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TAB VAAL CLASSIC (SA) - 19 NOVEMBER 2026

RACECOURSE: Turf. 2800m oval track. Races up to 1000m straight course; beyond 1000m clockwise round turn with 1000m run-in. **TOP JOCKEYS AT TRACK:** C Zackey 120-22 (18.33%)-42, K de Melo 77-19 (24.68%)-28, C Murray 67-15 (22.39%)-31, P Mxoli 130-13 (10.00%)-42 **TOP TRAINERS AT TRACK:** A P Peter 119-23 (19.33%)-47, S G Tarry 157-21 (13.38%)-57, F P Habib 83-15 (18.07%)-29, F Bronkhorst 149-13 (8.72%)-42 **DRAW:** High-number draws favoured over 1000m; low-number draws best 1200m and 1450m. **APPRENTICES (ALLOWANCES):** J Botes (2.5), B Marx-Jacobson, T Mayhew, G Samo-Burthia (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 2-7), Place Accumulator (RACES 3-9), Pick 6 (RACES 4-9), Jackpot (RACES 5-8; 7-10). 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 (also BIPOT if first-timers finish first and second). 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. **TAB Gold:** mark **GTG** oval. **TV:** ALL RACES RACING 240 (ch 240 DStv); ALL RACES GLOBAL TV (in TABs)

1 11:25 - 4RACING WELCOMES YOU MAIDEN PLATE (F & M) (For Maiden Fillies and Mares) *Turf* *Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R150,000 **1200m**

1	**WILD CAMP**3Bf	M N Houdalakis	1	M K Katjedi	59	**FIRST RUN**			
2	**PLATINUM SHAY***3Bf	P P Labuschagne	2	K Strydom	59	6V14	2V12		8B10
3	**QUINTARELLI**3Bf	M N Houdalakis	3	K de Melo	59				6T11
4	**YA HABIBI**3Bf	P/J Vermeulen	4	C Zackey	59	**FIRST RUN**			
5	**BUFFALO DREAM**3Bf	R Klaasen	5	K Matsunyane	59		7V10		5J12
6	**FIRST FROST**3Bf	A P Peter	6	C Ngcobo	59				6J10
7	**FEEL THE FIRE**3Chf	C/T Dawson	7	T Godden	59	**FIRST RUN**			
8	**SACRED BAMBOO**%3Bf	D Nieuwenhuizen	8	#M Michel	59	**FIRST RUN**			
9	**MUSCADEL**3Bf	B Webber	9	J Penny	59	**FIRST RUN**			
10	**WITHOUT REMORSE**4Bf	R R Magner	10	C Habib	60	4J12	3J14		5J14
11	**DIGIT DASH**4Bf	B Webber	11	K J Lihaba	60	8V12	5J12		0J14
12	**PURE DELIGHT***3Bf	P F Matchett	12	P Mxoli	59	7J16	2V12		5T11
Reserve Runner(s):									
13	**ABU SOQRAT**3Bf	C J Lensley		Reserve 1	59				9B10
14	**ROOIROK BOKKIE**3Bf	F P Habib		Reserve 2	59				0V12
15	**REGAL QUEEN**%<3Bf	F Bronkhorst		Reserve 3	59	5J16	8T14		8J14

Same Trainer: (1 & 3); (9 & 11).

FORECAST BETTING: 4-1 QUINTARELLI; 9-2 WITHOUT REMORSE; 6-1 WILD CAMP, FEEL THE FIRE; 8-1 PLATINUM SHAY, SACRED BAMBOO; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 3 QUINTARELLI 4 YA HABIBI 7 FEEL THE FIRE 10 WITHOUT REMORSE

PREVIEW: QUINTARELLI was fancied on debut but finished a well-beaten 6th over 1160m. She would have benefitted from that experience so should produce a more competitive showing with natural improvement expected. PLATINUM SHAY and WITHOUT REMORSE have the form and experience to be competitive but are vulnerable to less-exposed rivals. Well-bred newcomers WILD CAMP, YA HABIBI, FEEL THE FIRE and SACRED BAMBOO warrant respect, with any betting support on debut worth noting.

