

1.35 COPYBET SUPPORTING UK HORSE RACING AMATEUR RIDERS' HANDICAP CHASE (4) 2m7f191y (4800 Metres)

RACE 1 **(6) GIOVANNI CHANGE | (2) LADRONNE | (5) NO BUT I WILL**

2.10 FIRST PAST THE POST AT COPYBET MARES' MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 2m125y (3330 Metres)

RACE 2 **(4) DIAMONDS GALORE | (2) CHATTY GIRL | (1) BRIERY ROSE**

2.45 SAFER GAMBLING AT COPYBET MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 2½m139y (4150 Metres)

RACE 3 **(1) JIMMY HURDSTROM | (3) PLAINS DRIFTER | (5) DONTELMURNAMEPIKE**

3.20 COPYBET HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 2¼m140y (3750 Metres)

RACE 4 **(1) LORD CHAMBERLAIN | (11) RULER LEGEND | (3) PLAY PRETEND**

3.55 LIVE RACING STREAMING AT COPYBET HANDICAP CHASE (5) 2m1f43y (3460 Metres)

RACE 5 **(3) GRAIN TRADE | (1) CATCHIM | (2) JIAIR MADRIK**

4.30 MARKET RASEN RACECOURSE CARAVAN & TOURING PARK NOVICES' HANDICAP CHASE (4) 2m3f34y (3850 Metres)

RACE 6 **(1) CUBAN COURT | (5) ICARE COLOMBE | (2) SOUTHOFTEBORDER**

5.05 BOOK SUMMER PLATE LADIES DAY TODAY MARES' NOVICES' HANDICAP CHASE (Premier Handicap) (1) 2m5f89y (4310 Metres)

RACE 7 **(1) JASMINE BLISS | (4) ALL THE GLORY | (6) MOLTO BENE**

5.35 COPYBET DAILY PROFIT BOOST OPEN NATIONAL HUNT FLAT (5) 2m125y (3330 Metres)

RACE 8 **(10) NUMERO VENTOTTO | (6) ROYAL MARCH | (5) POPALOT**

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

COPYBET SUPPORTING UK HORSE RACING AMATEUR RIDERS' HANDICAP CHASE (4) 5yo+ (Rated 0-120) £9,750 2m7f191y (4800 Metres)




Going: **Good**


Right handed, sharp with minor undulations. Generally favours nippy types (though the ground can get testing), plenty of races being won by those who quicken best on the run to the first obstacle in the home straight. Easy fences, with the downhill third last catching out fewer than used to be the case.

Pace Information: **Very Weak**


1 HURRICANE BAY (31) (D) s+t **95**
1-P125PP5 10 12-0 | 76.2kg

 Lucy Wadham **Mr Cian Murphy (71b/3kg)**
Dual hurdles winner who improved over fences when bagging 2 handicaps in the first half of last year. Second in small field at Doncaster in November on the back of a breathing operation but has gone the wrong way last 4 starts. Cheekpieces the headgear of choice this time.


2 LADRONNE (FR) (28) (D) t **99**
1-6124125 12 11-12 | 75.3kg

 Joel Parkinson & Sue Smith **Miss Venetia Thompson (71b/3kg)**
Managed to win 4 handicaps over fences since February 2025 despite his advancing years. Really good second at Doncaster in February but couldn't take advantage of his lower mark over hurdles at Wetherby 4 weeks ago. Considered switched back over the larger obstacles.


3 MT FUGI PARK (IRE) (37) b **93**
9/P514-P6F 8 11-12 | 75.3kg

 Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill **Miss Gina Andrews**
Two-time hurdle winner who got off the mark over fences at Carlisle last spring. Has shown precious little in a handful of starts this campaign though, failing to complete in a change of headgear last month. Leap of faith needed.


