GBI RACING

TIMEFORM 1-2-3

Wednesday 4th February

KEMPTON

12.50	TRY UNIBET'S SUPERBOOSTS APPRENTICE HANDICAP (6) 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 1	(2) MASQOOL | (1) MBAPPE | (5) GALAXY WONDER
1.25	GET DAILY PRICE BOOSTS AT UNIBET FILLIES' NOVICE STAKES (4) 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 2	(12) TOO HOT TO TANGO | (3) NUPTOWN GIRL | (11) STAR OBSESSION
2.00	BET £20 GET £20 WITH UNIBET HANDICAP (Qualifier) (3) 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 3	(6) THE LOST KING | (10) HIGH ON HOPE | (1) SOVEREIGN SEA
2.35	UNIBET MORE EXTRA PLACE RACES HANDICAP (6) 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 4	(8) BULLINGTON BRY | (5) COURT OF SESSION | (2) PORTORO
3.10	UNIBET SUPPORT SAFER GAMBLING HANDICAP (4) 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 5	(8) I'M WORKIN ON IT | (4) MYTHICAL COMPOSER | (5) ECHALAR
3.45	TRY UNIBET'S NEW SMARTVIEW RACECARDS HANDICAP (Qualifier) (5) 1¼m219y (2210 Metres)
RACE 6	(9) DUST COVER | (12) FIDDLERS GREEN | (3) MUST BELIEVE
4.15	TRY UNIBET'S NEW IMPROVED ACCA BOOSTS HANDICAP (6) 6f (1210 Metres)
RACE 7	(1) MAGNA | (4) RESPECTABLE JACK | (6) PORFIN

KEY TO SYMBOLS

Top Rated: The horse with the best chance based solely on past form, specially tailored to a 0-100 scale.

Horses For Courses: A suitable track for the horse, compared to its lifetime record on similar courses as defined by Timeform's course data.

Jockey Uplift: The engaged rider has a notably higher Timeform Jockey Ranking than those who've ridden the horse on its most recent starts

Trainer Form: A hot trainer to follow, based on Timeform ratings-related measurements looking at the recent performance of runners.

12.50 RACE 1

TRY UNIBET'S SUPERBOOSTS APPRENTICE HANDICAP (6)
4yo+ (Rated 0-60) £6,000 1m (1610 Metres)

Going: **Standard to Slow**

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Draw: **Against High** Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 6 **MBAPPE** (5lb/2kg ex) **(7)** (CD) s **96**
093378-31 **5** 9-12 | 62.6kg
Mark Loughnane ***Donagh Murphy*** (5lb/2kg)
11/10, won 9-runner handicap at this C&D 7 days ago. Shade more needed if he's to follow up under a penalty but that's certainly a possibility with first-time cheekpieces enlisted.

2 5 **MASQOOL (IRE) (39)** (CD) ★ **100**
61343558- **8** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Tony Carroll ***Zoe Lewis*** (5lb/2kg)
C&D winner. Eighth of 10 in handicap at Wolverhampton (7.2f, 10/1) 39 days ago. First run for yard after leaving James Evans and will have a serious chance off this reduced mark if on-song. Yard also saddles Galaxy Wonder.

3 9 **OUR DAGGER (IRE) (100)** (C) **96**
61d0/11600- **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Adrian Wintle ***Mason Paetel***
Course winner. Two wins from 5 runs last year. 14/1, last of 15 in handicap at Galway (7f, heavy) when last seen in October. 2-2 on the AW and interesting to see how he shapes up in the betting on debut for new yard.

4 3 **BERNING HOT (IRE) (7)** **97**
366134-73 **4** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Michael Attwater ***James Glennon*** (7lb/3kg)
Winner at Brighton in August. Good 1¾ lengths third of 9 to Mbappe in handicap (33/1) at this C&D 7 days ago, clear of rest. Solid each-way chance.

5 4 **GALAXY WONDER (IRE) (24)** (BF) **99**
9560031-4 **4** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Tony Carroll ***Matthew Lloyd Slater*** (5lb/2kg)
Latest win at Wolverhampton in December. 2/1, creditable fourth of 8 in handicap at Chelmsford City (8f) 24 days ago. Can make presence felt.

6 8 **AGE OF TIME (FR) (24)** s **97**
002178-84 **5** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Ian Williams 🏇 ***Ryan Kavanagh***
Fourth of 5 in handicap at Chelmsford City (10f, 11/2) 24 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Cheekpieces back on and likely to find one or two too good once more.