2 12:00 - #YOUCANBETONUS! MAIDEN PLATE (For all Maidens) *Turf* *Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R170,000 **1200m**

1	**NICCI BEACH**3Bg	A P Peter	1	*B Marx-Jacobson	59	5V10	2J10		7B10
2	**ECONOMIC HIKE**3Bc	B Webber	2	K J Lihaba	59	**FIRST RUN**			
3	**KATOOMBA**3Grg	M N Houdalakis	3	C Zackey	59				8V12
4	**SENDAI**4Grg	F Bronkhorst	4	C Habib	60	5V14	5V12		2B10
5	**BRIEF ENCOUNTER**3Bg	W C Marwing	5	R Danielson	59		4J12		6J16
6	**CHAMPAGNE BLAZE**4Bf	P F Matchett	6	P Mxoli	57.5	7W18	6F14		0F14
7	**CYRUS THE GREAT**3Bg	M G Azzie	7	*G Samo-Burthia	59				3B10
8	**BALDUR**3Bc	C/T Dawson	8	T Godden	59				2J12
9	**FREDERICO CAGISHAS**§§3Bc	M G Azzie	9	K Matsunyane	59	7V12	3V12		3T11
10	**BRAVE ACT**3Chc	F Bronkhorst	10	C Maujean	59				9T11
11	**CHIC SHACK**<3Bg	P/J Vermeulen	11	#M Michel	59		4B12		7J12
12	**DREAMING OF YOUTH**3Bg	B Webber	12	K Minnie	59	6B16	5J14		8J14
Reserve Runner(s):									
13	**HAWKEYE***3Chg	C J Lensley		Reserve 1	59	6B12	0V14		6B10
14	**ARUMUGAM'S DREAM***3Bc	P F Matchett		Reserve 2	59	8V12	9V10		6J14

Same Trainer: (2 & 12); (4 & 10); (6 & 14); (7 & 9).

FORECAST BETTING: 13-10 BALDUR; 4-1 CYRUS THE GREAT; 7-1 FREDERICO CAGISHAS; 10-1 NICCI BEACH, KATOOMBA, SENDAI; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

HEADGEAR CHANGE: CHEEK PIECES ON: FREDERICO CAGISHAS. BLINKERS OFF: FREDERICO CAGISHAS; CHIC SHACK.

TIPS: 8 BALDUR 9 FREDERICO CAGISHAS 5 BRIEF ENCOUNTER 7 CYRUS THE GREAT

PREVIEW: BALDUR finished a close-up 2nd on debut over this distance and ought to go one better if improving with that experience under the belt. FREDERICO CAGISHAS finished 3rd in consecutive recent starts and should remain competitive if improving with cheekpieces fitted. CYRUS THE GREAT showed pace before tiring into 3rd over 1000m on debut. With that experience and an apprentice allowance, he could improve to make his presence felt. BRIEF ENCOUNTER, CHIC SHACK and KATOOMBA could also have more to offer following their respective absences during which they were gelded. NICCI BEACH has claims too.

3 12:35 - TAB CASINO MR 95 OPEN HANDICAP (3 years old) (3 year olds) *Turf* *Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R136,500 **1800m**

1	**UP AND UP**3Bf	P F Matchett	1	P Mxoli	52	4V12	1J16		7B18
2	**WHAT A WARRIOR**3Bg	T Zackey	2	C Zackey	56	3J16	6J14		4J14
3	**TROJAN HORSE***3Bc	M/M de Kock	3	C Murray	56	1J16	5J16		2J18
4	**DUKE OF LORRAINE**3Bg	M/M de Kock	4	K de Melo	56.5	1B16	1J16		6B16
5	**KOVIL**§3Chc	M Pandaram	5	K Matsunyane	58.5	4J16	3J16		1J18
6	**LONE HORIZON**3Grg	W/W Marwing	6	#M Michel	60	6V16	1J18		2B20
7	**GUS ON THE BUS***3Bg	C I Jonker	7	M K Katjedi	53.5	3V18	2T20		1B18

Same Trainer: (3 & 4).

