

Friday 10th April

# SEDGEFIELD



1.57	BET BOOST AT bet365 HANDICAP CHASE (4) 2m5f28y (4250 Metres)
RACE 1	<b>(4) TOM CREEN   (5) MAGGIES BOY   (1) ISLE OF SARK</b>
2.32	bet365 'NATIONAL HUNT' MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 2m3f188y (3990 Metres)
RACE 2	<b>(1) DARTMOUTH CASTLE   (5) WENDYWILLDO   (2) WHENTHEMUSICSTOPS</b>
3.03	POSITION PAYOUT AT bet365 MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 2m178y (3380 Metres)
RACE 3	<b>(2) REBEL TRIBESMAN   (1) CHEMISTRY   (4) KUREDU KING</b>
3.38	bet365 HANDICAP CHASE (5) 3¼m59y (5280 Metres)
RACE 4	<b>(3) DEFENCE WITNESS   (1) THE GREY MAN   (4) MOBILE MAMMA</b>
4.13	bet365 HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 3m3f9y (5440 Metres)
RACE 5	<b>(4) STAR VANTAGE   (3) DILLARCHIE   (5) EAST EAGLE</b>
4.45	BEST ODDS GUARANTEED AT bet365 HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 2m178y (3380 Metres)
RACE 6	<b>(4) WILLIAM YEATS   (1) BLACKWATER LILLY   (6) SCOTS POET</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.

1.57

**BET BOOST AT bet365 HANDICAP CHASE (4) 5yo+ (Rated 0-110) £8,900 2m5f28y (4250 Metres)**

RACE 1



Going: **Good**


**SMART STATS:**

Left handed, undulating. In theory, an uphill finish should dictate that plenty of races change complexion late in the day but, in practice, that isn't the case, the run-in being short on both courses and plenty of those in front having a tendency to pick up again when challenged.


No Smart Stats available for this race

Pace Information: **Very Weak**



**1 ISLE OF SARK (USA) (17)** (C, D) **b+t** **85**  
36124387 **8** 12-0 | 76.2kg

 **Micky Hammond** *Jamie Hamilton*  
Won over hurdles at Sedgefield in October for Mickey Bowen. Only seventh for his new yard at Southwell 17 days ago but could bounce back now reverted to chasing.


**2 CLONAKILTY (IRE) (24)** **s+t** **80**  
6/P432-0P7 **9** 11-13 | 75.7kg

 **Lizzie Quinlan** *Sean Quinlan*  
A fairly useful chase scorer for Olly Murphy but he has offered little in 3 outings for new yard this season. Has since had a breathing operation.


**3 CARDAMON HILL (IRE) (14)** **s** **83**  
6341135-P **9** 11-9 | 73.9kg

 **Anna Slack** *Danny McMenamin*   
Successful twice over fences (around 3m) in November 2024 for Dianne Sayer. Off 13 months before being pulled up for new stable in 3m Wetherby handicap chase two weeks ago though. Usual cheekpieces go back on.


**4 TOM CREEN (IRE) (22)** (CD) **s+t**  **100**  
524-727P3 **11** 11-8 | 73.5kg

 **Sam England** *Jonathan England*  
Veteran whose 5 career wins have come here, including over C&D. Got back on track in refitted cheekpieces when third of 11 over C&D 22 days ago. Holds very good claims off a 2 lb lower mark with headgear retained.


**5 MAGGIES BOY (IRE) (20)** **s** **82**  
92-323587 **7** 11-6 | 72.6kg

 **Jennie Candlish** *William Shanahan (5lb/2kg)*  
Fair maiden hurdler but he arrives on the back of a below-par seventh at Bangor (23f) 20 days ago. Still commands respect now going chasing for good yard.


**6 ITALIAN SPIRIT (IRE) (24)** **b** **83**  
3-85354 **10** 10-10 | 68.0kg

 **Harriet Dickin** *Miss Megan Bevan (7lb/3kg)*  
Modest winner over hurdles. 14/1 and blinkered for 1st time, ridden too aggressively when a remote fourth of 11 in 3m handicap chase at Exeter 24 days ago. More is required.

