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VAAL (SA) - 16 MAY 2023

RACECOURSE: Turf. 3000m oval circuit. Races up to 1600m straight course; beyond 1600m clockwise round turn with 1000m run-in. **TOP JOCKEYS AT TRACK:** G Lerena 69-16 (23.19%)-27, K Matsunyane 77-12 (15.58%)-19, M Yeni 88-11 (12.50%)-34, J P v'd Merwe 75-10 (13.33%)-20 **TOP TRAINERS AT TRACK:** A B Fortune 94-13 (13.83%)-29, F Bronkhorst 103-9 (8.74%)-36, S G Tarry 68-9 (13.24%)-24, M N Houdalakis 62-9 (14.52%)-19 **DRAW:** Low-number draws slightly favoured in 1700m races. **APPRENTICES (ALLOWANCES):** K A Brewer, D B Geerthsen (2.5), M K Katjedi, P Mxoli, S Sosibo (2.5).

TAB BETS for this meeting = ALL RACES: Win, Place, Swinger, Exacta, Trifecta, Quartet, Rolling Double (Races 1-2; 2-3; 3-4 etc) and Pick 3 (Races 1-3; 2-4; 3-5 etc) AND Bipot (RACES 1-6), Place Accumulator (RACES 2-8), Pick 6 (RACES 3-8), Jackpot One (RACES 4-7), Jackpot Two (RACES 5-8). All bets R1 unit; minimum bet in TABs R6 except SWINGER minimum bet R2. EACHWAY bet of R3 Win and R3 Place, as well as 3-horse EXACTA or TRIFECTA Box or 4-horse SWINGER Box for R6 total cost can be taken. Minimum bet online R1. **TAB PICK 6 Rule:** If first-timer wins, first horse to finish of those to have run before also qualifies. **TAB PLACE Rules:** Less than 6 runners no Place betting; 6-7 runners payouts FIRST, SECOND; 8-15 runners FIRST, SECOND, THIRD; 16 or more runners FIRST, SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH. Fractional betting: Trifecta, Quartet, Bipot, PA, Pick 6, Jackpot. **ALL TO COME (WIN or PLACE)** any 2 or more races. **4Racing TAB** betting form: mark **VAAL** oval. **Gold Circle:** mark **GTG** oval. **TV:** Races 1-8 RACING 240 (ch 240 DStv); Races 1-8 GLOBAL RACING 1 (in TABs & live stream www.4racing.tv)

RACE 1: 12:25 4RACING WELCOMES YOU MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE (For 2 yo R100 000 Win BSA Bonus Series) Turf Straight

Stake: R80,000 1200m

No	Horse	Age, Colour, Sex; Wins, Places, Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	AND ACTION	2Bc 0-0-0	S G Tarry	3	S Khumalo	60	FIRST RUN		
	0m Earn: Nil Red, white stars and collar, black sleeves, white stars and cuffs, black cap, white stars, red peak								
2	EMPORIUM	2Bg 0-1-2	P F Matchett	*1	*P Mxoli	60		4B10 (1.75)	7V12 (7.00) 30Mar23
	1000m Earn: R4,500 Dark green, maroon y with white binding, white, d green and maroon hooped slvs, d green and white str								
3	HAWKBILL	2Bg 0-2-2	M N Houdalakis	*8	C Zackey	60		3B10 (0.50)	2V12 (0.25) 30Mar23
	10-1200m Earn: R27,000 White, kingfisher and red hoops, white sleeves, red cap								
4	PIED KINGFISHER	2Bc 0-1-1	M F De Kock	*6	*K A Brewer	60			3B08 (3.70) 13Dec22
	800m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R9,000 Grey, dark blue epaulettes and sleeves, dark blue cap, grey stars								
5	REAL RELIEF	2Bc 0-1-1	B Crawford	*7	K de Melo	60			2B10 (0.50) 23Mar23
	1000m Earn: R18,000 White, black fleur de lys, red sleeves, black collar and cuffs, black and white striped cap								
6	ROCK OF AGES	2Bg 0-0-0	C Spies	9	M V'Rensburg	60	FIRST RUN		
	0m Earn: Nil Scarlet and crimson quartered diagonally, scarlet sleeves and cap								
7	SCARLETT PIMPERNEL	2Bc 0-0-0	M/A Azzie	2	D De Gouveia	60	FIRST RUN		
	0m Earn: Nil White, blue spots, red sleeves, white stars, red cap, white star								
8	STORM AHEAD	2Bc 0-0-0	M/A Azzie	10	J P v'd Merwe	60	FIRST RUN		
	0m Earn: Nil Red, silver stars, silver sleeves, red stars, red cap, silver star								
9	SUPER AWESOME	2Bc 0-0-2	R R Magner	*4	G Lerena	60		0F08 (17.15)	8J14 (3.60) 04May23
	0m Earn: Nil Black, white fleur de lys, orange collar and sleeves, white and black striped cap								
10	THOMAS RAINWATER	2Bc 0-0-0	B Crawford	5	K Matsunyane	60	FIRST RUN		
	0m Earn: Nil Red, black star, collar and sleeves, red cap, black star								