4 KNOCKANORE (IRE) (27) s **95**
60-POS74 9 11-9 | 73.9kg

 Ryan Potter **Mr Lucas Murphy (71b/3kg)**
Campaigned over fences last season, posting a career best when a wide-margin winner in Eider Chase at Newcastle. He's struggled for form in both codes since then, first-time blinkers making little discernible difference at Hereford last month. Usual cheekpieces back on.

5 NO BUT I WILL (28) (D) v **97**
P-2321314 9 11-9 | 73.9kg

 Julian Smith **Miss Jessica Milly Smith (71b/3kg)**
Not straightforward but largely in good form this season, winning at Cartmel (17f) in August and Fakenham (21f) in December. Ran to a similar level when fourth at Wetherby last month and now heads back up in distance.

6 GIOVANNI CHANGE (FR) (18) (CD) ★ **100**
1-143P3P1 11 11-4 | 71.7kg

 Mark Walford **Mr Paddy Barlow (31b/1kg)**
Struggles for consistency but was back on song after a break when scoring at Wetherby 18 days ago, his stamina really coming to the fore late on. Got up late under this rider in this race 12 months ago and could well repeat the feat from a 6 lb higher mark provided he's on a going day.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Giovanni Change, **10-3** Mt Fugi Park, **7-2** Ladronne, **12-1** No But I Will, **12-1** Knockanore, **20-1** Hurricane Bay

TIMEFORM VIEW:

GIOVANNI CHANGE's stamina really came to the fore when scoring at Wetherby last month and having been successful in this race 12 months ago, Mark Walford's 11-y-o gets the nod to repeat the feat. Fellow veteran Ladronne has been in good nick for most of this season, so he heads up the opposition back over the larger obstacles.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. GIOVANNI CHANGE 2. LADRONNE 3. NO BUT I WILL

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Giovanni Change	10-11-1	5-2	Mark Walford	Mr Paddy Barlow (3)	5
2024	Post Chase	7-10-10	10-3f	Oliver Greenall & Josh Guerriero	Mr Harry Myddelton (7)	7
2023	Betty Baloo	7-11-4	15-8f	Tim Easterby	Mr William Easterby	7
2022	Railway Muice	9-11-6	7-1	Sarah Humphrey	Mr Jack Wilmot (7)	7
2021	Eureu du Boulay	7-11-12	13-2	Richard Hobson	Miss Amber Jackson-Fennell (7)	6

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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(4) 4yo+ fillies and mares £10,000 2m125y (3330
Metres)

RACE 2




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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

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BRIERY ROSE (38)
 5-8 **6** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 Henry Daly **David Bass**
 Out of a talented mare for same connections and 2 runs in bumpers 14 months apart probably haven't got to the bottom of her. One to note now hurdling.

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CHATTY GIRL (IRE) (40) (D)
 195-2534 **5** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 Alex Hales **Bryan Carver**
 Didn't kick on in bumpers following debut success and it's been a mixed bag over hurdles this season, although she's been placed twice over 2m and has solid claims in this company on those efforts.


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CURIOS MRS FOX (14)
 4 **5** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 David Thompson **Joshua Thompson (5lb/2kg)**
 Poor maiden on the Flat, shaped with a little encouragement on hurdling debut after 6 months off at Newcastle recently, albeit in a race that severely lacked depth. Hard to fancy.

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DIAMONDS GALORE (24) 
 623P-222P **6** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 Nicky Henderson **James Bowen**
 Fair form in bumpers and found just one too good first 3 starts over hurdles this season after a breathing operation (should have landed a gamble at Ludlow in February but lost momentum with a mistake at the last). Easy to back and possibly amiss at Kelso last time and clearly better than that.

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FLYING PIMPERNEL (27)
 28344 **5** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 Jamie Snowden **Gavin Sheehan**
 Fair form in bumpers but well held in 2 maiden hurdles in quick succession last month, shaping as if amiss latest.

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GEORGIA'S CHARM (IRE) (26)
 328-P5 **6** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 Fergal O'Brien **Jonathan Burke**
 Career has been stop-start so far but she shaped better second time up over hurdles for this yard (her third) at Ludlow last month. Needs to kick on from that.