**7 ARCTIC SAINT (IRE) (100)** **t** **82**  
559345-40 **8** 10-9 | 67.6kg

 **Deborah Cole** *Conor O'Farrell*  
Modest maiden hurdler who beat only one in 19f Warwick handicap in December. Goes chasing now after a breathing operation.

**8 PARAMARIBO (IRE) (22)** **s** **80**  
31/0-PUPP **8** 10-2(9-13) | 64.4kg (63.0kg)

 **Victor Thompson** *James Best*  
A modest hurdles winner but he's yet to complete in 4 runs over fences and is easily opposable.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-4 Tom Creen, 11-2 Isle of Sark, 9-1 Cardamon Hill, 9-1 Italian Spirit, 12-1 Arctic Saint, 12-1 Maggies Boy, 18-1 Clonakilty, 22-1 Paramaribo**

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Most of these arrive with a question mark against them so this looks an excellent opportunity for Sam England's veteran TOM CREEN to garner a sixth win at the track on the back of a resurgent C&D third in refitted headgear. Jennie Candlish's fencing newcomer Maggies Boy could emerge as the main danger ahead of Isle Of Sark.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. TOM CREEN 2. MAGGIES BOY 3. ISLE OF SARK**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Jackpot Cash</b> 6-11-2	evsf	James Owen	Henry Brooke	5
2023	<b>Fulgurix</b> 8-11-10	4-1	Dr Richard Newland	Charlie Hammond	9

2.32

**bet365 'NATIONAL HUNT' MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 4yo+ £10,000 2m3f188y (3990 Metres)**

RACE 2



Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

**1 DARTMOUTH CASTLE (27) (C)** **100**  
6-14522 6 11-6 | 72.6kg



Donald McCain **Theo Gillard**  
Fair hurdler who comes here on the back of a good second of 9 in 17f novice hurdle at Newcastle 27 days ago, clear of rest. Holds leading form claims.

**2 WHENTHEMUSICSTOPS (IRE) (171)** **83**  
25 5 11-6 | 72.6kg



Jennie Candlish **Sean Quinlan**  
Failed to build on promising hurdling debut second at Plumpton in September when fifth of 9 in novice hurdle at Perth following month. Worth another chance after a break.

**3 OWZTHAT (FR) (1152)** h **88**  
7 10-13 | 69.4kg



Rebecca Menzies **Nathan Moscrop**  
Modest form shown in bumpers for David Thompson in 2023. Goes over hurdles for her new yard with a hood added on her comeback run.

**4 PARK HIND (IRE) (45)** s **88**  
P-P 9 10-13 | 69.4kg



Victor Thompson **Mr Sam Burton (71b/3kg)**  
Point winner but she's 0-20 under Rules and was pulled up on her belated chasing bow at Catterick 45 days ago.

**5 WENDYWILLDO (375) (C)** t **93**  
41/5242- 6 10-13 | 69.4kg



Patrick Neville **Joe Williamson**  
Fair bumper winner who has shown similar form over hurdles, second of 6 in novice at Newcastle when last seen out 12 months ago for Danny Brooke. Tongue strap goes on and not out of things for her new handler.

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**4-7** Dartmouth Castle, **3-1** Wendywilldo, **11-1** WhentheMusicstops, **25-1** Owzthat, **100-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

DARTMOUTH CASTLE looks to have been found an excellent opportunity to build on his good recent Newcastle second and get off the mark in this sphere. The returning Wendywilldo could prove the one to chase home Donald McCain's 6-y-o ahead of WhentheMusicstops.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. DARTMOUTH CASTLE 2. WENDYWILLDO 3. WHENTHEMUSICSTOPS**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Rehill Relic</b> 6-11-6	2-1	Sam Allwood	Toby Wynne (3)	8
2023	<b>It's Maisy</b> 5-10-12	16-1	Sue Smith	Ross Chapman	5
2022	<b>Not What It Seems</b> 6-11-3	7-1	Micky Hammond	Emma Smith-Chaston (5)	7
2021	<b>Bellaney Gem</b> 8-10-7	5-4f	Stuart Crawford	Brian Hughes	8

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**3.03**

**POSITION PAYOUT AT bet365 MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 4yo+ £10,000 2m178y (3380 Metres)**







RACE 3



Going: **Good**

Left handed, undulating. In theory, an uphill finish should dictate that plenty of races change complexion late in the day but, in practice, that isn't the case, the run-in being short on both courses and plenty of those in front having a tendency to pick up again when challenged.