Same Trainer: (5 & 10); (7 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 12-10 REAL RELIEF; 5-2 HAWKBILL; 5-1 PIED KINGFISHER; 10-1 AND ACTION, SCARLETT PIMPERNEL, STORM AHEAD, THOMAS RAINWATER; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 5 REAL RELIEF 3 HAWKBILL 4 PIED KINGFISHER 10 THOMAS RAINWATER

PREVIEW: Half the field of 10 are first-timers - watch the money market. Of those who have raced, REAL RELIEF rates the one to beat - he was backed on debut but found one better. HAWKBILL was close up in both starts and should make his presence felt. PIED KINGFISHER wasn't disgraced on debut but was rested thereafter. He should know more about it. SUPER AWESOME and EMPORIUM are looking to improve.

VAAL - RACE 2 - 16 MAY 2023 - TAB TOP 7 MEETING
RACE 2: 13:00 PLAY SOCCER 6, 10 AND 13 MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE (Fillies) (For 2 yof R100 000 Win BSA Bonus Series) Turf Straight Stake: R80,000 1200m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	ALESIA'S LOVE	2Bf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Yellow, brown stripe, brown and white hooped sleeves and cap	R R Magnier	12	M Yeni	60	FIRST RUN		
2	COLORADO CREEK	2Chf 0-0-1 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil White, navy blue hoop and sleeves, white armbands, navy blue cap	B Crawford	+11	*M K Katjedi	60			6J12 (7.15) 04Apr23
3	DAKOTA CAT*	2Bf 0-3-5 12-1600m Earn: R44,250 Dusty pink, white and black hoop and armbands, black cap	J S Roux	*4	P Strydom	60	4J12 (3.20)	2B14 (0.30)	2T16 (2.25) 29Apr23
4	DOLCEZZA	2Bf 0-1-1 1100m Earn: R9,000 Blue and white checks, hooped sleeves and cap	R Klaasen	*9	G Pieterse	60			3V11 (2.25) 20Apr23
5	IVY LEAGUE	2Bf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Yellow, shocking pink star and armbands, yellow cap	B/Y Botes / Vosloo	10	J P v'd Merwe	60	FIRST RUN		
6	JJ'S EAGLE	2Bf 0-0-1 0m Earn: R2,250 Red and white checked diamonds, black sleeves, checked diamond cap, black peak	H van der Westhuizen	*8	J R Syter	60			5V11 (7.75) 20Apr23
7	KINGDOM OF GOLD	2Bf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Yellow, shocking pink star and armbands, yellow cap	S G Tarry	3	S Khumalo	60	FIRST RUN		
8	LADY FALLON	2Bf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil White, red crossed sashes, collar and sleeves, white cuffs, quartered cap, white peak	M N Houdalakis	14	*K A Brewer	60	FIRST RUN		
9	LITTLE MIZ SWAGGER	2Bf 0-0-1 0m Earn: Nil White, navy crossed sashes, shocking pink cap	F Bronkhorst	*7	*D B Geerthsen	60			6T11 (9.00) 15Apr23
10	PASS THE BATON	2Bf 0-0-2 0m Earn: Nil Royal blue, maroon diagonal spots, maroon sleeves, royal blue armbands, hooped cap	S Moffatt	+15	D Schwarz	60		7B10 (8.80)	0V12 (15.00) 30Mar23
11	PHANTOM EXPRESS	2Bf 0-1-2 1000m Earn: R23,250 Dark green, maroon y with white binding, white, d green and maroon hooped slvs, d green and white str	P F Matchett	*5	*P Mxoli	60		2J10 (0.90)	5T11 (9.50) 29Apr23
12	QUEEN OF VERONA	2Bf 0-0-1 0m Earn: Nil Turquoise, white stars, red collar and sleeves, white stars, turquoise cap	F Bronkhorst	+13	J Greyling	60			9B14 (14.00) 06Apr23
13	SILVER HUNT	2Bf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Yellow, black sleeves, yellow armbands, cuffs and cap	M F De Kock	6	K de Melo	60	FIRST RUN		
14	STAY FOCUSED	2Bf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Scarlet and crimson quartered diagonally, scarlet sleeves and cap	C Spies	2	M V'Rensburg	60	FIRST RUN		
15	SUGARY SWEET	2Bf 0-1-4 1160m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R5,250 Black, cerise pink zig zags, collar, cuffs and cap	S Moffatt	+16	G Lerena	60	6B10 (5.00)	4T11 (1.05)	6J14 (6.25) 04May23
16	WUGUG	2Bf 0-2-2 10-1100m Earn: R27,000 Bright yellow, red band of diamonds, red sleeves, bright yellow cap, red diamond	B Crawford	*1	K Matsunyane	60		3B10 (1.25)	2V11 (1.25) 20Apr23

Same Trainer: (2 & 16); (9 & 12); (10 & 15).

