

*** TAB TOP 7 MEETING!

BPot (Races 1-6); PA (Races 2-8); P6 (Races 3-8); JPot 1 (Races 4-7); JPot 2 (Races 5-8)



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VAAL CLASSIC (SA) - 20 JUNE 2024

RACECOURSE: Turf. 2800m oval track. Races up to 1000m straight course; beyond 1000m clockwise round turn with 1000m run-in. **TOP JOCKEYS AT TRACK:** G Lerena 132-32 (24.24%)-45, K Matsunyane 105-18 (17.14%)-32, M Yeni 143-17 (11.89%)-67, P Mxoli 117-15 (12.82%)-51 **TOP TRAINERS AT TRACK:** P F Matchett 121-16 (13.22%)-48, A P Peter 86-15 (17.44%)-36, J J van Vuuren 75-15 (20.00%)-32, F P Habib 66-15 (22.73%)-19 **DRAW:** High-number draws favoured over 1000m; low-number draws best 1200m and 1450m. **APPRENTICES (ALLOWANCES):** J Botes (4.0), M K Katjedi, T Mayhew (4.0), N Nastili (4.0), B Plaatjies (4.0).

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RACE 1: 12:30 - 4RACING WELCOMES YOU MAIDEN PLATE (F & M) (For Maiden F & M. R15 000 Win bonus ROA Members) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R90,000 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	PASS THE BATON	3Bf 0-4-9 12-1450m Earn: R40,625 White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	*10	K Matsunyane	60	8B14 (13.00)	5B12 (2.90)	4B12 (8.50) 07Sep23
2	KALIKAA*	3Bf 0-0-3 0m Earn: R2,250 Purple, yellow spot, blue sleeves and cap	A G Laird	*12	K A Brewer	60	0K10 (8.30)	7K12 (5.80)	5T11 (3.00) 09Jun24
3	TOGETHER AGAIN*	4Bf 0-9-30 10-1200m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R78,500 Lime green and royal blue qtd diagonally, green collar, blue slvs, green chevrons, blue cap, green	F Bronkhorst	*5	C Maujean	60	5B12 (6.00)	3V10 (3.75)	4V10 (3.75) 04Jun24
4	PERINI PALACE*	3Bf 0-1-14 1000m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R5,750 Silver, black epaulettes, striped sleeves and cap	J A Visser	*13	Wes Marwing	60	8J14 (8.50)	9V10 (6.50)	4V10 (7.25) 04Jun24
5	CARTAGENA*	3Bf 0-0-3 0m Earn: Nil Turquoise, purple stars, turquoise sleeves, purple armbands, turquoise cap, purple stars	H E Adamson	*11	R Danielson	60	8V12 (8.25)	6V12 (9.50)	8V10 (9.25) 04Jun24
6	ROYAL HORIZON	3Chf 0-0-4 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil Red and white checked diamonds, black sleeves, checked diamond cap, black peak	H van der Westhuizen	*2	J R Syster	60	0V12 (13.00)	0B12 (13.75)	6J14 (16.25) 23May24
7	BERRIES OF THE STRAW	3Bf 0-0-3 0m Earn: Nil Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*7	J Penny	60	8B14 (25.00)	8J16 (21.75)	0T14 (16.75) 30May24
8	BABY GIVE IT UP	3Bf 0-0-2 0m Earn: Nil Baby pink, black chevrons, black sleeves, baby pink stars, black cap, baby pink stars	J A Visser	*9	*B Plaatjies	60		0B12 (32.00)	0V12 (29.50) 07Mar24
9	CRIMSON CLOUD	3Bf 0-1-2 1160m Earn: R4,500 Turquoise, yellow halved diagonally, halved sleeves, yellow cap	A P Peter	*3	C Habib	60		0T11 (16.00)	4T11 (0.50) 09Jun24
10	MAGIC BANK	3Bf 0-0-2 0m Earn: Nil Sky blue, navy maltese cross and cap	B H Stidolph	*8	N Klink	60		9J10 (35.40)	9V10 (22.00) 04Jun24
11	KIA KAHA	2Chf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Blue, white square, blue sleeves and cap	M/A Azzie	1	M Yeni	57	FIRST RUN		
12	SHE'S A BOMBER	2Bf 0-0-0 0m Earn: Nil Orange, dark blue 'v' bib, halved sleeves, orange cap, blue peak.	J J van Vuuren	6	G Lerena	57	FIRST RUN		
Reserve Runner(s):									
13	SHE'S A MIRACLE	2Bf 0-0-3 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil Black, cerise pink zig zags, collar, cuffs and cap	P F Matchett	*4	Reserve 1	57	7T08 (11.50)	0B10 (18.75)	7J14 (20.25) 22Feb24