Pace Information: **Uncontested**

<b>1</b>	<b>CHEMISTRY (IRE)</b>	<b>86</b>
	Jennie Candlish A useful 14f Flat winner at his best. Not disgraced when fourth in 2m handicap at Newcastle 50 days ago on his final run for Ivan Furtado. Brings potential to hurdling for shrewd yard.	<i>Sean Quinlan</i>
	5 11-4   71.7kg	
<b>2</b>	<b>REBEL TRIBESMAN (IRE) (31)</b> (D, BF)	 <b>100</b>
	Jamie Snowden Fairly useful ex-Irish bumper winner who made a promising start over hurdles when an odds-on second of 7 in novice over C&D 31 days ago. Holds leading claims.	<i>Joe Anderson (3lb/1kg)</i>
	12 5 11-4   71.7kg	
<b>3</b>	<b>RIBBLE RIVER (IRE) (64)</b>	<b>72</b>
	Lizzie Quinlan A fair Flat winner for Kevin Ryan in 2025. 66/1, pulled up in 2m novice on heavy ground at Doncaster on his NH debut 64 days ago. Tongue strap goes on for 1st time and could still do better under these less testing conditions.	<i>Peter Kavanagh</i>
	P 5 11-4   71.7kg	
<b>4</b>	<b>KUREDU KING (IRE) (30)</b>	<b>75</b>
	Donald McCain A fair 14f Flat winner for John & Thady Gosden in 2025. Off 6 months before a well-held eighth on his hurdling debut in 2m Huntingdon novice last month. Has since had a breathing operation.	<i>Theo Gillard</i>
	8 4 10-10   68.0kg	
<b>5</b>	<b>TWILIGHT SAFARI (78)</b>	<b>72</b>
	Micky Hammond Fair maiden on the Flat for Harry Eustace but yet to offer much in 2 runs in this sphere, hooded when pulled up in juvenile at Wetherby 78 days ago.	<i>Jamie Hamilton</i>
	7P 4 10-10   68.0kg	

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**8-11** Rebel Tribesman, **9-4** Chemistry, **11-1** Kuredu King, **33-1** Ribble River, **50-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Jamie Snowden's REBEL TRIBESMAN shaped well on his hurdling bow when runner-up over C&D and this fairly useful bumper scorer can go one better here at the chief expense of Jennie Candlish's hurdling newcomer Chemistry who brings potential to this sphere given his useful Flat form.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. REBEL TRIBESMAN 2. CHEMISTRY 3. KUREDU KING**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**3.38**

**bet365 HANDICAP CHASE (5) 5yo+ (Rated 0-105) £6,150**  
**3¼m59y (5280 Metres)**

RACE 4




Going: **Good**


Left handed, undulating. In theory, an uphill finish should dictate that plenty of races change complexion late in the day but, in practice, that isn't the case, the run-in being short on both courses and plenty of those in front having a tendency to pick up again when challenged.

Pace Information: **Weak**


**1 THE GREY MAN (24) 96**  
 66-47UP11 7 12-0 | 76.2kg

 **Harriet Dickin** *James Best*  
 Has brushed up his jumping and is thriving as a result, winning small-field events at Ffos Las and Wetherby last month. Should make a bold bid for the hat-trick back down in class.


**2 JONGLEUR D'ETOILES (FR) (28) 99**  
 2-19U2FP2 7 11-9 | 73.9kg s+t

 **Neil Mulholland** *Conor O'Farrell*  
 Winning hurdler who matched that form over fences when runner-up at Taunton in December. Put a couple of poor efforts behind him when just denied in a small field at Doncaster 4 weeks ago and player with a repeat.


**3 DEFENCE WITNESS (IRE) (20) 98**  
 8-1532127 7 11-3 | 71.2kg s+t

 **Sam England** *Jonathan England*  
 Best effort as a chaser when landing second success over fences at Catterick in January. Chased home (an enterprisingly ridden) subsequent winner over C&D next time before finding class 2 at Kelso too much. Expected to bounce back.