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 DUKE OF LORRAINE; 33-10 TROJAN HORSE; 4-1 KOVIL; 9-2 LONE HORIZON; 6-1 WHAT A WARRIOR; 7-1 UP AND UP; 10-1 GUS ON THE BUS

HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS ON: TROJAN HORSE.

TIPS: 5 KOVIL 2 WHAT A WARRIOR 4 DUKE OF LORRAINE 3 TROJAN HORSE

PREVIEW: DUKE OF LORRAINE beat TROJAN HORSE and KOVIL over 1600m last month and should remain competitive over this extended trip. However, the latter was an impressive last-start winner over this distance when fitted with cheekpieces and an 8-point penalty is unlikely to halt his momentum with that headgear retained. WHAT A WARRIOR will appreciate the extended trip after two pleasing outings over 1450m following a rest and gelding. LONE HORIZON was a good 2nd at this level under a penalty last time and a further 4-point rise is somewhat offset by his rider's 1.5kg allowance, keeping him competitive.

4 13:10 - BETWAY SUMMER CUP 28 NOVEMBER MAIDEN PLATE (F & M) (For Maiden Fillies and Mares) *Turf Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R150,000 **1500m**

1	**NIXIE GIRL**3Bf	B Webber	1	C Habib	58	2V12	2J12	4J14
2	**HURKLE DURKLE**3Bf	M N Houdalakis	2	C Zackey	58			8T11
3	**STORM AVALANCHE**%3Bf	S G Tarry	3	K de Melo	58	3V12	2T11	7J14
4	**LOTTERY OF LIFE**3Bf	A P Peter	4	*B Marx-Jacobson	58			0T11
5	**MULHOLLAND DRIVE**3Bf	P F Matchett	5	P Mxoli	58	5V12	4V12	4T11
6	**DELICIOUS DISH**3Chf	G J Maroun	6	M K Katjedi	58	5J14	9J14	8B17
7	**MISS DUTTON**3Bf	W/W Marwing	7	T Appie	58	6J14	9V12	3N14
8	**SPRING TIDE***3Bf	C Mayhew	8	J Penny	58	6T11	9V12	0T11
9	**ON MY OWN**3Bf	S T Pettigrew	9	*J Botes	58			0T11
10	**KNOCKIN' BOOTS***3Bf	A G Laird	10	K J Lihaba	58	5V14	4V16	7B17
11	**SEACHTU REALTA***3Chf	F Bronkhorst	11	C Maujean	58	3J10	5B10	6T11
12	**GIRL FOR ME**3Chf	X/C Spies	12	*T Mayhew	58	**FIRST RUN**		
13	**KORCULA***4Bf	F Bronkhorst	13	R Danielson	60	3V20	0V14	2J14
14	**SUN SEEKER**3Bf	F Bronkhorst	14	T Godden	58		0V12	7B10

Same Trainer: (11 & 13 & 14).

FORECAST BETTING: 2-1 NIXIE GIRL; 5-1 STORM AVALANCHE, MULHOLLAND DRIVE; 7-1 KORCULA; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS ON: KNOCKIN' BOOTS.

TIPS: 1 NIXIE GIRL 13 KORCULA 5 MULHOLLAND DRIVE 10 KNOCKIN' BOOTS

PREVIEW: NIXIE GIRL was a close-up 2nd in consecutive starts before staying on for 4th over 1450m last time, so won't have to find much improvement to open her account from gate 1. KORCULA finished ahead of the selection when a fast-finishing 2nd last time and need only confirm that improvement to fight out the finish, though a wide draw is a concern. MULHOLLAND DRIVE and KNOCKIN' BOOTS have shown enough to feature. The former is bred to appreciate the extended trip, while the latter could improve with blinkers fitted for the first time. STORM AVALANCHE and MISS DUTTON appeal most of the remainder.

