

Wednesday 11th March

SOUTHWELL

5.05	ALWAYS GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM APPRENTICE HANDICAP (6) 7f14y (1420 Metres)
RACE 1	(8) BROTHER DAVE (7) VON KROLOCK (3) RIVER WHARFE
5.40	DAILY PROFIT BOOSTS AT betmgm.co.uk HANDICAP (4) 7f14y (1420 Metres)
RACE 2	(2) ARTANIS (3) DAGGER STRIKE (4) LOQUELLA
6.15	READ MEG NICHOLLS' BLOG AT betmgm.co.uk EBF NOVICE STAKES (3) 1½m14y (2430 Metres)
RACE 3	(1) INTO THE LIGHT (3) RAVENSPIRE (4) SINOCENTRIC
6.45	BET £10 GET £40 WITH BETMGM FILLIES' HANDICAP (4) 1m13y (1620 Metres)
RACE 4	(6) DREAM ILLUSION (1) ROCKIN' THE BOAT (4) PENELOPE VALENTINE
7.15	MIDNITE, BUILDING THE FUTURE OF BETTING HANDICAP (6) 6f16y (1220 Metres)
RACE 5	(8) ELVETHAM (6) PIPERSTOWN (1) GUNDOGAN
7.45	MIDNITE A NEXT GENERATION BETTING APP HANDICAP (6) 1½m14y (2430 Metres)
RACE 6	(7) TENADAAY (8) HAVACHOC (4) HACKNEY DIAMONDS
8.15	WIN £250,000 WITH BETMGM'S GOLDEN GOALS HANDICAP (5) 7f14y (1420 Metres)
RACE 7	(2) PACKETOFBISCUITS (1) GOLDMOYNE (6) BEE MY HONEY

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.

5.05

RACE 1

ALWAYS GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM APPRENTICE HANDICAP (6) 4yo+ (Rated 0-55) £9,000 7f14y (1420 Metres)**GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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

1 7 TAM LIN (IRE) (14) (D) s  **100**
9316-4633 4 9-8 | 60.8kg



Anthony Carson *Donagh Murphy (5lb/2kg)*
Placed again at Lingfield a fortnight ago but didn't convince that he was putting it all in under pressure, carrying his head awkwardly in a sheepskin noseband. Clearly a factor at this level, though.

2 9 CHARLATAN (IRE) (18) (C) **97**
47721-725 6 9-7 | 60.3kg



David Simcock  *Taryn Langley (3lb/1kg)*
Won over 9f at Wolverhampton in December but mixed record since, fifth of 8 at Chelmsford (5/2) over 1m 18 days ago when racing wide. Will need a sound pace to aim at returned to 7f.

3 1 RIVER WHARFE (16) (D, BF) b **94**
586-58237 8 9-7 | 60.3kg



Tony Carroll *Myla Coppins (7lb/3kg)*
Placed twice this winter and shaped as though still in good form when seventh of 10 in a handicap at Wolverhampton 16 days ago, not seen to best effect given he was short of room. Blinkers reapplied and remains of interest.

4 4 RAMBUSO CREEK (IRE) (16) s **94**
647066-46 7 9-7 | 60.3kg



Michael Herrington *Jack Callan*
Without a win for 21 starts but unlucky not to finish closer than sixth of 10 in a handicap at Wolverhampton (8/1) 16 days ago trying 7f for the first time, denied a clear run. Can be a factor from this lowly mark.

5 8 PORT LOUIS (IRE) (14) (D) s **86**
0620080-3 5 9-6 | 59.9kg



Bernard Llewellyn *Jack Dace (3lb/1kg)*
Third of 7 in handicap at Lingfield (10/1) 14 days ago on first start since leaving Noel Meade, awkward leaving stalls but plugged on. Dropped a long way in the weights and may step up on that first run in 4 months.

6 5 AIM FOR THE BULL (IRE) (15) (CD) s **92**
27042-571 4 9-4 | 59.0kg



Mike Murphy *Alfie Redman (7lb/3kg)*
Finally got off the mark at the 20th attempt in a classified stakes at this C&D (6/1) 15 days ago, albeit enjoying a tactical advantage. More on his plate back in a handicap.