Same Trainer: (4 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: NO FORECAST AVAILABLE

TIPS: 9 CRIMSON CLOUD 2 KALIKAA 12 SHE'S A BOMBER 3 TOGETHER AGAIN

PREVIEW: CRIMSON CLOUD was returning from a layoff when finishing a close-up 4th over 1160m and will, with improved fitness on her side, be hard to peg back if building on that progress. KALIKAA has a bit to find on that form but would've come on appreciably with the benefit of that encouraging Highveld introduction. TOGETHER AGAIN and PERINI PALACE have the form and experience to keep those rivals honest. However, a bigger threat is likely to come from well-bred newcomers KIA KAHA and SHE'S A BOMBER, both of whom are respected on debut before any betting/market clues.

RACE 2: 13:00 - TAB TELEBET 0861 000 822 MAIDEN PLATE (For all Maidens. R15 000 Win bonus ROA Members) **Turf Right-Hand Turn** Stake: R90,000 **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	THE OCTAGON	3Bg 0-2-3 11-1400m Earn: R25,500 Black and white checks, metallic purple sleeves, black and white checked cap, metallic purple peak	A G Laird	*4	D De Gouveia	60	2T11 (4.25)	3T14 (6.00)	0T14 (16.25) 04Jan24
2	KING OF NUMBERS	3Bg 0-0-4 0m Earn: R2,612 Lime green, black diamond, lime green sleeves and cap, black diamond	B Webber	*3	J R Syster	60	6K14 (2.10)	5K14 (4.05)	0K16 (10.10) 06Apr24
3	BREGARDT*	3Chg 0-5-17 10-1200m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R59,250 Turquoise, white stars, red collar and sleeves, white stars, turquoise cap	F Bronkhorst	2	M Yeni	60	4T11 (7.50)	2N10 (2.80)	5N12 (3.75) 27May24
4	OKLAHOMA TWISTER%	3Chg 0-5-11 12-1500m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R41,000 Bright blue, white braces, collar and cuffs, bright blue sleeves, white stars, bright blue c	H van der Westhuizen	*9	Wes Marwing	60	4J15 (4.50)	5B15 (6.00)	5B16 (4.10) 28May24
5	HIGHVELD STORM%	3Bg 0-0-3 0m Earn: R2,000 Dark blue, shocking pink stars, black sleeves, black cap, shocking pink stars	F P Habib	*8	*T Mayhew	60	8V12 (11.25)	8T11 (10.00)	5J14 (7.20) 08Feb24
6	SILVER SEVEN*	3Bg 0-0-7 0m S: 0-0-2 Earn: Nil White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	*10	N Klink	60	8V10 (16.00)	0B10 (9.75)	0V10 (14.00) 04Jun24
7	SOLAMENTE	3Bg 0-0-1 0m Earn: R1,875 Turquoise, blue fleur de lis and armbands,turquoise sleeves, turquoise cap, blue star	H E Adamson	*12	R Danielson	60			5V10 (12.00) 16May24
8	IT'S UP TO ME*	3Bf 0-0-7 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R1,875 Red and blue quartered, blue sleeves, red cuffs, red and blue quartered cap	J A Visser	*1	*J Botes	57.5	9J14 (17.50)	6V10 (12.25)	5V10 (7.50) 04Jun24
9	DESTINY FULFILLED%	2Bg 0-0-1 0m Earn: Nil Red, blue maltese cross, white sleeves and cap	F P Habib	*5	D Schwarz	57			0V12 (18.75) 04Jun24
10	PRINCE OF MIRACLES	2Bg 0-0-5 0m Earn: Nil Lime greenandroyal blue qtd diagonally,green collar,blue slvs,green chevrons,blue cap,green	F Bronkhorst	*11	C Maujean	57	6B10 (7.55)	8J12 (14.40)	7V10 (6.75) 04Jun24
11	SKITTLES SKIES	2Bg 0-1-1 1200m Earn: R18,000 Purple and gold qtd diagonally, gold sleeves,purple chevrons,checked diamond cap,purple peak	P P Labuschagne	*13	K A Brewer	57			2V12 (5.25) 04Jun24
12	STALWART*	2Bg 0-1-5 1000m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R9,250 Black,cerise pink zig zags,-collar,cuffs and cap	P F Matchett	*7	J Penny	57	5B10 (8.75)	6J14 (8.75)	0V12 (24.00) 04Jun24
Reserve Runner(s):									
13	QUEEN'S EXPRESS*	3Bf 0-0-3 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil Blue,yellow maltese cross, yellow and red striped sleeves, yellow cuffs, y and red hooped cap	J A Visser	*6	Reserve 1	57.5	0F12 (23.20)	0S12 (20.70)	0V10 (23.50) 04Jun24

