

Saturday 9th May

# NAAS

<b>1.33</b>	MATCHBOOKLOVESRACING IRISH EBF MAIDEN 5f (1010 Metres)
RACE 1	<b>(2) CARRY THE FLAG   (6) SUN GODDESS   (7) WOODLAWN LILY</b>
<b>2.03</b>	DANNY TRUNDLE HEATING & PLUMBING HANDICAP 5f (1010 Metres)
RACE 2	<b>(1) POWERACCLAIM   (8) STONE BEAR   (2) MINT MAN</b>
<b>2.35</b>	MATCHBOOK EL CLASSICO 100 MONEYBACK SPECIAL IRISH EBF MAIDEN 5f205y (1190 Metres)
RACE 3	<b>(3) CONFUCIUS   (2) BULL SHARK   (5) SELWYN</b>
<b>3.10</b>	COONAN CAWLEY LLP IN SUPPORT OF McAULEY PLACE HANDICAP 5f205y (1190 Metres)
RACE 4	<b>(8) GENESIS   (1) INISHFALLEN   (13) PINAR DEL RIO</b>
<b>3.45</b>	DECLAN LANDY FENCING HANDICAP (Premier Handicap) 5f205y (1190 Metres)
RACE 5	<b>(6) MICHAEL'S WELL   (8) SOVEREIGN CRY   (7) TAHCAWIN</b>
<b>4.20</b>	GRESHAM HOUSE FILLIES MAIDEN 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 6	<b>(3) CROMAC QUAY   (4) FEEL HAPPY   (5) FLOWER FOREST</b>
<b>4.57</b>	DARLEY IRISH EBF NAAS OAKS TRIAL STAKES (Listed) 1¼m84y (2090 Metres)
RACE 7	<b>(7) RIVER ARA   (2) ERETRIA   (5) MIXED FEELINGS</b>
<b>5.30</b>	TRM RACE, REPLACE, REHYDRATE RATED 1¼m84y (2090 Metres)
RACE 8	<b>(4) PERISHER   (2) GOLDDREAM   (5) PIERRE GROSSE</b>

#### 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.

**1.33**

**MATCHBOOKLOVESRACING IRISH EBF MAIDEN 2yo**  
**€22,000 5f (1010 Metres)**

RACE 1




Going: **Good**



Naas is a left-handed track of about one and a half miles. It is very much a galloping track and has a stiff four-furlong straight. There is a two-furlong chute at the entrance to the straight that allows for five- and six-furlong races to be run on a straight course. Medium to high stalls have fared best in recent years.

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


**1 3 ABLETAI (IRE) (14) 79**  
 8 2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 M. C. Grassick, Ireland **William James Lee**  
 Sharply-bred colt who hails from a family this yard know well but was too free to do himself justice when last of 8 in maiden at Navan (6f, good, 16/1) on debut 14 days ago.


**2 5 CARRY THE FLAG (IRE) (20) 100**  
 2 2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Aidan O'Brien, Ireland  **W. M. Lordan**  
 No Nay Never colt fetched €250,000 as a yearling and showed plenty of ability when second of 6 in minor event at the Curragh (5f, heavy, 5/2) on debut 20 days ago. Sets a high standard.


**3 2 MR MONTAUK (IRE) (12) 84**  
 5 2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **D. B. McMonagle**  
 Bungle Inthejungle colt attracted support but shaped as if needing experience when fifth of 7 in maiden (4/1) at this C&D (good) on debut 12 days ago. Should improve.



**4 6 OCEAN CLUB (IRE) (42) 79**  
 0 2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Robson De Aguiar, Ireland **D. W. O'Connor**  
 €33,000 yearling, Persian Force colt. Clear stable second string on debut in the Brocklesby at Doncaster in March but didn't put up much fight, weakening under 2f out.


**5 4 SANTORINI STORM (IRE) (6) 79**  
 76 2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland **Seamie Heffernan**  
 Soldier's Call colt showed a little bit more second time up when sixth of 10 in maiden (25/1) at Cork (5f, heavy) 6 days ago but still not enough to make him of immediate interest.

**6 7 SUN GODDESS (IRE) 91**  
 2 9-2 | 58.1kg

 Aidan O'Brien, Ireland  **Jack Cleary (51b/2kg)**  
 Foaled March 31. £120,000 yearling, Sioux Nation filly. Dam unraced half-sister to smart 5f/6f winner Scream Blue Murder out of useful 1m winner Holly Blue. One to take seriously on debut.

**7 1 WOODLAWN LILY (IRE) (35) 82**  
 4 2 9-2 | 58.1kg

 John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland **Ben Martin Coen**  
 Space Blues filly looked all about speed when sixth of 10 in maiden (25/1) at Cork (5f, heavy) 6 days ago. Place claims with that under her belt.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**6-5** Carry The Flag, **11-4** Sun Goddess, **13-2** Mr Montauk, **9-1** Woodlawn Lily, **25-1** Santorini Storm, **25-1** Abletai, **33-1** Ocean Club

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

CARRY THE FLAG bumped into a smart prospect on debut and on that evidence is above average himself, so should take all the beating second time up. Fellow Ballydoyle representative Sun Goddess may pose the biggest threat on her racecourse bow.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. CARRY THE FLAG 2. SUN GODDESS 3. WOODLAWN LILY**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>First Approach</b> 2-9-7	5-2	Aidan O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	9
2024	<b>Make Haste</b> 2-9-2	16-5	Diego Dias	G. M. Ryan	10
2023	<b>Devious</b> 2-9-7	11-5f	Donnacha Aidan O'Brien	G. M. Ryan	9
2022	<b>Little Big Bear</b> 2-9-7	4-9f	Aidan O'Brien	Seamie Heffernan	9
2021	<b>King of Bavaria</b> 2-9-7	7-1	Aidan O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	9