**4 MOBILE MAMMA (IRE) (27) 100**  
 555P1-5 7 10-9 | 67.6kg 

 **Ruth Jefferson** *Jamie Hamilton*  
 Point winner who proved a different proposition switched to fences when seeing off 6 rivals at Newcastle. Probably needed the run 12 months on when fifth there 4 weeks ago and better expected now up in trip.

**5 GOODOLDBILL (27) (CD) 95**  
 P88-P7P11 10 10-2(10-0) | 64.4kg (63.5kg)

 **Jane Walton** *Peter Kavanagh*  
 Back to form when making all over C&D in February and caused another mini surprise when following up at Newcastle 4 weeks ago. Hat-trick may prove beyond him racing off 7 lb higher (2 lb out of weights) here, however.

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**3-1** The Grey Man, **7-2** Defence Witness, **4-1** Jongleur D'etoiles, **9-2** Mobile Mamma, **9-2** Goodoldbill

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

This looks competitive despite the small field, with DEFENCE WITNESS shading the vote back down in class. Hat-trick seeking The Grey Man is next best.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. DEFENCE WITNESS 2. THE GREY MAN 3. MOBILE MAMMA**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Old Page</b> 8-12-0	9-4	David Thompson	William Maggs (5)	6
2023	<b>Skyhill</b> 10-11-5	11-4f	Alison Hamilton	Jamie Hamilton	9
2022	<b>Well Cliche</b> 7-10-10	10-3f	Martin Todhunter	Conor O'Farrell	10

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**4.13**

**bet365 HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 4yo+ (Rated 0-100)  
£6,150 3m3f9y (5440 Metres)**

RACE 5



Going: **Good**

Left handed, undulating. In theory, an uphill finish should dictate that plenty of races change complexion late in the day but, in practice, that isn't the case, the run-in being short on both courses and plenty of those in front having a tendency to pick up again when challenged.

Pace Information: **Very Weak**

**1 CELESTIAL REIGN (IRE) (14) (C)** t **94**  
B4-124600 5 12-0 | 76.2kg



Micky Hammond *Alice Stevens (3lb/1kg)*  
Won a maiden here last May but arrives badly out of sorts and hopes are pinned on marked step up in trip.

**2 WEE ALKI (IRE) (22)** s+t **98**  
2041P5P2 7 11-12 | 75.3kg



Susan Corbett *Nathan Moscrop*  
Proved more straightforward when length second of 7 to Dillarchie over C&D last time, though far from certain to be in the same mood here.

**3 DILLARCHIE (22) (CD)** s+t **98**  
6P-672311 9 11-8 | 73.5kg



Joanne Foster *Sean Quinlan*  
Ended long losing run under a positive ride at Catterick before following up for the first time in her career when successful over C&D last time. Hat-trick a distinct possibility given her record at this track.

**4 STAR VANTAGE (IRE) (21)** t **100**  
2F646544 9 11-4 | 71.7kg



Rebecca Menzies *Theo Gillard*  
Long-standing maiden ran well to finish fourth in a much stronger race at Musselburgh last time and has been found a good opportunity back down in grade.

**5 EAST EAGLE (IRE) (37)** t **98**  
96241432 6 11-2 | 70.8kg



Mike Sowersby *Danny McMenamin*  
Again ran well when second of 8 in Catterick handicap latest, though his consistency has earned him little respite from the handicapper.

**6 MORO ROCK (IRE) (161)** **99**  
U-7221857 9 10-13 | 69.4kg



Sara Ender *Harry Bannister*  
Returns off 1 lb higher than when opening his account at Stratford and having run creditably in Wetherby handicap (21f) on latest start in October, he could be competitive if ready to roll.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

9-4 Dillarchie, 7-2 Wee Alki, 4-1 Star Vantage, 9-2 East Eagle, 9-1 Moro Rock, 40-1 bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Class-dropper STAR VANTAGE can belatedly get off the mark and deny Dillarchie a hat-trick in the process.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

1. STAR VANTAGE 2. DILLARCHIE 3. EAST EAGLE

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Ocean Legacy</b> 8-10-5	11-4	Rebecca Menzies	Nathan Moscrop	5
2023	<b>Atomic Angel</b> 8-10-10	9-2	Susan Corbett	Dillan Hurst (7)	7
2022	<b>Great Raffles</b> 6-10-0	3-1f	Micky Hammond	Alain Cawley	10
2021	<b>Gameface</b> 7-10-11	11-10f	Ben Haslam	Richie McLernon	7

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**4.45**

**BEST ODDS GUARANTEED AT bet365 HANDICAP HURDLE (5)  
4yo+ (Rated 0-100) £6,150 2m178y (3380 Metres)**

RACE 6



Going: **Good**

Left handed, undulating. In theory, an uphill finish should dictate that plenty of races change complexion late in the day but, in practice, that isn't the case, the run-in being short on both courses and plenty of those in front having a tendency to pick up again when challenged.

