

Thursday 7th May

# WEXFORD



**5.02** wexfordraces.ie BEGINNERS CHASE 2m (3220 Metres)

RACE 1 **(11) KAROLINE BANBOU | (10) FARFROMNOWHERE | (6) KILGAME**

**5.35** visitwexford.ie HANDICAP CHASE 2m (3220 Metres)

RACE 2 **(5) SOLDANTE | (10) LET HIM B | (11) COURTBRACK BOY**

**6.08** WEXFORD TOWN HANDICAP CHASE 2m (3220 Metres)

RACE 3 **(2) AN PEANN DEARG | (3) COME ON THE LADS | (8) CROWSATEDAPPLETART**

**6.38** PURPLE AND GOLD BEGINNERS CHASE 2m7f (4630 Metres)

RACE 4 **(4) HIDDENVALLEY LAKE | (2) D ART D ART | (3) ECLIPSE CHASER**

**7.08** BUY TICKETS ONLINE NOVICE HUNTERS CHASE 2m7f (4630 Metres)

RACE 5 **(2) BLACK DAKOTA | (3) KIWI DE COTTE | (8) TIFFINY'S GIRL**

**7.38** SLANEY MARES POINT-TO-POINT I.N.H. FLAT 2m1f (3420 Metres)

RACE 6 **(2) FIVE SHIROS | (10) WILTON MILLS TRIER | (8) SILENT TEMPTATION**

**8.08** RACING AGAIN 16th MAY (C & G) POINT-TO-POINT I.N.H. FLAT 2m1f (3420 Metres)

RACE 7 **(7) FORTYSIXNCHANGE | (3) JETAWAY MOUNTAIN | (1) BROOTALLY**

## 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.

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RACE 1

Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

<b>1</b>	<b>DID I ASK YOU THAT (IRE) (102)</b>	t	<b>93</b>
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3/530- 8 11-12 | 75.3kg

W. P. Mullins, Ireland

**P. Townend**

Useful bumper performer hasn't gone on from a promising hurdle debut, finishing weakly in a pair of maidens in January, though he's in top hands and could have the makings of a 2-mile chaser if back on song.

<b>2</b>	<b>FAULTY (60)</b>	h	<b>79</b>
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5- 9 11-12 | 75.3kg

Noel Meade, Ireland

**Sam Ewing**

Fairly useful maiden hurdle winner who probably needed the run on chase debut at Naas in early March, following 23 months off the track.

<b>3</b>	<b>FENIAN MAXIOS (IRE) (21)</b>	h	<b>75</b>
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90208- 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

Michael Winters, Ireland

**Mr L. Burke-Ott (71lb/3kg)**

Standout effort over hurdles when runner-up at Thurles in March and having finished well held on handicap debut at Limerick last time, he has plenty to find switching to fences.

<b>4</b>	<b>GLENASHLING (IRE) (31)</b>	h	<b>91</b>
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5/6342552- 7 11-12 | 75.3kg

Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland

**Keith Donoghue**

Fairly useful type showed improved form when runner-up on handicap chase debut at Cork on his latest start but faces a stiffer task returning to a beginners event.

<b>5</b>	<b>JERRARI (IRE) (13) (D)</b>	h	<b>89</b>
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21147P05- 6 11-12 | 75.3kg

Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland

**Sean Flanagan**

Won back-to-back handicap hurdles in cheekpieces last July and while it was a step back in the right direction with headgear refitted at Kilbeggan last time, he starts life as a chaser in a competitive event.

<b>6</b>	<b>KILGAME (FR) (47) (D)</b>	t	<b>94</b>
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53/341- 6 11-12 | 75.3kg

Henry de Bromhead, Ireland

**B. Hayes**

Ex-French recruit who showed improved form to get off the mark under more positive tactics in a Navan maiden hurdle in late-March. Looks interesting now sent chasing by his excellent stable.

<b>7</b>	<b>MERCURY MISSION (23) (C, D)</b>	h	<b>91</b>
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650317U2- 7 11-12 | 75.3kg

Peter Cluskey, Ireland

**L. A. McKenna (51lb/2kg)**

Left behind his winning hurdles form when runner-up on second start over fences at Clonmel (80/1). Looks a natural chaser, however, this is a much deeper race.