7 6 VON KROLOCK (IRE) (16) (D) v **94**
41867-713 7 9-4 | 59.0kg



James Owen *Christian Howarth*
Won a classified stakes at Wolverhampton (6/4) in February and acquitted himself well when third of 10 back in a handicap at the same venue (11/2) 16 days ago, not ideally placed. One to consider

8 3 BROTHER DAVE (15) (CD) **99**
03496-124 6 9-4 | 59.0kg



Ruth Carr *William Pyle*
Gained third C&D of his career back from a break in January. Second here in February before fourth of 9 at Newcastle (12/1) 15 days ago, taken off his feet early. Strong claims back at his favoured track.

9 2 MICKEY MONGOOSE (15) (CD) b **90**
76508-851 6 9-4 | 59.0kg



Olly Williams *Warren Fentiman*
Out of form for a while prior to bouncing back to land a classified stakes over this C&D (17/2, 8 runners) 15 days ago. Now back in handicap company and task is to at least back that up.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 Von Krolock, **5-1** Tam Lin, **7-1** River Wharfe, **15-2** Charlatan, **8-1** Brother Dave, **9-1** Rambuso Creek, **10-1** Aim For The Bull, **10-1** Mickey Mongoose, **16-1** Port Louis

TIMEFORM VIEW:

BROTHER DAVE is a three-time C&D winner who is back at his favoured venue, so he could be the answer to what is a reasonable race for the grade. Von Krolock and River Wharfe are potential threats.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. BROTHER DAVE 2. VON KROLOCK 3. RIVER WHARFE****SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.40**DAILY PROFIT BOOSTS AT betmgm.co.uk HANDICAP (4) 3yo
(Rated 0-85) £9,500 7f14y (1420 Metres)**

RACE 2

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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

1 7 GOREY GOLD (IRE) (54) (CD) 99
094324-18 3 9-9 | 61.2kg



Jonathan Portman

Rob Hornby

Doubled tally over C&D in January but could manage only eighth of 11 at Newcastle back at 6f a fortnight later. Return to this trip/course may see him in a better light.

2 4 ARTANIS (26) (D) 98
23-1 3 9-4 | 59.0kg



George Boughey

Billy Loughnane

Had some reasonable turf form last summer and landed the odds in a novice at Wolverhampton on last month's return. Had plenty in hand and given she's bred to be useful, is likely to go on progressing in handicaps.

3 2 DAGGER STRIKE (IRE) (30) (D) 100
6581-22 3 9-3 | 58.5kg



Archie Watson

Hollie Doyle

Off the mark at Newcastle in December and placed in a couple of small-field contests since, latterly at Wolverhampton 30 days ago with patient tactics against him given how the race unfolded. Should be a factor from the same mark with cheekpieces on.

4 3 LOQUELLA (IRE) (47) (BF) 91
1-2 3 9-1 | 57.6kg



Charlie Johnston

Callum Shepherd

Winning debut at Newcastle in November but still looked green when second of 6 in a novice at Wolverhampton 2 months later. Steps up in trip for handicap debut and she's in good hands.

5 5 KANISHKA (IRE) (158) (D) 99
4424107- 3 9-1 | 57.6kg



Brian Ellison

Ben Robinson

Won his maiden on all-weather last summer and seemed to excel himself when seventh in listed company at Redcar final start. Fairly treated on return based on that run.

6 1 HORWICH (30) (D) 99
1-13 3 9-0 | 57.2kg



Ruth Carr

James Sullivan

Won first two starts at Wolverhampton but it's not from to get carried away with and he was third of 4 in a handicap there (4/1) 30 days ago. Since left Clive Cox.

7 6 ILLY'S ROO (IRE) (40) (D) 97
81571-47 3 8-10 | 55.3kg



Gemma Tutty

Kaiya Fraser

Won at Chelmsford in December when settling better but has been too free since, including when seventh of 9 at Wolverhampton (16/1) in January. Since left Jack Channon.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Artanis, **7-2** Loquella, **5-1** Dagger Strike, **8-1** Gorey Gold, **14-1** Kanishka, **18-1** Horwich, **33-1** Illy's Roo

TIMEFORM VIEW:

ARTANIS impressed when landing the odds on last month's reappearance and this well-bred filly can continue her progress switched to a handicap. Dagger Strike looks a pretty solid rival, while Loquella is a potential improver upped in trip.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. ARTANIS 2. DAGGER STRIKE 3. LOQUELLA

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025 **Well Enough** 3-8-10 18-1 Hilal Kobeissi Darragh Keenan 6

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.15**READ MEG NICHOLLS' BLOG AT betmgm.co.uk EBF NOVICE STAKES (3) 3yo £12,000 1½m14y (2430 Metres)**

RACE 3

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Very Weak****1 6 INTO THE LIGHT (25)  100**

1 3 9-11 | 62.1kg



Charlie Appleby

Billy Loughnane

Well-bred colt who landed 5-runner maiden on debut over at Lingfield 25 days ago with plenty in hand despite a steady gallop. This step up in trip will suit (dam stayed well) and he's potentially a big improver.