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**2.03**

**DANNY TRUNDLE HEATING & PLUMBING HANDICAP 3yo+  
€12,000 5f (1010 Metres)**

RACE 2



Going: **Good**

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

**1 11 POWERACCLAIM (IRE) (14)** h **93**  
 543735-4 **4** 10-3 | 64.9kg  
**C. Geerdharry (7lb/3kg)**  
 Caught the eye dropped to this trip when fourth of 16 on handicap debut at Navan (5f, good) 2 weeks ago, finishing with running left having been given plenty to do. Yard in red-hot form and he's just the type they'll get more out of this season.

**2 1 MINT MAN (28) (C, D)** t **100**  
 631488-78 **5** 10-0 | 63.5kg  
**R. P. Whelan**  
 Won a 6f handicap at Naas in 2025. Shaped as if still needing the run 5 weeks on from his return when eighth of 10 in handicap at Bellewstown (5f, soft) 28 days ago. Given a chance by the assessor.

**3 3 ARCTIC STEPS (IRE) (14) (D)** s **90**  
 0001-6225 **4** 9-12 | 62.6kg  
**P. McGettigan (5lb/2kg)**  
 Second at Dundalk in February and March and shaped as if still in form when fifth of 16 in handicap at Navan (5f, good, 10/1) 14 days ago. Each-way claims.

**4 6 EICHAN SAN (IRE) (20)** **82**  
 4484-704 **4** 9-10 | 61.7kg  
**T. Casey (7lb/3kg)**  
 Turned in his best effort so far in 2026 when fourth of 21 in handicap at the Curragh (6f, heavy) 20 days ago and probably would've been closer still granted stronger handling. Not discounted from unchanged mark.

**5 4 NOUVEL ESPOIR (IRE) (14) (D)** **94**  
 782048-00 **6** 9-7 | 60.3kg  
**D. B. McMonagle**  
 Won over 5f at Cork last season but down the field both start so far this year, albeit finishing with running left after lacking a clear passage when fourteenth of 16 in handicap at Navan (5f, good, 12/1) 14 days ago. Back to a workable mark.

**6 10 VERIFIED (IRE) (14)** **93**  
 7299339-0 **5** 9-6 | 59.9kg  
**C. T. Keane**  
 Remains a maiden after 20 runs but might've needed the outing start for a new yard (formerly trained by Charles Weld) when twelfth of 16 in handicap (13/2) at Navan (5f, good) 14 days ago. Others still make greater appeal.

**7 16 HARRY LONGABAUGH (IRE) (171)** **85**  
 775- **4** 9-4 | 59.0kg  
**J. M. Sheridan**  
 Thrice-raced maiden. 28/1, made bit more impact when fifth of 6 in maiden at Dundalk (6f). Off 171 days. Improvement needed on handicap debut.

**8 8 STONE BEAR (IRE) (38)** **90**  
 75075-171 **3** 9-2 | 58.1kg  
**Siobhan Rutledge (3lb/1kg)**  
 Improved form when off mark at Dundalk (5f) in January and resumed progress after a 2-month break when also scoring over 6f there last month. Shortlisted again from 7 lb higher mark.

**9 9 PHIL'S DREAM (IRE) (54) (D)** v+t **88**  
 0700/0-021 **6** 8-12 | 56.2kg  
**Jessica Maye (7lb/3kg)**  
 Notched his first win for a while in an 8-runner minor event (5/1) at Wolverhampton (5f) 54 days ago, despite again taking quite a strong hold. Now 8 lb higher than on his most recent handicap start.

**10 17 PLUSHY (IRE) (16)** h **94**  
 28060-236 **3** 8-12 | 56.2kg  
**R. Whearty**  
 Placed at Dundalk on her first 2 starts this year but couldn't extend that run of good form when sixth of 8 in handicap there (5f) 16 days ago. Hood back on.

**11 2 POLANCO (IRE) (233)** **75**  
 080- **3** 8-12 | 56.2kg  
**Wesley Joyce (3lb/1kg)**  
 No impact in 3 maidens around 7f for J. P. Flavin last season. Makes handicap debut after 7 months off over markedly shorter trip.

**12 5 SNOWBALLS (IRE) (29)** b **83**  
 05497-78 **4** 8-9 | 54.9kg  
**Megan Telford-Kelly (7lb/3kg)**  
 Yet to better poor form and he raced freely when eighth of 9 in handicap at Dundalk (6f, 16/1) 29 days ago. Blinkered for 1st time.

**13 14 HASTILY (204) (D)** **98**  
 00710209- **7** 8-7 | 54.0kg  
**Jack Cleary (5lb/2kg)**  
 Won at Cork in July but signed off 2025 with a pair of below-par efforts. Back on a competitive mark but others preferred back from 6-month break.

**14 12 SHE'S A GIFT (16)** **77**  
 08070-457 **4** 8-7 | 54.0kg  
**C. D. Hayes**  
 Long-standing maiden went off too hard when seventh of 9 in maiden at Dundalk (5f, 20/1) 16 days ago. Hard to fancy again.