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POUR TOUT LE MONDE (519)
 750- **6** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 Andrew Crook **Oscar Palmer (7lb/3kg)**
 Only modest form shown in a trio of bumpers in 2024 and makes hurdles debut after a lengthy absence.

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7 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

8-13 Diamonds Galore, **9-2** Chatty Girl, **12-1** Georgia's Charm, **16-1** Flying Pimpernel, **20-1** Briery Rose, **100-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

This won't take much winning and DIAMONDS GALORE can bounce back to form with victory. She clearly wasn't 100% at Kelso and probably would have scored at Ludlow prior to that but for a bad mistake late on. Chatty Girl is the obvious danger.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. DIAMONDS GALORE 2. CHATTY GIRL 3. BRIERY ROSE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	The Secret Pearl 6-11-6	6-4f	Alex Hales	Harry Bannister	8
2024	Pitwood Road 6-11-6	10-11f	Terence O'Brien	Brian Hughes	11
2023	Bizzy Moon 5-11-6	11-2	Dan Skelton	Harry Skelton	7
2022	Racy Lacey 4-10-12	8-1	Ollly Murphy	David England	8
2021	Sorbet 6-11-4	5-2	Lucy Wadham	Bryony Frost	8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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SAFER GAMBLING AT COPYBET MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 4yo+ £10,000 2½m139y (4150 Metres)

RACE 3



Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 JIMMY HURDSTROM (IRE) (37) **100**
622-2453 **6** 11-6 | 72.6kg

Tom Lacey **Stan Sheppard**
Progressed with each run in bumpers and has done the same over hurdles, finishing third in 21f Warwick handicap on latest start. The one to beat back in maiden company.

2 MANALISHI (IRE) (136) **87**
2-3 **7** 11-6 | 72.6kg

Richard Phillips **Harry Bannister**
Malinas gelding who shaped well when second in a bumper at Chepstow last April. Held back by inexperience when a well-held third at Doncaster on hurdling debut 7 months later and entitled to do better now upped in trip.

3 PLAINS DRIFTER (IRE) (30) (BF) **92**
2-5232 **6** 11-6 | 72.6kg

Fergal O'Brien **Jonathan Burke**
Third in an Irish point and showed something like his hurdling debut form when second in 8-runner maiden over C&D (good to soft, 10/11) last month, keeping on close home. He's worth a try from the front the way he's been shaping and ought to be thereabouts again.

4 SIMS' LAW (IRE) (31) **32**
P9 **5** 11-6 | 72.6kg

Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill **Richie McLernon**
Not badly bred by any means but has shown nothing on both starts over hurdles, going in snatches at Uttoxeter on most recent start.

5 DONTELMURNAMEPIKE (82) **84**
R55 **4** 10-10 | 68.0kg

Ruth Jefferson **Jamie Hamilton**
Made an inauspicious start to his career when running out on debut in November but caught the eye when fifth in 2m juvenile at Wetherby in January, making late headway under considerate handling. Up in trip and open to further improvement.

6 EBONY EBBS (27) **t**
085 **4** 10-3 | 64.9kg

Andrew Martin **Shane Quinlan (3lb/1kg)**
Tailed off in 2 bumpers and was beaten before halfway on Huntingdon hurdle debut.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-4 Jimmy Hurdstrom, **7-4** Plains Drifter, **15-2** Manalishi, **8-1** Dontelimurnamepike, **100-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