<b>8</b>	<b>MICK COLLINS (IRE) (222)</b>	h+t	<b>90</b>
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6/512246- 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

Noel Meade, Ireland

**Donagh Meyler**

Fairly useful Flat/hurdle winner wasn't beaten far in a fairly useful novice hurdle at Limerick (2½m) in late-September. Has won fresh previously, and the market should guide ahead of his chase debut.

<b>9</b>	<b>MISTER PINK (IRE) (32) (D)</b>	h	<b>90</b>
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1262/5- 8 11-12 | 75.3kg

Ross O'Sullivan, Ireland

**Danny Gilligan**

Useful novice hurdler in 2024/25 for Willie Mullins but made an unpromising start over fences on reappearance/stable debut at Cork.

<b>10</b>	<b>FARFROMNOWHERE (IRE) (55) (C, D)</b>	h	<b>95</b>
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1/201P240- 8 11-5 | 72.1kg

Paul Nolan, Ireland

**S. F. O'Keefe**

Useful mare shaped with encouragement in both chase starts prior to a forgivable effort in the Martin Pipe at Cheltenham, and she makes appeal back over fences.

<b>11</b>	<b>KAROLINE BANBOU (FR) (65) (D, BF)</b>	★	<b>100</b>
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2146/722F- 6 11-5 | 72.1kg

W. P. Mullins, Ireland

**Harry Cobden**

Useful mare finished fourth in the 2025 Dawn Run at Cheltenham and chased home above-average types in maiden chases over the winter. Missed a good opportunity at Leopardstown in early-March (tiring in third when fell last) but is well worth another chance to confirm her earlier promise.

<b>12</b>	<b>WILD BILL HICKOK (IRE) (27) (D)</b>	h	<b>90</b>
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141/777P0- 4 10-12 | 68.9kg

Ciaran Murphy, Ireland

**E. Finegan (71lb/3kg)**

Lost his way following a promising start for the George & Zetterholm yard in France, but he took a step back in the right direction when mid-field in a competitive Aintree handicap on stable debut and should make a chaser.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**3-1** Karoline Banbou, **11-2** Farfromnowhere, **13-2** Kilgame, **8-1** Did I Ask You That, **12-1** Glenashling, **14-1** Mercury Mission, **16-1** Wild Bill Hickok, **16-1** Mick Collins, **20-1** Mister Pink, **33-1** Jerrari, **50-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

KAROLINE BANBOU sets a useful standard on her best form and can open her chase account, provided she's none the worse for her Leopardstown fall. Farfromnowhere should have more to offer back over fences and looks the main danger, though Kilgame does look interesting on his first start as a chaser.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. KAROLINE BANBOU 2. FARFROMNOWHERE 3. KILGAME**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**5.35****visitwexford.ie HANDICAP CHASE 5yo+ €12,000 2m (3220 Metres)**


