg

6x093 Jockey: MR FREDERICK GINGELL  
Trainer: P NICHOLLS  
Owner: Mr And Mrs J D Cotton  
Career: 5 : 0-0-1 (35 days)

Finished ninth two runs ago in a hurdle (3800m) at Taunton. Turned things around last time when he grabbed third in a hurdle (3800m) at Taunton. Tough to stop.



## 2 MAGGIES BOY

74.5kg

x8x55 Jockey: WILLIAM SHANAHAN ★  
Trainer: J CANDLISH ★  
Owner: Baxter, Barrett & O'keeff  
Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (19 days)

Has finished fifth at both runs since resuming, the latest in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Huntingdon. Better than latest and may be worth another chance.



## 1 LADRONNE

76.0kg

94x41 Jockey: W MAGGS +  
Trainer: T JADE COLLIER ★  
Owner: T C Racing Syndicate  
Career: 46 : 8-6-7 (13 days)

Scored a strong win by 2.75 lengths last time out in a steeplechase (4800m) at Wetherby. Expected to run well again.



## 2 PRINCE CLENI

69.0kg

31265 Jockey: G SHEEHAN ★  
Trainer: CHRISTIAN WILLIAMS  
Owner: Daffodil Racing Cleni  
Career: 23 : 3-3-2 (18 days)

Finished 15 lengths adrift in fifth in a hurdle (5200m) at Warwick at his latest appearance. Well-placed to play a major role against the small field.



## 3 OLD PAGE

68.0kg

63124 Jockey: MR ELLIS COLLIER +  
Trainer: D W THOMPSON  
Owner: A Sadik  
CD Career: 33 : 2-4-3 (44 days)

Has been a shade disappointing since a win three runs back. Filled a minor placing in a steeplechase (5300m) at this track two starts ago then was 8L fourth in a steeplechase (5260m) at this track last time. May struggle.



## 4 CAVE ARTICLE

67.5kg

x5313 Jockey: A WEDGE  
Trainer: CHRISTIAN WILLIAMS  
Owner: Coral Racing Club  
CD Career: 9 : 1-1-2 (39 days)

Saluted two starts back in a steeplechase (5300m) at this track then was popular in betting when a respectable third, beaten 1.75 lengths, in a steeplechase (5000m) at Catterick. Will be hard to beat.



## R5 SEDGEFIELD

5284m

17:18 |(GMT16:18)| GBP £8,900| 5U CHSE HCPC 4

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Chase **TURF** **GOOD** Participants #4

LADRONNE (1) produced a good 2.75L success last time at Wetherby over 4800m 13 days ago. Looks primed to double up under an in-form conditional jockey. CAVE ARTICLE (4) scored by 0.75L two starts back over course and distance. Followed up with a 1.75L third at Catterick attempting a similar journey. Dangerous revisiting this venue. PRINCE CLENI (2) needs to bounce back from two under-par performances. Finished sixth on most recent outing at Warwick. Possibilities. OLD PAGE (3) won tackling track and trip three starts back before placing second and finishing fourth here on his two most recent outings. In the mix.

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

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

Favorite: LADRONNE  
Possible alternative: CAVE ARTICLE  
The cover: PRINCE CLENI

R6

SEDGEFIELD

3381m

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TURF
GOOD
Participants #10

CE MI RUN (3) represents an in-form trainer. Makes second start following an eye-catching 0.75L second at Newcastle in January. Can go one better. Leading contender. GINTIME (4) was unable to come on from a debut second finishing fourth at Ayr four weeks ago. May bounce back. MIGHTY GESTURE (6) placed second delivering first career start at Catterick back in November. Improvement expected after a break. MY MY MY DELILAH (7) placed second ahead of the second pick in the aforementioned Ayr jumpers flat race. Thereabouts.

1

BLAKELEY RISE

45

Jockey: W MAGGS

Trainer: C GRANT

Owner: Derrick Mossop

Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (42 days)

71.0kg

Yet to find a placing in two starts to date, the latest a 12 length fifth in a bumper (3260m) at Newcastle All Weather. This looks a bridge too far.

2

CARD LADY

-

Jockey: M J HAMILTON

Trainer: RUTH JEFFERSON

Owner: Claxby & Co

Career: First Start

71.0kg

Mare by Sir Percy out of Card Game. Market watch advised.

3

CE MI RUN

2

Jockey: G SHEEHAN ★

Trainer: J SNOWDEN ★

Owner: Thomas Mold

Career: 1 : 0-1-0 (42 days)

71.0kg

Showed ability on debut last start in a bumper (3260m) at Newcastle All Weather. Will be tough to beat on what she showed last time.

4

GINTIME

24

Jockey: D MCMENAMIN

Trainer: N RICHARDS ★

Owner: Jb Racing

Career: 2 : 0-1-0 (28 days)

71.0kg

Useful five-year-old. Debuted with a minor placing in a bumper (3400m) at Carlisle two starts back then was out of the money in a bumper (3200m) at Ayr when public elect 28 days ago. Great chance to open her account.

5

JUST TELL ROBYN

-

Jockey: HENRY BROOKE

Trainer: OLIVER GREENALL & JOSH GUERRIERO

Owner: The Perth Partnership

Career: First Start

71.0kg

Mare by Telescope out of Robyn De Galles. Market watch advised.

6

MIGHTY GESTURE

2x

Jockey: CONNOR BRACE

Trainer: F M O'BRIEN

Owner: Syndicates Racing I

BF Career: 1 : 0-1-0 (109 days)

71.0kg

Has not raced since kicking off her career four months in a bumper (3100m) at Catterick when beaten 7 lengths into second. Set to run well.

7

MY MY MY DELILAH

4x2

Jockey: SAM COLTHERD

Trainer: W COLTHERD

Owner: Tor Side Racing And A Mcc

Career: 2 : 0-1-0 (28 days)

71.0kg

Was appearing for just the second time when a useful second in a bumper (3200m) at Ayr last time out, her first run following a spell of 123 days. Cannot be ruled out.

8

SPECTRESS

06

Jockey: MR B LYNN

Trainer: N W ALEXANDER

Owner: The Pilgrims

Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (42 days)

71.0kg

Hasn't shown too much in her two career starts, the latest when sixth and beaten 12 lengths over 3260m in a bumper at Newcastle All Weather. Still improving but not likely to threaten this field.

9

PERFECTOT

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Jockey: MR FREDERICK GINGELL

Trainer: REBECCA MENZIES

Owner: Centaur Racing Club

Career: First Start

66.0kg

Filly by Ectot out of Mille Rubis. Market watch advised.

10

WADACRE MAISIE

-

Jockey: C NICHOL

Trainer: M HAMMOND

Owner: Wadacre Stud

Career: First Start

66.0kg

Filly by Highland Reel out of Marilyn. Market watch advised.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	3	-	-	-	3	3	-
2nd	6	-	-	-	6	9	-
3rd	7	-	-	-	4	4	-

Favorite: CE MI RUN

Possible alternative: GINTIME

The cover: MIGHTY GESTURE



R1 CHELTENHAM 3298m

14:20 | (GMT13:20) | GBP £150,000 | 4U OPEN G1 C1

MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN SUPREME NOVICES'...

Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #12

Talented jumper KOPEK DES BORDES (5) remains unbeaten this campaign. Scored a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown first up then replicated with a 13L victory in the G1 Tattersalls Ireland Novice Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown. The one to beat. ROMEO COOLIO (6) does well first-up. Resumes from a layoff of three months having commenced with a win at Down Royal attempting a 3400m maiden hurdle when last in work. Presents a danger to the main selection. SALVATOR MUNDI (7) closed last prep winning a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Tipperary then returned with a 3L success in the G2 Moscow Flyer Novice Hurdle (3400m) at Punchestown. Could do well again. WILLIAM MUNNY (11) brings top-three form at G1 level. Could prove hard to beat.

5 KOPEK DES BORDES 73.0kg

1x11 Jockey: **PAUL TOWNEND** ★★  
Trainer: **W P MULLINS** ★  
Owner: Monabeg Investments Limit  
BF Career: 3 : 3-0-0 (37 days)



Has ben in sparkling form with 3 wins on end, the latest when he stepped up in class and scored in the G1 Tattersalls Ireland Novice Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown. Impressed last start. Right in the mix again.

6 ROMEO COOLIO 73.0kg

x121x Jockey: **JACK KENNEDY** ★  
Trainer: **G ELLIOTT**  
Owner: Ktda Racing  
Career: 7 : 4-2-0 (74 days)



Resuming today after a break of three months. Finished off his last campaign with a win in the G1 Future Champions Novice Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown. Expect he will be forward enough.

11 WILLIAM MUNNY 73.0kg

3x221 Jockey: **SW FLANAGAN** ★  
Trainer: **B CONNELL**  
Owner: Barry Connell  
Career: 6 : 3-2-1 (19 days)



Did fairly well when he finished second in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Fairyhouse two runs back. Improved sharply to score a very soft win by 15 lengths in a LR (3200m) at Punchestown more recently. In the mix on current form.

12 WORKAHEAD 73.0kg

1x31x Jockey: **M R BLACKMORE**  
Trainer: **H BROMHEAD**  
Owner: Barry Maloney  
Career: 3 : 2-0-1 (75 days)



Returns from a 75-day spell. Finished off last prep with a win in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown, scoring by 7 lengths. Hard to fault.

1 FUNICULI FUNICULA 73.0kg

2x1 Jockey: **B HAYES**  
Trainer: **W P MULLINS** ★  
Owner: Michael A O'riordan & Sea  
Career: 2 : 1-1-0 (55 days)



Was well-supported first-up in a maiden hurdle (3400m) at Clonmel and duly landed the prize by 17 lengths when lining up for only the second time. Not keen in today's line-up.

7 SALVATOR MUNDI 73.0kg

x61x1 Jockey: **P W MULLINS** ★  
Trainer: **W P MULLINS** ★  
Owner: Mrs J Donnelly  
Career: 4 : 2-1-0 (58 days)



Resumed in ideal fashion with a win in the G2 Moscow Flyer Novice Hurdle (3400m) at Punchestown on January 12. Key chance here and further improved. Could go close.

8 SKY LORD 73.0kg

92x14 Jockey: **DARRAGH O'KEEFFE** ★  
Trainer: **H BROMHEAD**  
Owner: Basil Holian  
Career: 4 : 1-1-0 (58 days)



Did a reasonable job when he finished fourth in the G2 Moscow Flyer Novice Hurdle (3400m) at Punchestown last time out, following on from a win when resuming in a maiden hurdle (3100m) at Cork. Looking elsewhere.

2 IRANCY 73.0kg

x3x1x Jockey: **MARK P WALSH** ★★  
Trainer: **W P MULLINS** ★  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: 4 : 2-0-2 (116 days)



Returns from a 116-day spell. Started just once when last in work and was successful in a maiden hurdle (3100m) at Punchestown, scoring by 9 lengths. Definite threat.

3 KARBAU 73.0kg

21x41 Jockey: **MR S F O'KEEFFE**  
Trainer: **W P MULLINS** ★  
Owner: Barnane Stud, Partner & T  
Career: 4 : 2-1-0 (43 days)



Did a fine job to score by 16 lengths at his latest appearance in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Punchestown. In form but others have better credentials.

9 TRIPOLI FLYER 73.0kg

21x11 Jockey: **JONATHAN BURKE** +  
Trainer: **F M O'BRIEN**  
Owner: Ismail El Magdoub  
D Career: 7 : 4-2-0 (17 days)



Last start winner in similar race, scoring by 7 lengths over 3200m in a at Kempton Park. Others have better credentials. Place looks best option.

4 KARNIQUET 73.0kg

2x152 Jockey: **D E MULLINS**  
Trainer: **W P MULLINS** ★  
Owner: Gigginstown House Stud  
Career: 5 : 1-3-0 (37 days)



Was unplaced two back in the G1 Future Champions Novice Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown. Filled a minor prize last start in the G1 Tattersalls Ireland Novice Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown, beaten 13L. May progress.

10 TUTTI QUANTI 73.0kg

2x1x2 Jockey: **MR H COBDEN** ★★  
Trainer: **P NICHOLLS**  
Owner: Colm Donlon  
Career: 4 : 1-3-0 (31 days)



Returned from a 119-day spell with a solid second in a hurdle (3300m) at Newbury last start. Back in good order but needs to find a bit more to feature.

1 JANGO BAIE 73.0kg

22x12 Jockey: **NICO DE BOINVILLE** ★★  
Trainer: **N HENDERSON**  
Owner: Countrywide Park Homes Lt  
C BF Career: 8 : 3-5-0 (38 days)



Was unable to repeat the first-up win when he finished second in the G1 Scilly Isles Novices Chase (4000m) at Sandown Park last time out. Must be respected.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid		Pace		Leader		
			6, 8, 11		1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 12		
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	5	1	9		1	5	5
2nd	6	2	-	-	2	7	9
3rd	9	5	-		3	10	12
Favorite: KOPEK DES BORDES							
Possible alternative: ROMEO COOLIO							
The cover: WORKAHEAD							

R2 CHELTENHAM 3199m

15:00 | (GMT14:00) | GBP £200,000 | 5U OPEN G1 C1

MY PENSION EXPERT ARKLE CHALLENGE T...

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

MAJBOROUGH (3) is a multiple G1 winner. Found success in the G1 Arkle Novice Chase (3400m) at Leopardstown start of February and Mark Walsh retains the ride. Consider. L'EAU DU SUD (2) maintains outstanding form of late. Closed last prep with a win in the G1 Henry VIII Novices Chase (3100m) at Sandown Park then picked up where he left securing another victory by 1L in the G2 Kingmaker Novices Chase (3200m) at Warwick. Hard to dismiss. JANGO BAIE (1) won two starts back tackling a steeplechase (4130m) at this track. Subsequently missed by a nose in the G1 Scilly Isles Novices Chase (4000m) at Sandown Park. May go one better. ONLY BY NIGHT (5) impressed finding success at Exeter last month and rates a genuine threat in this grade.