7 10 **JOHNJAY (25)** (D) h **96**
0/315366-8 **6** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Keiran Burke ***Ashley Lewis***
First run since leaving Roger Teal when eighth of 10 in handicap (28/1) at Lingfield (10f, AW) 25 days ago. Hood on 1st time and he's probably worth taking on.

8 1 **BRINTON (24)** (D) s **97**
126155-32 **5** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Jonathan Portman ***Olivia Tubb*** (3lb/1kg)
Three wins from 13 runs last year. Good second of 8 in handicap (17/2) at Chelmsford City (8f) 24 days ago. Shouldn't be far away.

9 7 **PORT NOIR (5)** t **83**
4200978-7 **9** 8-9(8-8) | 54.9kg (54.4kg)
Robert Stephens ***Rose Dawes***
Twenty-three runs since last win in 2024. 15/2, seventh of 10 in minor event at Wolverhampton (8.6f) 5 days ago. Readily passed over.

10 2 **MARCHETTI (IRE) (7)** (C) s **92**
438379-47 **9** 8-9(8-8) | 54.9kg (54.4kg)
Jimmy Fox ***Tyrese Cameron*** (3lb/1kg)
Course winner. Two wins from 52 Flat runs. 6½ lengths seventh of 9 to Mbappe in handicap at this C&D (11/1) 7 days ago. Cheekpieces back on. Clearly has work to do.

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:
9-4 Mbappe, **11-2** Galaxy Wonder, **6-1** Brinton, **7-1** Berning Hot, **17-2** Masqool, **12-1** Age of Time, **20-1** Our Dagger, **28-1** Marchetti, **33-1** Johnjay, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:
In the hope that the change of scenery (debut for new yard) has perked him up, MASQOOL gets the nod. He won off this mark at Chelmsford last summer and shades preference ahead of last week's C&D winner Mbappe and stablemate Galaxy Wonder. Each-way cases can be made for some of the others, most notably Berning Hot, who put in a good shift when third to Mbappe here recently, and Brinton.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:
1. MASQOOL 2. MBAPPE 3. GALAXY WONDER

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Angelica K** 5-9-5	14-1	Simon Hodgson	Jack Dace (5)	9
2024	**Always Fearless** 7-9-4	11-2	Richard Hannon	Joe Leavy (5)	10

SMART STATS:
No Smart Stats available for this race

1.25 RACE 2

GET DAILY PRICE BOOSTS AT UNIBET FILLIES' NOVICE STAKES (4) 3yo+ fillies and mares £10,000 1m (1610 Metres)

GBI RACING

Going: **Standard to Slow**

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Draw: **Against High** Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 7 **BRONTE BEACH (IRE) (174)** **91**
4- **4** 10-2 | 64.4kg
Archie Watson *Luke Morris*
Showed a bit when fourth of 8 in maiden (7/1) at Chelmsford City (10f) on debut. Off 174 days. First run for yard after leaving John & Thady Gosden.

2 9 **GLISTENING (152)** **92**
322/857- **4** 10-2 | 64.4kg
Ollie Sangster *Oisin Murphy*
Fair form when placed all 3 starts in maidens at 2 yrs but disappointing in 2025, looking hard ride in first-time blinkers when last seen. Off 152 days. First run for yard after leaving John & Thady Gosden.

3 3 **NUPTOWN GIRL (12)** **95**
6/853655-2 **4** 10-2 | 64.4kg
Ian Williams *Ryan Kavanagh* (5lb/2kg)
Fair filly. 12/1, first run since leaving Charles Hills when excellent second of 8 in novice at Southwell (8.1f) 12 days ago, never nearer. Solid each way claims back in maiden company.

4 10 **WHISPER OF MIST (21)** **60**
0 **4** 10-2 | 64.4kg
Tony Newcombe *Alistair Rawlinson*
Once-raced maiden. 300/1, last of 13 in maiden at this C&D on debut 21 days ago.

5 5 **ALICE DE CLARE (IRE)** **90**
3 8-11 | 55.8kg
James Fanshawe *Jack Doughty*
Space Blues filly. Dam German 9.5f/1¼m winner out of useful 1¼m winner Elle Gala. Yard's debutantes tend to need their first experience.