RACE 2


**GBI RACING**Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

<b>1</b>	<b>IN THE TRENCHES (18)</b>	s	<b>99</b>
	3/22F2285- 6 12-0   76.2kg Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland Long-standing maiden but did at least return to form when fifth of 8 in handicap chase at Tramore (2m, good to soft, 15/2) 18 days ago. Repeat of that will see him involved.		<i>Keith Donoghue</i>
<b>2</b>	<b>HALF A CHANCE (IRE) (32)</b>	s	<b>98</b>
	22325340- 7 11-12   75.3kg John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland Went close on a couple of occasions last year and perhaps needed the run in the Sussex Champion Hurdle at Plumpton on his latest start a month ago. Now has attentions switched to chasing.		<i>Mr Alan O'Sullivan (71lb/3kg)</i>
<b>3</b>	<b>PRESENTING LAD (IRE) (189)</b>	t	<b>98</b>
	5588367P- 10 11-8   73.5kg Mark McNiff, Ireland Eleven runs since last win in 2024 and he ran badly when pulled up in handicap chase at Thurles (2¼m, good to soft, 20/1) in October. Off since but a break may have freshened him up.		<i>Ryan Treacy</i>
<b>4</b>	<b>MIDNIGHT MOONSHINE (IRE) (37)</b>		<b>98</b>
	21P2343F- 7 11-7   73.0kg William Harvey, Ireland Hurdles winner at Kilbeggan last summer and had been in good form returned to fences, making the frame for the fourth consecutive start when third of 15 in handicap at Thurles in November. Let down by jumping when falling at the seventh on return in March.		<i>B. W. Harvey</i>
<b>5</b>	<b>SOLDANTE (IRE) (18)</b>	(D)	 <b>100</b>
	7P6/43- 8 11-7   73.0kg Ciaran Murphy, Ireland Stepped up markedly on chase debut when very good third of 8 in handicap chase at Tramore (2m, good to soft) 18 days ago. Shortlist material up just 1 lb with prospect of more to come.		<i>Eoin Walsh</i>
<b>6</b>	<b>BUTTER FINGERS (IRE) (32)</b>	(D)	<b>89</b>
	5/0U50436- 5 11-5   72.1kg Ross O'Sullivan, Ireland Back on his game last 2 starts over hurdles this spring but first stint over fences didn't really go according to plan.		<i>S. R. Markey (71lb/3kg)</i>
<b>7</b>	<b>PAHLAVI (IRE) (201)</b>	t	<b>64</b>
	73051385- 9 11-4   71.7kg John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland Finally off the mark over hurdles at Downpatrick in August. Creditable fifth of 11 in handicap hurdle at Limerick (2m, soft). Off 6 months and could never land a blow on chase debut last summer.		<i>Gearoid Patrick Brouder</i>
<b>8</b>	<b>TEQUILA TALKIN' (IRE) (27)</b>	(C)	<b>89</b>
	31P588P4- 7 11-3   71.2kg Paul Nolan, Ireland Hurdles winner here last summer but little to shout about in handicaps since, albeit she shaped with some promise switched to fences back at this venue 4 weeks ago (19f).		<i>C. Stone-Walsh</i>
<b>9</b>	<b>SHANNON BANK (IRE) (195)</b>		<b>98</b>
	9/449452P- 7 11-1   70.3kg Andrew Kinirons, Ireland Cheekpieces on for first time, pulled up in handicap hurdle at Sligo (2¼m, good to soft), pulled up before last. Needs to bounce back on switch to the larger obstacles for new yard.		<i>S. F. O'Keeffe</i>
<b>10</b>	<b>LET HIM B (IRE) (21)</b>	(BF)	<b>98</b>
	000059/12- 6 10-13   69.4kg Charles Byrnes, Ireland Well prepared following a year off when opening his account at Downpatrick in March. Improved again when very good second of 13 in handicap hurdle at Limerick (19f, heavy) 21 days ago so major claims if taking to chasing.		<i>P. Byrnes</i>
<b>11</b>	<b>COURTBRAK BOY (IRE) (18)</b>	(D)	<b>98</b>
	86402142- 6 10-12   68.9kg Terence O'Brien, Ireland Off the mark over hurdles at Clonmel in February and matched pick of form over those obstacles when second on chase debut at Tramore 18 days ago. That puts him in the mix.		<i>J. P. Shinnick</i>

<b>12</b>	<b>ERNIE FROM NURNEY (IRE) (89)</b>	(D)	t	<b>93</b>
	0363P/04P- 9 10-9   67.6kg Padraig Roche, Ireland Pulled up in handicap hurdle at Naas (2m, heavy) 89 days ago, weakening from home turn. Switches from hurdles to chase and has a much lower mark to try and exploit.			<i>P. T. Smithers (71lb/3kg)</i>

<b>13</b>	<b>L'AMIRAL FROMENTIN (FR) (18)</b>		s	<b>98</b>
	86P893- 5 10-6   66.2kg P. J. Rothwell, Ireland Very good third of 10 in handicap chase at Tramore (15f, good to soft) 18 days ago, travelling strongly. That was a big step up on previous form.			<i>Tiernan Power Roche</i>

13 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-1 Soldante, 11-2 Courtbrack Boy, 7-1 Let Him B, 8-1 L'amiral Fromentin, 10-1 In The Trenches, 11-1 Midnight Moonshine, 12-1 Ernie From Nurney, 12-1 Tequila Talkin', 25-1 Butter Fingers, 25-1 Pahlavi, 28-1 Presenting Lad, 28-1 Shannon Bank, 50-1 bar**