## 2 L'EAU DU SUD

73.0kg

111x1 Jockey: **HARRY SKELTON** +  
Trainer: DAN SKELTON  
Owner: G Mason, J Hales, L Hales  
**CD BF** Career: 16 : 6-3-2 (31 days)



Returned from a spell last start winning the G2 Kingmaker Novices Chase (3200m) at Warwick with today's rider Harry Skelton. Normally hard to beat with the run under the belt. Warrants thought.

## 3 MAJBOROUGH

73.0kg

31x11 Jockey: **MARK P WALSH** ★★  
Trainer: W P MULLINS ★  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
**C** Career: 5 : 4-0-1 (38 days)



In superb form, saluting in the G1 Arkle Novice Chase (3400m) at Leopardstown last time out to make it 3 wins on the trot. Found his best form now. Take beating.

## 4 TOUCH ME NOT

73.0kg

x2122 Jockey: **JACK KENNEDY** ★★  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Gigginstown House Stud  
**D** Career: 9 : 2-3-1 (38 days)



Has won two of nine career runs to date and is rarely far away. Was in the G1 Arkle Novice Chase (3400m) at Leopardstown last time and was beaten 9 lengths into second. Others rate better this time.

## 5 ONLY BY NIGHT

70.0kg

x11x1 Jockey: **K M DONOGHUE** +  
Trainer: G CROMWELL  
Owner: Mrs J M Russell  
**D** Career: 12 : 7-0-3 (30 days)



Made a winning return from a layoff last time out in a LR (3510m) at Exeter, partnered by today's jockey Keith Donoghue. Second-up record reads well, with two wins and one placings from three runs. Looks tested in this line-up.

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

Favorite: MAJBOROUGH  
Possible alternative: L'EAU DU SUD  
The cover: JANGO BAIE

## R3 CHELTENHAM

5029m

15:40 | (GMT+14:40) | GBP £150,000 | 5UCHSE HCP C1

ULTIMA HANDICAP CHASE (PREMIER HAN...

Chase **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #24

THE CHANGING MAN (13) holds form. Impressed last start when successful attempting the G2 Reynoldstown Novices Chase (4780m) at Ascot in February. May take this out. BROADWAY BOY (3) returns after a two month absence. Opened previous campaign placing in a 5000m steeplechase at this track beaten 12L. Overall first-up record reads well securing a win and two places from four runs. Solid top-three chance. KATATE DORI (18) recorded a big win 17 days back in a steeplechase (4800m) at Kempton Park. Finished second tackling a steeplechase (5360m) at Wincanton the run prior. Hard to dismiss. CREBILLY (17) opened campaign with a solid third in a steeplechase (3230m) at Windsor. Last start could only manage sixth in a steeplechase (4100m) at Kempton Park. In the mix.

## 1 TRELAWNE

76.0kg

0x144 Jockey: **T BELLAMY** +  
Trainer: KIM BAILEY & MAT NICHOLLS  
Owner: The Real Partnership  
Career: 12 : 5-1-3 (52 days)



Has been well held since a win three starts back. Finished fourth, beaten 9 lengths, at the latest appearance in a steeplechase (5120m) at Haydock Park. Struggling and looks tested again.

## 2 FAROUK D'ALENE

75.5kg

2x00x Jockey: **R MCLERNON** ★  
Trainer: G BROWN ★  
Owner: J Carthy  
Career: 15 : 6-3-0 (332 days)



Resumes from a spell of a year. Failed to finish at the latest appearance in the Grand National steeplechase (6900m) at Aintree. Has performed well when resuming before but happy to let him go around this time.

## 3 BROADWAY BOY

75.5kg

x324x Jockey: **S TWISTON-DAVIES** +  
Trainer: N TWISTON-DAVIES  
Owner: D M Proos  
**C** Career: 16 : 6-4-2 (69 days)



Back from a 69-day break. Finished off last campaign when fourth in a steeplechase (5060m) at this track, beaten 18 lengths. Key runner fresh.

## 4 ZANAHIYR

75.5kg

3254x Jockey: **CARL MILLAR**  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Bective Stud  
Career: 32 : 7-8-3 (115 days)  
Gear: [Blinkers, Tongue Strap]



Resumes after a break of four months. Finished off last campaign with a fourth in a G2 (4000m) at Navan, beaten 23 lengths. Might need this run.

## 5 STAY AWAY FAY

75.5kg

00x0x Jockey: **MR H COBDEN** ★★  
Trainer: P NICHOLLS  
Owner: Bell, Lyons, Hill  
**C BF** Career: 10 : 4-1-1 (75 days)



Was pulled up in a hurdle over 4950m at Wincanton at the last run before a break. Others are preferred.

## 6 VICTORINO

75.0kg

0x311 Jockey: **CHARLIE DEUTSCH** ★★  
Trainer: V WILLIAMS ★  
Owner: Martians Racing  
**BF** Career: 22 : 6-4-1 (24 days)



Extremely good jumper who has strung together two wins over the obstacles. Added to the tally last time in a steeplechase (4780m) at Ascot. High among the chances.

## 7 SEARCH FOR GLORY

74.0kg

x1230 Jockey: **SAM EWING** ★★  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Gigginstown House Stud  
Career: 16 : 6-1-4 (37 days)



Useful jumper whose recent form has been just fair. Placed in the G1 Faughen Novice Chase (3900m) at Limerick two starts back then could only manage tenth in a G3 (4300m) at Leopardstown two months ago. Must be a chance.

## 8 HENRY'S FRIEND

73.0kg

x451x Jockey: **MR B R JONES** ★★  
Trainer: B PAULING ★  
Owner: Elizabeth And Oliver Trou  
Career: 14 : 6-1-1 (73 days)



Back from a 73-day spell. Concluded last campaign with a win in a steeplechase (5210m) at Newbury, scoring by 6 lengths. Talented jumper with a good strike-rate. Solid top-three chance.

## 9 SEQUESTERED

72.5kg

84412 Jockey: **JACK G GILLIGAN** +  
Trainer: P GILLIGAN  
Owner: Paul Lyons & T C Quinn  
Career: 20 : 3-2-1 (37 days)



Impressed when he got the job done two runs ago in a steeplechase (4900m) at Leopardstown. Did a good job to finish second more recently in a G3 (4300m) at Leopardstown, beaten just 3.5 lengths. Cannot be underestimated.

## 10 FAMOUS BRIDGE

71.5kg

4x231 Jockey: **SEAN QUINLAN** ★★  
Trainer: N RICHARDS ★  
Owner: Hemmings Racing  
**BF** Career: 20 : 7-3-3 (24 days)



Did well to finish third two back in a steeplechase (5100m) at Haydock Park. Improved to chalk-up a win in a steeplechase (5700m) at Haydock Park 24 days ago, arriving 3 lengths ahead of his rivals. Cannot be left out.

