

Tuesday 6th January

# SOUTHWELL



**4.30** MIDNITE A NEXT GENERATION BETTING APP HANDICAP (5) 4f214y (1000 Metres)

RACE 1 **(6) WINCHURCH | (7) INSUSPENSE | (8) POPULAR DREAM**

**5.00** MAKE THE MOVE TO MIDNITE CLASSIFIED STAKES (6) (D.I) 1m3f23y (2230 Metres)

RACE 2 **(9) STINTINO SUNSET | (6) KNIGHT OF MAGIC | (10) GOOD SHOT**

**5.30** MAKE THE MOVE TO MIDNITE CLASSIFIED STAKES (6) (D.II) 1m3f23y (2230 Metres)

RACE 3 **(9) HIGHFIELD COMRADE | (3) FOINIX | (10) IGNITION**

**6.00** READ MEG NICHOLL'S BLOG AT [betmgm.co.uk](http://betmgm.co.uk) FILLIES' HANDICAP (5) 1m3f23y (2230 Metres)

RACE 4 **(1) CARAMAY | (7) LIVE EACH DAY | (5) SELENIC**

**6.30** BET £10 GET £40 WITH BETMGM HANDICAP (6) (D.I) 1m13y (1620 Metres)

RACE 5 **(1) R P MCMURPHY | (5) CHARLATAN | (4) BACK FROM DUBAI**

**7.00** BET £10 GET £40 WITH BETMGM HANDICAP (6) (D.II) 1m13y (1620 Metres)

RACE 6 **(2) SHOWSTORM | (5) IMOLA | (7) POKE THE BEAR**

**7.30** BEST ODDS GUARANTEED AT BETMGM RESTRICTED MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (5) 7f14y (1420 Metres)

RACE 7 **(3) ELLUSIVE BUTTERFLY | (6) SEEING STARS | (4) SEAPEARL**

**8.00** ALWAYS GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM HANDICAP (5) 6f16y (1220 Metres)

RACE 8 **(7) DARTREY | (4) BERLINETTA | (1) FLASH RASCAL**

**8.30** CREATE YOUR BET BUILDERS AT MIDNITE HANDICAP (5) 6f16y (1220 Metres)

RACE 9 **(1) LOVAT SCOUT | (10) NO KNEE NEVER | (5) I NEED YOUR LOVE**

## 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.

**4.30****MIDNITE A NEXT GENERATION BETTING APP HANDICAP (5)  
4yo+ (Rated 0-75) £7,100 4f214y (1000 Metres)**

RACE 1

**GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Weak**

**1 9 CASTAN (32)** (CD, BF) **97**  
27764053- **6** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Bryan Smart

**Paul Mulrennan**

C&D winner. Four wins from 17 runs last year. Respectable third of 9 in handicap (4/1) at Newcastle (5f) 32 days ago. Enters calculations.

**2 8 GLORY FIGHTER (19)** (D) **96**  
72610083- **10** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Paul Midgley

**Mark Winn**

Latest win at Catterick in August. Best run since when third of 9 in C&D handicap (40/1) 19 days ago, nearest finish. Claims if he can build on that.

**3 5 BRAZILIAN BELLE (IRE) (32)** (D) **100**  
23583547- **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Michael Dods

**Jason Hart**

Starting to look well handicapped again but has been operating below her best in recent starts.

**4 1 THANKUAPPRECIATE (19)** (CD) **95**  
52626304- **6** 9-4 | 59.0kg



Declan Carroll

**Zak Wheatley** (3lb/1kg)

C&D winner. Thirteen runs since last win in 2024. 13/2, bit below form when fourth of 9 in C&D handicap 19 days ago.

**5 4 HAVECHATMA (25)** (CD) **92**  
36548190- **6** 9-3 | 58.5kg



Dean Ivory

**Luke Morris**

Four-time C&D winner, the latest in September. Met significant trouble here last time and can have that effort ignored. Record here affords her respect.

**6 10 WINCHURCH (IRE) (19)** (CD) **99**  
07608608- **4** 9-2 | 58.1kg



Michael Appleby

**Robert Havlin**

Landed 5f Leicester handicap in June and much better than his recent form figures suggest, once more denied a clear run in C&D handicap 19 days ago, Figures on a handy mark.