FORECAST BETTING: 7-2 DAKOTA CAT, DOLCEZZA, SILVER HUNT, WUGUG; 10-1 KINGDOM OF GOLD, LADY FALLON, PHANTOM EXPRESS, STAY FOCUSED, SUGARY SWEET; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: DAKOTA CAT, LITTLE MIZ SWAGGER. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS ON: DAKOTA CAT.

TIPS: 4 DOLCEZZA 16 WUGUG 3 DAKOTA CAT 13 SILVER HUNT

PREVIEW: Watch the previous race for a guide line to the draws. WUGUG was close up in both her starts and should be thereabouts again. However, DOLCEZZA finished a length behind her on her debut, appears drawn better and could turn it around. DAKOTA CAT (blinkers back on) was runner-up in her last two and could get into the action. SUGARY SWEET has an outside draw and could get into the picture. PHANTOM EXPRESS disappointed in her 2nd run but is better than that. Watch the 6 newcomers especially SILVER HUNT.

RACE 3: 13:35 BETONTAB.CO.ZA MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE (For 2 yo R100 000 Win BSA Bonus Series) Turf Right-Hand Turn Stake: R80,000 1700m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	AMPERSAND	2Bg 0-2-3 10-1160m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R13,500 White, purple sash, red sleeves and cap	P F Matchett	*1	*P Mxoli	60	4B10 (1.50)	8T11 (8.75)	3T11 (4.00) 07May23
2	BATTLE OF KURSK	2Bc 0-0-2 0m Earn: R2,625 Yellow, brown stripe, brown and white hooped sleeves and cap	R R Magnier	*3	M Yeni	60		7B14 (3.75)	5T16 (5.25) 29Apr23
3	BRENHEISEN%	2Bg 0-1-1 1160m Earn: R9,000 Royal blue, dayglo pink braces, royal blue and dayglo pink striped sleeves, dayglo pink cap	C Dawson	*5	K de Melo	60			3T11 (4.00) 29Apr23
4	DHONI	2Bc 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Yellow, shocking pink star and armbands, yellow cap	S G Tarry	2	G Lerena	60	FIRST RUN		
5	LT ALEXANDER	2Bc 0-0-2 0m Earn: Nil Red, blue maltese cross, white sleeves and cap	B/Y Botes / Vosloo	*7	J P v'd Merwe	60		8V12 (10.50)	0J14 (5.70) 04May23
6	WE ARE THE LOGANS	2Chc 0-1-2 1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R18,000 Blue, silver seams, hooped cap	A P Peter	*6	D Schwarz	60		8J12 (8.00)	2B14 (3.25) 25Apr23
7	WILLIAM IRON ARM	2Bc 0-1-1 1200m Earn: R9,000 Turquoise, yellow halved diagonally, halved sleeves, yellow cap	A G Laird	*8	C Zackey	60			3V12 (2.25) 20Apr23
8	SHACHATH	2Bf 0-0-5 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R2,250 Yellow, dark green sash, black collar, red and blue halved slvs, black and white qtd cap, white peak	C Spies	*4	M V'Rensburg	57	9V12 (20.00)	0V11 (16.25)	0J14 (26.50) 04May23

Same Trainer: None.

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 WE ARE THE LOGANS, WILLIAM IRON ARM; 4-1 BRENHEISEN; 5-1 BATTLE OF KURSK, DHONI; 7-1 AMPERSAND; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: AMPERSAND, BATTLE OF KURSK.

TIPS: 7 WILLIAM IRON ARM 6 WE ARE THE LOGANS 3 BRENHEISEN 1 AMPERSAND

PREVIEW: The youngsters are out to prove their stamina. BATTLE OF KURSK went furthest but never kicked late, however he can only improve. WE ARE THE LOGANS was run out it last time and should be involved. WILLIAM IRON ARM drifted in the betting when not disgraced on debut and should come on over this distance. BRENHEISEN and AMPERSAND are bred for this distance - respect. Watch newcomer DHONI.