Same Trainer: (3 & 10); (5 & 9); (8 & 13).

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 SKITTLES SKIES; 4-1 THE OCTAGON; 6-1 KING OF NUMBERS; 7-1 HIGHVELD STORM; 8-1 STALWART; 10-1 OKLAHOMA TWISTER; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS ON: STALWART. BLINKERS OFF: HIGHVELD STORM.

TIPS: 11 SKITTLES SKIES 1 THE OCTAGON 4 OKLAHOMA TWISTER 2 KING OF NUMBERS

PREVIEW: Youngster SKITTLES SKIES outran his long odds when finishing 2nd on debut on the straight course. He would've come on appreciably with the benefit of that experience and needn't improve much to go one better in this modest lineup, even from the widest No 13 stall. THE OCTAGON hasn't been seen since January when blotting his copybook after 2 promising previous outings. He returns as a gelding and is open to improvement, so could pose a threat to his 2yo rival from an inside gate. OKLAHOMA TWISTER, BREGARDT, STALWART and recently relocated KING OF NUMBERS, have all shown enough to earn a cheque.

RACE 3: 13:35 - TAKE A BET WINA NUMBA NUMBA MR 84 HANDICAP (Open) **Turf Right-Hand Turn** Stake: R92,500 **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	SUPER AWESOME	3Bg 2-5-14 10-1200m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R149,625 Black, white fleur de lys, orange collar and sleeves, white and black striped cap	R R Magner	*1	P Strydom	61	6J10 (7.40)	0J12 (6.00)	2T10 (1.25) 30May24
2	RAINBOW REWARD<	4Bg 2-6-10 1000m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R212,875 White, black fleur de lys, red sleeves, black collar and cuffs, black and white striped cap	J J van Vuuren	*5	G Lerena	61	5T10 (6.00)	2J10 (1.00)	3T10 (5.25) 30May24
3	CIAN THE CONQUEROR%	4Bg 2-5-15 11-1600m S: 1-1-3 Earn: R181,125 Purple, purple and yellow checked sleeves, yellow cap	C Spies	*13	C Maujean	59.5	5J14 (5.85)	8T11 (7.50)	7J14 (5.40) 25Apr24
4	FOSTINOVO*	4Bg 2-8-18 11-1600m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R218,000 White, black fleur de lys, red sleeves, black collar and cuffs, black and white striped cap	J J van Vuuren	*2	S Khumalo	59	3T16 (5.25)	5B16 (2.95)	6J18 (6.25) 02May24
5	BOB'S YOUR UNCLE*	4Bg 2-8-18 14-1800m S: 1-1-4 Earn: R211,375 Blue, yellow 'v' bib, blue and yellow spotted sleeves and cap	M N Houdalakis	*3	R Danielson	58.5	4B14 (2.75)	2J14 (0.80)	4T16 (2.50) 30May24
6	PROPHET	4Bg 3-6-24 10-1600m S: 2-0-4 Earn: R365,250 Yellow, red diamond, striped sleeves, hooped cap	C Spies	*8	M Yeni	58.5	6J10 (4.50)	7V12 (7.00)	4T11 (3.00) 09Jun24
7	VELDSKOEN (AUS)	5Bg 2-6-14 11-1250m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R239,075 Dark green, blue sleeves, white cap	B Crawford	*12	K Matsunyane	58.5	0K14 (4.95)	9T10 (5.50)	2T11 (1.50) 09Jun24
8	ALABAMA ANNA	5Bm 4-12-32 10-1450m S: 1-3-8 Earn: R387,312 Black and white hoops, dayglo pink sleeves and cap	M N Houdalakis	*6	C Zackey	57.5	3B14 (1.50)	5J14 (4.90)	5J12 (4.70) 23May24
9	PHALA MILLIONS	3Bc 1-4-14 10-1200m S: 1-1-2 Earn: R109,000 Light blue, white star, hooped sleeves, white cap	B Webber	*9	*N Nastili	56	1V12 (4.75)	0J12 (17.50)	2V12 (1.00) 04Jun24
10	VEGAS HI RISE%	5Bg 4-5-26 10-1200m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R311,500 Dark blue, shocking pink stars, black sleeves, black cap, shocking pink stars	F P Habib	*11	*T Mayhew	56	5T11 (4.60)	0T11 (10.00)	0V12 (50.00) 07Mar24
11	KEY NEWS	2Grc 0-1-1 1200m Earn: R56,250 Dark blue, orange spot, dark blue sleeves, orange spots, dark blue cap, orange spots	A P Peter	*7	C Habib	55.5			1J12 (0.90) 23May24
12	SAIL THE SKY	3Bg 1-1-7 12-1250m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R74,812 White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	*10	D Schwarz	55.5	9F16 (23.60)	0E14 (35.70)	0V12 (12.25) 04Jun24
Reserve Runner(s):									
13	PRINCE OF DENMARK	3Bg 1-3-14 12-2400m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R64,625 Black,cerise pink zig zags,-collar,cuffs and cap	P F Matchett	4	Reserve 1	52	4F12 (3.75)	8F14 (6.60)	8E13 (7.65) 29Mar24