**7 7 INSUSPENSE (29)** **95**  
9/634334- **4** 8-13 | 56.7kg



Oliver Cole

**P. J. McDonald**

Fair maiden. Creditable fourth of 9 in handicap (9/1) at Wolverhampton (5f) 29 days ago. That was her first outing for 4 months so she may be sharper now. Much less exposed than the majority of these.

**8 3 POPULAR DREAM (19)** (CD) **97**  
38913562- **6** 8-12 | 56.2kg



Derek Shaw

**Joanna Mason**

Three-time C&D winner, the latest in October. 9/2, creditable second of 9 over C&D 19 days ago. Another to consider.

**9 2 MERSEA (FR) (11)** (CD) **92**  
20180786- **6** 8-12 | 56.2kg



Grant Tuer

**Darragh Keenan**

C&D winner. Latest win at Musselburgh in August but has struggled for form since returning to AW. A bounce back is needed.

**10 6 JEANS MAITE (224)** (CD) **96**  
860/47851- **10** 8-11 | 55.8kg



Roy Bowring

**Lewis Edmunds**

Winner at Wolverhampton (5f) last May but not seen since and got to be a chance she'll need this.

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**4-1** Popular Dream, **11-2** Castan, **6-1** Insuspense, **8-1** Winchurch, **9-1** Thankuappreciate, **10-1** Jeans Maite, **12-1** Brazilian Belle, **12-1** Havechatma, **18-1** Glory Fighter, **33-1** Mersea

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

WINCHURCH is overdue a change of luck and gets the vote. The lightly-raced Insuspense may come on for her recent first outing for 4 months and is second choice ahead of C&D specialist Popular Dream and Bryan Smart's Castan.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. WINCHURCH 2. INSUSPENSE 3. POPULAR DREAM**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

**5.00****MAKE THE MOVE TO MIDNITE CLASSIFIED STAKES (6) (D.I)  
4yo+ (Rated 0-50) £6,000 1m3f23y (2230 Metres)****RACE 2****GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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

**1 3 CELEBRATING ETHEL (IRE) (87) 97**  
95061630- **7** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Tony Carroll** **Myla Coppins (71b/3kg)**  
Modest mare. Latest win at Brighton in August. Tenth of 12 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f, 7/1) 87 days ago, not ideally placed under a more patient ride. Not dismissed.

**2 6 CLOUD FREE (IRE) (43) 81**  
00043704- **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Barry Murtagh** **Paul Mulrennan**  
Poor gelding. Creditable fourth of 9 in handicap at Newcastle (12.4f, 50/1) 43 days ago. More needed on these terms.

**3 11 DESIDERATA (IRE) (11) 97**  
0/14R3678- **6** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Thomas Faulkner** **Robert Havlin**  
Unreliable individual who was below form under an aggressive ride when eighth of 9 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f) 11 days ago. Bounce back required.

**4 2 DESTINATION UNKOWN (IRE) (211) 98**  
5900- **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Michael Chapman** **Aiden Brookes (31b/1kg)**  
Showed modest form on his debut but well beaten all 3 starts since. Sold from Grant Tuer £1,000 in July and pulled up on recent hurdling debut at Market Rasen. Easily passed over.

**5 12 KHANGAI (18) (C) s 95**  
51234808- **6** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Tony Coyle & Kaine Wood** **Harry Russell**  
Course winner but out of sorts of late, faring little better on first run since leaving Patrick Morris when eighth of 12 in handicap at this course (14.1f) 18 days ago. Back down in trip.

**6 1 KNIGHT OF MAGIC (IRE) (2) h 98**  
5434252-3 **7** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**James Owen** **Luke Morris**  
Long-standing maiden. Creditable third of 10 in handicap (3/1) at this C&D 2 days ago. Booking of Morris a plus. Can make presence felt.

**7 9 LADY DELILA (IRE) (35) h 86**  
50/079405- **6** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Iain Jardine** **Andrew Mullen**  
Poor mare who ran about as well as could be expected in a first-time hood on first outing since leaving C. P. Donoghue when fifth of 8 in handicap at Newcastle (8f) 35 days ago, running on. Significantly up in trip.

**8 7 LAWMANS BLIS (IRE) (15) 88**  
64099908- **8** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Shaun Harris** **Lewis Edmunds**  
Twelve runs since last win in 2024 and out of sorts at present, beating only one home in 9-runner handicap at Wolverhampton (16.6f) 15 days ago. Significantly down in trip.