RACE 4: 14:10 RACING240 FOR RACING. FOR YOU MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE (Fillies) (For 2 yof R100 000 Win BSA Bonus Series) **Turf Right-Hand Turn**
 Stake: R80,000 1700m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *≠App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	BE REAL	2Bf 0-1-3 1200m Earn: R6,500 Turquoise, black maltese cross, black collar, turquoise sleeves and black chevrons, quarter	H E Adamson	*1	P Strydom	60	6B10 (7.80)	4V12 (4.85)	5J14 (6.05) 04May23
2	EXQUISITE DAWN*	2Chf 0-0-1 0m Earn: Nil Neon green, black spot, neon green cap, black peak	W H Marwing	*8	M Yeni	60			8J14 (13.00) 04May23
3	GODSPEED	2Bf 0-2-6 8-1450m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R19,625 White and black quartered diagonally, black sleeves, white cuffs, halved cap	F Bronkhorst	*7	M V'Rensburg	60	5V12 (4.25)	0T11 (14.00)	3J14 (4.50) 04May23
4	KEY ELEMENT	2Bf 0-1-2 1600m Earn: R23,625 Dark green,maroon y with white binding,white, d greenandmaroon hooped slvs,d greenandwhite str	P F Matchett	*9	C Zackey	60		5J10 (4.20)	2J16 (2.00) 27Apr23
5	LEONESSA	2Bf 0-2-4 14-1600m Earn: R9,750 Blue, white hoop, purple sleeves and cap	J S Roux	*10	S Khumalo	60	7J14 (3.20)	4B14 (3.00)	4J16 (4.65) 27Apr23
6	MY SOUL MATE	2Bf 0-0-1 0m Earn: R2,000 White, scarlet and white quartered cap	C Dawson	*2	G Lerena	60			5J14 (1.95) 04May23
7	PRINCESS AZARIAH§	2Bf 0-0-1 0m Earn: Nil Red,white stars and collar,black sleeves,white stars and cuffs,black cap,white stars,red peak	S G Tarry	*3	*D B Geerthsen	60			0B14 (16.50) 06Apr23
8	SHILPA'S MOON	2Chf 0-1-5 1450m Earn: R4,000 Red, blue collar, white and blue striped sleeves, red cuffs, blue cap	B/Y Botes / Vosloo	*6	*S Sosibo	60	8J14 (4.50)	6B14 (7.50)	4J14 (4.55) 04May23
9	VILLA SEMAYA	2Bf 0-0-2 0m Earn: R2,250 Royal blue, maroon diagonal spots, maroon sleeves, royal blue armbands, hooped cap	S Moffatt	*5	K Matsunyane	60		5B10 (7.75)	6V11 (7.80) 20Apr23
10	WOODLAND GLADE	2Bf 0-1-1 1450m Earn: R16,000 Brown and red hoops, red sleeves, brown cap	M F De Kock	*4	K de Melo	60			2J14 (2.80) 04May23

Same Trainer: None.