2 4 MY DAD FRANK (15) 70

6 3 9-4 | 59.0kg



Alan Brown

S. B. Kirrane

Bred to need time and distance and shaped accordingly when sixth on debut over 1m a fortnight ago. Steps up significantly in trip.

3 1 RAVENSPIRE (IRE) 93

3 9-4 | 59.0kg

K. R. Burke **Sam James**

Second foal, half-brother to useful 2-y-o 1m winner (stays 16.5f) Imperial Sovereign (by Frankel). Dam, 2-y-o 7f winner who stayed 1¼m (fourth in Poule d'Essai des Pouliches), half-sister to very smart 1m winner Triple Time, won Queen Anne Stakes. Lot to like on paper.

4 2 SINOCENTRIC 87

3 9-4 | 59.0kg

David Simcock **Callum Shepherd**

Half-brother to several winners, including 2-y-o 1m winner (stays 13.5f) Ching Shih and winner up to 1½m Oriental Mystique (2-y-o 1m winner, by Kingman), both useful. dam winner up to 1½m, including Fillies' And Mares' Stakes at Ascot (2-y-o 1m winner). Ticks plenty of boxes.

5 5 STARSHIP TROOPER (IRE) (156) 89

92- 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

Andrew Balding **Callum Hutchinson**

Stepped up on debut run when second of 5 in a novice at Pontefract (20/1) in October, suited by the longer trip. Steps up further in distance on all-weather debut after 156 days off.

6 3 GALISTRA (FR) (51) (BF) 86

8 3 8-13 | 56.7kg



Ralph Beckett

Hector Crouch

Well-bred filly who was sent off 13/8 favourite on debut but checked out tamely when eighth of 9 over 11f at Kempton in January. Clearly thought capable of a lot better.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Into The Light, **3-1** Ravenspire, **5-1** Starship Trooper, **7-1** Sinocentric, **8-1** Galistra, **150-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

INTO THE LIGHT looked a really nice prospect when lowering the colours of an established rival on debut and up in trip, he may improve a lot on that form. Ravenspire and Sinocentric are a couple of well-bred newcomers who may offer most resistance.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. INTO THE LIGHT 2. RAVENSPIRE 3. SINOCENTRIC****SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.45

RACE 4

**BET £10 GET £40 WITH BETMGM FILLIES' HANDICAP (4)
4yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-85) £9,500 1m13y
(1620 Metres)****GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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

1 6 ROCKIN' THE BOAT (IRE) (242) 98
335/434- 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



David Menuisier

Billy Loughnane

Fairly useful form when reaching the frame in all 3 handicap starts last year. Switches to AW for the first time on her return with Billy Loughnane doing the steering. Remains relatively unexposed.

2 1 CANCELLED (IRE) (79) 95
426157/04- 5 9-8 | 60.8kg



Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill

Cieren Fallon

Turf winner in Ireland. Much better effort in AW handicaps for new yard when fourth of 8 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f) 79 days ago. Tongue strap back on.

3 2 MOLLIE FOSTER (IRE) (28) (CD) 97
483301-66 4 9-7 | 60.3kg



Mark Loughnane

Paddy Bradley

Ended time for Ed Walker with a C&D win in October but hasn't found the same level in 2 outings for new yard this year. Bounce back needed.

4 4 PENELOPE VALENTINE (12) 96
434154-19 4 9-2 | 58.1kg



James Owen

Hector Crouch

Third win since joining James Owen at the end of last summer when seeing off 5 rivals at Wolverhampton (8.6f) in January. Only ninth of 11 at Lingfield (7f) since but this is less competitive.

5 5 SAFE IDEA (22) 95
43/4-45 4 8-11 | 55.8kg



Charlie Johnston

Callum Shepherd

Fair form. Fifth of 7 in maiden at Wolverhampton (9.5f) 22 days ago. Makes handicap debut.