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

SOLDANTE stepped up markedly on his opening run over fences when third at Tramore 3 weeks ago and on that evidence, he can cash in on his handy chase mark. Let Him B arrives on the up so is a major player if taking to the larger obstacles, with Courtbrack Boy also of interest.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. SOLDANTE 2. LET HIM B 3. COURTBRAK BOY**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race











**6.08****WEXFORD TOWN HANDICAP CHASE 5yo+ €20,000 2m  
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RACE 3

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Pace Information: **Weak**

	<b>1 WAR CORRESPONDENT (IRE) (17) (CD)</b> <b>99</b>
	2134933P- 7 11-12   75.3kg R. P. Cody, Ireland <i>P. J. Cody (71lb/3kg)</i> Contender on the pick of his form but he's a temperamental sort and went with no encouragement after 6 months off in a claiming hurdle at Tramore 17 days ago.
	<b>2 AN PEANN DEARG (IRE) (66)</b> <b>100</b>
	110/P6077- 9 11-11   74.8kg Paul Nolan, Ireland <i>S. F. O'Keefe</i> Lost his way after back-to-back wins at Leopardstown 2 winters ago but showed signs of a revival there last 2 starts so needs considering back down in class.
	<b>3 COME ON THE LADS (IRE) (37)</b> <b>96</b>
	23126451- 6 11-11   74.8kg Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland <i>Keith Donoghue</i> Got back on the up over hurdles when winning at the Galway Festival last summer and bettered previous chasing form when winning in good style at Limerick. Remains with potential in this sphere.
	<b>4 CAPTAIN CONBY (IRE) (877)</b> <b>93</b>
	E. Sheehy, Ireland <i>Kevin Healy (71lb/3kg)</i> Useful hurdler/chaser on his day and needed the run after 28 months off in maiden on the Flat 26 days ago. Potentially thrown in on old form and market can guide.
	<b>5 BALTIC BIRD (194)</b> <b>96</b>
	073/14037- 7 11-9   73.9kg William Durkan, Ireland <i>P. Byrnes</i> Successful start over fences at Down Royal a year ago but has disappointed in various events since.
	<b>6 DUTCH SCHULTZ (33) (C)</b> <b>96</b>
	43466F57- 9 11-6   72.6kg Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland <i>C. Stone-Walsh</i> Lost his way after a promising start to last season but shaped as if needing the run after 6 months off at Fairyhouse 33 days ago and has dipped below his winning mark.
	<b>7 TRASNA NA PAIRCE (IRE) (132)</b> <b>96</b>
	3/1154420- 7 11-5   72.1kg Henry de Bromhead, Ireland <i>M. P. O'Connor</i> Won a couple of novice hurdles at Clonmel last summer and was progressing gradually over fences until a poor run at Leopardstown on Boxing Day. Absence since suggests all might not have been well that day.
	<b>8 CROWSATEDAPPLETART (IRE) (21) (CD)</b> <b>95</b>
	11652176- 9 11-3   71.2kg Michael Winters, Ireland <i>M. J. Kenneally (51lb/2kg)</i> Likeable sort who won 3 times over fences last year (including twice here) and was probably feeling the effects of a busy campaign when turning in a rare poor effort at Cork in November. Looked rusty on comeback last month and better expected now.
	<b>9 CAPPUCINO (IRE) (77) (D)</b> <b>96</b>
	66/08582P- 7 10-12   68.9kg Miss Elizabeth Doyle, Ireland <i>Sean Flanagan</i> Bumper/hurdles winner. Best effort over fences so far when second in novice at Tramore on New Year's Day but ran no sort of race on handicap debut in this sphere next time.
	<b>10 KILBRIN ROCCO (IRE) (18) (D)</b> <b>95</b>
	05521051- 7 10-3   64.9kg Eoin Christopher McCarthy, Ireland <i>G. B. Noonan</i> Twice a winner over fences last season, including when back to form at Tramore 18 days ago. All out that day, however, and 4 lb higher in better race now.