FORECAST BETTING: 1-1 WOODLAND GLADE; 4-1 KEY ELEMENT; 5-1 MY SOUL MATE; 10-1 GODSPEED, LEONESSA; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.**DOWN IN CLASS:** KEY ELEMENT, LEONESSA. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS ON: EXQUISITE DAWN. CHEEK PIECES ON: PRINCESS AZARIAH. BLINKERS OFF: PRINCESS AZARIAH.**TIPS:** 10 WOODLAND GLADE 4 KEY ELEMENT 6 MY SOUL MATE 5 LEONESSA**PREVIEW:** WOODLAND GLADE found support on debut but had to settle for 2nd place. She travels over further and should hold GODSPEED, SHILPA'S MOON and BE REAL. The one to beat. KEY ELEMENT found problems last time and should relish the extra. MY SOUL MATE is another crying out for the extra - respect. LEONESSA must have a money chance if settles early.
RACE 5: 14:45 4RACING.TV MIDDLE STAKES (For horses with nett rating of 101 and below) **Turf Right-Hand Turn**
 Stake: R90,000 2400m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *≠App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	GOOD COUNCIL	3Bg 4-3-11 14-2400m Earn: R328,000 Black and gold diagonal stripes, white sleeves, white and gold striped cap	A B Fortune	*5	R Danielson	62	5T18 (4.65)	1T24 (2.25)	6T24 (10.25) 01Apr23
2	OUT OF YOUR LEAGUE	6Bg 5-8-38 20-3200m S: 0-0-4 Earn: R647,175 Red, white braces, blue and red striped sleeves, blue cap	F P Habib	*2	M Yeni	54	8T24 (23.00)	5J26 (11.00)	5V32 (9.00) 20Apr23
3	AFRAAD*	6Bg 7-25-55 16-3200m S: 2-3-9 Earn: R599,412 Yellow, black seams, black cap, yellow spots	S Moffatt	*6	K Matsunyane	52	3J30 (3.75)	2V32 (1.10)	1B24 (0.75) 02May23
4	OPERA GLASS*	5Chm 7-15-38 14-2400m S: 0-4-8 Earn: R619,688 Yellow, black seams, black cap, yellow spots	S Moffatt	*8	*S Sosibo	51.5	4T24 (5.25)	8T24 (13.75)	6B24 (5.50) 02May23
5	KIND JUDY*	5Bm 6-16-38 9-2400m S: 2-4-12 Earn: R421,312 Neon green, black collar, cuffs and peak	B/Y Botes / Vosloo	*4	*M K Katjedi	50	2T24 (3.25)	4J18 (3.00)	2T24 (0.25) 15Apr23
6	CAPTAIN CHORUS*	6Bg 5-22-44 12-3200m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R440,050 Orange, black stars, orange sleeves, black seams, orange cap, black stars and peak	M N Houdalakis	*7	*K A Brewer	50	3B24 (2.40)	6T20 (26.00)	7B24 (5.55) 02May23
7	ALLTHEWAYFROMUSA	3Bf 1-3-11 14-2400m S: 0-2-2 Earn: R82,750 White, red hoops, blue sleeves, white stars, blue cap, white stars, red pea	T Zackey	*1	N Klink	50	7B24 (7.50)	7B24 (9.25)	6J20 (4.75) 04May23
8	INDIAN WAR DANCE	4Bg 1-4-18 17-2400m S: 1-2-6 Earn: R99,625 Turquoise blue, cerise epaulettes and sleeves, turquoise blue armband, cerise cap	T Zackey	*3	M Thackeray	50	6J26 (8.10)	8J20 (8.15)	5T24 (7.50) 06Nov22
9	UNDERSTATED*	5Bg 1-5-17 20-2600m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R82,375 Red and white checked diamonds, black sleeves, checked diamond cap, black peak	H van der Westhuizen	*9	J R Syster	50	8B24 (11.25)	9V24 (14.50)	6V32 (20.00) 20Apr23

Same Trainer: (3 & 4); (7 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 2-1 AFRAAD, KIND JUDY; 7-2 GOOD COUNCIL; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.**DOWN IN CLASS:** GOOD COUNCIL, KIND JUDY. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** PACIFIERS OFF: OUT OF YOUR LEAGUE.**TIPS:** 5 KIND JUDY 3 AFRAAD 1 GOOD COUNCIL 6 CAPTAIN CHORUS**PREVIEW:** On the outcome of the Gold Bowl, three-year-olds proved their ability against older stayers. On this, GOOD COUNCIL has the form but has to give 10kg to proven and in-form stayer AFRAAD as well as 12kg to Spook Express runner-up KIND JUDY. Big ask. OPERA GLASS and CAPTAIN CHORUS could get into the Quartet.