5 13:45 - RACING TODAY MAIDEN PLATE (For all Maidens) *Turf Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R170,000 **1500m**

1	**SWISS CROSS**3Chg	C I Jonker	1	K J Lihaba	58	6V12	4V10	0J14
2	**BRAVE EAGLE**<3Bg	A G Laird	2	*B Marx-Jacobson	58			3J14
3	**STEEL PIER**3Chg	F P Habib	3	K Matsunyane	58	2V14	2V14	2J14
4	**TABLOID**3Bg	C J Lensley	4	P Mxoli	58			0B10
5	**SPY CATCHER**3Bg	S G Tarry	5	C Zackey	58			0V14
6	**BUTTERFLY BLU**5Bg	W/W Marwing	6	T Appie	60		0J10	5J10
7	**FIELD OF DREAMS***3Bg	A Ndzilana	7	M K Katjedi	58	3J12	5V17	7J14
8	**BUFFALO KING CODY**3Grg	P/J Vermeulen	8	R Danielson	58	4B10	0B10	0T11
9	**GOLDEN SLIPSTREAM**3Bg	F Bronkhorst	9	C Maujean	58	6J14	6J14	5B17
10	**MFULATHELA**3Bg	A Ndzilana	10	K Strydom	58	5J12	4J14	6B10
11	**ECHO OF THE WILD**%3Bg	X/C Spies	11	*T Mayhew	58	7J18	7J14	8J14
12	**THE NAME OF DLADLA**3Bg	A Ndzilana	12	C Ngcobo	58	2T14	3P14	3J14

Same Trainer: (7 & 10 & 12).

FORECAST BETTING: 2-1 STEEL PIER; 5-2 BRAVE EAGLE; 9-2 THE NAME OF DLADLA; 11-2 SPY CATCHER; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS OFF: BUFFALO KING CODY.

TIPS: 2 BRAVE EAGLE 3 STEEL PIER 10 MFULATHELA 12 THE NAME OF DLADLA

PREVIEW: BRAVE EAGLE showed inexperience when dropped out from a wide draw on debut over 1450m but ran on well to an encouraging 3rd. With that experience under his belt, he could improve sufficiently to exit the maidens. STEEL PIER won't be winning out of turn after 3 consecutive second-place finishes. Rested and gelded, he remains open to improvement so could fight out the finish. MFULATHELA and stablemate THE NAME OF DLADLA have the form and experience to feature but are drawn wide. Recently gelded TABLOID, returning SPY CATCHER and ECHO OF THE WILD are others with earning potential.

6 14:20 - TICKETS @ HOWLER FOR THE BETWAY SUMMER CUP CONDITIONS PLATE (For Horses with at least two wins) *Turf Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R210,000 **1450m**

1	**SCARLETT HEART***4Bf	F Bronkhorst	1	J Penny	51	8J14	7J14	0T18
2	**KAMBATI***5Chg	C J Lensley	2	P Mxoli	53.5	1J14	1T14	5T16
3	**YIPPEE KIYAY**4Bg	M/M de Kock	3	#M Michel	50.5	6T14	0T16	5J12
4	**STOP THE TRAFFIC**6Chg	C J Lensley	4	*J Botes	50.5	5J26	6B20	0J18
5	**RADIO STAR**4Chg	M G Azzie	5	K Matsunyane	54	4J14	2J16	1J14
6	**LITTLEMISSMILLION**4Bf	T Zackey	6	C Zackey	54	5T18	1T24	0T18
7	**TIN PAN ALLEY**4Bg	S G Tarry	7	K de Melo	60	2G16	0G16	6J14
8	**FAMOUS LADY**%5Bm	D Nieuwenhuizen	8	*B Marx-Jacobson	52.5	9T11	7J12	0J14
9	**FIRE STORM**4Bg	S G Tarry	9	M K Katjedi	53.5	1T16	2T14	0T16
10	**GREETING MY MASTER**§6Bg	A G Laird	10	C Maujean	55	0J14	9J16	7J14

Same Trainer: (2 & 4); (7 & 9).