6 1 **BILLINGSGATE GOLD** **88**
3 8-11 | 55.8kg
Stuart Williams *Grace McEntee*
Havana Gold filly. Dam 1m winner.

7 2 **DARN HOT DAME (12)** **87**
7-4 **3** 8-11 | 55.8kg
Tom Ward *Alec Voikhansky*
Twice-raced maiden. 22/1, fourth of 8 in novice at Southwell (8.1f) 12 days ago.

8 8 **NAANA'S CRYSTAL (135)** **87**
8- **3** 8-11 | 55.8kg
Marco Botti *Marco Ghiani*
Once-raced maiden. 40/1, eighth of 12 in maiden at Leicester (7f, good) on debut. Off 135 days. First run for yard after leaving Alice Haynes.

9 4 **QUATRO NETAS (114)** **65**
00- **3** 8-11 | 55.8kg
Jonathan Portman *Rob Hornby*
Twice-raced maiden. 250/1, last of 13 in novice at this C&D. Off 114 days.

10 12 **SONG OF THE STARS (21)** **70**
50 **3** 8-11 | 55.8kg
James Ferguson *Jonny Peate*
Twice-raced maiden. Tenth of 13 in maiden at this C&D (125/1) 21 days ago.

11 11 **STAR OBSESSION (33)** h **92**
5 **3** 8-11 | 55.8kg
William Haggas *Tom Marquand*
Fifth of 7 in maiden at Wolverhampton (7.2f, 13/2) on debut 33 days ago. Hooded for 1st time. Should progress.

12 6 **TOO HOT TO TANGO (68)** ★ **100**
47232- **3** 8-11 | 55.8kg
Hughie Morrison *Harry Davies*
Lightly-raced maiden. Respectable second of 9 in novice (16/5) at Southwell (7.1f) 68 days ago. Sets the form standard.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Too Hot To Tango, **9-2** Nuptown Girl, **13-2** Star Obsession, **15-2** Glistening, **17-2** Bronte Beach, **10-1** Alice De Clare, **25-1** Billingsgate Gold, **28-1** Darn Hot Dame, **33-1** Naana's Crystal, **200-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

TOO HOT TO TANGO is starting to prove expensive to follow but she sets the standard and is worth one more chance in a winnable-looking novice. Nuptown Girl is unexposed as a miler and ought to be very competitive back in novice company, with Star Obsession considered a likely improver for a top yard.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. TOO HOT TO TANGO 2. NUPTOWN GIRL 3. STAR OBSESSION

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Selenic** 3-8-11	7-2	Sir Mark Prescott Bt	Luke Morris	7

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

2.00 RACE 3

BET £20 GET £20 WITH UNIBET HANDICAP (Qualifier) (3)
4yo+ (Rated 0-95) £16,000 1m (1610 Metres)

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Draw: **Against High** Pace Information: **Weak**

1 9 **SOVEREIGN SEA (IRE) (120)** (D) **97**
22220624- **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Roger Varian *Jack Mitchell*
5/1, bit below form fourth of 9 in handicap at Leicester (11.8f, good), unsuited by step up in trip. Now back at what is seemingly his optimum trip (form figures at around 1m read 1222) and he's one to consider.

2 4 **POPMASTER (IRE) (28)** (C, BF) **97**
345404-32 **8** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Ed Walker *Tom Marquand*
Course winner. 13/8, good neck second of 7 to The Lost King in handicap at this course (7f) 28 days ago. Needs considering off the same mark.

3 7 **JAMES MCHENRY (19)** (D) **89**
152242/0-9 **6** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Edward Bethell *Callum Rodriguez*
Last of 9 in handicap at Newcastle (8f, 14/1) 19 days ago and probably best watched now switched to polytrack.

4 10 **ANGEL HUNTER (49)** (D) **96**
13/581710- **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Richard Hannon *Sean Levey*
Two wins from 6 runs last year. Latest win at Southwell in October. 13/2, tenth of 12 in handicap at this C&D 49 days ago. Wouldn't be without hope if able to bounce back.

5 5 **NIKOVO (13)** (D) **96**
6302887-2 **7** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Michael Herrington *Lewis Edmunds*
7/2, good second of 7 in handicap at Newcastle (8f) 13 days ago, clear of rest. Reproduction of that effort will give him a fighting chance.