**9 5 STINTINO SUNSET (41) (D) h 100**  
53332377- **6** 9-9 | 61.2kg



**Julia & Shelley Birkett** **Dylan Hogan**  
Modest mare. Eleven runs since last win in 2024. Dipped below her recent form when seventh of 13 in handicap at Chelmsford City (13.3f) 41 days ago but is the type to bounce back quickly.

**10 8 GOOD SHOT (43) h 98**  
76929902- **4** 9-7 | 60.3kg



**Andrew Balding** **Charlie Tucker (71b/3kg)**  
Not straightforward but ran one of her better races when second of 8 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f) 43 days ago, no match for winner. Hood back on and must enter calculations.

**11 4 SHARP CALL (IRE) (21) 87**  
78846608- **4** 9-7 | 60.3kg



**Michael & David Easterby** **Joanna Mason**  
Modest maiden who shaped as if needing the run in first-time blinkers when eighth of 14 in handicap (33/1) at Newcastle (6f) 21 days ago. Significantly up in trip.

**12 10 WADACRE MORIARTY (21) 28**  
666- **4** 9-7 | 60.3kg



**Charlie Johnston** **Callum Shepherd**  
Well beaten in maidens/minor event. Significantly up in trip.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**11-4** Knight of Magic, **13-2** Celebrating Ethel, **13-2** Lady Delila, **15-2** Good Shot, **8-1** Stintino Sunset, **9-1** Desiderata, **18-1** Cloud Free, **22-1** Khangai, **28-1** Sharp Call, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

STINTINO SUNSET is more consistent than most at this level, so she's taken to bounce back from a slightly below-par effort Chelmsford on her most recent outing and register a fourth career success. Knight of Magic is a long-standing maiden but certainly has a race of this nature within his compass, with Good Shot and Celebrating Ethel others to consider.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. STINTINO SUNSET 2. KNIGHT OF MAGIC 3. GOOD SHOT**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**5.30****MAKE THE MOVE TO MIDNITE CLASSIFIED STAKES (6) (D.II)**  
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RACE 3

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


**1 9 CIARA STORM (18)** t **77**  
40950698- 6 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Scott Dixon **Mikkel Mortensen (5lb/2kg)**  
Poor maiden. 50/1 and cheekpieces on first time, eighth of 9 in handicap at this course (1m) 18 days ago. Significantly up in trip. Plenty to find on form.


**2 4 COME TO PASS (IRE) (20)** **88**  
273774- 7 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Tony Carroll **Jason Watson**  
Showed he retains ability after 18 months off when fourth of 8 in handicap at Lingfield (1½m) 20 days ago. Claims if he can build on that for his leading AW stable.

**3 5 FOINIX (20) (D)** b  **100**  
50622127- 6 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Jim & Suzi Best **Dylan Hogan**  
Latest win at Brighton (1½m) in August. Seventh of 8 in handicap at Lingfield (1½m) 20 days ago. Blinkers back on. Capable of having a big say if putting his best foot forward.


**4 10 HIJO DE LA LUNA (GER) (210)** **92**  
372575268- 6 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Simon West **Paul Mulrennan**  
Modest form at best on the Flat. Thereabouts if able to recapture the form he showed when second at Newcastle last March but recent efforts uninspiring, including pulling up over hurdles latest.


**5 11 MUHIB (2)** **89**  
7785040-0 5 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Olly Williams **Non Runner**  
NON RUNNER.


**6 8 RAMPANT (2)** v **92**  
4283454-5 6 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Patrick Morris **Jack Nicholls (5lb/2kg)**  
Modest gelding. Remains a maiden after 30 Flat runs. 14/1, bit below form fifth of 10 in handicap at this C&D 2 days ago.


**7 1 THE PUG (IRE) (36) (CD)** **91**  
46231657- 6 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Micky Hammond **Aiden Brookes (3lb/1kg)**  
Unreliable type but is a C&D winner. Latest win at Ffos Las in August (final start for Adrian Wintle). 18/1, respectable seventh of 12 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f) 36 days ago.

**8 7 BROADSTONE (9)** s **90**  
06994d709- 4 9-7 | 60.3kg

 John Norton **Mark Winn**  
Ninth of 12 in C&D handicap 9 days ago, very slowly and always behind. Not one to be interested in.


**9 6 HIGHFIELD COMRADE (74)** **94**  
8086354- 4 9-7 | 60.3kg

 John & Sean Quinn **Jason Hart**  
Modest form. 11/1, creditable fourth of 14 in handicap at this course (1½m) 74 days ago. One of the more likely types here.