FORECAST BETTING: 8-10 TIN PAN ALLEY; 5-2 RADIO STAR; 11-2 FIRE STORM; 10-1 YIPPEE KIYAY; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 7 TIN PAN ALLEY 5 RADIO STAR 3 YIPPEE KIYAY 1 SCARLETT HEART

PREVIEW: TIN PAN ALLEY is the best-weighted runner and only Grade 1 winner in the line-up. He caught the eye when a fast-closing 6th over this distance in a Grade 2 on his seasonal reappearance. Off an unchanged mark and with improved fitness on his side, he should prove too good for these rivals. Last-start winner RADIO STAR remains competitive under a 3-point penalty, while YIPPEE KIYAY receives 6kg from the selection and could improve to get into the picture under a light weight from a good draw. Filly SCARLETT HEART and sparingly raced KAMBATI have stronger place claims than a winning one.

7 15:00 - PLAY SOCCER 6, 10 AND 13 MR 108 HANDICAP (Open) *Turf Straight*

Stake: R215,000 **1000m**

1	**AFRICAN PRIDE**%4Bg	X/C Spies	1	#M Michel	61	0G10	3T10	0T10
2	**RAFA BAY***5Bg	C I Jonker	2	M K Katjedi	53	4V10	0V12	5B12
3	**CHOCOLATE SOLDIER**%5Bg	X/C Spies	3	*T Mayhew	55	9N10	3J10	0T10
4	**ECHO CHECK**4Bg	F P Habib	4	K Matsunyane	59.5	1J10	1V10	1T10
5	**PIVOTAL ROLE**4Bg	J J van Vuuren	5	K de Melo	53	1B10	9T10	1T10
6	**KARATE KID***5Bg	P F Matchett	6	C Zackey	61	3J12	8V10	2T10
7	**CATFISH**3Grg	F P Habib	7	*B Marx-Jacobson	54.5	9G12	1V12	0T10
8	**TROMPE L'OEIL**%3Bg	X/C Spies	8	*J Botes	52	2V12	4V12	0T10
9	**PLUS FOUR***6Bg	C/T Dawson	9	T Godden	54	1T10	3T10	5J12

Same Trainer: (1 & 3 & 8); (4 & 7).

FORECAST BETTING: 2-1 ECHO CHECK; 5-2 PIVOTAL ROLE; 11-2 KARATE KID, CATFISH; 8-1 PLUS FOUR; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 4 ECHO CHECK 6 KARATE KID 1 AFRICAN PRIDE 7 CATFISH

PREVIEW: ECHO CHECK has gone from strength to strength recently, completing a hat-trick over this distance - the latest a Listed race in which he beat re-opposing KARATE KID. The latter is 1.5kg better off and weighted to pose more of a threat. AFRICAN PRIDE and CATFISH were well held in that contest but are capable of better so shouldn't be discounted. TROMPE L'OEIL and PLUS FOUR are also capable speedsters with the means to have a say in the outcome.

8 15:35 - WWW.TAB.CO.ZA FM 87 DIVIDED HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) *Turf Straight*

Stake: R170,000 **1000m**

1	**PREANKA (GB)**5Bm	S T Pettigrew	1	P Mxoli	59	6X12	2X14	7X14
2	**STAGGERWING***3Bf	M/M de Kock	2	C Murray	56	2T11	3V12	2T11
3	**WINGS OF KILDRA**%4Bf	D N Stenger	3	C Maujean	54.5	8T11	3V10	1V10
4	**MRS STORMIATRIX***4Bf	A P Peter	4	C Habib	60	5T10	6V10	6J12
5	**CUSTODIAN**3Bf	R Klaasen	5	*B Marx-Jacobson	55	4T11	0S12	0T14
6	**LOVABLE**4Bf	S G Tarry	6	K de Melo	57.5	1B10	2J10	3B10
7	**VARACHINO'S CHAMP**%4Bf	F P Habib	7	K Matsunyane	55.5	1B10	7B10	2J10
8	**TRADITIONAL BELIEF**4Bf	M G Azzie	8	*G Samo-Burthia	55	3T11	6J12	1T11
9	**SAKURA HANAMI**%4Bf	S G Tarry	9	C Zackey	56.5	2J12	1T11	3V10
10	**THERE SHE GOES**8Bm	W/W Marwing	10	#M Michel	55.5	3B10	2V10	4T11