**15 7 ART OF UNITY (20) (D)** **94**  
 1d0/601d0-30 **11** 8-7(8-6) | 54.0kg (53.5kg)  
**N. G. McCullagh**  
 Made a winning start for Aidan Melia at Bellewstown in October but subsequently disqualified after testing positive for banned substance. Ran well when third on return/stable debut but below form at the Curragh since, so bounce back called for.

**16 13 APACHE STAR (IRE) (14)** s **86**  
 33346-609 **7** 8-7(8-5) | 54.0kg (53.1kg)  
**W. M. Lordan**  
 On a long losing run and only ninth of 16 in handicap (50/1) at Navan (5f, good) 14 days ago.

**17 15 WHATSWRONGNOW (IRE) (183)** **83**  
 06036326- **5** 8-7(8-0) | 54.0kg (50.8kg)  
**J. S. Dalton (7lb/3kg)**  
 Remains a maiden after 22 Flat runs but was placed at Navan and Dundalk late last season. Still rates as an unlikely winner returning after 7 months off from 7 lb out of the weights.

17 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-1** Stone Bear, **11-2** Poweracclaim, **7-1** Eichan San, **9-1** Arctic Steps, **11-1** Mint Man, **14-1** Plushy, **14-1** Phil's Dream, **16-1** Verified, **20-1** Whatswrongnow, **22-1** Nouvel Espoir, **28-1** Hastily, **28-1** Art of Unity, **28-1** Harry Longabaugh, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

POWERACCLAIM shaped very well on his handicap debut for the flying Johnny Murtagh yard last time and there should be better still to come from him this season. He gets the nod over improving filly Stone Bear and the attractively-treated Mint Man.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. POWERACCLAIM 2. STONE BEAR 3. MINT MAN**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Surpass And Shine</b> 4-9-13	9-2jf	Patrick J. Flynn	William James Lee	20
2024	<b>Mehman</b> 5-10-2	7-2jf	G. O'Leary	Shane Foley	13
2023	<b>Harry's Hill</b> 5-10-0	15-2	Martin Hassett	M. W. Hassett (10)	19
2022	<b>Iva Batt</b> 4-10-0	8-1	Joseph G. Murphy	G. F. Carroll	20
2021	<b>Mi Esperanza</b> 5-9-11	4-1f	Andrew Kinsella	Shane Foley	19

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**2.35**

**MATCHBOOK EL CLASSICO 100 MONEYBACK SPECIAL IRISH EBF MAIDEN 2yo €22,000 5f205y (1190 Metres)**

RACE 3



Going: **Good**


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



**1 6 ALASKAN BEAR (IRE) 78**  
2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Jack W. Davison, Ireland **J. J. G. Ryan**  
Foaled April 8. €100,000 foal, 95,000 gns yearling, Kodiak colt. Half-brother to 7f winner Scarfo. Dam unraced out of useful 5f/6f winner Miss Anabaa. Yard can ready a newcomer.


**2 5 BULL SHARK (IRE) (20) 81**  
33 2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Robson De Aguiar, Ireland **D. W. O'Connor**  
£120,000 yearling, Mehmas colt. Showed plenty to work in when third in a 5f Curragh maiden on debut in March but didn't really see 6f out as well as expected there next time. Place claims again.


**3 2 CONFUCIUS (IRE) (36) 100**  
2 2 9-7 | 60.3kg 

 Aidan O'Brien, Ireland  **W. M. Lordan**  
No Nay Never gelding. 1,700,000 gns yearling. Plenty to like about him on paper and probably would've won had he not had to sidestep a weakening rival when beaten just a nose in a 5f maiden at the Curragh (heavy) on debut. Hard to see him not going one better.


**4 1 GIVE ME LIBERTY (IRE) 76**  
2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 W. McCreery, Ireland **William James Lee**  
Foaled April 21. The Irish Rover gelding. Dam 5f winner. Not an obvious debut winner on paper.


**5 7 SELWYN (IRE) 83**  
2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 G. M. Lyons, Ireland **C. T. Keane**  
Sioux Nation colt, 150,000 gns yearling. Brother to several winners, including 2-y-o 1m winner Lakota Seven. Catches the eye on paper and worth betting check on debut.

**6 4 TWO BRIGADE (IRE) (36) 78**  
8 2 9-7 | 60.3kg

 M. D. O'Callaghan, Ireland **J. A. Powell**  
Invincible Army colt who is bred to make a speedy 2-y-o but completely blew the start and was always behind in an 8-runner maiden at the Curragh (5f, heavy) on debut 36 days ago.

**7 3 LUCA BRILLANTE (IRE) 81**  
2 9-2 | 58.1kg

 D. K. Weld, Ireland **C. D. Hayes**  
Foaled March 6. No Nay Never filly. Half-sister to useful 7.4f/1m winner Nation's Call and 6f-1m winner Man of Worth. Dam winner up to 1m (2-y-o 7f winner). Yard's first 2-y-o runner of the season.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**evens** Confucius, **5-1** Selwyn, **7-1** Luca Brillante, **8-1** Bull Shark, **16-1** Two Brigade, **16-1** Alaskan Bear, **50-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

CONFUCIUS cost plenty as a yearling and shaped best when a close second at the Curragh on debut, so looks very hard to oppose. Bull Shark might be best of the rest ahead of the Ger Lyons-trained newcomer Selwyn.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. CONFUCIUS 2. BULL SHARK 3. SELWYN**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Albert Einstein</b>	2-9-7	1-2f	Aidan O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	7
2024	<b>One Smack Mac</b>	2-9-7	8-11f	G. M. Lyons	C. T. Keane	9

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**3.10**

**COONAN CAWLEY LLP IN SUPPORT OF McAULEY PLACE HANDICAP 3yo+ €15,000 5f205y (1190 Metres)**

RACE 4



Going: **Good**

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

**1 4 INISHFALLEN (IRE) (38) (D, BF) s 97**  
595-44424 5 10-1 | 64.0kg

**Stephen Thorne, Ireland** *J. Kearney (3lb/1kg)*  
Sole victory came back in 2023 but has been shaping up well for current yard this year, fourth of 12 in handicap at Dundalk last month. Could be thereabouts once more returned to turf.