**10 2 IGNITION (IRE) (74)** **98**  
38/344576- 4 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Thomas Faulkner **Robert Havlin**  
Modest maiden. Respectable sixth of 14 in handicap at this course (1½m) 74 days ago. One to consider now tackling his first classified race.

**11 12 JACK ANDREA (133)** s **94**

 Darryll Holland **Sean Dylan Bowen**  
16-race maiden for Robert Eddery but has a few efforts which give him a decent chance in this grade now setting out for Darryll Holland after 133 days off.

**12 3 WEST WICKHAM (172)** **94**

 Jessica Macey **Lewis Edmunds**  
Modest maiden. Didn't threaten in 3 handicap starts on joining Jessica Macey last summer and bounce back needed after 6 months off.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-1** Foinix, **6-1** Highfield Comrade, **6-1** Come To Pass, **8-1** Ignition, **8-1** Rampant, **9-1** Hijo De La Luna, **14-1** The Pug, **16-1** Jack Andrea, **20-1** West Wickham, **20-1** Ciara Storm, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

HIGHFIELD COMRADE has fewer convictions than the majority of these and might prove the answer for the Quinns. Foinix will be a danger to all if recapturing the form he showed when scoring at Brighton at the end of last summer. Ignition and Come To Pass also make the shortlist.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. HIGHFIELD COMRADE 2. FOINIX 3. IGNITION**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**6.00**

RACE 4

**READ MEG NICHOLL'S BLOG AT [betmgm.co.uk](http://betmgm.co.uk) FILLIES' HANDICAP (5) 4yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-75) £7,100 1m3f23y (2230 Metres)**

**GBI RACING**

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

**1 1 CARAMAY (15) (CD)** s  **100**

45405813- 6 9-12 | 62.6kg

William Muir &amp; Chris Grassick

*Lewis Edmunds*

Took this 12 months ago and comes here on the back of a good third of 8 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f) 15 days ago when caught further back than ideal. A player nudged up 1 lb.

**2 7 THANKYOU BARONESS (111)** **96**

53/4148- 5 9-12 | 62.6kg

Mrs Ilka Gansera-Leveque

*Pierre-Louis Jamin*

Winner at Doncaster in June but off since coming in last of 8 in handicap at Yarmouth (11.5f, soft) 111 days ago. Needs to bounce back on tapeta debut.

**3 2 ALPINE OASIS (4) (C)** **87**

1/783667-8 5 9-11 | 62.1kg

Darryll Holland

*Darragh Keenan*

Course winner for Karl Burke but last of 8 for new yard in handicap at Chelmsford City (10f, 25/1) 4 days ago. Needs to take a step forward.

**4 3 LILLY LUX (FR) (42)** **95**

014/41803- 5 9-9 | 61.2kg

George Baker

*Jack Mitchell* 

Fair ex-French 1m4f winner who posted easily her best run for current yard when third of 8 in handicap at Lingfield (10f, AW) 42 days ago. No forlorn hope.

**5 5 SELENIC (IRE) (335)** **94**

21- 4 9-9 | 61.2kg

Sir Mark Prescott Bt *Luke Morris*

Sea The Moon filly who build on debut promise when landing 7f novice at Kempton 11 months ago. Off since but steps up in trip for her handicap debut and remains with potential. The market should prove revealing.

**6 4 ROMANTIC SPIRIT (FR) (34) (CD)** **96**

71743214- 4 9-7 | 60.3kg

David Menuisier

*Robert Havlin*

C&D winner in October and backed it up with a solid fourth of 11 in handicap at Kempton (11f) 34 days ago. Needs considering off the same mark.

**7 8 LIVE EACH DAY (33) (C)** h+t **98**

62682152- 4 9-5 | 59.4kg

Stuart Williams

*Jason Hart*

Course winner. Latest win at Kempton in September. Good second of 12 in handicap at Chelmsford City (10f, 18/1) 33 days ago. Not taken lightly off just 1 lb higher mark here.