Same Trainer: (6 & 9).

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 STAGGERWING; 5-1 TRADITIONAL BELIEF, SAKURA HANAMI; 6-1 PREANKA, WINGS OF KILDRA, LOVABLE; 8-1 VARACHINO'S CHAMP, THERE SHE GOES; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS ON: STAGGERWING.

TIPS: 2 STAGGERWING 6 LOVABLE 8 TRADITIONAL BELIEF 9 SAKURA HANAMI

PREVIEW: Consistent STAGGERWING is proving hard to win with but needn't improve much in first-time blinkers to get back to winning ways. She has finished 2nd in three of her last four starts, including her latest over 1160m when conceding 2.5kg to the winner. Off an unchanged mark with headgear fitted over this shorter trip, she could prove too good. Last-start winner TRADITIONAL BELIEF carries a 5-point penalty but is progressive and has the speed to feature prominently. Returning LOVABLE and stablemate SAKURA HANAMI can also trouble the principals while veteran THERE SHE GOES completes the shortlist.

9 16:10 - TAB TELEBET 011 074 0300 FM 75 DIVIDED HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) *Turf Straight*

Stake: R140,000 **1000m**

1	**BEAUTIFUL ROSIE (AUS)**3Bf	M/M de Kock	1	C Murray	57.5	4T10	2V10	1B10
2	**AMADIOO**3Chf	M Pandaram	2	K Matsunyane	59		3T11	1V10
3	**ASHVENDRA**3Bf	S G Tarry	3	C Zackey	57.5	1S10	7G10	7T10
4	**MASTER'S LADY**4Bf	R R Magner	4	*J Botes	58.5	1T10	2V10	1B10
5	**VALIEVA**%<5Bm	F Bronkhorst	5	T Godden	57	4V10	7V12	4V10
6	**ASTROPHILE**3Grf	A P Peter	6	*B Marx-Jacobson	55.5	4J10	4V10	1J10
7	**JAZZ PIANIST**<4Bf	R R Sage	7	C Habib	60	9J10	5J10	2V10
8	**MALIBU BLITZ**%<4Bf	D N Stenger	8	C Maujean	56	0K12	0D12	8D12
9	**ORIENTAL BOUQUET***6Chm	G J Maroun	9	#M Michel	52	5V10	4B10	4T11
10	**DUCHESS ZAHRA***4Bf	A P Peter	10	K J Lihaba	56	8B10	5J10	7B10
11	**STAR BLAZE**4Bf	S T Pettigrew	11	P Mxoli	60	2B10	1B10	7J12

Same Trainer: (6 & 10).

FORECAST BETTING: 7-2 BEAUTIFUL ROSIE, MASTER'S LADY; 9-2 ASTROPHILE; 11-2 JAZZ PIANIST; 8-1 ORIENTAL BOUQUET; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 1 BEAUTIFUL ROSIE 4 MASTER'S LADY 3 ASHVENDRA 5 VALIEVA

PREVIEW: Last-start winner BEAUTIFUL ROSIE opened her account over this course and distance and, with improvement to come, could prove better than her opening mark to make a winning handicap debut. Fellow last-start winner AMADIOO confirmed her debut promise with victory over this trip and is also open to improvement after an 11-week break. MASTER'S LADY has followed up her maiden win with two credible efforts, including a course-and-distance success against male opposition. She remains competitive, despite a 3-point penalty. ASTROPHILE, STAR BLAZE and returning JAZZ PIANIST are others to consider.