6 6 **THE LOST KING (28)** (C) **99**
916/30-1 **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Andrew Balding *Oisin Murphy*
12/1, career best when winning 7-runner handicap at this course (7f) 28 days ago by neck from Popmaster. 1 lb nudge negligible and return to this trip looks a good move. Major player.

7 3 **UNASSUMING (FR) (18)** (D) s+t **98**
1512253-4 **6** 9-4 | 59.0kg
George Boughey *Pat Cosgrave*
Three wins from 11 runs last year. 8/1 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, respectable fourth of 10 in handicap at Lingfield (10f, AW) 18 days ago, left poorly placed. Place possibilities.

8 2 **HARVEY (FR) (128)** (D, BF) h **88**
2133/26- **4** 9-2 | 58.1kg
Ian Williams *Edward Greatrex*
Sixth of 9 in minor event at Craon (8f, good to soft, evens). Off 128 days ahead of this stable/handicap debut and equipped with a first-time hood. Opposable.

9 8 **I STILL HAVE FAITH (116)** (D) **98**
96326220- **6** 8-12 | 56.2kg
Stuart Williams *Marco Ghiani*
Below form tenth of 19 in handicap (13/2) at York (10.2f, good) when last seen in October, unable to sustain effort. Back down in trip for this polytrack debut (also first run for new yard) and he's not discounted.

10 1 **HIGH ON HOPE (14)** (CD) **100**
431533-11 **4** 8-10 | 55.3kg
Michael Appleby *Harry Davies*
Career best when winning 8-runner handicap at this C&D (7/2) 14 days ago, bit in hand. 4 lb rise looks manageable and should make a bold bid to complete the hat-trick.

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 The Lost King, **9-2** High On Hope, **11-2** Popmaster, **7-1** Sovereign Sea, **10-1** Unassuming, **11-1** Nikovo, **12-1** I Still Have Faith, **12-1** Angel Hunter, **33-1** James Mchenry, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

THE LOST KING hasn't stood much racing but he resumed from a break in good order when mowing down Popmaster in the closing stages over 7f here last month. That was just his sixth career start and there may well be better to come from this 4-y-o back at a mile. The hat-trick seeking High On Hope and Sovereign Sea are feared most in that order of preference, while the aforementioned Popmaster should also be in the mix once more.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. THE LOST KING 2. HIGH ON HOPE 3. SOVEREIGN SEA

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

2.35 RACE 4

UNIBET MORE EXTRA PLACE RACES HANDICAP (6) 4yo+ (Rated 0-60) £6,000 7f (1410 Metres)

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Strong**

1 1 **REDDEEF (IRE) (25)** t **96**
6447347-8 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Michael Keady *Darragh Keenan*
Last of 8 in handicap at Lingfield (8f, AW, 10/1) 25 days ago and it's probably best to look elsewhere.

2 9 **PORTORO (7)** (CD) h+t **97**
282342-42 **6** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Martin Dunne *Rossa Ryan*
C&D winner. 3/1, good second of 9 in handicap at this course (6f) 7 days ago, left with too much to do. One to consider.

3 5 **PREFER THE SISTER (IRE) (70)** (CD) **95**
55626337- **6** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Matt Crawley *Luke Morris*
C&D winner. One win from 21 Flat runs. Seventh of 10 in handicap at Southwell (7.1f, 4/1) 70 days ago. Booking of Morris a plus but others are more appealing all the same.

4 11 **ZU RUN (15)** (D) **97**
9870768-0 **6** 9-7 | 60.3kg
Mark Loughnane *Paddy Bradley*
Eleventh of 12 in handicap (22/1) at Southwell (7.1f) 15 days ago. Needs to bounce back.

5 8 **COURT OF SESSION** (4lb/2kg ex) **(8)** (D) v **99**
5084-2541 **7** 9-7 | 60.3kg
Phil McEntee *Connor Planas* (3lb/1kg)
Improved on recent efforts to win 7-runner handicap (13/8) at Wolverhampton (7.2f) 8 days ago, well positioned. Leading claims under a penalty.

6 4 **PURE ARTISTRY (IRE) (13)** v+t **88**
9/641269-9 **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Charlie Clover *Tom Marquand*
Winner at Windsor in July. 40/1, first run since leaving Michael Bell when ninth of 10 in handicap at Southwell (6.1f) 13 days ago. Now tried in a visor.