VAAL - RACE 6 - 16 MAY 2023 - TAB TOP 7 MEETING

RACE 6: 15:20 TAB TELEBET 0861 000 822 MR 68 HANDICAP (Open) Turf Straight										Stake: R70,000 1000m
No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date	
1	WAR EMPRESS	3Chf 1-3-4 1000m Earn: R93,600 Light green, red maltese cross and sleeves, quartered cap	A B Fortune	*3	P Strydom	61.5	3K10 (1.10)	4B10 (1.60)	1B10 (2.25)	06Apr23
2	TROPPO VELOCE	2Bf 1-0-2 1000m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R58,500 Gold, green stripe, gold cap	A B Fortune	*13	R Danielson	60.5		5T08 (6.50)	1B10 (2.50)	02Feb23
3	PENDRAGON*	3Bg 2-5-20 10-1200m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R141,500 Yellow, cerise seams, quartered cap	F Bronkhorst	*7	G Lerena	60	2J10 (0.80)	1J12 (1.30)	5J10 (3.80)	18Apr23
4	MISS SOHO*	3Bf 1-7-10 10-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R107,000 Maroon, white 'v' bib, hooped sleeves, white cuffs, quartered cap	A B Fortune	*10	J Penny	59.5	4J12 (1.20)	1B10 (0.10)	8B12 (11.00)	13Oct22
5	GIMME THE FLAME%	3Bf 1-6-16 10-1450m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R103,875 Royal blue, yellow spots, royal blue sleeves, royal blue cap, yellow spots	H E Adamson	*12	M V'Rensburg	59	7J14 (4.25)	0T14 (3.00)	4V12 (1.25)	20Apr23
6	FULLIAUTOMATIX	4Bg 1-7-19 1000m S: 0-0-9 Earn: R133,750 Royal blue, pink crossed sashes, turquoise sleeves, pink cap, turquoise star	B Webber	*8	J R Syster	59	4S10 (0.55)	9J10 (16.75)	0B10 (11.75)	09May23
7	ROCK ON CAPTAIN	4Bf 1-6-14 10-1250m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R124,300 Black, white star, orange and white striped sleeves, white cap	S M Naidoo	*9	*P Mxoli	58.5	3N12 (0.40)	5N12 (1.40)	0B10 (50.00)	09Mar23
8	GREAT TIMES	4Bg 1-12-24 10-1200m S: 1-1-9 Earn: R173,000 Royal blue, pink crossed sashes, turquoise sleeves, pink cap, turquoise star	B Webber	*11	*D B Geerthsen	58	3J10 (2.70)	4J10 (3.50)	8B10 (9.25)	09May23
9	WHAT A TIGER*	3Bg 1-3-12 1000m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R102,250 Red, black epaulettes and cap	F P Habib	*5	S Khumalo	57.5	3B10 (1.75)	8J10 (4.75)	2J10 (2.25)	27Apr23
10	SMELTING*	5Bm 1-18-44 10-1450m S: 0-2-7 Earn: R234,125 Sky blue, navy maltese cross and cap	B H Stidolph	*6	*S Sosibo	57.5	1J12 (1.20)	5J12 (4.10)	9T10 (5.00)	07May23
11	COMING IN HOT*	4Bg 3-14-33 10-1600m S: 1-4-10 Earn: R257,750 Lime greenandroyal blue qtd diagonally,green collar,blue slvs,green chevrons,blue cap,green	F Bronkhorst	*4	D Schwarz	57	0J14 (11.20)	7S12 (3.45)	6V14 (6.75)	30Mar23
12	FEATHER THE NEST	5Chm 4-14-42 10-1400m S: 1-2-11 Earn: R270,250 White, blue crossed sashes and collar, white sleeves, red stars, red cap, white hoop	S J Gray	*2	G Pieterse	54	2T11 (2.25)	6B12 (5.25)	2J10 (0.10)	18Apr23
13	MERCER GIRL*	7Bm 4-12-62 1000m S: 0-2-11 Earn: R347,075 Orange, black diamond and cap	B H Stidolph	*1	N Klink	54	3J10 (1.00)	1B10 (1.00)	9J10 (6.15)	18Apr23

Same Trainer: (1 & 2 & 4); (3 & 11); (6 & 8); (10 & 13).

FORECAST BETTING: 7-2 TROPPO VELOCE; 4-1 WAR EMPRESS; 7-1 PENDRAGON, WHAT A TIGER; 10-1 MERCER GIRL; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: FULLIAUTOMATIX, GREAT TIMES. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS OFF: GREAT TIMES.

TIPS: 2 TROPPO VELOCE 1 WAR EMPRESS 3 PENDRAGON 9 WHAT A TIGER

PREVIEW: Stable companions TROPPO VELOCE and WAR EMPRESS come off maiden wins and could go in again. Preference goes to two-year-old TROPPO VELOCE. PENDRAGON is holding form and a big run is expected. WHAT A TIGER, FEATHER THE NEST and MERCER GIRL are more of many looking for minor money.