**8 6 LITTLE MISS INDIA (IRE) (36) (CD)** h **95**

4/6281235- 5 9-4 | 59.0kg

James Owen

*Jason Watson*

C&D winner in October. 4/1 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, last of 5 in handicap at Kempton (11f) 36 days ago, needing stronger gallop. Not written off with usual hood refitted.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**3-1** Selenic, **4-1** Caramay, **9-2** Live Each Day, **5-1** Romantic Spirit, **17-2** Little Miss India, **18-1** Thankyou Baroness, **20-1** Alpine Oasis, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

None of these can be ruled out but CARAMAY rates the pick of the weights on the back of a good recent Wolverhampton third and is taken to follow up her success in this event a year ago. Course scorer Live Each Day rates a big threat though, while the returning Selenic can also play a big part if fully tuned up after an 11-month absence. C&D winner Romantic Spirit completes the shortlist.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. CARAMAY 2. LIVE EACH DAY 3. SELENIC**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 5


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

**1 8 R P MCMURPHY (10)** s  **100**  
50033133- 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



Michael Appleby  **Edward Greatrex**  
Progressive profile in handicaps. Winner at Wolverhampton in December. Good 1/2-length third of 11 to Charlatan in handicap at Wolverhampton (8.6f) 10 days ago. Cheekpieces on first time. Looks sure to go well again.

**2 9 THE SPOTLIGHT KID (27) (D)** s **97**  
3/2364055- 7 9-8 | 60.8kg



Dean Ivory **Luke Morris**  
Creditable fifth of 12 in handicap (12/1) at Kempton (7f) 27 days ago. Cheekpieces back on.

**3 5 SHOWMEDEMONEY (IRE) (21) (D)** b+t **96**  
667397/91- 7 9-8 | 60.8kg



Iain Jardine **Andrew Mullen**  
Blinkered first time, won 12-runner handicap (18/1) at Newcastle (1m) 21 days ago. Only 2 lb higher but he doesn't obviously have the profile of one likely to follow up.


**4 1 BACK FROM DUBAI (IRE) (11) (CD)** **96**  
15452263- 9 9-7 | 60.3kg



Roy Bowring **Lewis Edmunds**  
Three-time C&D winner. Good third of 9 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f, 11/2) 11 days ago. Respected.

**5 4 CHARLATAN (IRE) (10) (CD)** **99**  
39747721- 6 9-7 | 60.3kg



David Simcock  **Callum Shepherd**  
C&D winner. 6/1, career best when winning 11-runner handicap at Wolverhampton (8.6f) 10 days ago, always holding on. Can make presence felt again.

**6 7 PRIDE EYE (21)** t **94**  
8880- 4 9-6 | 59.9kg



Mark Rimell **Paul Mulrennan**  
Lightly-raced maiden. 14/1, 9 lengths eleventh of 12 to Showmedemoney on handicap debut at Newcastle (1m) 21 days ago. Tongue strap back on.

**7 6 RING OF GOLD (18)** v **94**  
25611446- 9 9-5 | 59.4kg



Michael & David Easterby **Joanna Mason**  
Latest win at Newcastle in September. 8/1, sixth of 9 in C&D handicap 18 days ago, unable to sustain effort.

**8 2 SPACE RAIDER (21)** s **90**  
55383456- 4 9-4 | 59.0kg



Ivan Furtado **Jason Hart**  
Remains a maiden after 16 starts. Cheekpieces on first time, creditable 4/4 lengths sixth of 12 to Showmedemoney in handicap at Newcastle (1m) 21 days ago, running on.

**9 3 MASHAM MOOR (47) (CD)** **93**  
94217849- 9 9-0(8-13) | 57.2kg (56.7kg)



Simon West **Aiden Brookes (3lb/1kg)**  
Three-time C&D winner. Ninth of 13 in C&D handicap 47 days ago. Others are more persuasive.

**10 10 MICKEY MONGOOSE (18) (CD)** **84**  
76376508- 6 9-0(8-13) | 57.2kg (56.7kg)



Olly Williams **Duran Fentiman**  
C&D winner last February but hasn't threatened in recent starts.

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**11-4** R P MCMURPHY, **7-2** Charlatan, **11-2** Back From Dubai, **6-1** Showmedemoney, **11-1** The Spotlight Kid, **18-1** Space Raider, **22-1** Ring of Gold, **33-1** Pride Eye, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

R P MCMURPHY hasn't finished out of the first 3 in 5 AW handicaps and, with cheekpieces added, is taken to turn around recent Wolverhampton form with Charlatan. Back From Dubai has plenty of good efforts to his name here and may prove best of the remainder.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. R P MCMURPHY 2. CHARLATAN 3. BACK FROM DUBAI**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Even****1 7 AMARACHI (IRE) (15) 93**

8/7610366- 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



Joseph Parr

**Jack Mitchell**

6f turf win last June. 7/1, bit below form when sixth of 12 in handicap at Lingfield (7f) 15 days ago. Steps up to 1m for the first time now.