## 11 RICHMOND LAKE

x4232 Jockey: **BRIAN HUGHES +**  
Trainer: D M JNR  
Owner: Hemmings Racing  
Career: 22 : 7-4-2 (31 days)

71.5kg



In the money two runs ago in a steeplechase (5120m) at Haydock Park. Repeated the dose at the latest outing when second in a steeplechase (4800m) at Uttoxeter, beaten 5 lengths. Looks to have the job ahead.

## 12 MALINA GIRL

54x32 Jockey: **K M DONOGHUE +**  
Trainer: G CROMWELL  
Owner: Mrs J M Russell  
C Career: 32 : 6-8-4 (18 days)

71.5kg



Going well this prep. Placed first-up two starts ago in the G3 John and Chich Fowler Memorial Mares Chase (4300m) at Fairyhouse then was a minor placegetter again in a Listed Race (4800m) at Exeter beaten 1.75. Warrants thought.

## 13 THE CHANGING MAN

02221 Jockey: **M B J POWELL +**  
Trainer: **JOE TIZZARD ★**  
Owner: Susan And John Waterworth  
Career: 23 : 4-9-0 (24 days)

71.0kg



Recorded a big win nearly four weeks ago in the G2 Reynoldstown Novices' Chase (4780m) at Ascot. That result followed a solid second in a steeplechase (4810m) at Doncaster. Looks very hard to beat in this sort of form.

## 14 HAPPYGOLUCKY

0x9x5 Jockey: JONATHAN BURKE  
Trainer: M ROWLEY  
Owner: Lady Dulverton  
CD BF Career: 13 : 4-2-3 (45 days)

71.0kg



Finished fifth when fresh from a spell last start in a steeplechase (4130m) at this track, with today's rider Jonathan Burke piloting. Before that first-up run he went to the Melanie Rowley stable. Others rate better.

## 15 KING TURGEON

11130 Jockey: **J TUDOR +**  
Trainer: D PIPE  
Owner: Somerset Racing  
C Career: 21 : 5-5-2 (37 days)

70.5kg



Ran in a steeplechase (6280m) at Musselburgh last time out but failed to finish. Worth another chance and can figure in the finish.

## 16 GRANDEUR D'AME

x1x52 Jockey: **TOM CANNON +**  
Trainer: A KING  
Owner: Syders & Burkes  
Career: 21 : 6-3-2 (45 days)

70.5kg



Finished fifth two runs ago when resuming in a steeplechase (4130m) at this track. Atoned for that run last time when he grabbed second in a steeplechase (4130m) at this track. Big task ahead.

## 17 CREBILLY

x0x36 Jockey: **JONJO O'NEILL JR +**  
Trainer: **JONJO & A J O'NEILL**  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: 14 : 3-3-2 (32 days)

70.0kg



Was not beaten far when third two starts back before a disappointing sixth in a steeplechase (4100m) at Kempton Park last time. Has ability and will be hard to stop.

## 18 KATATE DORI

41121 Jockey: **MR D JOHNSTON +**  
Trainer: **SAM THOMAS ★**  
Owner: Walters Plant Hire Ltd  
Career: 14 : 4-2-4 (17 days)

69.5kg



Scored a big win nearly three weeks ago in a steeplechase (4800m) at Kempton Park. That result came as no surprise after a solid second in a steeplechase (5360m) at Wincanton. All set to continue the strong recent form.

## 19 WHISTLE STOP TOUR

x3115 Jockey: **D FOX ★★**  
Trainer: **L RUSSELL ★**  
Owner: Mrs Jo Tracey, K Alexandre  
Career: 12 : 5-0-3 (45 days)

69.0kg



Had a winning run broken last time out when fifth in a steeplechase (4130m) at this track. Makes strong appeal and should be in the finish.

## 20 FRERO BANBOU

x6126 Jockey: **NED FOX +**  
Trainer: **V WILLIAMS ★**  
Owner: P Davies  
Career: 34 : 5-6-8 (45 days)

68.0kg



Won three starts back but hasn't been able to recapture that form since, the latest effort a 28 length sixth in a steeplechase (4810m) at Doncaster. Hard to have on recent efforts.

## 21 GUARD YOUR DREAMS

43474 Jockey: K WOODS  
Trainer: N TWISTON-DAVIES  
Owner: Graham And Alison Jelley  
C Career: 25 : 6-2-5 (17 days)

67.0kg



Unplaced two starts ago in a steeplechase (4130m) at this track then produced a better result last start when he wound up in fourth in a steeplechase (4800m) at Kempton Park, beaten 27 lengths. Might struggle.

## 22 THE SHORT GO

4x20x Jockey: **M R BLACKMORE +**  
Trainer: **H BROMHEAD**  
Owner: N Byrne  
Career: 12 : 2-3-3 (114 days)

67.0kg



Has not raced since he did not complete the course in a G3 (4800m) at Navan on November 17. Might need the run.

## 23 MYRETOWN

x5101 Jockey: P WADGE  
Trainer: **L RUSSELL ★**  
Owner: Mrs C Wymer & Pjs Russell  
BF Career: 9 : 4-1-0 (25 days)

65.0kg



Last start winner in similar race, scoring by 9 lengths over 4700m in soft going in a steeplechase at Kelso. Good run latest but this line-up looks tougher and happy to overlook today.

## 24 STRAW FAN JACK

6x890 Jockey: **SEAN HOULIHAN +**  
Trainer: S LEWIS  
Owner: Graham Wilson  
C Career: 29 : 4-5-2 (32 days)

65.0kg



Struggling a bit of late. Two starts ago finished ninth in a steeplechase (4810m) at Doncaster. Hopes of a rebound were dashed when he was eased out of the race more recently in a steeplechase (4100m) at Kempton Park. Big task ahead.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
		4, 6, 10, 11, 22	1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	6	6	14	15	6	6	23
2nd	10	23	-	3	20	15	1
3rd	13	15	-	5	15	5	2

Favorite: THE CHANGING MAN  
Possible alternative: BROADWAY BOY  
The cover: KATATE DORI

## R4 CHELTENHAM

4005m

16:20 | (GMT+15:20) | GBP £124,200 | 4UM OPEN G1 C1

CLOSE BROTHERS MARES' HURDLE (REGIS...

Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #11

LOSSIEMOUTH (9) was second two runs back in the G1 Christmas Hurdle (3200m) at Kempton Park. Failed to finish latest tackling the G1 Irish Champion Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown. On best form could prove hard to beat. JADE DE GRUGY (4) resumed after a 343-day layoff winning by 6L the G3 Quevega Mares Hurdle (4000m) at Punchestown. May continue the bright start to this campaign. JULY FLOWER (7) impressed when successful attempting a G3 (4000m) at Leopardstown in December. Quality jumper who has succeeded at G1 level with Rachael Blackmore keeping the ride. Could take this out. JOYEUSE (6) did a reasonable job when second in a hurdle (4060m) at this track two runs back. Improved sharply scoring by 8L last time a hurdle (3300m) at Newbury. Rates a big chance again.