RACE 7: 15:55 RACEHORSE OWNERS ASSOCIATION MR 82 HANDICAP (Open) Turf Straight										Stake: R80,000 1100m
No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date	
1	GOLIATH HERON	7Bg 6-21-46 10-1200m S: 2-5-10 Earn: R675,975 Yellow, purple stars, yellow cap, purple star	C Binda	*8	*S Sosibo	63	3T11 (0.45)	2N10 (1.30)	7J12 (1.25)	27Apr23
2	HOUSTON	3Bg 1-6-9 11-1600m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R96,250 White, blue hoop, white sleeves and cap	C Dawson	*2	K de Melo	59.5	3T14 (7.50)	4T14 (5.00)	9T11 (3.50)	18Mar23
3	ESQUEVELLE	4Bg 3-4-14 10-1200m S: 0-1-5 Earn: R192,375 Turquoise blue, white cap	C Binda	*9	K Matsunyane	59	1V12 (1.50)	0T11 (18.00)	0B10 (13.00)	09May23
4	PINCH HIT*	3Bg 2-5-15 10-1200m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R166,500 Lime greenandroyal blue qtd diagonally,green collar,blue slvs,green chevrons,blue cap,green	F Bronkhorst	*4	G Lerena	58.5	4T11 (2.75)	5T11 (5.50)	2V12 (2.25)	20Apr23
5	SIBERIAN STEEL!	3Bg 2-2-6 10-1100m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R129,750 Red, green braces and sleeves, red cap	A P Peter	*1	D Schwarz	57.5	5B10 (3.75)	1T11 (1.00)	7V10 (7.00)	30Mar23
6	READY TO CHARGE	2Bc 1-0-1 1100m Earn: R56,250 Green and black checks, checked sleeves, halved cap	M/A Azzie	*3	J P v'd Merwe	57			1V11 (2.75)	20Apr23
7	SUCCESSFUL SECRET	5Bg 4-6-29 10-1200m S: 3-0-7 Earn: R225,188 Red, yellow braces, white broad stripe, red sleeves and cap, white star and peak	B Webber	*5	*D B Geerthsen	57	8S10 (7.60)	0S11 (11.20)	7B10 (7.00)	09May23
8	BLACK EGRET*	3Bg 1-7-9 10-1450m S: 1-1-2 Earn: R145,300 Red, black epaulettes and cap	A B Fortune	*7	R Danielson	56.5	3B14 (3.50)	2T11 (0.25)	6V12 (3.50)	20Apr23
9	VAVA VEGAS	3Chg 1-2-8 10-1200m S: 1-1-3 Earn: R64,750 Cerise, black hoop and sleeves, cerise armbands, black cap	R R Magner	*6	M Yeni	52	6T11 (4.25)	4J12 (3.10)	4J10 (3.70)	18Apr23

Same Trainer: (1 & 3).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-2 READY TO CHARGE; 4-1 SIBERIAN STEEL; 5-1 GOLIATH HERON, HOUSTON; 6-1 BLACK EGRET; 10-1 PINCH HIT, VAVA VEGAS; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: GOLIATH HERON, HOUSTON, SIBERIAN STEEL. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** PACIFIERS ON: SIBERIAN STEEL.

TIPS: 6 READY TO CHARGE 5 SIBERIAN STEEL 1 GOLIATH HERON 2 HOUSTON

PREVIEW: READY TO CHARGE found support and won on debut. She has scope for improvement and is taken to go in again. SIBERIAN STEEL found problems last time but holds VAVA VEGAS on earlier form. GOLIATH HERON is holding form and finished ahead of HOUSTON on recent collateral form. PINCH HIT and BLACK EGRET are looking for Quartet money.