7 10 **ROMANOVICH (IRE) (19)** (D) b **97**
5150736-6 **7** 9-6 | 59.9kg
John O'Shea *Ryan Kavanagh* (5lb/2kg)
Sixth of 8 in handicap at Wolverhampton (8.6f, 25/1) 19 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Likely to come up short once more, unless the refitted blinkers give him a lift. Engaged 5.30 Wolverhampton Tuesday.

8 6 **BULLINGTON BRY (6)** (BF) s **100**
4432828-3 **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Jane Chapple-Hyam *Sorin Moldoveanu* (7lb/3kg)
Creditable third of 10 in handicap (9/4) at Chelmsford City (7f) 6 days ago, doing too much too soon. Cheekpieces on 1st time and he has to be taken seriously.

9 7 **SANDITON (IRE) (13)** s **97**
20U93-328 **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Charlie Johnston *Jack Mitchell*
6/1 and blinkered for 1st time, eighth of 10 in handicap at Southwell (7.1f) 13 days ago. Cheekpieces back on. Others make more appeal from a win point of view.

10 3 **U S S CONSTITUTION (IRE) (218)** (D) **86**
6/5058070- **6** 9-4 | 59.0kg
Ed Walker *Hector Crouch*
Regressive form when sent to Hong Kong and little impact in handicaps in 2025. This will be his first appearance since rejoining the Ed Walker yard (won 7f Ascot contest for them in 2022) and he's worth a market check.

11 2 **ADACE (7)** (CD) s **91**
62461-996 **8** 9-3 | 58.5kg
Dean Ivory *John Egan*
C&D winner. Latest win here in December. 28/1, sixth of 9 in handicap at this course (8f) 7 days ago. Opposable.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Court of Session, **4-1** Bullington Bry, **9-2** Portoro, **10-1** Sanditon, **12-1** Prefer The Sister, **18-1** Reddeef, **20-1** U S S Constitution, **28-1** Zu Run, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

BULLINGTON BRY did well under the circumstances when third off this mark at Chelmsford last week and he is taken to regain the winning thread. Next on the list is Court of Session, who snapped a long losing run at Wolverhampton recently and he remains on a good mark with his 4 lb penalty factored in. Portoro is also shortlisted.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. BULLINGTON BRY 2. COURT OF SESSION 3. PORTORO

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Enpassant** 4-9-3	5-2f	Stuart Williams	Rossa Ryan	8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

3.10 RACE 5

UNIBET SUPPORT SAFER GAMBLING HANDICAP (4) 4yo+ (Rated 0-85) £12,000 7f (1410 Metres)

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Even**

1 8 **VALLEY OFTHE KINGS (SAF) (36)** b **97**
6315162 9- **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Dylan Cunha *Sean Levey*
Latest win at Chelmsford City in November. Last of 9 in handicap (8/1) at Wolverhampton (6.1f) 36 days ago. Needs to bounce back.

2 7 **DIAMONDONTHEHILL (14)** (D) **99**
00374-323 **8** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Dr Richard Newland & Jamie Insole *Hector Crouch*
Eleven runs since last win in 2025 but he comes here in good order, third of 9 in handicap at Lingfield (7f, AW) 14 days ago. Merits consideration once more.

3 3 **FOLLOW YOUR HEART (IRE) (29)** (CD, BF) t **97**
1306071-4 **8** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Mark Loughnane *Luke Morris*
4-time C&D winner. Creditable 1½ lengths fourth of 8 to Echalar in handicap (10/3) at Wolverhampton (7.2f) 29 days ago. Ought to be thereabouts.

4 6 **MYTHICAL COMPOSER (65)** (CD) s **98**
47324441- **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Clive Cox *Rossa Ryan*
17/2 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, career best when winning 10-runner handicap at this C&D 65 days ago. Up 3 lb but not taken lightly with headgear retained.

5 4 **ECHALAR (IRE) (29)** (D) h **96**
633/0540-1 **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Jane Chapple-Hyam *Harry Davies*
Gelded before bouncing back to get off the mark in 8-runner handicap at Wolverhampton (7.2f) 29 days ago. Can go well again despite a 3 lb rise.

6 2 **GOOD BANTER (IRE) (70)** **90**
56050133- **4** 9-3 | 58.5kg
Jennie Candlish *Darragh Keenan*
Resumed winning ways at Wolverhampton in September and in good nick since, third of 7 in seller at Southwell (6.1f) 70 days ago. Not discounted after a break.