## 1 CASA NO MENTO

72.0kg

04x41 Jockey: S TWISTON-DAVIES +  
Trainer: N TWISTON-DAVIES  
Owner: Lrk Racing & Willy Twisto  
Career: 13 : 7-2-0 (13 days)



Accomplished jumper who was back to her best to score a steeplechase (3500m) at Bangor-On-Dee last time out. That came following an unplaced effort in the G2 Warfield Mares' Hurdle (3150m) at Ascot when resuming two starts back. In the mix.

## 2 DYSART ENOS

72.0kg

1x37x Jockey: JONATHAN BURKE  
Trainer: F M O'BRIEN  
Owner: The Good Stock Syndicate  
C BF Career: 9 : 6-1-1 (80 days)



Seven-year-old mare who is back from a break. Wound up last campaign with a seventh in a hurdle (3100m) at Ascot. Resuming in tougher. Rates a place hope only on run before a spell.

## 3 GALA MARCEAU

72.0kg

362x3 Jockey: B HAYES  
Trainer: W P MULLINS ★  
Owner: Kenneth Alexander  
BF Career: 16 : 5-4-4 (31 days)



Returned from a spell last time out with a third in a LR (4200m) at Warwick. Second-up record reads well, with two wins and two placings from four attempts. Needs to go up a notch.

## 4 JADE DE GRUGY

72.0kg

141x1 Jockey: D E MULLINS  
Trainer: W P MULLINS ★  
Owner: Kenneth Alexander  
D BF Career: 6 : 5-0-0 (19 days)



Was very good when returning from a 343-day layoff most recently, saluting in the G3 Quevega Mares Hurdle (4000m) at Punchestown by 6 lengths. Can continue the bright start to the campaign.

## 5 JETARA

72.0kg

11531 Jockey: SAM EWING ★  
Trainer: J HARRINGTON  
Owner: G McGrath  
D BF Career: 21 : 8-4-4 (45 days)



Recorded a nice win 45 days back in the G2 Yorkshire Rose Mares' Hurdle (4880m) at Doncaster. That result came as no surprise after a solid third in a G3 (4000m) at Leopardstown. Might find this a bit tough.

## 6 JOYEUSE

72.0kg

1x321 Jockey: NICO DE BOINVILLE ★+  
Trainer: N HENDERSON  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: 5 : 3-1-1 (31 days)



Recorded a nice win 31 days back in a hurdle (3300m) at Newbury. That result followed a solid second in a hurdle (4060m) at this track. Cannot be left out.

## 7 JULY FLOWER

72.0kg

33x1x Jockey: M R BLACKMORE +  
Trainer: H BROMHEAD  
Owner: Duncan Angove  
D BF Career: 12 : 5-3-2 (72 days)



Returns after a spell of three months. Opened the last campaign with a win in a G3 (4000m) at Leopardstown by 4 lengths, adding to a sound overall first-up record. Key runner while fresh.

## 8 KALA CONTI

72.0kg

x122x Jockey: JACK KENNEDY ★+  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Robcour  
Career: 8 : 4-3-0 (72 days)



Finished second, beaten 4 lengths, in a G3 (4000m) at Leopardstown at her last outing on December 29. Has won first-up before but has the task ahead on this occasion.

## 9 LOSSIEMOUTH

72.0kg

1x120 Jockey: PAUL TOWNEND ★+  
Trainer: W P MULLINS ★  
Owner: Mrs S Ricci  
CD BF Career: 12 : 9-2-0 (37 days)



Finished second two runs back in the G1 Christmas Hurdle (3200m) at Kempton Park then she failed to finish the race in the G1 Irish Champion Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown last time out. On her best form is sure to prove hard to beat.

## 10 QUEENS GAMBLE

72.0kg

1x2x6 Jockey: PAUL O'BRIEN ★  
Trainer: HARRY DERHAM ★  
Owner: A Frost And E Galvin  
C BF Career: 9 : 5-2-0 (37 days)



Was returning from a layoff last start when beaten 6 lengths into sixth in a LR (3600m) at Leopardstown. Needs to find a bit more to feature.

## 11 TAKE NO CHANCES

72.0kg

31531 Jockey: HARRY SKELTON +  
Trainer: DAN SKELTON  
Owner: Garry Wilson  
Career: 17 : 6-3-4 (52 days)



Did a reasonable job when she finished third in a hurdle (4060m) at this track two runs back. Improved sharply to score by 0.8 lengths in the G2 Warfield Mares' Hurdle (3150m) at Ascot at the latest outing. Cannot be left out.

## R5 CHELTENHAM

3298m

17:00 | (GMT+16:00) | GBP £450,000 | 4U OPEN G1 C1

UNIBET CHAMPION HURDLE CHALLENGE TR...

Hurdle

TURF GOOD SOFT

Participants #7

CONSTITUTION HILL (2) has been going well with this eight year old not missing the frame in ten starts. Appreciated increased journey second-up winning the G2 International Hurdle (3380m) at this venue. Consider. BRIGHTERDAYS AHEAD (6) is a strong first-up performer returning from a three month layoff. Commenced with a win at Down Royal over 3400m when last in work and rates a key runner. STATE MAN (4) could make his presence felt with the gelding coming back in grade. BURDETT ROAD (1) did well to finish third on penultimate attempt in the G1 Christmas Hurdle (3200m) at Kempton Park. Backed that up with a sound second tackling the G2 Kingwell Hurdle (3050m) at Wincanton missing by 0.8L. Sure to be thereabouts again.

## 1 BURDETT ROAD

74.5kg

16132 Jockey: S TWISTON-DAVIES  
Trainer: J P OWEN ★  
Owner: The Gredley Family  
CD Career: 22 : 7-4-2 (24 days)



Racing well since scoring three starts ago. Placed two runs back in the G1 Christmas Hurdle (3200m) at Kempton Park then filled a minor prize again last start in the G2 Kingwell Hurdle (3050m) at Wincanton, beaten 0.8L. In the mix.

## 2 CONSTITUTION HILL

74.5kg

x1x11 Jockey: NICO DE BOINVILLE ★+  
Trainer: N HENDERSON  
Owner: Michael Buckley  
CD BF Career: 10 : 10-0-0 (45 days)



8 year old who has been racing well and has not missed a place from 10 starts. Appreciated the step up in distance second-up to score in the G2 International Hurdle (3380m) at this track. Peaks now and pay to follow up.

## 3 KING OF KINGSFIELD

74.5kg

x225x Jockey: D J GILLIGAN  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Gigginstown House Stud  
Career: 14 : 3-5-2 (72 days)



Fresh off a small break. Previous first-up winner and is yet to miss the top three off a break. This tough despite fresh record. Prepared to look elsewhere.