RACE 8: 16:30 NEXT VAAL RACEMEETING THURSDAY 25 MAY MIDDLE STAKES (For horses with nett rating of 101 and below) *Turf Straight*Stake: R90,000 **1400m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *≠App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	DUKE OF SUSSEX	5Bg 8-6-21 14-2000m S: 3-1-7 Earn: R766,500 Orange, black stars, orange sleeves, black seams, orange cap, black stars and peak	M N Houdalakis	+13	C Zackey	62	7T16 (5.00)	8T18 (4.50)	4B14 (0.25) 25Apr23
2	MARDI GRAS*	8Grg 9-12-49 10-1500m S: 1-4-10 Earn: R1,176,488 Yellow, green stars, black sleeves, yellow cap	F P Habib	+9	*S Sosibo	62	8T11 (8.75)	5B10 (9.00)	6J12 (0.90) 27Apr23
3	NORTON SOUND	4Bg 4-4-9 10-1600m Earn: R254,375 Orange, yellow sleeves, grey stars, orange cap	G D Smith	+15	J P v'd Merwe	62	<u>1F14</u> (3.25)	1F16 (1.75)	<u>0J14</u> (21.50) 27Apr23
4	WILLOW EXPRESS	5Grg 4-14-35 12-1600m S: 0-3-8 Earn: R662,875 Red, white sash, red sleeves, white chevrons, quartered cap, red peak	S G Tarry	+1	S Khumalo	60	4T16 (2.50)	7T14 (3.75)	4J14 (2.25) 27Apr23
5	IKIGAI*	6Chh 5-6-30 10-1600m S: 1-2-7 Earn: R997,375 Yellow, fuchsia stripe, halved sleeves, yellow cap	S G Tarry	+4	K de Melo	60	0J15 (6.80)	<u>4T11</u> (6.75)	6T11 (3.75) 15Apr23
6	BARD OF AVON%	4Chg 3-8-20 10-1600m S: 1-3-6 Earn: R556,562 Red, navy blue sash, sleeves and cap	A B Fortune	+12	R Danielson	60	3T14 (1.10)	2J14 (1.75)	0T14 (5.35) 01Apr23
7	RIVER QUERARESS*	3Bf 3-3-11 8-1200m S: 3-0-4 Earn: R326,750 Grey, dark blue epaulettes and sleeves, dark blue cap, grey stars	S G Tarry	+7	K Matsunyane	58	<u>0T14</u> (8.25)	7T16 (7.75)	8V10 (6.75) 10Dec22
8	THE KOP	5Bg 6-8-29 14-2400m S: 2-2-4 Earn: R462,100 Green and black checks, checked sleeves, halved cap	S G Tarry	+17	*D B Geerthsen	58	4J20 (4.60)	1J18 (0.50)	8J20 (9.80) 24Oct22
9	BEY SUYAY*	5Bg 5-20-42 14-1950m S: 2-7-16 Earn: R423,700 Navy blue, red and navy blue checked diagonally, red sleeves, navy cap.	B/Y Botes / Vosloo	+14	P Strydom	58	5T16 (3.00)	9B14 (3.25)	4B16 (2.20) 02May23
10	STORMY WINTER*	6Grg 7-5-28 14-1800m S: 1-1-6 Earn: R409,988 Light blue, black cross, light blue collar and sleeves, black seams and cap	D Nieuwenhuizen	+16	G Lerena	56	7T18 (7.25)	1V14 (0.25)	5B14 (5.25) 09May23
11	WHISPERS OF WAR (AUS)	5Chg 4-3-16 14-2000m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R291,500 Blue, orange diagonal spots, orange sleeves and cap	C Spies	+10	M Yeni	56	1B20 (1.60)	7T20 (8.25)	<u>9T18</u> (23.00) 22Feb23
12	CIAN THE CONQUEROR	3Bg 1-3-5 11-1400m S: 1-1-2 Earn: R93,250 Purple, purple and yellow checked sleeves, yellow cap	C Spies	+11	M V'Rensburg	54	7T11 (5.75)	2V14 (0.25)	4J12 (0.60) 27Apr23
13	KAYLA'S CHAMP	6Bm 6-27-72 11-1600m S: 0-3-10 Earn: R625,325 Turquoise, white stars, red collar and sleeves, white stars, turquoise cap	F Bronkhorst	+2	D Schwarz	54	8T11 (4.00)	7T11 (3.85)	7V12 (3.50) 20Apr23
14	KINKY BOOTS	3Bf 1-2-4 12-1400m S: 1-1-3 Earn: R101,750 Aquamarine, dark grey seams, aquamarine sleeves, dark grey armbands, striped cap	M N Houdalakis	+6	*K A Brewer	52	2T14 (1.00)	0T16 (7.00)	<u>4V12</u> (1.30) 20Apr23
15	CALIBRE CREST	4Chg 2-3-6 12-1700m S: 1-1-2 Earn: R147,125 Orange, gold chevron, orange sleeves, gold armbands, orange and gold quartered cap	J A Soma	+5	G Pieterse	52	5J16 (3.00)	3V17 (2.25)	<u>1V14</u> (1.25) 30Mar23
16	ZUZAN*	4Bg 4-4-16 12-2000m S: 1-2-4 Earn: R274,375 Purple and white checks, striped sleeves, white cap	P F Matchett	+8	*P Mxoli	52	1T16 (1.25)	<u>1J18</u> (1.10)	2T20 (3.75) 01Apr23
Reserve Runner(s):									
17	PEWTER SKY*	4Grg 2-8-24 14-1600m S: 1-2-6 Earn: R227,250 White, red crossed sashes, collar and sleeves, white cuffs, quartered cap, white peak	P F Matchett	3	Reserve 1	50	8G18 (6.90)	4G16 (1.10)	2N16 (0.40) 11Jan23

Same Trainer: (1 & 14); (4 & 5 & 7 & 8); (11 & 12); (16 & 17).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-1 DUKE OF SUSSEX, KINKY BOOTS, CALIBRE CREST; 8-1 WILLOW EXPRESS, CIAN THE CONQUEROR; 10-1 BEY SUYAY; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.**DOWN IN CLASS:** DUKE OF SUSSEX, NORTON SOUND, WILLOW EXPRESS, IKIGAI, RIVER QUERARESS, BEY SUYAY, KAYLA'S CHAMP, KINKY BOOTS. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS OFF: THE KOP; KAYLA'S CHAMP.**TIPS:** 14 KINKY BOOTS 1 DUKE OF SUSSEX 15 CALIBRE CREST 16 ZUZAN**PREVIEW:** DUKE OF SUSSEX runs well at this track and could contest the finish. Stable companion KINKY BOOTS shoulders 10kg less and could challenge. CALIBRE CREST is maturing now, hasn't got the best of the draws but could go in again. BEY SUYAY has not won at this track but cannot be ignored for money. WILLOW EXPRESS, BARD OF AVON, CIAN THE CONQUEROR and ZUZAN could pull it off.

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