**2 12 SOMMELIER (20) (D) 99**  
488/000-04 5 10-1 | 64.0kg

**Kieran Patrick Cotter, Ireland** *Declan McDonogh*  
Out of sorts for Marco Botti in 2025 but showed more than on seasonal/stable debut when fourth of 10 in handicap at the Curragh (5f) 20 days ago. Task is now to build on latest effort.

**3 1 BINT MAJESTIC ROI (IRE) (20) (D) 90**  
88901-541 4 10-0 | 63.5kg

**A. Slattery, Ireland** *Andrew Joseph Slattery*  
Successful over 1m at Dundalk in December and has shown improved form dropped to 6f the last time, doubling her tally in 21-runner handicap at the Curragh (6f) 20 days ago. Could still have more to offer as a sprinter.

**4 9 COLLECTIVE POWER (IRE) (38) (D) 92**  
70331-563 8 10-0 | 63.5kg

**Edward Lynam, Ireland** *Ben Martin Coen*  
6-time winner at Dundalk, successful twice there last year with latest victory in November. Good third of 12 in handicap at the same course last month and he can give his running back on turf.

**5 13 SPORTING HERO (14) (D) b 94**  
60141061 6 9-13 | 63.0kg

**William Durkan, Ireland** *J. A. Orr (7lb/3kg)*  
Landed a pair of handicaps at Dundalk earlier this year and also 16-runner contest at Navan (5f) 2 weeks ago, though had a big positional advantage racing on the far side. Faces a tougher ask back up 10 lb for his latest win.

**6 5 I BID YOU AJOU (FR) (24) (D) 97**  
1243U7-28 5 9-11 | 62.1kg

**Mark Fahey, Ireland** *G. M. Ryan*  
Recorded a quick-fire hat-trick at Fairyhouse in May/June (all over 6f) last year. Ran well when second at Dundalk on return, before racing on the unfavoured part of the track when mid-field at Leopardstown (7f) 24 days ago

**7 10 BEAUTY QUEEN (IRE) (38) 94**  
60955-687 4 9-10 | 61.7kg

**G. O'Leary, Ireland** *Shane Foley*  
Without a year last year and hasn't built on this season's reappearance run in 2 subsequent outings, seventh of 12 in handicap at Dundalk last month.

**8 2 GENESIS (IRE) (5) (D) t 97**  
4631650-1 5 9-10 | 61.7kg

**Michael Mulvany, Ireland** *D. B. McMonagle*  
After 8 months off, looked as good as ever when landing 20-runner handicap at the Curragh (6f) 5 days ago. Back up in the weights but is only 1 lb higher than for his success last summer. Capable of another bold bid.

**9 3 MEHMAN (28) (C, D) s 94**  
93232292 7 9-10 | 61.7kg

**P. J. F. Murphy, Ireland** *L. T. McAteer*  
Returned to form for Denis Hogan this year and ran well on stable debut when second at Dundalk (7f) in March. Lesser effort there next time, but bounced back when runner-up in 14-runner contest at Bellewstown (1m) last month, clear of the rest.

**10 8 USUARIO AMIGO (55) 96**  
5201/093-9 5 9-10 | 61.7kg

**Richard John O'Brien, Ireland** *C. D. Hayes*  
Making third start since leaving James Owen, best effort for this yard when third in minor event at Limerick last summer. After 8 months off, probably needed the run when well held in handicap at the Curragh in March and his mark has eased further as a result.

**11 11 BUNDLE OF INTEREST (IRE) (183) (D) v 95**

10346437- 4 9-7 | 60.3kg  
**W. McCreery, Ireland** *William James Lee*  
Opened account in handicap at Navan last summer. Returned to that level when a close third at Gowran in October, before facing a stiff task when last of 7 at Dundalk (1m) the following month. Back down in grade on return.

**12 6 RIBBLE EMPEROR (IRE) (20) 92**

038322-9 4 9-7 | 60.3kg  
**P. C. O'Donnell, Ireland** *J. M. Sheridan*  
Placed 4 times last year, runner-up at Dundalk on final 2 outings. Possibly needed the run after 5 months off when down the field on handicap debut at the Curragh (5f, heavy) 20 days ago, but he still has something to find.

**13 7 PINAR DEL RIO (5) (D) s ★ 100**

5/22009-40 7 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**A. McIntyre, Ireland** *R. P. Whelan*  
Promise on first start since leaving Kieran Patrick Cotter when fourth of 14 at Dundalk (7f) in January. After a further 4 months off, below form at the Curragh 5 days ago but usual cheekpieces now back on. Could go well having eased further in the weights.