6 3 DREAM ILLUSION (15) (CD, BF) 100
04-371122 4 8-8 | 54.4kg



Michael Herrington

William Pyle (3lb/1kg)

Has had a good spell since joining this yard, winning at Newcastle (1m) in January and over C&D in February. 5/4, creditable second of 8 back at Newcastle (1m) 15 days ago. Expected to be bang there again.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

7-4 Dream Illusion, **4-1** Rockin' The Boat, **5-1** Penelope Valentine, **6-1** Safe Idea, **13-2** Cancelled, **28-1** Mollie Foster

TIMEFORM VIEW:

DREAM ILLUSION might be good for a third win of the year. Rockin' The Boat is still low mileage and could be a danger if David Menuisier has her fully primed after 8 months off. This is easier than the race Penelope Valentine contested at Lingfield recently and she should also have a part to play.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. DREAM ILLUSION 2. ROCKIN' THE BOAT 3. PENELOPE VALENTINE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Bellarchi 4-9-7	5-1	Grant Tuer	Oliver Stammers	6
2024	Enola Grey 4-9-5	evsf	Gemma Tutty	Ethan Jones (7)	6
2023	Sid's Annie 4-9-0	3-1	Mark Usher	Luke Morris	5

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.15**MIDNITE, BUILDING THE FUTURE OF BETTING HANDICAP (6)
4yo+ (Rated 0-55) £6,000 6f16y (1220 Metres)**

RACE 5

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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

1 9 GUNDOGAN (15) (D, BF) 96
7454-5242 5 9-9 | 61.2kg



Tony Carroll

William Carson

Boasts just the one win from 27 starts but finished runner-up on 2 of his last 3 starts, latterly over C&D 2 weeks ago. Evidently on a workable mark and he's one to consider.

2 3 TUSCAN POINT (IRE) (149) es+t 94
08984563- 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



Adam Kirby

Taryn Langley (5lb/2kg)

Maiden following 15 attempts who ended 2025 below his best, beaten quite a long way into third at Musselburgh (7f) in October. Excuses when well held on sole previous all-weather start and now starts out for new stable with eyeshields/tongue tie now fitted.

3 8 HAZIYM (IRE) (23) (D) h 94
00/0993-69 7 9-8 | 60.8kg



Tony Carroll

Jack Doughty

Yet to win in Britain but finished a close third at Kempton in December. Wasn't seen to best effect at Lingfield next time but reverted to losing lengths at the start before racing inefficiently at Wolverhampton latest and he's hardly the most reliable. Hood on 1st time.

4 11 FASTER BEE (16) (BF) t 96
8480-5512 5 9-7 | 60.3kg



Fergal O'Brien

Gina Mangan

Refound form from a basement mark in recent weeks, belatedly shedding maiden tag at Wolverhampton (7.1f) prior finishing very good second under a penalty over same C&D 16 days ago. Respected for all he's drawn widest of all.

5 10 HENRY TUDOR (13) (D) 96
87896-491 4 9-6 | 59.9kg



Mark Hoad

Donagh Murphy (7lb/3kg)

Well backed minus a hood/tongue tie and much improved when opening his account in classified company at Chelmsford (6f) 2 weeks ago. Now his task is to back that up returned to a handicap.

6 6 PIPERSTOWN (IRE) (15) (CD) 99
8784-1325 5 9-6 | 59.9kg



Kevin Frost

Hollie Doyle

C&D winner who cashed in off basement mark at Wolverhampton (6.1f) in January. Performed with credit all 3 starts since, again doing best work at the finish when fifth over C&D 2 weeks ago. Should be competitive again.

7 7 UP THE MONK (15) (CD) v 93
67-539164 4 9-6 | 59.9kg



Michael Appleby

Alistair Rawlinson

C&D winner upon joining present stable last summer and doubled his tally in first time visor Chelmsford 3 starts back. Latest fourth over C&D was another solid display and he's an each-way player again.

8 2 ELVETHAM (IRE) (7) (D) ★ 100
6222966-1 4 9-6 | 59.9kg



Conrad Allen

Ryan Kavanagh (5lb/2kg)

Runner-up 3 times in handicaps last year and found things panning out more favourably when gaining first success in handicap at Kempton (6f) last week. Escapes a weight rise and remains unexposed at sprint trips so he ought to go well again

9 1 BENEFICIARY (20) (CD, BF) b 92
57-097227 7 9-5 | 59.4kg



Liam Bailey

Billy Loughnane

Rediscovered form with switch to aggressive tactics, finishing runner-up twice last month (including over C&D). Needs to dispel a lesser effort at Newcastle on most recent start 3 weeks ago, however.