## 4 STATE MAN

74.5kg

1x231 Jockey: PAUL TOWNEND ★+  
Trainer: W P MULLINS ★  
Owner: Mrs J Donnelly  
CD BF Career: 18 : 13-3-1 (37 days)



Recent form has been good including a win in the G1 Irish Champion Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown last time after finishing third two starts back. Tough to beat again.

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

Favorite: LOSSIEMOUTH  
Possible alternative: JADE DE GRUGY  
The cover: JOYEUSE



## 5 WINTER FOG

23323 Jockey: B HAYES +  
Trainer: W P MULLINS +  
Owner: The Triple Lock Partnersh  
BF Career: 25 : 5-5-3 (37 days)



Filled a minor placing two runs ago in the G1 Neville Hotels Novice Chase (3200m) at Leopardstown. Repeated the dose more recently when third in the G1 Irish Champion Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown, beaten 15L. In the mix.

## 6 BRIGHTERDAYSAHEAD

x111x Jockey: JACK KENNEDY ++  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Gigginstown House Stud  
D BF Career: 10 : 9-1-0 (72 days)



Six-year-old mare who resumes here off a short 72 day break. Yet to taste defeat from four fresh up runs. Makes strong appeal and can keep unbeaten fresh record intact.

## 7 GOLDEN ACE

1x431 Jockey: MR L WILLIAMS +  
Trainer: J SCOTT +  
Owner: IF Gosden  
CD Career: 10 : 6-1-1 (24 days)



Filled a minor prize two back in the G2 Relkeel Hurdle (4060m) at this track then progressed nicely last time to salute by 0.8 lengths in the G2 Kingwell Hurdle (3050m) at Wincanton. Big task ahead.

### Pace of the Race

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

### Race Selections

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

Favorite: CONSTITUTION HILL

Possible alternative: BRIGHTERDAYSAHEAD

The cover: STATE MAN

## R6 CHELTENHAM

3298m

17:40 |(GMT16:40)| GBP £80,000| 4 JHDLE HCP C1  
HALLGARTEN AND NOVUM WINES JUVENILE...

Hurdle **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #24

BEYOND YOUR DREAMS (18) resumes after 87-day absence. Concluded the last prep winning by 0.8L a maiden hurdle (3300m) at Fairyhouse. Sure to feature on best form. STENCIL (4) rates a leading contender where James Reveley retains the ride with this four-year-old gelding. Consider. TOTAL LOOK (5) did a good job finishing third on penultimate start tackling a hurdle (3380m) contest at this track. Backed that up with a sound third in a Punchestown hurdle event (3200m) 43 days ago beaten 2L. Could prove a force once again. PUTURHANDSTOGETHER (6) is a useful jumper. Won a maiden hurdle (3100m) at Cork two starts back then filled a minor placing last start attempting a novice hurdle (3200m) at Fairyhouse. Not to be taken lightly.

## 1 WENDROCK

33317 Jockey: JACK KENNEDY +  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Gigginstown House Stud  
Career: 5 : 1-0-3 (38 days)



Is a little hard to follow. Finished seventh in a 3200m at Leopardstown last start after taking out a Leopardstown maiden hurdle two back. Key chance on penultimate start win and can bounce back.

## 2 MURCIA

31x82 Jockey: M R BLACKMORE  
Trainer: W P MULLINS +  
Owner: Kenneth Alexander  
Career: 6 : 1-1-3 (31 days)



Missed the frame when fresh from a spell two back in the G2 Knight Frank Juvenile Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown. Turned things around last time to grab second in a hurdle (3100m) at Naas, beaten a neck. Only needs to jump well to feature.

## 3 SONY BILL

02x35 Jockey: PAUL TOWNEND +  
Trainer: W P MULLINS +  
Owner: The Why Knot Partnership  
Career: 7 : 2-1-1 (38 days)



Has returned in fair form. Placed when resuming two starts back in the G2 Knight Frank Juvenile Hurdle (3200m) at Leopardstown then was beaten 8L fifth in a G1 (3200m) at Leopardstown two months ago. Could be thereabouts.

## 4 STENCIL

1x162 Jockey: J REVELEY ++  
Trainer: N GEORGE & A ZETTERHOLM +  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: 4 : 2-1-0 (45 days)



Was impressive with a fresh up win in the G2 Finesse Juvenile Novices' Hurdle (3380m) at this track three back but two runs since has failed to find the winners stall. Has the ability and gets chance to find best.

## 5 TOTAL LOOK

x2133 Jockey: K M DONOGHUE +  
Trainer: G CROMWELL  
Owner: Brendan Rogers  
Career: 9 : 2-2-2 (43 days)



Racing well since scoring three starts ago. Placed two runs back in a hurdle (3380m) at this track then filled a minor prize again last time in a hurdle (3200m) at Punchestown, beaten 2 lengths. Well-placed to take this out.

## 6 PUTURHANDSTOGETHER

7x312 Jockey: MARK P WALSH ++  
Trainer: J O'BRIEN  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
BF Career: 10 : 2-2-2 (34 days)



Genuine jumper who scored in a maiden hurdle (3100m) at Cork two starts back. Found one better at the latest appearance in a novice hurdle (3200m) at Fairyhouse. Worth another chance.

## 7 SLURRICANE

32321 Jockey: T P HARNEY +  
Trainer: R O'SULLIVAN  
Owner: Eleanora Kennedy  
BF Career: 13 : 2-2-3 (43 days)



Scored a nice win 43 days back in a hurdle (3200m) at Punchestown. That result followed a solid second in a maiden hurdle (3300m) at Fairyhouse. Big task ahead.

## 8 ROBBIES ROCK

5814x Jockey: C STONE-WALSH +  
Trainer: G CROMWELL  
Owner: Sean Costine  
Career: 11 : 2-2-1 (72 days)



Back from a break of three months. Wound up last campaign with a fourth in a LR (3200m) at Limerick, beaten 6 lengths. Will be better for this hitout.

## 9 QUANTOCK HILLS

x2115 Jockey: MR H COBDEN +  
Trainer: W J GREATREX  
Owner: Jim And Claire Limited  
C BF Career: 6 : 3-2-0 (45 days)



Well held last start finishing 34 lengths off the winner in the G2 Finesse Juvenile Novices' Hurdle (3380m) at this track. Can't make a case for him today.

## 10 TERIFERMA

12x14 Jockey: SEAN BOWEN ++  
Trainer: JACK JONES  
Owner: Mrs Mary-Ann Middleton  
C Career: 7 : 3-1-0 (45 days)



Was a winner two starts back then was not disgraced in the G2 Finesse Juvenile Novices' Hurdle (3380m) at this track last time out, finishing 31 lengths from the winner in fourth. Can play a minor role with some luck.

## 11 HOLY SEE

4x424 Jockey: MR OAKLEY BROWN +  
Trainer: W DURKAN  
Owner: William Durkan  
Career: 6 : 1-2-0 (31 days)



Filled a minor prize two back in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Naas then could only manage fourth last time in a hurdle (3100m) at Naas, beaten 10 lengths. Not sure he is up to this.