10 16:45 - NEXT TAB VAAL RACEMEETING THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER MR 74 HANDICAP (Open) *Turf* *Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R120,000 **1600m**

1	**TOMMY ATKINS***4Bg	A G Laird	**1**	C Habib	**59.5**	0S12	0V12	0B16
2	**TERRENCE**4Bg	A G Laird	**2**	K J Lihaba	**59**	4T18	0T20	8V17
3	**GIMMETHESPOTLIGHT**4Bg	D N Stenger	**3**	*T Mayhew	**59.5**	9T16	8J14	5B16
4	**PROPER**4Bg	J A Soma	**4**	K de Melo	**59.5**	1J16	2V14	3J18
5	**GUNBOAT**$4Bg	W/W Marwing	**5**	#M Michel	**59**	0J18	5V14	1B16
6	**COOL GAMBLER**4Bg	M/M de Kock	**6**	C Murray	**60.5**	5T11	1V12	3V12
7	**ONE OF THOSE DAYS**4Bg	S G Tarry	**7**	C Zackey	**62**	1T14	8T14	7J12
8	**LONGSWORD**%6Bg	S G Tarry	**8**	M K Katjedi	**58.5**	9V14	6J14	3V14
9	**EIFFEL TOWER***6Bg	S J Gray	**9**	P Mxoli	**57.5**	2V16	2J18	3B16
10	**COMMANDER OF ALL**%<6Bg	B Webber	**10**	K Minnie	**52.5**	5J18	3B16	7B14

Same Trainer: (1 & 2); (7 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-2 PROPER, COOL GAMBLER; 6-1 GUNBOAT, EIFFEL TOWER; 8-1 ONE OF THOSE DAYS, COMMANDER OF ALL; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 3 GIMMETHESPOTLIGHT 9 EIFFEL TOWER 4 PROPER 6 COOL GAMBLER

PREVIEW: EIFFEL TOWER continued his good form, and that of his stable, when a game 3rd over course and distance in a similar contest last time. He should remain competitive off the same mark with similar frontrunning tactics. However, value could lie with GIMMETHESPOTLIGHT whose 5th behind that rival last time was encouraging. He has dropped in the ratings and is ideally drawn in his peak outing. PROPER ran well in defeat in both post-maiden outings and reverts to the trip of his maiden win which will suit. COOL GAMBLER, if taking his place, COMMANDER OF ALL, GUNBOAT and ONE OF THOSE DAYS can also earn.

HOW TO READ FIELDS: Runner info shown as follows: Number; Horse; Age; colour; sex; Career record: wins-places-runs; Trainer; Draw (position in starting gate); Jockey; Weight to be carried included rider & equipment; Last 3 runs with most recent on right. After horse name: *=Blinkers; $ =Cheek Pieces; !=Pacifiers; ‡=Visor; ^=Hood; ?=Compression Hood;%=Blinkers/ Compression Hood; >= Cheekpieces/Compression Hood; &=Pacifiers/Compression Hood; $=Cheekpieces/Pacifiers; ±=Earmuffs; /=Eye Shield; Before the jockey name: *=apprentice. Last three runs are shown in order of finishing position; racecourse; distance; lengths beaten. Thus 3V12 is third at Vaal over 1200m. If underscored 1T12 the race followed a rest of 60 days or more.**RACECOURSE ABBREVIATIONS:** D-Durbanville; E-Fairview Polytrack; F-Fairview Turf; G-Greyville; N-Greyville Polytrack; W-Kenilworth (Winter); K-Kenilworth (Summer); Y-Kimberley; M-Mauritius; R-Randjesfontein; S-Scottsville; P-Scottsville Inside; T-Turffontein Standside; J-Turffontein Inside; B-Vaal Classic; V-Vaal Turf; Z-Zimbabwe; X-Overseas.

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