7 5 **ROBBO (IRE) (137)** (D) **92**
56551760- **5** 9-2 | 58.1kg
Thomas Faulkner *Robert Havlin*
Bit mixed on the Flat last year but he did manage 1m Goodwood win in June. Remote fourth on Plumpton hurdle debut when last seen in October for Gary & Josh Moore so needs to step forward on his yard bow here.

8 1 **I'M WORKIN ON IT (16)** (CD) s ★ **100**
900/1422-1 **4** 8-12 | 56.2kg
Rod Millman *Lewis Edmunds*
Gained a deserved success in 11-runner handicap over C&D 16 days ago. Up 3 lb but that form has been franked so he's a player with cheekpieces added.

9 10 **CHERRY COBBLER (24)** t **96**
3/41356-8 **4** 8-11 | 55.8kg
Stuart Williams *Marco Ghiani*
Scored at Southwell (5f) last January and in good nick since, not getting home when eighth of 11 in handicap at Chelmsford City (7f) 24 days ago. Tongue strap is reached for now.

10 9 **MUMAYAZ (IRE) (12)** (D) t **98**
643163-35 **7** 8-10 | 55.3kg
James Owen *Mason Paetel* (5lb/2kg)
Scored at Southwell in November and in good form subsequently until just fifth of 8 in handicap there (7.1f) 12 days ago. The sort to bounce back.

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

7-2 I'm Workin On It, **9-2** Diamondonthehill, **6-1** Mythical Composer, **13-2** Echalar, **9-1** Follow Your Heart, **12-1** Cherry Cobbler, **18-1** Valley Ofthe Kings, **20-1** Mumayaz, **20-1** Good Banter, **28-1** Robbo

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Plenty are in with a shout but I'M WORKIN ON IT rates just the pick of the weights with the form of his recent C&D victory working out well, so he edges the vote from fellow last-time scorers Mythical Composer (second choice) and Echalar. Both Follow Your Heart and Diamondonthehill can have a say too in this highly competitive event.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. I'M WORKIN ON IT 2. MYTHICAL COMPOSER 3. ECHALAR

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

3.45 RACE 6

TRY UNIBET'S NEW SMARTVIEW RACECARDS HANDICAP (Qualifier) (5) 4yo+ (Rated 0-75) £8,000 1¼m219y (2210 Metres)

GBI RACING

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Strong**

1 3 **GOLDEN CIRCET (IRE) (117)** **97**
23310373- **6** 9-12 | 62.6kg
Jim & Suzi Best — ***Finley Marsh***
Won twice on the Flat last year and respectable third at this C&D when last seen on the level in October. Below that level tried over hurdles last 3 starts, fifth of 6 in novice at this venue in November, but he could fare better back in this sphere.

2 2 **SOMETHING (34)** **93**
4610400-5 **5** 9-11 | 62.1kg
Stuart Williams — ***Harry Vigors*** (7lb/3kg)
Took advantage of drop back into this grade when scoring at Ripon last year. Making only third start for current yard, shaped as if needing the run after 5 months off when fifth of 8 in handicap (12/1) at Southwell (12.1f) 34 days ago, so this outing should reveal more.

3 12 **MUST BELIEVE (20)** (CD) v **98**
5771412-4 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Ismail Mohammed — ***Mason Paetel*** (5lb/2kg)
C&D winner in September and doubled his tally at Southwell in November. Seemed unsuited by the step back up in trip when fourth of 7 in handicap (4/1) at Chelmsford City (13.3f) 20 days ago, so he's one to note returned to shorter.

4 10 **IMPERIAL TROOPER (IRE) (15)** **97**
7/680339-2 **4** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Jennie Candlish — ***Luke Morris***
Yet to win in handicap company, but making only second start on all-weather he bounced back to best after 3 months off when second of 11 at Newcastle (10.2f, 16/1) 15 days ago. Task is now to build on latest effort.

5 8 **ALPINE OASIS (29)** s **98**
783667-84 **5** 9-8 | 60.8kg
Darryll Holland — ***Darragh Keenan***
Without a win last year, but making third run for current trainer she returned to form when ¾-length fourth of 7 in handicap at Southwell (11.1f, 28/1) 29 days ago, albeit well positioned. Cheekpieces now added.