13 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**9-2** Bint Majestic Roi, **11-2** Genesis, **6-1** Sporting Hero, **7-1** Inishfallen, **10-1** Collective Power, **11-1** Mehman, **14-1** Pinar Del Rio, **16-1** I Bid You Ajou, **18-1** Sommelier, **28-1** Usuario Amigo, **28-1** Bundle of Interest, **28-1** Beauty Queen, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

GENESIS showed a willing attitude when making a winning return at the Curragh 5 days ago and he remains on a workable mark based on his all-weather form. He is taken to see off the challenge of Inishfallen, who has been in good heart since joining Stephen Thorne, with Pinar del Rio also considered from his reduced mark.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. GENESIS 2. INISHFALLEN 3. PINAR DEL RIO**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Tawaazon</b> 7-8-13	7-1	John Andrew Kinsella	Keithen Kennedy (5)	13
2024	<b>Dance Night Andday</b> 4-9-12	12-1	Ross O'Sullivan	C. T. Keane	14
2023	<b>Dandyville</b> 5-9-9	3-1f	Miss Natalia Lupini	William James Lee	14
2022	<b>Rough Diamond</b> 5-9-7	6-1	Edward Lynam	S. M. Crosse	22
2021	<b>Half Nutz</b> 4-9-6	11-1	Ms Sheila Lavery	W. M. Lordan	18

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**3.45**

**DECLAN LANDY FENCING HANDICAP (Premier Handicap)**  
**3yo €50,000 5f205y (1190 Metres)**

RACE 5



Going: **Good**

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Draw: **Against Low** Pace Information: **Very Strong**

**1 3 GAVOO (IRE) (176) (D) 93**  
 210351- 3 9-12 | 62.6kg

**David Marnane, Ireland** *L. T. McAteer*  
 Off the mark at second attempt at Listowel last summer. Making all-weather debut, soon bounced back from a lesser effort when also winning 13-runner minor event at Dundalk (6f) in November, denying Sovereign Cry on the post. Absent since (has been gelded).

**2 1 PASS ME IF YOU CAN (IRE) (101) 87**  
 64-1 3 9-12 | 62.6kg

**Miss Natalia Lupini, Ireland** *W. M. Lordan*  
 Back down in trip, showed much improved form when readily winning 13-runner maiden at Dundalk (5f) in January, showing plenty of early speed. Off 3 months ahead of handicap/turf debut.

**3 13 OCEAN'S BREATH (IRE) (38) (D) 92**  
 24-1 3 9-11 | 62.1kg

**G. M. Lyons, Ireland** *C. T. Keane*  
 Made the frame at Navan both starts last year and, after 5 months off, justified strong support when comfortably landing 8-runner maiden at Dundalk in April. Not dismissed lightly as he makes handicap debut.

**4 11 NAKAMURA (IRE) (35) (D) 96**  
 3363114-8 3 9-10 | 61.7kg

**John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland** *P. McGettigan (51b/2kg)*  
 Took well to blinkers last year, recording back-to-back nursery wins at around 6f. Probably needed the run after 6 months off when well held in minor event at Cork (5f) in April. Goes back up in trip given another try in cheekpieces.

**5 4 CHICAGO POPE (IRE) (35) (CD) 94**  
 72501-2 3 9-9 | 61.2kg

**John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland** *Ben Martin Coen*  
 In cheekpieces, showed improved form back down in grade when winning maiden over this C&D in October. After 6 months off (gelded), showed promise from the front when second of 8 in 5f minor event at Cork 5 weeks ago. Makes handicap bow.

**6 2 MICHAEL'S WELL (IRE) (35) (D) 100**  
 21-6 3 9-9 | 61.2kg

**Eddie & Patrick Harty, Ireland** *C. D. Hayes*  
 Promising second here on debut last year before going one better at Navan, the second and fourth winning next time. After 5 months off, probably needed the run when sixth of 8 in minor event at Cork 5 weeks ago. Remains with potential on handicap debut.

**7 9 TAHCAWIN (IRE) (17) (D) 94**  
 54610-5 3 9-8 | 60.8kg

**Joseph G. Murphy, Ireland** *Seamie Heffernan*  
 Much improved dropped to 6f when making a winning nursery debut at Fairyhouse. Shaped encouragingly after 7 months off when fifth of 11 in handicap at Gowran (7f) 17 days ago, travelling as well as any. Interesting back down in trip.

**8 5 SOVEREIGN CRY (IRE) (148) 97**  
 021- 3 9-7 | 60.3kg

**Daniel James Murphy, Ireland** *D. B. McMonagle*  
 Progressed with each of his 3 starts last year, staying on to lead late when winning 7-runner minor event at Dundalk (5f) in December. Merits consideration with more still to offer back up in trip for handicap debut.

**9 6 DAWN ROMANCE (IRE) (6) (CD) 89**  
 2210-6 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

**M. D. O'Callaghan, Ireland** *J. A. Powell*  
 Went one better than on first 2 starts when winning maiden over this C&D last summer. Well held in listed races both outings since, reappearing from 7 months off at Cork (5.5f) 6 days ago, but return to slightly further should suit as she goes handicapping.

**10 12 MIDNIGHT DUSK (35) (D) 95**  
 61-33 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

**Jack Foley** *D. W. O'Connor*  
 Trained by Gavin Cromwell on debut, before making a successful start for this yard at Dundalk (6f) in December. Encouragement in minor events both outings this year, third of 8 at Cork (5f) last time. Cheekpieces added for switch to handicaps.

**11 10 REAL ENCOUNTER (IRE) (16) 93**  
 44-21 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

**Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland** *Shane Foley*  
 Has progressed gradually in 4 starts in maidens, dropped to 5f when landing the odds in 9-runner event at Dundalk 16 days ago. Will need to find more again back up in trip as she heads into handicaps.