**2 2 SHOWSTORM (17) (BF) v 91**

046/66- 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



K. R. Burke

**Pierre-Louis Jamin**

Lightly-raced maiden. Cheekpieces on first time, respectable sixth of 11 in handicap at Newcastle (1¼m) 17 days ago, doing too much too soon. The drop to 1m looks a good move with a visor also tried now. Gets the vote.

**3 9 BRINTON (194) (CD) s 94**

27126155- 5 9-9 | 61.2kg



Jonathan Portman

**Olivia Tubb (5lb/2kg)**

C&amp;D winner. Three wins from 13 runs last year but off since a lesser effort at Nottingham in June. Might be best watched this time.

**4 3 KESSAAR POWER (IRE) (75) (D) 94**

63240195- 6 9-8 | 60.8kg



Phil McEntee

**Jason Hart**

Latest win at Chelmsford in October. 4/1, below form fifth of 12 in handicap at Chelmsford (1m) 75 days ago.

**5 5 IMOLA (IRE) (3) (BF) ★ 100**

3232602-3 5 9-7 | 60.3kg



Joey Ramsden

**Lewis Edmunds**

Remains a maiden after 21 runs but been knocking on the door since joining Joey Ramsden, including placing here on his last 2 starts. Another prominent showing is on the cards.

**6 4 SUMMER EVENING (IRE) (2) 76**

6/700-06 4 9-7 | 60.3kg



David Flood

**Warren Fentiman (5lb/2kg)**

80/1, respectable sixth of 10 in handicap at this course (6.1f) 2 days ago. Significantly back up in trip.

**7 8 POKE THE BEAR (IRE) (20) (D) t 99**

06/049413- 4 9-6 | 59.9kg



Hayley Burton

**Luke Morris**

Winner at Lingfield in December. 6/1, creditable third of 10 in handicap at Lingfield (1m) 20 days ago. Enters calculations.

**8 1 PAVE THE WAY (28) t 97**

7/2809807- 4 9-3 | 58.5kg



Mark Rimell

**Paul Mulrennan**

28/1, first run since leaving Eve Johnson Houghton when seventh of 14 in handicap at Newcastle (8f) 28 days ago. Can only watch after that.

**9 6 SAVED LIZZIE (19) 96**

7/6663306- 6 9-0 | 57.2kg



Darryll Holland

**Darragh Keenan**

Creditable sixth of 13 in handicap (28/1) at this course (7f) 19 days ago, nearest finish having met trouble. That was only her second start for this stable and she has handicapping scope if able to build on it.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:****5-2** Imola, **7-2** Showstorm, **7-1** Poke The Bear, **8-1** Amarachi, **9-1** Kessaar Power, **12-1** Saved Lizzie, **12-1** Brinton, **40-1** bar**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

The fact SHOWSTORM has been prominent in the betting for both handicaps suggests his top yard thinks his mark is workable and the drop to 1m could suit him. Imola is in a good vein of form and seems sure to figure if over Saturday's course exertions. Poke The Bear is another likely to be on the premises.

**7.30**

RACE 7

**BEST ODDS GUARANTEED AT BETMGM RESTRICTED MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (5) 3, 4 and 5yo fillies and mares £8,000 7f14y (1420 Metres)****GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Very Weak**

**1 5 MAC'S WEE SISTER 82**  
4 10-2 | 64.4kg



Iain Jardine

**Andrew Mullen**

Inns of Court filly. Closely related to 5f-6f winner Wee Fat Mac and half-sister to several winners, including winner up to 1m Sound Advice. The market can guide on her belated debut.

**2 3 TROUBLE IN CHICAGO (FR) (197) 75**  
8- 4 10-0 | 63.5kg



Ivan Furtado

**Elle-May Croot (5lb/2kg)**

50/1, last of 8 in maiden at Wolverhampton (7.2f) on her debut 6 months ago. Needs to take a big step forward.

**3 7 ELLUSIVE BUTTERFLY (IRE) (184) 100**  
43- 3 8-12 | 56.2kg



K. R. Burke

**Pierre-Louis Jamin**

Twice-raced Invincible Army filly shaped well when 3/4 lengths third of 6 in listed race at Deauville (7f) in July. Very much the one to beat despite her six-month absence.