6 5 **JOHNNY BOOM (IRE) (99)** s **98**
74659/1- **8** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Shaun Lycett — ***Rossa Ryan***
Returned from 13 months off with success at Leicester (11.8f, soft, 28/1) in October. In the process of running respectably when falling 2 out in handicap hurdle at Southwell 10 weeks ago, but will need to find more back up in grade in this sphere. Cheekpieces reapplied.

7 9 **ATLANTIC SUNSET (IRE) (20)** v **91**
8163788-6 **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Charlie Johnston — ***Neil Callan***
Off the mark at Newmarket in June but hasn't gone on from that effort since, sixth of 7 in handicap at Chelmsford City (13.3f, 22/1) on latest outing 20 days ago. Has enough to prove at present.

8 11 **PARTY ISLAND (IRE) (44)** (CD) **98**
64580228- **9** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Denis Coakley — ***George Bass***
Thirteen runs since last win in 2024 but better signs when runner-up twice at Lingfield (12f) late last year. Had hopeless task from position when eighth of 10 in handicap at the same course (10f, 14/1) 44 days ago, so he could bounce back.

9 13 **DUST COVER (15)** (D) ★ **100**
8500012-1 **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Ross Burdon — ***Paddy Bradley***
Much improved since going back on all-weather in handicaps, making it 2 wins from his last 3 starts when battling well for success in 7-runner contest at Southwell (11.1f, 6/4) 15 days ago. Major player in his current form.

10 4 **JACK SPAROWE (IRE) (15)** (CD) **99**
40/00722-9 **7** 9-3 | 58.5kg
John Butler — ***Lewis Edmunds***
Fourteen runs since last win in 2023, though with cheekpieces applied he was runner-up at this C&D and Newcastle in October. After 3 months off, ran poorly when ninth of 11 in handicap at Newcastle (10.2f, 11/2) 15 days ago, but he lurks on a dangerous mark.

11 7 **UPEPO (IRE) (46)** (BF) **94**
07048018- **6** 9-2 | 58.1kg
Tony Carroll — ***Jack Doughty***
Won readily at Lingfield (12f) in December, before possibly finding the race coming too soon 3 days later when eighth of 10 in handicap at Wolverhampton (12.2f, 11/4) 46 days ago. Remains on a workable mark given a longer break ahead of this race.

12 6 **FIDDLERS GREEN (IRE) (28)** (CD) s **99**
5721532-2 **7** 8-13 | 56.7kg
John O'Shea — ***Ryan Kavanagh*** (5lb/2kg)
Returned to winning ways at this C&D last summer and good efforts when placed on his last 3 starts, bumping into a well-treated type when second of 12 in handicap here (4/1) 28 days ago. Enters calculations.

13 1 **SCEPTIC (IRE) (71)** b **97**
4366614U- **6** 8-11 | 55.8kg
Ian Williams — ***Edward Greatrex***
Won twice at Wolverhampton last year, with latest success over 7.2f in September. Respectable effort next time, before unseating rider home turn back at Wolverhampton (8.6f, 6/1) 10 weeks ago. Back up in trip with blinkers reapplied.

13 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 Dust Cover, **8-1** Imperial Trooper, **10-1** Fiddlers Green, **11-1** Jack Sparowe, **11-1** Johnny Boom, **11-1** Must Believe, **11-1** Something, **14-1** Party Island, **14-1** Golden Circet, **14-1** Upepo, **16-1** Sceptic, **18-1** Alpine Oasis, **28-1** Atlantic Sunset

TIMEFORM VIEW:

DUST COVER has taken his form up a level returned to all-weather, showing a good attitude when recording his second success at Southwell 15 days ago, and he can add to his tally upped in trip. Fiddlers Green also arrives in good form having finished runner-up here the last twice and could be the main danger, ahead of Must Believe.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. DUST COVER 2. FIDDLERS GREEN 3. MUST BELIEVE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Kinetic** 4-9-10	5-2jf	James Owen	Warren Fentiman (7)	7
2024	**Page Three** 5-9-10	11-10f	Andrew Balding	David Probert	7
2023	**Rikona** 4-9-11	5-1	Kevin Philippart de Foy	Paddy Bradley (3)	8
2022	**How Hard Can It Be** 4-9-1	13-8f	John Best & Karen Jewell	Hollie Doyle	7
2021	**Beauty Stone** 4-9-2	14-1	Tom Ward	Hollie Doyle	10

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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Draw: **Favours Low** Pace Information: **Strong**

1 11 **MAGNA (16)** (CD, BF) ★ **100**
505251-12 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Tony Carroll — *Jack Doughty*
Scored over C&D and at Southwell either side of Christmas and went down by only a neck to Dr Ali in handicap over C&D 16 days ago having gone freely. Expected to be bang there again off the same mark.