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**7-2** Come On The Lads, **6-1** Kilbrin Rocco, **8-1** Trasna Na Pairce, **8-1** Crowsatedappletart, **9-1** Captain Conby, **10-1** An Peann Dearg, **12-1** War Correspondent, **12-1** Dutch Schultz, **14-1** Cappucino, **22-1** Baltic Bird

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

AN PEANN DEARG again showed signs of being on the way back at Leopardstown in March so gets the vote off a tempting mark back down in class. Come On The Lads has taken well to fences and is the obvious threat after his stylish win at Limerick, while Crowsatedappletart won twice around here last summer and should come on for his return.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. AN PEANN DEARG 2. COME ON THE LADS 3. CROWSATEDAPPLETART**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race







**6.38****PURPLE AND GOLD BEGINNERS CHASE 5yo+ €13,000  
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RACE 4

Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

<b>1</b>	<b>AMERICAN JUKEBOX (IRE) (81)</b>	s	<b>80</b>
	426/7149- 6 11-12   75.3kg Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>Danny Gilligan</i> 6-y-o who improved for fitting of cheekpieces when off the mark over hurdles at Tramore (21.5f) on New Year's Day. Absent since a lacklustre effort on handicap debut at Punchestown in February but runner up only start in points and could yet get back on the up now switched to chasing.		
<b>2</b>	<b>D ART D ART (FR) (32)</b>		<b>81</b>
	1328/0P90- 7 11-12   75.3kg Thomas Cooper, Ireland <i>R. A. Doyle</i> Bumper scorer who developed into a useful staying handicap hurdler during 2024/25. However, badly out of sorts last season. Switch to larger obstacles needs to have positive effect now.		
<b>3</b>	<b>ECLIPSE CHASER (IRE) (31)</b>	t	<b>80</b>
	6/02140PP- 6 11-12   75.3kg W. P. Mullins, Ireland <i>P. Townend</i> Won maiden hurdle at Navan in September. Decent fourth in Grade 3 there next time but struggled in handicaps since. Will need to settle better now chasing back over this longer trip.		
<b>4</b>	<b>HIDDENVALLEY LAKE (IRE) (26)</b>	★	<b>100</b>
	271/955- 9 11-12   75.3kg Henry de Bromhead, Ireland <i>Keith Donoghue</i> Smart staying hurdler who landed Aintree Grade 1 last spring and posted his best effort since when fifth in corresponding race 26 days ago. Fell on sole previous chase start but he undoubtedly remains with potential and he's the clear pick on hurdles form.		
<b>5</b>	<b>LONG BRANCH (IRE) (8)</b>		<b>78</b>
	45413U2-4 6 11-12   75.3kg Seamus Neville, Ireland <i>J. J. Slevin</i> Successful over hurdles at Thurles in December and held his form well in defeat more recently, finding the drop back in trip against him when fourth at Punchestown (19f) 8 days ago. This test more suitable now chasing but he has a bit to find with a couple on hurdles form.		
<b>6</b>	<b>ONE BIG BOUM (IRE) (51) (C, BF)</b>		<b>80</b>
	0/87P5115- 7 11-12   75.3kg Philip Fenton, Ireland <i>B. Hayes</i> Responded well to fitting of blinkers when scoring at Navan and Fairyhouse this winter and not discredited off an 11 lb higher mark when fifth of 8 in handicap here (2m) in March. Steps up in trip for chasing bow.		

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**11-10** Hiddenvalley Lake, **11-2** D Art D Art, **13-2** Eclipse Chaser, **8-1** American Jukebox, **9-1** One Big Boum, **12-1** Long Branch

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Grade 1 winner HIDDENVALLEY LAKE rates the clear pick on hurdles form and is taken to come out on top following a creditable fifth in last month's Liverpool Hurdle at Aintree. D Art D Art may emerge next best ahead of Eclipse Chaser.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. HIDDENVALLEY LAKE 2. D ART D ART 3. ECLIPSE CHASER**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race