**4 2 SEAPEARL 86**  
3 8-12 | 56.2kg



Oliver Cole

**Jason Hart**

18,000 gns foal, 30,000 gns yearling, Calyx filly. Dam 2-y-o 6.7f winner out of useful 2-y-o 5f/6f winner Pearl Grey. A considered newcomer.

**5 1 BLUE CELESTIAL (68) 80**  
9- 3 8-10 | 55.3kg



James Tate

**Callum Shepherd**

33/1, ninth of 11 in novice at Bath (8f, soft) on her debut 68 days ago for Alice Haynes. Needs to take a big step forward for her new stable.

**6 4 SEEING STARS (7) (BF) 95**  
22- 3 8-10 | 55.3kg



William Knight

**Luke Morris**

Daughter of Bated Breath has shown fair form when runner-up in a pair of 7f novices at Wolverhampton last month. Holds solid form claims.

**7 6 STAR SUEPREME 82**  
3 8-10 | 55.3kg



Lemos De Souza

**Lewis Edmunds**

Aclaim filly. Half-sister to winner abroad by Cable Bay. Dam unraced. The market can guide for this newcomer.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**11-8** Ellusive Butterfly, **9-4** Seeing Stars, **6-1** Seapearl, **14-1** Star Suepreme, **18-1** Mac's Wee Sister, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

ELLUSIVE BUTTERFLY looked a sure-fire future winner when coming in third in a Deauville listed event in the summer and can start to make up for lost time now by getting off the mark. Seeing Stars appeals as the one to chase home Karl Burke's daughter of Invincible Army ahead of newcomers Seapearl and Star Suepreme.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. ELLUSIVE BUTTERFLY 2. SEEING STARS 3. SEAPEARL**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**8.00****ALWAYS GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM HANDICAP (5)  
3yo (Rated 0-70) £7,100 6f16y (1220 Metres)**

RACE 8

**GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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

**1 7 FLASH RASCAL (19)** (D, BF) **96**  
74640133- **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Dr Richard Newland &amp; Jamie Insole

**Paul Mulrennan**

Got off the mark at Chelmsford City in November and in good nick since, third of 9 in nursery there (7f) 19 days ago. Makes tapeta debut now and can make her presence felt.

**2 3 SPACE BEAR (IRE) (29)** **89**  
1464- **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Marco Botti

**Luke Morris**

Debut 7f winner at Wolverhampton in July. Not discredited after 4 months off when fourth of 7 in nursery at Lingfield (6f, AW) 29 days ago. Keen sort who could still do better if becoming more tractable.

**3 4 COUNTRY ARTISTE (IRE) (96)** **93**  
7225455- **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Craig Lidster

**P. J. McDonald**

Still a maiden and only fifth of 6 in 6f nursery at Nottingham 96 days ago on her final run for Clive Cox. Hooded for new yard and no forlorn hope off a 3 lb lower mark.

**4 1 BERLINETTA (140)** **89**  
653- **3** 9-8 | 60.8kg

William Haggas **Jason Hart**

260,000 gns Pinatubo filly who has shown promise in her three runs to date, still looking inexperienced when third of 7 in maiden at Chepstow (5.1f, good to soft) in August. Returns for her handicap debut with more to offer. A likely player.

**5 2 SHE'S DIVINE (IRE) (11)** **93**  
222- **3** 9-8 | 60.8kg



Mark Loughnane

**Jack Mitchell**

Acclamation filly who has shown fair form when runner-up on all her three starts, latest in 10-runner novice at Wolverhampton (5.1f) 11 days ago. Not ruled out now going into handicaps back up in trip.

**6 5 NALA'S DREAM (IRE) (47)** (BF) **93**  
3323- **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Richard Fahey

**Warren Fentiman (5lb/2kg)**

Placed on all her four outings, though only last of 3 on her nursery bow at Newcastle (6f) 47 days ago. No surprise to see her bounce back off a 2 lb lower mark.

**7 6 DARTREY (IRE) (12lb/5kg ex) (3)** (CD)  **100**  
800-11 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Ralph Beckett

**Edward Greatrex**

Much improved since being gelded and sent handicapping, readily scoring over C&D and 7f here in the New Year. Saddles a 12 lb penalty but still looks well ahead of his mark and is hard to oppose in his hat-trick bid.