**12 7 WHITE SMOKE (IRE) (35) 92**  
 02254-9 3 9-3 | 58.5kg

**M. C. Grassick, Ireland** *William James Lee*  
 Runner-up in 6f maidens at the Curragh in August and September but has disappointed last 3 starts, returning from 5 months off when well held over 5f at Cork in April. Has work to do making first start in a handicap.

**13 8 TREASURED ROYAL (IRE) (12) (D, BF) 92**  
 5160-0 3 9-1 | 57.6kg

**Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland** *J. Kearney (31b/1kg)*  
 Maiden winner at Navan on second start, before finding things tougher in listed races both subsequent outings last year. After 6 months off, failed to justify support on handicap debut over this C&D 12 days ago, racing freely. Hood now applied.

**14 14 JOYFUL TIDINGS (12) 100**  
 1557-75 3 9-0 | 57.2kg

**Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland** *R. Whearty*  
 Made a winning debut in maiden at Tipperary but didn't kick on in 3 remaining starts in 2025. However, he showed benefit of this season's reappearance when 2¾ lengths fifth of 12 in handicap here 12 days ago.

**15 15 JP'S EXPRESS (IRE) (17) 88**  
 56-6 3 8-12 | 56.2kg

**Michael Mulvany, Ireland** *Wesley Joyce (31b/1kg)*  
 Ran to a fair level when fifth of 12 in 7f Galway maiden on debut. Never a threat next time, before possibly needing the run when well held at Gowran 17 days ago. Has work to do dropped in trip sent handicapping.

15 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-1** Ocean's Breath, **8-1** Pass Me If You Can, **9-1** Gavoo, **10-1** Real Encounter, **11-1** Sovereign Cry, **14-1** Joyful Tidings, **14-1** Michael's Well, **14-1** Tahcawin, **14-1** Chicago Pope, **16-1** Treasured Royal, **22-1** Nakamura, **22-1** Midnight Dusk, **28-1** White Smoke, **28-1** Dawn Romance, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

MICHAEL'S WELL opened his account at the second attempt last year and, with his recent run behind him, he can resume his progress as he goes handicapping. He gets the vote ahead of fellow handicap debutant Sovereign Cry, while Tahcawin is another to note as she drops back in trip.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. MICHAEL'S WELL 2. SOVEREIGN CRY 3. TAHCAWIN**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Temperance</b> 3-9-3	5-1	Miss Kate McGivern	C. D. Hayes	7
2024	<b>Eclipse Emerald</b> 3-9-10	2-1f	J. A. Stack	J. M. Sheridan	14
2023	<b>Lord Massusus</b> 3-10-0	10-3f	Joseph G. Murphy	G. F. Carroll	10
2022	<b>Drombeg Banner</b> 3-9-8	10-3f	K. J. Condon	William James Lee	15
2021	<b>Pale Iris</b> 3-9-9	3-1	Joseph G. Murphy	G. F. Carroll	11

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**4.20**

**GRESHAM HOUSE FILLIES MAIDEN 3yo+ fillies and mares  
€13,000 1m (1610 Metres)**

RACE 6



Going: **Good**

Naas is a left-handed track of about one and a half miles. It is very much a galloping track and has a stiff four-furlong straight. There is a two-furlong chute at the entrance to the straight that allows for five- and six-furlong races to be run on a straight course. Medium to high stalls have fared best in recent years.

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

**1 15 CHOSEN ONE (IRE) (169) 79**  
 0- 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**G. M. Ryan**  
 Donnacha Aidan O'Brien, Ireland  
 Dubawi filly. Dam, winner up to 1¼m (2-y-o 1m winner) who stayed 1½m, sister to Irish Derby winner (stays 1¾m) Latrobe. 12/1, always behind in 1m Dundalk maiden in November.

**2 11 CLOSELY (IRE) (42) 89**  
 54-7 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**Jack Cleary (51b/2kg)**  
 Aidan O'Brien, Ireland  
 Showed more than first time up when fourth of 10 in maiden at Cork last June and might have needed the run after 10 months off at the Curragh (6f) 7 weeks ago. Could be more to come based on her smart pedigree now upped in trip.

**3 14 CROMAC QUAY (IRE) (27) 100**  
 3 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**Shane Foley**  
 Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland  
 Night of Thunder filly. Dam, useful 1¼m winner (including at 2yrs), closely related to smart 1m winner Moohaarib. 33/1, very encouraging start when third of 15 in 1m Leopardstown maiden on debut 4 weeks ago, not knocked about. Runner-up won Group 3 next time and she's sure to improve.

**4 6 FEEL HAPPY (IRE) 90**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**C. D. Hayes**  
 Donnacha Aidan O'Brien, Ireland  
 Wootton Bassett filly. Sister to 2-y-o 6f winner Jewelry and half-sister to smart 1¼m/10.7f winner Sir Lamorak and useful 2-y-o 6f winner A New Dawn. Appealing newcomer.

**5 5 FLOWER FOREST (IRE) (35) 94**  
 4 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**W. M. Lordan**  
 Aidan O'Brien, Ireland  
 Siyouni filly. Dam, 2-y-o 7f winner who stayed 10.5f, sister to high-class winner up to 1m Gleneagles, Irish 1000 Guineas winner Marvellous and Prix de Diane winner Joan of Arc. 10/1, promising start when fourth of 11 in 7f Cork maiden 5 weeks ago, not knocked about. Will stay 1m and improve.