JIMMY HURDSTROM continued a theme of gradual progression when third in a 21f handicap at Warwick last month and has to be considered the one to beat back in maiden company. Plains Drifter has already shown in his short career that he goes well at this track and is an obvious threat.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. JIMMY HURDSTROM 2. PLAINS DRIFTER 3. DONTELMURNAMEPIKE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Walden 5-11-6	5-1	Tom Lacey	Stan Sheppard	8
2024	Pyffo 6-11-7	9-4	Jonjo O'Neill	Jonjo O'Neill Jr.	7
2023	Saladam 6-11-6	11-8f	Olly Murphy	Sean Bowen	10
2022	Let's Have Another 6-11-6	11-5	Olly Murphy	Brian Hughes	5
2021	Ripper Roo 6-11-2	1-5f	Olly Murphy	Aidan Coleman	4

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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**COPYBET HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 4yo+ (Rated 0-105)
£7,500 2¼m140y (3750 Metres)**

RACE 4



Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1 LORD CHAMBERLAIN (7lb/3kg ex) (8) t **100**
0361 5 12-2 | 77.1kg



Dominic Elsworth *Toby McCain-Mitchell (5lb/2kg)*
Fair Flat maiden who showed much improved form to get off the mark on handicap debut at Hereford (2m) last week, easily. Open to further progress and promises to follow up under a 7 lb penalty.

2 HANS LIPPERSHEY (32) **91**
3-2437402 5 12-0 | 76.2kg



Ben Case *Jack Quinlan*
Made the frame all 3 starts in bumpers and has shown similar form over hurdles despite failing to impress with his hurdling technique, including when second in 5-runner (2m) at Fakenham on latest start. Needs more back in handicap company.

3 PLAY PRETEND (IRE) (174) (C) **93**
53-3U1322 5 12-0 | 76.2kg



Dave Roberts *Lee Edwards*
Course winner who doubly his tally when taking a small-field Worcester handicap (2m) in July. Solid efforts all 3 outings since, including in 2½m handicap back at aforementioned track on final outing in October. Likely to go well again if picking up where he left off.

4 CAMELO RAPIDO (IRE) (20) **93**
428-59618 7 11-11 | 74.8kg



Mark Walford *Jamie Hamilton*
Opened hurdles account at the ninth attempt when landing a soft-ground Doncaster handicap (16.6f) in decisive fashion in February. However, was found out in a more competitive environment at Hexham since.

5 NITTY GRITTY (IRE) (109) **92**
6-410P7P5 6 11-11 | 74.8kg



Mark Walford *Tom Midgley (3lb/1kg)*
Fair winning hurdler for Joseph O'Brien who offered more than previously for current yard when fifth in 10-runner handicap at Wetherby (19.7f) on Boxing Day, despite not being ideally placed. Needs to build on that now.

6 SNAPIUS (IRE) (27) v **93**
4-35P7241 7 11-11 | 74.8kg



James Owen *Alex Chadwick (3lb/1kg)*
Capitalised on an easing mark in 6-runner handicap at Huntingdon (19.6f, good to soft) last month, eased final 100 yds. Nudged up 6 lb but remains on a competitive mark on old form.

7 ASSORDA (FR) (26) (D) **90**
46P11P-P6 6 11-9 | 73.9kg



John Wainwright *William Maggs (3lb/1kg)*
Dual winner in early 2025 but has shown next to nothing on both starts for current yard after a year off.

8 EVER READY (21) **94**
58/586246 7 11-1 | 70.3kg



Pam Sly *Paul O'Brien*
Maiden who underperformed when sixth in 12-runner handicap at Southwell (2½m, good to soft) on latest outing. Bounce back called for.

9 TIMES A WASTIN (IRE) (53) t **91**
455775P5 7 10-13 | 69.4kg



Fergal O'Brien *Jonathan Burke*
Showed fair form in bumpers in Ireland but has been disappointing so far over hurdles, including in handicaps. Tongue tied for first time on return to former yard.

10 AMBASSADOR (IRE) (13) **87**
316776P6 9 10-9 | 67.6kg



Micky Hammond *Joshua Thompson (5lb/2kg)*
Failed to revive following a 4-month break in 7-runner handicap at Sedgfield (16.8f, good to soft) at the beginning of the month. Enough to prove.