**7.08****BUY TICKETS ONLINE NOVICE HUNTERS CHASE 4yo+  
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RACE 5

Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

<b>1</b>	<b>BEGGER (IRE) (31)</b>	<b>94</b>
	U- 6 11-9   73.9kg Miss Elizabeth Anne Lalor, Ireland <i>Ms H. Phillips (71b/3kg)</i> Won one of 10 starts in points. In the process of making an encouraging start under Rules when departing at the last in hunter chase at Cork last month but was unplaced behind Kiwi de Cotte back in a point 2 weeks ago.	
<b>2</b>	<b>BLACK DAKOTA (IRE)</b>	<b>83</b>
	7 11-9   73.9kg Michael Winters, Ireland <i>Mr A. Burke-Ott (71b/3kg)</i> Winning pointer, runner-up last 2 starts (latest Apr 12). Brings a positive profile from the pointing field to this first start under Rules and worth a look.	
<b>3</b>	<b>KIWI DE COTTE (FR)</b>	<b>87</b>
	6 11-9   73.9kg Denis Paul Murphy, Ireland <i>Mr J. W. Hendrick (71b/3kg)</i> €65,000 3-y-o, Estejo gelding. Half-brother to bumper winner/fair hurdler Jazz de Cotte. Won both completed starts in points, including last time (Begger over 12 lengths behind). Must be respected on Rules debut.	
<b>4</b>	<b>MUSKERRY ROCK (IRE) (17)</b>	<b>83</b>
	083630/08- 7 11-9   73.9kg James Kieran King, Ireland <i>Mr P. A. King (31b/1kg)</i> Dual winning pointer. Modest chaser at best and well held in hunters last 2 starts.	
<b>5</b>	<b>OCCUPATIONAL FORCE (IRE) (31)</b>	<b>85</b>
	55- 7 11-9   73.9kg David M. O'Brien, Ireland <i>Mr R. James (51b/2kg)</i> Cost plenty in his younger days and is a winning pointer. Stiff tasks in Gowran/Cork hunters in recent months but should make more of an impact here.	
<b>6</b>	<b>RILO TANG (IRE) (381)</b>	<b>79</b>
	603/ 7 11-9   73.9kg Ms A. Curran, Ireland <i>Mr T. Feeney (71b/3kg)</i> Easily best effort under Rules when third of 18 in novice hurdle (150/1) at Cork a year ago. Won first of 3 starts in points but pulled up last time (Feb 21).	
<b>7</b>	<b>THEHANDSOMECHARMER (IRE)</b>	<b>85</b>
	5 11-9   73.9kg W Codd, Ireland <i>Mr J. L. Scallan (71b/3kg)</i> Saddex gelding. Closely related to useful hurdler/chaser Palmers Hill. Dam unraced half-sister to fair hurdler Lou's Coole Girl (19f winner). Winning pointer, made frame last time (behind Black Dakota).	
<b>8</b>	<b>TIFFINY'S GIRL (IRE) (31)</b>	<b>100</b>
	7F434/81- 6 11-7   73.0kg W. J. Burke, Ireland <i>Mr J. C. Barry</i> Showed a fair bit over hurdles and placed all 4 starts in points this year, again runner-up last time (Feb 28). Player.	

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**7-2** Black Dakota, **9-2** Tiffany's Girl, **9-2** Kiwi De Cotte, **11-2** Begger, **8-1** Occupational Force, **12-1** Thehandsomecharmer, **16-1** Muskerry Rock, **25-1** Rilo Tang

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

The vote goes to Rules debutant BLACK DAKOTA, who was runner-up to a promising type from the pointing field last time. Kiwi de Cotte is another Rules newcomer to consider having had Begger over 12 lengths behind when winning a point 2 week ago, with recent hunter winner Tiffany's Girl also a contender.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. BLACK DAKOTA 2. KIWI DE COTTE 3. TIFFINY'S GIRL**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race