10 5 QUEEN FOR ADAAY (60) v 93
69607/83-7 5 9-0(8-13) | 57.2kg (56.7kg)



Derek Shaw

Jack Callan (5lb/2kg)

Ran best race to date when close up third over this trip at Kempton last February but absent another 11 months prior to finishing seventh of 8 in handicap at Newcastle in January. Others rate much stronger.

11 4 COAST (9) (D) b 75
4006-7579 7 9-0(8-13) | 57.2kg (56.7kg)



Scott Dixon

Kieran O'Neill

7-y-o who lines up here on a long losing run and hardly been shaping like a winner in waiting in recent starts.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 Elvetham, **5-1** Gundogan, **11-2** Faster Bee, **7-1** Henry Tudor, **8-1** Piperstown, **10-1** Up The Monk, **14-1** Tuscan Point, **14-1** Beneficiary, **18-1** Haziym, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Having had excuses on his 2 previous starts, ELVETHAM found things panning out much better when opening his account over this trip at Kempton last week. He escapes a weight rise and unexposed at sprint trips, all looks set fair for another big run. Gundogan has finished runner up on 2 of his last 3 starts and is next best ahead of Piperstown who is proving consistent.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. ELVETHAM 2. PIPERSTOWN 3. GUNDOGAN

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.45**MIDNITE A NEXT GENERATION BETTING APP HANDICAP (6)
4yo+ (Rated 0-65) £6,000 1½m14y (2430 Metres)**

RACE 6

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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

1 6 SHIPSHAPE (IRE) (141) (BF) **95**
9/4546- **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Bernard Llewellyn

Callum Hutchinson

Fair form in a handful of starts for Ralph Beckett. New connections acquired him for 7,000 gns last autumn. The betting might be the best guide to expectations.

2 8 IT'S A LOVE THING (23) (C) **99**
600438-67 **8** 9-8 | 60.8kg



Sam England

Jonny Peate

Course winner. Scored 3 times at the beginning of 2025 but hasn't much offered much obvious encouragement on AW this winter.

3 7 KATHLEEN MARY (12) **99**
4/32567-76 **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg



Peter Chapple-Hyam

Taryn Langley (5lb/2kg)

Maiden who has yet to make a significant impact in handicaps, despite being prominent in the betting on occasions. Yet to convince with her stamina over this far either.

4 3 HACKNEY DIAMONDS (11) (CD) **98**
17-412349 **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg

Ilan Williams *Ryan Kavanagh (5lb/2kg)*

Two course wins this winter, including over this trip in January. Unsuitied by way race developed when ninth of 12 in handicap at this course (11f) 11 days ago and treated as if still in form.

5 2 VELVET RED (IRE) (11) (C, BF)  **100**
680-18 **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Charlie Clover

Rowan Scott

Made a successful handicap debut over 11f here in January but not in anything like the same form when eighth of 12 back here (11f again) since. Bounce back needed.

6 4 CHARLIE DARLING (FR) (9) **86**
6172653/5 **6** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Alan Brown

S. B. Kirrane

Capitalised on a falling mark to double his career win tally at Tramore (2m) in August 2024 but off for 16 months prior to well held on recent yard debut over 2m at Wolverhampton. Can only watch after that.

7 5 TENADAAY (51) (D) **96**
75/680-1 **4** 9-4 | 59.0kg



Fergal O'Brien

Gina Mangan

First Flat start for Fergal O'Brien when a decisive winner over this trip at Wolverhampton in January. Possible he can build on that so a 5 lb rise may not stop him.

8 1 HAVACHOC (11) (CD) **96**
439-61114 **4** 9-4 | 59.0kg



Patrick Morris

Paddy Bradley

Completed a hat-trick in January/February (second leg over C&D). 9/1, creditable fourth of 12 in handicap at this course (11f) 11 days ago. Respected.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Tenadaay, **9-2** Havachoc, **11-2** Hackney Diamonds, **7-1** Kathleen Mary, **8-1** Velvet Red, **14-1** Shipshape, **16-1** It's A Love Thing, **28-1** Charlie Darling

TIMEFORM VIEW:

TENADAAY might have more to offer on the Flat and is selected to make light of a 5 lb rise for Wolverhampton. Havachoc rates an obvious threat after his good spell this year, while Hackney Diamond has 2 wins to her name here this winter and is better than she could show last time.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. TENADAAY 2. HAVACHOC 3. HACKNEY DIAMONDS

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

8.15**WIN £250,000 WITH BETMGM'S GOLDEN GOALS HANDICAP
(5) 4yo+ (Rated 0-75) £7,100 7f14y (1420 Metres)****RACE 7****GBI RACING**Going: **Standard**

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

1 9 GOLDMOYNE (IRE) (5lb/2kg ex) (5) (CD) s 99
11-223311 **6** 10-0 | 63.5kg



James Owen

Cieren Fallon

Thriving in handicaps this winter for current yard, posting a career best as he followed up his C&D success back at Newcastle 5 days ago. Big player again turned out under a penalty.

2 2 PACKETOFBISCUITS (11) (CD) b 100
074-57311 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg



John Mackie

P. J. McDonald

Back-to-back winner of C&D handicaps last month, coming from last to first for the latest 11 days ago. Represents a yard in cracking form and bold hat-trick bid expected from 5 lb higher.

3 8 HOW IMPRESSIVE (IRE) (9) (CD, BF) v+t 98
186-27P42 **7** 9-8 | 60.8kg



Hugo Palmer

Jack Callan (5lb/2kg)

C&D winner who ended losing run at Kempton in October. Exploits typically mixed since but posted one of his better efforts when runner up back at Kempton 9 days ago. Rider takes off a handy 5 lb if he can back that up.

4 4 ASH WEDNESDAY (51) (CD) t 97
5111040-8 **5** 9-8 | 60.8kg



Heather Main

Jack Mitchell

Had an excellent spell on all-weather this time last year, winning 6 times (twice over C&D). Lightly raced since, shaping as if needing run after 6 months off when eighth of 9 at Wolverhampton (7/2) in January. Back on last winning mark ahead of this.

5 7 GOLDEN PHARAOH (IRE) (11) (D) s 85
1422-2808 **5** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Scott Dixon

Kieran O'Neill

Gained a first win for current yard at Ffos Las in September and made the frame next 4 starts. However, operating below best more recently and others arrive with more pressing claims for all he drops in class.

6 3 BEE MY HONEY (IRE) (18) (D) 98
2/22-41 **4** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Charles Hills

Rob Hornby

Found only one too good on first 2 starts and dispelled a lesser reappearance/handicap debut display when easily off the mark in 9-runner maiden at Chelmsford (7f) 18 days ago. Should be competitive again from this mark back in a handicap.

7 6 THANKUAPPRECIATE (13) (C) 97
26304-413 **6** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Declan Carroll

Zak Wheatley (3lb/1kg)

Steadily worked his way back to form prior to capitalising on a career-low mark over 6f here on penultimate start. Backed that up with a running on third at Chelmsford (7f) 2 weeks ago and he's an each-way player once more.

8 1 SHAW PARK (IRE) (11) (CD) 96
22132-830 **7** 9-4 | 59.0kg



Scott Dixon

Hollie Doyle

Won twice last year, successful over C&D on first occasion. Stepped up on reappearance when third over 1m 2 starts back but needs to shrug off a lesser display 11 days ago. Back down in trip today.

9 5 BAJAN BANDIT (11) (CD) s 96
22-533046 **6** 9-0 | 57.2kg



Patrick Morris

Billy Loughnane

Continued in good heart having ended losing run under Billy Loughnane at Newcastle (7f) in December but didn't look easiest ride in refitted cheekpieces (retained) sixth of 7 in a C&D handicap 11 days ago. Fallen 2 lb below last winning mark ahead of this.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Packetofbiscuits, **3-1** Goldmoyne, **13-2** Bee My Honey, **8-1** How Impressive, **11-1** Thankuappreciate, **14-1** Ash Wednesday, **20-1** Bajan Bandit, **22-1** Shaw Park, **22-1** Golden Pharaoh

TIMEFORM VIEW:

PACKETOFBISCUITS comes here operating at the top of his game, registering back-to-back C&D victories in the space of 8 days last month. He can bring up the hat-trick from 5 lb higher with his yard going great guns. Goldmoyne has gone from strength to strength on all-weather and is the lead threat in pursuit of his own hat-trick. Chelmsford scorer Bee My Honey is also worth a look.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. PACKETOFBISCUITS 2. GOLDMOYNE 3. BEE MY HONEY****SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race