11 RULER LEGEND (IRE) (7lb/3kg ex) (9) (C) **95**
6-6F65651 7 10-8 | 67.1kg



Gary Hamner *Danny McMenamin*
Capitalised on a career-low mark in convincing fashion in 9-runner handicap at this course (16.6f, good to soft) recently. Has to be respected under a 7-lb penalty for all that this is a stronger race.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Lord Chamberlain, **5-1** Ruler Legend, **8-1** Snapius, **10-1** Play Pretend, **14-1** Nitty Gritty, **16-1** Times A Wastin, **18-1** Ever Ready, **20-1** Caramelo Rapido, **22-1** Hans Lippershey, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

LORD CHAMBERLAIN made a mockery of his opening mark when scoring easily at Hereford last week and promises to follow up under a penalty. Fellow last-time-out winner Ruler Legend heads up the opposition, along with Play Pretend, who has solid each-way claims if picking up where he left off in the autumn.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LORD CHAMBERLAIN 2. RULER LEGEND 3. PLAY PRETEND

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Robber's Bridge 7-11-2	6-1	Dan Horsford	Henry Brooke	11
2024	King of The Road 5-11-3	13-2	Ben Pauling	Kielan Woods	14
2023 ^I	Grasse d'Olivierie 6-12-0	7-1	Alex Hales	Jonathan Burke	10
2023 ^{II}	Blue Bikini 7-12-0	15-2	Fergal O'Brien	Connor Brace	8
2022	Thirtyfourstitches 7-11-8	8-11f	Dr Richard Newland	Sam Twiston-Davies	4
2021	Giovanni Change 6-11-12	9-1	Mark Walford	Jamie Hamilton	7

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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**LIVE RACING STREAMING AT COPYBET HANDICAP CHASE (5)
5yo+ (Rated 0-100) £7,250 2m1f43y (3460 Metres)**

RACE 5



Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1	CATCHIM (IRE) (21) 543225P3 8 12-0 76.2kg	98
	Charles & Adam Pogson James Bowen	
	Fair maiden chaser who ran right up to his best when runner-up at Southwell in November. Not so good on his next 3 starts, though probably needed the run at Southwell 3 weeks ago. Reliant on an easy lead.	
2	JIAIR MADRIK (FR) (24) 342/8P2F4 7 12-0 76.2kg	96
	Donald McCain Theo Gillard	
	Fair winner of a conditions hurdle in France in 2023 who posted best effort for this yard when second on chase debut at Catterick in January. Did all he could but still failed to beat a rival at Bangor last month and now the hood goes back on (has also had a breathing operation).	
3	GRAIN TRADE (30) (C) P-41FP244 7 11-10 74.4kg	100
	Billy Aprahamian Gavin Sheehan	
	Strong-travelling sort who stepped up on chase bow when winning here (19f) in October. Proving expensive to follow since, not jumping well enough when fourth of 7 over C&D last month, but this looks a weak race and it's surely a matter of time before he adds to his tally.	
4	O'GRADY'S HILL (IRE) (21) 264-54553 7 10-8 67.1kg	73
	Sarah-Jayne Davies James Best	
	Point winner who was runner-up in a bumper/maiden hurdles for Harry Derham in summer 2024. However, she hasn't fired in a handful of appearances for this yard and others make more appeal.	
5	GREENWAYS (IRE) (27) 395P5PP6 7 10-3 64.9kg	98
	Ryan Potter Harry Bannister	
	Confirmed his previous chasing promise when winning Uttoxeter handicap (2m, good) last July. His form has gone the wrong way since, though, and hopes are pinned on a first-time tongue tie sparking a revival.	
6	CHATEAU DU LYS (133) 00763-PP 7 10-2(10-1) 64.4kg (64.0kg)	83
	Tom Gretton William Maggs (3lb/1kg)	
	Little solid form and finished extremely weakly when last seen at Southwell in December. First-time cheekpieces go on.	