**7.38****SLANEY MARES POINT-TO-POINT I.N.H. FLAT 4yo+ fillies and mares €11,000 2m1f (3420 Metres)**

RACE 6

Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

<b>1</b>	<b>DEDUDEFROMHOUSTON (IRE)</b>	<b>98</b>
	Colin Bowe, Ireland Idaho mare. Dam (h122), 2m hurdle winner, half-sister to fairly useful hurdler (stayed 23f) Katy P. Dual point winner, runner-up last time (Mar 22). Must enter calculations.	<b>Mr B Finn</b> (4lb/2kg)
<b>2</b>	<b>FIVE SHIROS</b>	<b>97</b>
	Jonathan Fogarty, Ireland €45,000 3-y-o, Crystal Ocean mare. Dam (h113), 2m hurdle winner (stayed 21f), also 1¼m winner who stayed 2m on Flat, half-sister to fairly useful hurdler/useful chase winner (stayed 2¼m) Tocatoro. Runner-up on completed start in points (Nov 2025) and of interest on Rules debut.	<b>Mr B. T. Stone</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>GENEROUS VALENTINE (1019)</b>	<b>75</b>
	Miss Heather Ita Kiernan Little promise in a pair of bumpers for Christian Williams in summer 2023 and hasn't pulled up any trees in points subsequently.	<b>Mr A. P. Kennedy</b> (4lb/2kg)
<b>4</b>	<b>MISS APPLEBERRY (749)</b>	<b>93</b>
	Terence O'Brien, Ireland Bred for longer trips and shaped in kind when sixth of 13 in mares bumper at Huntingdon in March 2023. Couldn't get close to that form at Cheltenham the following month but has been successful on second of 2 starts in points since last seen under Rules (for Billy Aprahamian). Betting useful.	<b>Mr D. Allen</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>MORNING EXPRESS (IRE)</b>	<b>96</b>
	Ms A. Curran, Ireland Malinas. Half-sister to useful hurdler/smart chaser Idas Boy. Dam point winner. Easy winner on the second of 2 starts in points and she's another who must enter the reckoning.	<b>Mr T. Feeney</b> (2lb/1kg)
<b>6</b>	<b>ONE DAY IN MAY (IRE)</b>	<b>95</b>
	Robert Tyner, Ireland Idaho mare. Half-sister to 3 winners, including fairly useful hurdler/chaser Miles To Milan and fair hurdler Msmilan. Dam little impact over jumps/placed on Flat. Successful on last of 4 starts in points (Apr 12). Wears hood.	<b>Mr J. Dunne</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>PRINCESS AVEEN (IRE)</b>	<b>95</b>
	Ian John McCarthy, Ireland Court Cave mare. Half-sister to a point winner. Dam unraced. Successful on last of 3 starts in points (Apr 26). Needs keeping an eye on in the betting.	<b>Mr B. Lawless</b> (2lb/1kg)
<b>8</b>	<b>SILENT TEMPTATION (IRE)</b>	<b>96</b>
	S. Curling, Ireland Order of St George mare. Dam, lightly raced in bumpers/over hurdles, half-sister to useful hurdler/smart chaser (stayed 3m) Calipto. Successful on second start in points in February, runner-up last time (Apr 1). Rules newcomer to note.	<b>Mr D. Doyle</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>WAIT AWHILE (IRE)</b>	<b>92</b>
	Kenneth Michael Daly, Ireland Jukebox Jury. Half-sister to fairly useful hurdler/useful chaser Whistle Stop Tour. Winning pointer, unplaced last time (Mar 22). Wears hood for Rules debut.	<b>Mr E. T. Mellerick</b> (4lb/2kg)
<b>10</b>	<b>WILTON MILLS TRIER (IRE) (31) (BF)</b>	<b>100</b>
	P. M. Pierce, Ireland €22,000 3-y-o, Affinisea mare. Dam, unraced, half-sister to fairly useful hurdler (19f winner) Reelingintheyears. Won sole start in points in December and also made a promising start to career under Rules when third of 8 in 2m Cork bumper last month. That's the best form on offer.	<b>Mr L. J. Murphy</b> (2lb/1kg)

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**4-1** Wilton Mills Trier, **11-2** Dedudefromhouston, **13-2** Five Shiros, **7-1** Silent Temptation, **15-2** Morning Express, **17-2** One Day In May, **9-1** Princess Aveen, **16-1** Miss Appleberry, **25-1** Wait Awhile, **100-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

FIVE SHIROS appeals on pedigree and is taken to go one better than on her completed starts in points before market clues. Wilton Mills Trier made an encouraging start to her Rules career when third at Cork last month and that's comfortably the best form on offer, while Silent Temptation and Dedudefromhouston are others to note in the betting ahead of their Rules debut.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. FIVE SHIROS 2. WILTON MILLS TRIER 3. SILENT TEMPTATION**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race









**8.08**

RACE 7

**RACING AGAIN 16th MAY (C & G) POINT-TO-POINT I.N.H.  
FLAT 4yo+ colts and geldings €11,000 2m1f (3420  
Metres)****GBI RACING**Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Pace Information: **Insufficient Data**