**8 8 MYSTICAL LAND (IRE) (21)** **91**  
30644- **3** 8-12 | 56.2kg



Michael Dods

**Mark Winn**

Modest maiden but he arrives in decent nick, fourth of 5 in nursery at Newcastle (5f) 21 days ago. Back up in trip and not dismissed.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-4** Dartrey, **5-1** Berlinetta, **13-2** She's Divine, **10-1** Nala's Dream, **14-1** Flash Rascal, **18-1** Mystical Land, **22-1** Country Artiste, **25-1** Space Bear

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

None of these can be ruled out but it's impossible to oppose DARTREY who is vastly improved since being gelded and weighted to complete a quick hat-trick here after two stylish successes at the track. Berlinetta also has better days ahead of her now stepping into handicap company and can chase home Ralph Beckett's son of Lope de Vega. Flash Rascal, She's Divine and Country Artiste can fight it out for minor honours.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. DARTREY 2. BERLINETTA 3. FLASH RASCAL**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**8.30****CREATE YOUR BET BUILDERS AT MIDNITE HANDICAP (5)  
4yo+ (Rated 0-70) £7,100 6f16y (1220 Metres)**

RACE 9

**GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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

**1 9 LOVAT SCOUT (32) (C, D)**  **100**  
836/57186- **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg



K. R. Burke *Jack Nicholls (5lb/2kg)*  
Course winner under Jack Nicholls in November. Not seen to best effect in a pair of Newcastle runs since and capable of going well back at Southwell.

**2 8 PHOENIX OF DREAMS (IRE) (18) (D)** **96**  
130/48607- **5** 9-7 | 60.3kg



John & Sean Quinn *Jason Hart*  
More miss than hit in 2025, including seventh of 8 in C&D handicap 18 days ago. Hood back on. Others arrive with more pressing claims.

**3 5 BLACKJACK (18) (CD)** **98**  
4/7415646- **9** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Alan Brown *P. J. McDonald*  
Three-time C&D winner. Sixth of 8 over C&D 18 days ago. Visor back on.

**4 4 MASSIMO BLUE (39) (CD)** **94**  
67081249- **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg



George Baker *Non Runner*  
NON RUNNER.

**5 3 I NEED YOUR LOVE (18) (D)** **98**  
42092153- **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg



Michael & David Easterby *Billy Garritty*  
Latest win at Bath in October. Good third of 8 over C&D (6/1) 18 days ago. Can give another good account.

**6 6 HOLBACHE (77) (D)** **98**  
75512103- **8** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Julie Camacho *T. Kiely-Marshall (5lb/2kg)*  
Latest win at Leicester in September. 16/1, creditable third of 8 in handicap at Newcastle (6f) 77 days ago.

**7 7 CAMERA SHY (IRE) (19) (D)** **96**  
46408564- **4** 9-3 | 58.5kg



Michael Dods *Paul Mulrennan*  
Eleven runs since last win in 2024. 10/1 and tongue strap on first time, creditable fourth of 11 in C&D handicap 19 days ago, running on.

**8 1 SATURN SEVEN (IRE) (39) (D)** **99**  
70/016600- **6** 9-3 | 58.5kg



Ross Burdon *Alexandra Egan (7lb/3kg)*  
First run since leaving Eddie Lynam when tenth of 11 over C&D 39 days ago, worst of draw. May come on for the run.

**9 10 SHOWTIME MAHOMES (19) (CD)** **94**  
46547994- **7** 9-2 | 58.1kg



Grant Tuer *Oliver Stammers*  
C&D winner. 13/2, respectable fourth of 12 over C&D 19 days ago, never nearer.

**10 2 NO KNEE NEVER (IRE) (10) (D)** **98**  
60/069136- **5** 9-1 | 57.6kg



James Owen *Luke Morris*  
Winner at Wolverhampton (6f) in December and good third of 12 over C&D 10 days later. Not so good over 7f at Wolverhampton since but respected back at 6f.

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**3-1** I Need Your Love, **11-2** Lovat Scout, **13-2** No Knee Never, **8-1** Showtime Mahomes, **9-1** Camera Shy, **10-1** Phoenix of Dreams, **12-1** Holbache, **16-1** Saturn Seven, **18-1** Blackjack

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

LOVAT SCOUT has had excuses since his win here in November and can get his head back in front, perhaps at the expense of James Owen's No Knee Never. I Need Your Love has had a good spell in recent months and also enters the reckoning.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. LOVAT SCOUT 2. NO KNEE NEVER 3. I NEED YOUR LOVE**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

10 DECLARED RUNNERS