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Grain Trade, **3-1** Catchim, **10-3** Jiair Madrik, **6-1** O'grady's Hill, **16-1** Greenways, **20-1** Chateau Du Lys

TIMEFORM VIEW:

He's been expensive to follow since opening his account, but GRAIN TRADE looks to have been found a weak race so may well be able to add to his tally at the expense of Catchim, who probably needed the outing at Southwell 3 weeks ago and has James Bowen back aboard here.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. GRAIN TRADE 2. CATCHIM 3. JIAIR MADRIK

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Prospect House 7-10-9	5-2	Peter Niven	William Maggs (5)	8
2024	Grain d'Oudairies 8-12-0	5-1	Donald McCain	Brian Hughes	6
2023	Snowy Clouds 7-11-13	2-1f	Nicky Richards	Sean Quinlan	6
2022	Lucky Flight 8-11-10	5-2	Lucinda Russell	Stephen Mulqueen	6
2021	Armattiekan 7-11-9	5-1	Donald McCain	Brian Hughes	6

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 6

**MARKET RASEN RACECOURSE CARAVAN & TOURING PARK
NOVICES' HANDICAP CHASE (4) 5yo+ (Rated 0-120)
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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 CUBAN COURT (IRE) (32) (D) s+t **100**
11-461611 8 12-0 | 76.2kg

Neil King *Jack Quinlan*
Three-time winner over hurdles last season who made it 3 from 4 over fences at Doncaster last month, tough to know what he achieved on account of the opposition capitulating. Handicapper taken a swipe with an 8 lb rise but yard continue in good form and he's a big player again.

2 SOUTHOFTHEBORDER (IRE) (22) t **99**
45223351 8 12-0 | 76.2kg

Henrietta C Knight *Paul O'Brien*
Hasn't always found much when push comes to shove but belatedly got off the mark in this sphere at Kempton just over 3 weeks ago. Nudged up 3 lb and should give another decent account (runner-up that day has won since).

3 KAYCE DUTTON (IRE) (13) (C) v **98**
15U31P52 8 11-5 | 72.1kg

Charles & Adam Pogson *James Bowen*
Has won twice in handicap chases here this season, with latest success over 3m in January. Bounced back to form after a couple of poor efforts when runner-up at Southwell earlier in the month and a first-time visor goes on to try and eke out extra.

4 SINGAPORE TRIP (FR) (18) t **97**
13347341 8 10-13 | 69.4kg

Micky Hammond *Alice Stevens (3lb/1kg)*
Scored over hurdles at Wetherby in October and largely consistent since, opening his chase account back at that venue 18 days ago, suited by the drop in trip. The suggestion is he'll be best kept to around 2m so others more appealing stepped back up in trip.

5 ICARE COLOMBE (FR) (30) (C) s **98**
357-55431 8 10-12 | 68.9kg

Fergal O'Brien *Jonathan Burke*
Belatedly opened his account at this track (17f, good to soft) last month, drawing clear after 2 out having travelled well. 6 lb rise to contend with but yard are amongst the winners so he's fancied to be in the shake-up.

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Cuban Court, **7-2** Southoftheborder, **7-2** Singapore Trip, **9-2** Icare Colombe, **10-1** Kayce Dutton

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Tough to rule out any of the quintet, but CUBAN COURT has upped his game since being sent over the larger obstacles so Neil King's 8-y-o gets the verdict to make it 4 wins from 5 starts in this discipline with further progress on the cards. Both Icare Colombe and Southoftheborder opened their account last time and they can chase the selection home in that order.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. CUBAN COURT 2. ICARE COLOMBE 3. SOUTHOFTHEBORDER