**6 9 HAROUSSA (IRE) 88**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**Ben Martin Coen**  
 John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland  
 Pinatubo filly. Closely related to useful 11.4f/1½m winner Hamsiyann and half-sister to 7.3f winner Harannda and 9f winner Haroya. Appealing newcomer.

**7 1 HINDER (29) 88**  
 5 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**C. T. Keane**  
 G. M. Lyons, Ireland  
 Expert Eye filly. Half-sister to several winners, including smart winner up to 6.3f Babouche, useful winner up to 1m Zarinsk and useful 1¼m-12.4f winner Derevo. Dam 7f/1m winner. 5/2, shaped as if needing the run first time up in 6f Dundalk maiden 4 weeks ago. Goes up significantly in trip.

**8 2 HYDREAM (IRE) 86**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**Seamie Heffernan**  
 Miss Evanna McCutcheon, Ireland  
 New Bay filly. Half-sister to several winners, including smart 5f/6f winner Vadream and useful 6f/7f winner Humam. Dam lightly raced.

**9 3 MONAMIE (IRE) 79**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**L. F. Roche**  
 Paul W. Flynn, Ireland  
 Cotai Glory filly. Dam, 1½m winner, half-sister to useful winner up to 1m Margay.

**10 12 MOONLIT SUN (IRE) 87**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**Keithen Kennedy (51b/2kg)**  
 Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland  
 Sea The Moon filly. Half-sister to 3 winners, including smart winner up to 1m Blue For You and 1½m winner Soaring Sun.

**11 4 MOTTA ALTA (IRE) 79**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**R. P. Whelan**  
 Jarlath P. Fahey, Ireland  
 Ghaiyyath filly. Half-sister to 2-y-o 5f winner Aubergine. Dam, 5f/6f winner (including at 2yrs) in Italy, half-sister to smart 5f/6f winner (stays 1m) Thunderbear.

**12 13 RODEO BLUES (IRE) (4) 70**  
 09 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**D. B. McMonagle**  
 Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland  
 Well held in Leopardstown/Gowran maidens.

**13 8 SERENDIPIA (IRE) (24) 87**  
 6 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**William James Lee**  
 W. McCreery, Ireland  
 St Mark's Basilica filly. Half-sister to 3 winners, including smart 8.5f-15f winner Up Helly Aa. 18/1, shaped as if in need of the experience in 1¼m Leopardstown maiden on debut. Should do better in time.

**14 7 SIX WINGS (IRE) 75**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**R. Whearty**  
 Paul W. Flynn, Ireland  
 Profitable filly. Dam, 2-y-o 6f winner who stayed 1¼m, half-sister to smart 1½m winner Poetic Sound. Wears tongue strap.

**15 10 SPARAN NUA (IRE) 88**  
 3 9-3 | 58.5kg  
**Declan McDonogh**  
 J. S. Bolger, Ireland  
 Dawn Approach filly. Dam 10.7f winner.

15 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**9-4** Cromac Quay, **9-2** Flower Forest, **9-1** Feel Happy, **10-1** Closely, **12-1** Hinder, **12-1** Sparan Nua, **16-1** Haroussa, **20-1** Moonlit Sun, **22-1** Serendipia, **33-1** Hydream, **50-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

CROMAC QUAY shaped really well on debut in a Leopardstown maiden that has already thrown up a Group 3 winner and she makes plenty of appeal with improvement on the cards. Feel Happy is an interesting newcomer, while Flower Forest can do better after a promising introduction at Cork.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. CROMAC QUAY 2. FEEL HAPPY 3. FLOWER FOREST**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Calrissiana</b> 3-9-3	12-1	Noel Meade	R. P. Cleary	13
2024	<b>Duckadilly</b> 3-9-3	11-2	Daniel McLoughlin	Oisín McSweeney (3)	11
2023	<b>Mashia</b> 3-9-3	10-1	D. K. Weld	C. D. Hayes	20

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**4.57**

**DARLEY IRISH EBF NAAS OAKS TRIAL STAKES (Listed) 3yo  
€55,000 1¼m84y (2090 Metres)**

RACE 7



Going: **Good**

Naas is a left-handed track of about one and a half miles. It is very much a galloping track and has a stiff four-furlong straight. There is a two-furlong chute at the entrance to the straight that allows for five- and six-furlong races to be run on a straight course. Medium to high stalls have fared best in recent years.

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

**1 6 CAUGHT U SLEEPING (IRE) (5) (C) 94**  
136-88 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Noel Meade, Ireland

**C. T. Keane**

Made a winning debut over 7f here last summer. Third in a Leopardstown listed race next time but hasn't managed to build on that since, finishing 4¾ lengths eighth of 12 to Kensington Lane in Group 3 at the Curragh (1m, good) 5 days ago.

**2 7 ERETRIA (IRE) (24) (D) 95**  
21 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Donnacha Aidan O'Brien, Ireland

**G. M. Ryan**

Promising individual. Second on all-weather debut in April before going one better in 9-runner maiden at Leopardstown (1¼m, soft) 24 days ago, staying on well. Definitely more to come from her.

**3 1 ICE DANCER (IRE) (14) 92**  
013-7 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Aidan O'Brien, Ireland

**W. M. Lordan**

Made it second time lucky in a Gowran maiden (1m) last summer and matched that form when third in a Curragh Group 3 in October. Proved a let-down when well-beaten last of 7 to Thundering On in Navan Group 3 (1¼m, good, 7/2) on reappearance 14 days ago. Bounce back needed.