## 12 TURN AND FINISH

03221 Jockey: PAUL O'BRIEN ++  
Trainer: HARRY DERHAM +  
Owner: Michael Fiddy & Richard F  
Career: 7 : 1-2-1 (39 days)



Found the frame two back in a maiden hurdle (3100m) at Cork then progressed nicely last time to salute by a nose in a hurdle (3100m) at Catterick. Might find this a bit tough.

## 13 LIAM SWAGGER

112x1 Jockey: STWISTON-DAVIES +  
Trainer: J P OWEN +  
Owner: The Gredley Family  
D Career: 11 : 3-4-2 (18 days)



Resumed after a 81-day spell last start with a strong win on the flat at Southwell AW over 2400m getting home by 5L. Honest jumper with two wins and one minor placing from three starts over the obstacles. In the mix.

## 14 SOLAR DRIVE

70.0kg

412x2 Jockey: GAVIN PETER BROUDER  
Trainer: P FLYNN  
Owner: Solar Drive Six Syndicate  
Career: 12 : 3-4-1 (38 days)



Made a strong return from a 145-day layoff last time out in a LR (3100m) at Musselburgh, finishing second when partnered by today's jockey Gavin Brouder. Looks tested in this line-up.

## 15 LUKER'S TIPPLE

69.5kg

06220 Jockey: MR S F O'KEEFE  
Trainer: A KINIRONS  
Owner: Rachra Partnershp  
Career: 5 : 0-2-0 (38 days)



Came down in a LR (3100m) at Musselburgh last time out. Hard to fault on his best form.

## 16 KOOL ONE

69.5kg

1x322 Jockey: MR I RYAN  
Trainer: CONOR MAXWELL  
Owner: Kieran Ryan  
Career: 11 : 1-3-2 (16 days)



Filled a minor prize two runs back in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Gowran Park. Repeated the dose last time when second in a G3 (3100m) at Naas, beaten 11 lengths. Looks to have the job ahead.

## 17 MISTER CESSNA

69.5kg

33x02 Jockey: JONATHAN BURKE  
Trainer: F M O'BRIEN  
Owner: Guy Henriques & Richard G  
Career: 7 : 1-1-3 (34 days)



Consistent four-year-old gelding who has won one of his seven starts. Last time out was beaten 1.3 lengths when second in a hurdle (3170m) at Ludlow. Others rate better this time.

## 18 BEYOND YOUR DREAMS

69.5kg

2221x Jockey: J J SLEVIN  
Trainer: J O'BRIEN  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
D BF Career: 11 : 2-3-0 (87 days)



Was most recently at the races three months ago. Closed the last campaign with a win in a maiden hurdle (3300m) at Fairyhouse, getting home by 0.8 lengths. Sure to prove tough to stop.

## 19 MOUTARDE

69.0kg

16160 Jockey: C PRITCHARD +  
Trainer: A CHARLTON  
Owner: Mrs Kate Kenyon  
D BF Career: 22 : 4-2-2 (38 days)



Attempted a stakes at Musselburgh last start but fell. Looking elsewhere.

## 20 STATIC

69.0kg

62250 Jockey: C MAGGS  
Trainer: D M JNR  
Owner: J Fyffe  
Career: 11 : 2-3-1 (38 days)



Contested a stakes at Musselburgh last start but Big task ahead. May struggle.

## 21 HOT FUSS

69.0kg

32141 Jockey: D BASS +  
Trainer: T DASCOTBE ★  
Owner: Keith, David & Stephen Tr  
D Career: 17 : 3-3-2 (17 days)  
Gear: [Blinkers]



Reliable jumper who was sharpened up on the flat with a win over 3300m at Southwell AW last time out. That came following an unplaced effort in the G2 Finale Juvenile Hurdle (3200m) at Chepstow two runs back. Warrants thought.

## 22 LAVENDER HILL MOB

68.5kg

24133 Jockey: JAMIE BRACE ★  
Trainer: J P OWEN ★  
Owner: The Gredley Family  
BF Career: 14 : 3-1-4 (9 days)



Racing well since scoring three starts ago. Placed two runs back in a hurdle (3140m) at Haydock Park then filled a minor prize again last start in a hurdle (3200m) at Huntingdon, beaten 21 lengths. Looking elsewhere.

## 23 OUT FOR A STROLL

68.5kg

55412 Jockey: NOT DECLARED  
Trainer: J O'BRIEN  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: 9 : 1-1-0 (43 days)  
Gear: [Blinkers]



Won two starts back in a maiden hurdle (3200m) at Limerick then was public elect when a reasonable second, beaten 1.3 lengths, in a hurdle (3200m) at Punchestown. Must be respected.

## 24 EPHEBUS

68.5kg

0x323 Jockey: NOT DECLARED  
Trainer: D HOGAN  
Owner: T & M Racing Partnership  
BF Career: 9 : 1-2-3 (31 days)



In the money two runs back in a maiden hurdle (3300m) at Punchestown. Repeated the dose last time when third in a hurdle (3100m) at Naas, beaten 8 lengths. Looking elsewhere.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
		1, 16, 19, 20, 21	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	4	4	18	9	2	3	22
2nd	2	9	21	10	3	10	4
3rd	3	10	13	-	13	9	14

Favorite: STENCIL  
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Chase **TURF** **GOOD SOFT** Participants #20

NOW IS THE HOUR (5) was unplaced two starts back in a steeplechase (4800m) at Punchestown. Improved in latest running 4L fourth chasing (4800m) at Navan. Can reverse recent attempts and is considered. HAITI COULEURS (6) brings useful jumps form running third last start in a hurdle (4800m) at Newbury. Scored a steeplechase (5060m) at this track the outing prior and likely to be prominent. TRANSMISSION (9) could only manage sixth contesting the G2 Cleeve Hurdle (4810m) at this track. Produced a solid second in a steeplechase (5060m) here delivering penultimate start and deserves another chance. CAPTAIN CODY (4) missed the placings two back tackling a Leopardstown steeplechase (4300m). Made amends in latest when 2.75L third at Navan. Thereabouts.

## 1 DUFFLE COAT

76.0kg

520x4 Jockey: J SMITH  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: R Stokes  
C BF Career: 31 : 5-7-2 (49 days)



Returned from a spell last start with a modest fourth in a steeplechase (4100m) at Ayr. Needs to go up a level.

## 2 RESPLENDENT GREY

75.0kg

x1224 Jockey: SEAN BOWEN ★ +  
Trainer: OLLY MURPHY ★  
Owner: Mrs R J Skan  
BF Career: 14 : 5-4-2 (45 days)



Talented jumper whose recent form has been just fair. Placed in a G2 (4840m) at Sandown Park two starts back then was outside the top-three in a steeplechase (4130m) at this track two months ago. Must be a chance.

## 3 STUZZIKINI

74.0kg

531x0 Jockey: SAM EWING ★  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Vcs Versatile Coating Spe  
Career: 32 : 5-8-2 (47 days)  
Gear: [Blinkers]



Returned from a spell last start with a modest 13th in a G3 (5000m) at Gowran Park. Requires further improvement.