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 7

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Pace Information: **Weak**

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Theatre Native 7-11-6	3-1f	Henry de Bromhead	Rachael Blackmore	7
2024	Malaita 8-10-6	6-5f	Mel Rowley	Charlie Deutsch	7
2023	Walk In Clover 6-9-4	16-1	Dan Skelton	Tristan Durrell (5)	9
2022	Precious Eleanor 7-10-13	9-4jf	Henry Daly	Richard Patrick	5
2021	Pink Legend 7-11-7	11-2	Venetia Williams	Charlie Deutsch	6

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

1 JASMINE BLISS (52) (D) 99

24119-312 7 12-0 | 76.2kg



Harry Derham **Paul O'Brien**

Irish point winner who was successful twice over hurdles last season and cemented an excellent start to her chase career when landing 6-runner listed event at Huntingdon. Backed that up when second in Grade 2 novice at Kempton and must be respected back in a handicap.

2 BLUEY (IRE) (59) (C, BF) 96

1P7-14212 7 11-13 | 75.7kg



Emma Lavelle **Harry Cobden**

Dual winner over hurdles who has upped her game over the larger obstacles this season, finding further improvement when making all at Windsor in January. Unable to land the odds in listed event at Wincanton since but remains one to be positive about.

3 RUBY ISLAND (40) (D) 99

16-214431 9 11-7 | 73.0kg



Nicky Richards **Danny McMenamin**

Has improved for fences, taking advantage of a good opportunity in match event at Haydock latest. Looks sure to give her running again.

4 ALL THE GLORY (32) (C) 100

60-263347 9 11-5 | 72.1kg



Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill **Richie McLernon**

Useful over hurdles but not quite as good in this sphere. Out of her depth at the Cheltenham Festival last time but potentially on a good mark back in a handicap.

5 LUNAR DISCOVERY (17) 97

P-3453313 9 11-4 | 71.7kg



Robbie Llewellyn **Charlie Price**

Consistent sort who gained a deserved breakthrough success over fences at Chepstow in December. That form has worked out really well and shaped as if still in form after 3 months off at Stratford since.

6 MOLTO BENE (IRE) (39) (BF) 99

757-11222 7 11-4 | 71.7kg



Charlie Longsdon **Lilly Pinchin**

Dual hurdles winner who bettered that form when winning her first 2 starts over fences in the autumn. Good runner-up efforts since, including when just denied by a subsequent winner at Leicester last month. Big shout up 2 lb.

7 EPINEPHRINE (FR) (24) 96

416-63242 6 10-4 | 65.3kg



Venetia Williams **Charlie Deutsch**

Hurdles winner who's staring to get the hang of things over fences, best effort when second at Bangor last time, shaping as if a return to this longer distance will suit. This much more competitive, however.

8 SHE IS FOR ME BOYS (37) (BF) 95

2-111033 7 10-2(10-1) | 64.4kg (64.0kg)



Jamie Snowden **Gavin Sheehan**

Progressive over hurdles and impressed when making a winning start over fences at Kempton in November. Below par next 2 starts but back on track when third at Warwick. Needs to step up again, however.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 Jasmine Bliss, **9-2** Molto Bene, **11-2** Ruby Island, **11-2** Bluey, **8-1** All The Glory, **8-1** Lunar Discovery, **12-1** Epinephrine, **14-1** She Is For Me Boys

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Plenty to consider but JASMINE BLISS has looked a natural over fences this season and may still not have reached her limit after just 3 starts in this sphere. She's preferred to All The Glory, who returns to a suitable level and is on a handy mark on the pick of her form. Likeable pair Molto Bene and Ruby Island should also be in the mix.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. JASMINE BLISS 2. ALL THE GLORY 3. MOLTO BENE

5.35

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Going: **Good**

Right handed, sharp with minor undulations. Generally favours nippy types (though the ground can get testing), plenty of races being won by those who quicken best on the run to the first obstacle in the home straight. Easy fences, with the downhill third last catching out fewer than used to be the case.

Pace Information: **Weak**

1 BITE THE BULLET (44) 75
 9 5 11-2 | 70.8kg



James Owen *Jonathan Burke*
 Boasts an unappealing pedigree very light on stamina for jumping and finished tailed off in Huntingdon bumper (22/1) 6 weeks ago.