2 9 **MAN ON A MISSION (7)** (CD) t **89**
725399-06 **7** 9-9 | 61.2kg
P. Charalambous & J. Clutterbuck — *Pat Cosgrave*
C&D winner. Well below par both runs this year, though he was caught wide when sixth of 9 in handicap at this C&D 7 days ago. Needs to take a step forward.

3 3 **INITIAL BLUE (IRE) (13)** (D) b **96**
034440-35 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Dr Richard Newland & Jamie Insole — *Rossa Ryan*
Eleven runs since last win in 2024. Not seen to ideal effect when fifth of 10 in handicap at Southwell (6.1f, 9/1) 13 days ago. Blinkers go on now and in the mix off an easing mark.

4 2 **RESPECTABLE JACK (16)** b+t **96**
470/6205-3 **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Matt Crawley — *Luke Morris*
Off 7 weeks before a good neck third of 8 to Dr Ali in handicap over C&D 16 days ago, faring best of those held up. A likely player with blinkers replacing cheekpieces.

5 4 **ALASHOS (FR) (18)** (D) b **99**
2238554-5 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg
Chris Gordon — *Robert Havlin*
Seventeen runs since last win in 2024 and a below-par fifth of 8 in handicap at Lingfield (6f, AW) 18 days ago. Needs to get back on track in a change of headgear.

6 5 **PORFIN (IRE) (6)** (D) s **94**
009-53123 **8** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Phil McEntee — *Connor Planas* (3lb/1kg)
Back to winning ways at Lingfield in January and posted a solid third of 6 in handicap there (6f, AW) 6 days ago. Ought to be in the shake-up again.

7 8 **CUBAN FIESTA (11)** t **94**
800266-02 **5** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Denis Quinn — *Harry Vigors* (7lb/3kg)
On a losing run but he recorded a good second of 7 in handicap at Lingfield (7f, AW) 11 days ago, well positioned. Needs considering.

8 6 **FRIDAY AGAIN (IRE) (32)** s **94**
852/4788-8 **4** 9-3 | 58.5kg
Simon Dow — *Mason Paetel* (5lb/2kg)
Still a maiden and tried in cheekpieces when just eighth of 9 in handicap at Lingfield (7f, AW) 32 days ago. Others are preferred.

9 7 **DR ALI (IRE) (16)** (CD) s **97**
660287-41 **4** 9-3 | 58.5kg
J. R. Jenkins — *Jonny Peate*
Refitted with cheekpieces when finally getting off the mark in 8-runner handicap over C&D 16 days ago, showing a good attitude to deny Magna by a neck. Needs to back it up now though with headgear retained.

10 1 **LIRICIST (IRE) (44)** **83**
77416/880- **4** 9-0(8-13) | 57.2kg (56.7kg)
Tony Newcombe — *Alistair Rawlinson*
Won a 7f nursery at 66/1 in 2024 but lightly raced and well below par since, only eleventh of 12 in handicap at Lingfield (7f, AW) 44 days ago. Not easy to warm to.

11 10 **PURPENDICULAR (22)** t **82**
63578-8 **4** 9-0(8-13) | 57.2kg (56.7kg)
Mike Murphy — *Rob Hornby*
Caught wide when eighth of 11 in minor event at Southwell (7.1f) 22 days ago. More is still needed if she's to get off the mark here though from 1 lb out of the handicap.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:
3-1 Magna, **4-1** Respectable Jack, **8-1** Dr Ali, **17-2** Cuban Fiesta, **17-2** Porfin, **11-1** Alashos, **12-1** Initial Blue, **22-1** Man On A Mission, **28-1** Friday Again, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:
Tony Carroll continues in good form and his thriving filly MAGNA is fancied to quickly resume winning ways having just been denied over C&D last time despite taking a strong hold. Respectable Jack came in just behind her that day and rates the main threat, although Porfin and Initial Blue are both well in the mix too.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:
1. MAGNA 2. RESPECTABLE JACK 3. PORFIN

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Grenham Bay** 5-9-5	10-3jf	Andrew Balding	Oisin Murphy	10

SMART STATS:
No Smart Stats available for this race