## 4 CAPTAIN CODY

74.0kg

0x443 Jockey: D E MULLINS  
Trainer: W P MULLINS ★  
Owner: Vincent Caldwell & Angela  
Career: 13 : 3-2-1 (52 days)



Missed the placings in a steeplechase (4300m) at Leopardstown two back then improved to wind-up third in a steeplechase (4800m) at Navan last start. Ready to bounce back to winning form.

## 5 NOW IS THE HOUR

2x654 Jockey: K M DONOGHUE  
Trainer: G CROMWELL  
Owner: Bds Syndicate  
Career: 11 : 3-2-0 (52 days)

73.5kg



Finished fifth the start before last in a steeplechase (4800m) at Punchestown then wound up in fourth most recently in a steeplechase (4800m) at Navan. Only needs to jump well to be right in the finish.

## 6 HAITI COULEURS

x2113 Jockey: MR B R JONES ★+  
Trainer: R CURTIS  
Owner: The Brizzle Boys  
C Career: 9 : 4-3-1 (31 days)

71.5kg



Genuine jumper who scored in a steeplechase (5060m) at this track two starts back. Found a couple better at the latest appearance in a hurdle (4800m) at Newbury. Winning chance.

## 7 IN D'OR

0x113 Jockey: MR DAVID MAXWELL ★+  
Trainer: V WILLIAMS ★  
Owner: David Maxwell  
BF Career: 12 : 3-2-4 (38 days)

71.0kg



Impressed when he got the job done two runs ago in a steeplechase (4780m) at Ascot. Did a good job to finish third more recently in a steeplechase (4800m) at Sandown Park, beaten just 4 lengths. Big task ahead.

## 8 HASTHING

x4114 Jockey: JONJO O'NEILL JR +  
Trainer: JONJO & A J O'NEILL  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
BF Career: 12 : 6-1-1 (24 days)

71.0kg



Did a reasonable job when he finished fourth in a steeplechase (4780m) at Ascot last time out, following on from a win in a steeplechase (4440m) at Windsor. Certainly worth another chance.

## 9 TRANSMISSION

x2126 Jockey: P W MULLINS ★+  
Trainer: N P MULHOLLAND ★  
Owner: Paul Mckeeon  
C BF Career: 18 : 3-5-3 (45 days)

71.0kg



Won three starts back but hasn't been able to recapture that form since, the latest effort a 18 length sixth in the G2 Cleeve Hurdle (4810m) at this track. Hard to beat.

## 10 NO TIME TO WAIT

0x4x3 Jockey: DARRAGH O'KEEFE ★  
Trainer: J MCCONNELL  
Owner: Ms Caroline Ahearn  
Career: 11 : 2-0-3 (38 days)

71.0kg



Wasn't far away when resuming from a 128-day layoff last start, beaten one length into third in a steeplechase (4700m) at Musselburgh. Boasts strong second-up stats. Tougher task this time.

## 11 WILL DO

32562 Jockey: JACK KENNEDY ★+  
Trainer: G ELLIOTT  
Owner: Gigginstown House Stud  
BF Career: 18 : 3-4-4 (19 days)  
Gear: [Blinkers]

70.5kg



Was unplaced two back in a G3 (5000m) at Gowran Park. Bounced back last time to grab second in a LR (5400m) at Punchestown, beaten 2.25 lengths. Hard to fault on current form.

## 12 ROCK MY WAY

x3142 Jockey: M B J POWELL  
Trainer: JOE TIZZARD ★  
Owner: J P Romans & Nick Case  
C Career: 17 : 3-4-3 (45 days)  
Gear: [Blinkers, Tongue Strap]

70.5kg



Missed the placings in a steeplechase (4490m) at Newbury two back then improved to wind-up second in a steeplechase (4810m) at Doncaster last start. Looks to have the job ahead.

## 13 GERICAULT ROQUE

x53x3 Jockey: J TUDOR  
Trainer: D PIPE  
Owner: Prof Caroline Tisdall And  
BF Career: 12 : 2-5-4 (53 days)

70.0kg



Wasn't popular in betting but returned from a 834-day spell on January 17 with a sound third in a steeplechase (4850m) at Windsor, beaten 9 lengths. Has the ability to test the top fancies.

## 14 HERAKLES WESTWOOD

x2113 Jockey: MR H COBDEN ★  
Trainer: W J GREATREX  
Owner: Herakles Westwood Ac  
Career: 16 : 5-2-2 (31 days)

69.0kg



Scored two starts back in a steeplechase (4850m) at Windsor to add to his impressive record. Followed that with a reasonable third last time, beaten 12 lengths, in a steeplechase (4700m) at Newbury. Not keen this time.

## 15 KLARC KENT

x0090 Jockey: MR S F O'KEEFE  
Trainer: W P MULLINS ★  
Owner: Colm O'connell  
BF Career: 15 : 1-1-3 (19 days)

68.0kg



Form of late campaign has been poor, last start finishing tenth in a LR (5400m) at Punchestown. Happy to oppose.

## 16 KYNTARA

20x44 Jockey: CHARLIE DEUTSCH ★+  
Trainer: M ROWLEY  
Owner: Lady Dulverton  
BF Career: 16 : 4-7-1 (53 days)

67.0kg



Hasn't been far away in both runs this time in, the latest finishing fourth in a steeplechase at Windsor. Would need to improve sharply to threaten.

## 17 CAESAR ROCK

32042 Jockey: GAVIN PETER BROUDER  
Trainer: M MORRIS  
Owner: Michael O'flynn & John F  
Career: 31 : 1-6-6 (36 days)

66.5kg



Was unplaced two back in a steeplechase (4200m) at Thurles. Finished second last time on the flat at Punchestown over 3200m, beaten 4 lengths. Prefer to see him do a bit more.

## 18 JUPITER ALLEN

x1401 Jockey: DAVID NOONAN +  
Trainer: M J WILLIAMS ★  
Owner: Ron Watts  
Career: 14 : 4-1-2 (35 days)

66.5kg



Did not finish the race two starts back. Made amends last time to score by a neck in a steeplechase (4600m) at Taunton. Won't find this easy.

## 19 AWORKINPROGRESS

x1111 Jockey: JAMES DAVIES +  
Trainer: N GIFFORD  
Owner: John P Mcmanus  
Career: 11 : 5-0-0 (28 days)

65.5kg



Has strung together five wins on the bounce, the latest in a 4710m steeplechase at Lingfield. Must be included again based on recent efforts.

## 20 LATENIGHTRUMBLE

73122 Jockey: J ANDREWS +  
Trainer: T ELLIS  
Owner: Mrs P A Ellis  
Career: 15 : 6-3-1 (27 days)

64.5kg



Racing well since scoring three starts ago. Placed two runs back in a steeplechase (4550m) at Leicester then filled a minor prize again last time in a steeplechase (4840m) at Wetherby, beaten 2.5 lengths. Looks to have the job ahead.

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