<b>1</b>	<b>BROOTALLY (IRE)</b>	<b>96</b>
	P. Buchanan €22,000 3-y-o, Wings of Eagles gelding. Half-brother to modest hurdler/fair chase winner The Questioner, stays 3¼m. Failed to complete on first 3 starts in points but made a successful return from 5 months off in that sphere in March. One to note.	<b>6</b> 12-0   76.2kg <i>Mr D. McGill</i>
<b>2</b>	<b>COOLNAV (IRE) (334)</b>	<b>90</b>
	Roger McGrath, Ireland Showed more temperament than ability in 2 bumpers last summer. Has placed on last 2 starts in points more recently but percentage call is to look elsewhere back under Rules.	78- <b>5</b> 12-0   76.2kg <i>Mr M. J. McGrath (41lb/2kg)</i>
<b>3</b>	<b>JETAWAY MOUNTAIN (IRE)</b>	<b>97</b>
	Colm A. Murphy, Ireland €50,000 4-y-o, Jet Away gelding. Dam French hurdler (2m-2¼m winner). Runner-up sole start in points (Oct 2025) and he's one to note on bumper debut.	<b>5</b> 12-0   76.2kg <i>Mr J. P. O'Rourke (21lb/1kg)</i>
<b>4</b>	<b>MAJESTIC HORIZON (IRE)</b>	<b>92</b>
	P. J. Rothwell, Ireland €45,000 3-y-o, Wings of Eagles gelding. Half-brother to dual bumper winner/smart 2m hurdle winner Dark Raven. Won sole start in points (Nov 2025) but stable just 1-72 with their bumper runners in last 5 seasons.	<b>5</b> 12-0   76.2kg <i>Miss P. Elvin</i>
<b>5</b>	<b>THE BOYSOFAIRHILL (IRE)</b>	<b>93</b>
	Patrick Cronin, Ireland Sans Frontieres gelding. Half-brother to fair hurdler Long Gone, stays 3m. Dam unraced. Opened his account in points at fifth attempt (Apr 12) but percentage call to look elsewhere on Rules/bumper debut. Cheekpieces fitted.	<b>7</b> 12-0   76.2kg <i>Mr D. Allen</i>
<b>6</b>	<b>TORQUEMADA (IRE)</b>	<b>79</b>
	Ellmarie Holden, Ireland €24,000 3-y-o, Getaway gelding. Half-brother to useful hurdler/smart chaser Cedarwood Road and modest hurdler/useful chaser Coolvalla. Last of 8 finishers completed start in points, pulled up last time (Mar 22). Fitting of blinkers ahead of Rules debut hardly inspires confidence.	<b>5</b> 12-0   76.2kg <i>Mr T. Walsh (41lb/2kg)</i>
<b>7</b>	<b>FORTYSIXNCHANGE (IRE)</b>	<b>100</b>
	Gordon Elliott, Ireland €36,000 4-y-o, King of Change gelding. Half-brother to 6f winner in Sweden Troubled Guy. Dam 2m-19f hurdle winner, also 9f-11½m winner on Flat. Third sole start in points (Feb 7) and he's one to take very seriously now starting out for leading yard.	<b>4</b> 11-8   73.5kg <i>Mr J. M. Halford</i>
<b>8</b>	<b>THE FARMERS BAR (IRE)</b>	<b>91</b>
	Ian John McCarthy, Ireland Old Persian gelding. Closely related to fairly useful hurdler Kannapolis and half-brother to 2 winners on Flat. Dam 5.5f-8.5f winner in Italy. Finished third sole start in points (Apr 12).and another best guided by the betting on Rules bow.	<b>4</b> 11-8   73.5kg <i>Mr B. Lawless (21lb/1kg)</i>

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**11-4** Fortysixnchange, **4-1** Jetaway Mountain, **9-2** Brootally, **7-1** The Boysofairhill, **8-1** Majestic Horizon, **12-1** The Farmers Bar, **14-1** Coolnav, **50-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

The market will no doubt unearth clues but FORTYSIXNCHANGE is a likely type on paper starting out for the Gordon Elliott yard and earns preference over Colm Murphy's point winner Jetaway Mountain. Brootally is another to monitor on the back of success between the flags.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. FORTYSIXNCHANGE 2. JETAWAY MOUNTAIN 3. BROOTALLY**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race