Pace Information: **Very Weak**

**1 BLACKWATER LILLY (9) (D)** s **97**  
22233-143 6 12-0 | 76.2kg

Brian Ellison **Danny McMenamin**  
Bangor maiden hurdle winner who ran well with McMenamin taking over in the saddle when third of 7 in C&D handicap last week. That performance is supported by the timefigure and she seems likely to be thereabouts again.

**2 KING SACRE (FR) (22)** **95**  
46-5052 6 11-13 | 75.7kg

Nigel Hawke **James Davies**  
Backed up his previous effort at Wincanton when second of 8 in a C&D handicap (good to soft) last month, albeit no match for the well-treated winner. Needs to pull out a bit more to defy his current mark.

**3 JUSTLIKEFIRE (48)** **95**  
90-4P2F 7 11-10 | 74.4kg

Jennie Candlish **Sean Quinlan**  
Built on earlier promise when second in 8-runner handicap at Uttoxeter in November. Held in third when falling 2 out at Newcastle 12 weeks later, though.

**4 WILLIAM YEATS (78) (C, D)** t **93**  
21563 5 11-10 | 74.4kg

Sam England **Jonathan England**  
Easily landed a small-field bumper here in November. Has yet to match that form over hurdles but was left with a lot to do at Wetherby on latest start and rates a likely improver now going handicapping in a first-time tongue strap for new stable (previously trained by Rebecca Menzies).

**5 CLEAN GETAWAY (IRE) (9) (CD)** s **99**  
67422451 9 11-0 | 69.9kg

Philip Kirby **Joe Williamson**  
Showed the benefit of a recent run as he capitalised on a drop in the weights in 7-runner handicap chase (5/1) at this course (16.4f, good to soft) last week. Reverts to hurdling from same mark and has to be respected.

**6 SCOTS POET (19) (CD, BF)** b+t **100**  
F3447333 10 11-0 | 69.9kg

Ewan Whillans **Conor O'Farrell**  
On a long losing run, but that's reflected in his mark, and he did well under the circumstances when third at Carlisle (17f) on his most recent outing, having raced keener than ideal. Remains one to bear in mind.

**7 NEVERSHEDATEAR (IRE) (10)** h **98**  
577U2 5 10-9 | 67.6kg

Oliver Greenall & Josh Guerriero **Robert Dunne**  
Winning pointer who didn't cut much ice in 3 qualifying runs but showed first form under Rules fitted with a first-time hood when second at Bangor (19.6f) recently, albeit flattered by her proximity to the winner. Needs considering from same mark.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**7-2** Nevershedatear, **4-1** Clean Getaway, **11-2** Scots Poet, **6-1** Blackwater Lilly, **13-2** William Yeats, **9-1** King Sacre, **10-1** Justlikefire

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

A tightly-knit handicap in which cases can be made for just about all 7. Handicap debutant WILLIAM YEATS gets the nod, however. It's true he's yet to match his bumper form over hurdles but he was set a lot to do behind a pair of useful sorts at Wetherby on his most recent outing and is expected to take an appreciable step forward now entering handicap company for his new stable. Blackwater Lilly and Scots Poet head up the opposition.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. WILLIAM YEATS 2. BLACKWATER LILLY 3. SCOTS POET**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Milajess</b> 8-10-7	4-1	Micky Hammond	Joshua Thompson (7)	10
2023	<b>Killane</b> 8-10-5	11-1	Donald McCain	William Maggs (10)	10
2022	<b>Hey Bob</b> 10-10-13	10-1	Olly Murphy	Mr James King (3)	11
2021	<b>Getaway Jewel</b> 7-11-12	9-4	Micky Hammond	Brian Hughes	11

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race