2 DENIS THE BADGER 87
 5 11-2 | 70.8kg



Micky Hammond *Alice Stevens (3lb/1kg)*
 Frontiersman gelding. Dam unraced from family of smart French 7f/1m performer Funambule.

3 HILLSTEELS BLUE (IRE) 79
 6 11-2 | 70.8kg



Max Young *Charlie Hammond*
 Califet gelding. Dam 17f hurdle winner in France out of French hurdler/chaser (winner up to 21f) Salsa Melody.

4 MIDDLECLIFFE (18) 60
 05 6 11-2 | 70.8kg



Peter Winks *Conor Rabbitt (3lb/1kg)*
 Has shown more temperament than ability in bumpers.

5 POPALOT (139) 89
 3 5 11-2 | 70.8kg



Peter Niven *Peter Kavanagh*
 Pether's Moon gelding who showed plenty in attempting to come from a disadvantageous position when third in 5-runner C&D bumper on debut in November. Entitled to do better.

6 ROYAL MARCH 92
 5 11-2 | 70.8kg



Don Cantillon *Jack Quinlan*
 £7,500 3-y-o, Dartmouth gelding. Dam (h115), 2½m hurdle winner, sister to fairly useful 2½m chase winner Captain Blackpearl. Makes plenty of appeal on paper for yard who don't have many runners these days but had last year's winner of this race.

7 SEA LORD (FR) 88
 6 11-2 | 70.8kg



James Tate *Gavin Sheehan*
 1,000 gns 3-y-o, Le Havre gelding. Brother to 1¼m-1½m winner Ocean Wave. Dam 8.6f-1½m winner. First bumper runner for Flat yard and interesting to see market support.

8 BATCHELOR'S LAD (IRE) (32) 90
 2 4 10-8 | 67.1kg



Philip Kirby *Joe Williamson*
 Maxios gelding. Half-brother to very smart hurdler Jason The Militant and useful hurdler/chaser Will Carver. Dam (c88/h85), 2m hurdle winner. 7/1, offered something to work on when second of 6 in bumper at Doncaster 4 weeks ago, not knocked about. Entitled to improve.

9 CRYSTAL GLADE 87
 4 10-2 | 64.4kg



Pam Sly *Tristan Durrell*
 Crystal Ocean filly. Half-sister to dual bumper winner/fairly useful hurdler Rainyday Woman and fairly useful chaser William Cody. From a good jumping family and catches the eye.

10 NUMERO VENTOTTO 100
 4 10-2 | 64.4kg



Nicky Henderson *Nico de Boinville*
 Out of a bumper winner, herself closely related to fairly useful hurdler/useful chaser Sure Touch. Top yard's newcomers always command respect in bumpers and confidence behind her in the betting would naturally look significant.

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

15-8 Numero Ventotto, 9-2 Royal March, 13-2 Popalot, 7-1 Batchelor's Lad, 8-1 Sea Lord, 12-1 Crystal Glade, 33-1 Denis The Badger, 66-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

An intriguing bumper on paper with NUMERO VENTOTTO making most appeal on debut for Nicky Henderson. Royal March is another interesting newcomer, with Popalot and Batchelor's Lad also considered after promising starts.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. NUMERO VENTOTTO 2. ROYAL MARCH 3. POPALOT

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	American Empire 5-11-2	3-1	Don Cantillon	Ben Bromley (5)	3
2024	Wade Out 5-11-2	4-5f	Olly Murphy	Sean Bowen	6
2023	Bhaloo 5-11-2	9-2	Fergal O'Brien	Liam Harrison (3)	8
2022	The Bogmans Ball 5-11-1	3-1	Fergal O'Brien	Paddy Brennan	6
2021	Sauce of Life 6-11-6	6-5	Nicky Richards	Brian Hughes	5

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race