**4 5 LA FOGATA (IRE) (200) 94**  
4418- 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Donnacha Aidan O'Brien, Ireland

**C. D. Hayes**

1m Punchestown maiden winner (good to soft) 35 days ago, finding plenty to lead close home. Possibly failed to handle very testing conditions when well held in 1m Curragh Group 3 on final start. Reappears for a new yard having left Ger Lyons.

**5 2 MIXED FEELINGS (IRE) (24) 93**  
3-1 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland

**D. B. McMonagle**

Promise on debut last autumn and impressed when 6-length winner of 14-runner maiden at Leopardstown (1m, soft) on return. Up in trip. Useful prospect.

**6 3 POLLENCA (IRE) (5) 92**  
410 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



A. Slattery, Ireland

**Andrew Joseph Slattery**

Left debut behind to win a 7f Curragh maiden (heavy) in March. However, beaten 6¼ lengths when eleventh of 12 in a 1m Group 3 there 5 days ago. Up in trip.

**7 4 RIVER ARA (IRE) (27) 100**  
6231-0 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Aidan O'Brien, Ireland

**R. P. Whelan**

Useful effort to win a 1m Leopardstown nursery (good to soft) on final 2-y-o start. Trapped wide when well held in 7f Group 3 there on reappearance and remains open to improving now stepping up significantly in trip (dam 1¾m).

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**9-4** Eretria, **7-2** River Ara, **4-1** Mixed Feelings, **13-2** Ice Dancer, **14-1** Pollenca, **16-1** La Fogata, **20-1** Caught U Sleeping

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Aidan O'Brien can take this listed race for the seventh time since 2017 courtesy of RIVER ARA who has a pedigree which strongly suggests she should have more to offer now stepping up to 1¼m for the first time. Ready Leopardstown maiden winners Eretria and Mixed Feelings might be the pair to give her most to think about.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. RIVER ARA 2. ERETRIA 3. MIXED FEELINGS**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Garden of Eden</b> 3-9-2	6-1	Aidan O'Brien	Ben Martin Coen	8
2024	<b>Hanalia</b> 3-9-2	16-1	John Patrick Murtagh	Ben Martin Coen	11
2023	<b>Library</b> 3-9-2	5-1	Aidan O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	9
2022	<b>Galleria Borghese</b> 3-9-2	12-1	Aidan O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	11
2021	<b>Willow</b> 3-9-2	11-2	Aidan O'Brien	Seamie Heffernan	10

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**5.30**

**TRM RACE, REPLACE, REHYDRATE RATED 3yo €20,000  
1¼m84y (2090 Metres)**

RACE 8




Going: **Good**



Naas is a left-handed track of about one and a half miles. It is very much a galloping track and has a stiff four-furlong straight. There is a two-furlong chute at the entrance to the straight that allows for five- and six-furlong races to be run on a straight course. Medium to high stalls have fared best in recent years.

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


**1 2 GALILEO NOIR (IRE) (36) 91**  
7-31 3 9-8 | 60.8kg

 Noel Meade, Ireland **C. T. Keane**  
Improving Saxon Warrior colt who bagged 8-runner maiden at the Curragh 36 days ago, always holding on. Concedes weight all round here though.

**2 1 GOLDDREAM (FR) (29) 94**  
61 3 9-7 | 60.3kg

 David Marnane, Ireland  **L. T. McAteer**  
Much improved from debut when landing 10-runner maiden at Dundalk (1m) 29 days ago. Open to further improvement over this longer trip for his in-form trainer.

**3 5 MARJORIE DAW (IRE) (27) 88**  
41-8 3 9-5 | 59.4kg

 Joseph G. Murphy, Ireland **Seamie Heffernan**  
Sottsass filly looked on the up when landing 1m Gowran maiden in October but she came in last of 8 on her handicap bow at Leopardstown last month. Worth another chance.

**4 4 PERISHER (IRE) (17) 100**  
253-31 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

 Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **D. B. McMonagle**  
On the up this season and he got off the mark in 15-runner maiden at Gowran (1m) 17 days ago, always holding on. Weighted to go well here.

**5 6 PIERRE GROSSE (27) 99**  
436-3 3 9-3 | 58.5kg

 Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland **Shane Foley**  
Lightly-raced sort who took a step forward on his handicap bow when third of 8 at Leopardstown (1¼m) 27 days ago. Can go well again.

**6 3 FREEDOM AND LIGHT (IRE) (24) 89**  
9-84 3 8-11 | 55.8kg

 J. S. Bolger, Ireland **Declan McDonogh**  
Advanced her form with fourth of 9 in maiden at Leopardstown (1¼m) 24 days ago. More is needed on these terms though.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**9-4** Perisher, **7-2** Pierre Grosse, **9-2** Golddream, **11-2** Galileo Noir, **10-1** Freedom And Light, **14-1** Marjorie Daw

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Joseph O'Brien's PERISHER rates the pick at these weights so is fancied to follow up his recent breakthrough Gowran victory at the chief expense of Dundalk scorer Golddream.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. PERISHER 2. GOLDDREAM 3. PIERRE GROSSE**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Galveston</b> 3-9-9	7-2	Aidan O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	7
2024	<b>Old Faithful</b> 3-9-0	13-8f	Aidan O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	4
2023	<b>New Variant</b> 3-9-0	9-4	J. S. Bolger	L. T. McAteer (3)	6
2022	<b>Ruler Legend</b> 3-9-1	13-8f	J. A. Stack	Declan McDonogh	7
2021	<b>Benaud</b> 3-9-6	11-1	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	S. M. Crosse	7

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race