Same Trainer: (2 & 4); (3 & 6); (5 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 33-10 KEY NEWS; 9-2 RAINBOW REWARD; 5-1 SUPER AWESOME; 6-1 VELDSKOEN; 7-1 ALABAMA ANNA; 8-1 BOB'S YOUR UNCLE; 10-1 FOSTINOVO; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: SUPER AWESOME, RAINBOW REWARD, FOSTINOVO, PROPHET, VELDSKOEN. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS ON: FOSTINOVO. BLINKERS OFF: RAINBOW REWARD.

TIPS: 11 KEY NEWS 8 ALABAMA ANNA 2 RAINBOW REWARD 1 SUPER AWESOME

PREVIEW: Tricky. SUPER AWESOME bounced back to form last time and finished 4 lengths ahead of RAINBOW REWARD. The latter is 2.5kg better off and open to improvement in his attempt over this extended trip with the blinkers removed. Stablemate FOSTINOVO has maintained his form and consistency over distances up to 1800m. However, he is ideally suited to this trip and must be kept onside, especially from an inside gate with headgear refitted. ALABAMA ANNA is another effective over this trip, so isn't underestimated off a reduced mark. Debut winner KEY NEWS is open to any amount of improvement. Good race!

RACE 4: 14:10 - PLAY SOCCER 6, 10 AND 13 FM 94 DIVIDED HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) *Turf Straight* Stake: R100,000 **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	EXCHANGE STUDENT	3Bf 3-1-9 8-1000m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R202,375 Black, gold star, hooped sleeves and cap	C Dawson	*8	R Danielson	62	8J10 (11.50)	6T11 (4.70)	1J10 (0.30) 23May24
2	FLOWERBOMB	4Bf 4-9-21 10-1200m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R417,250 Purple, purple and yellow checked sleeves, yellow cap	C Spies	*4	*T Mayhew	62	3T10 (2.75)	0T11 (10.00)	9T11 (14.25) 04May24
3	GLOBAL THUNDER	3Bf 2-6-14 10-1200m S: 1-1-4 Earn: R176,750 Orange, purple tulips, sleeves and collar, orange cap, purple peak	C J Lensley	*1	*B Plaatjies	57.5	7T10 (6.05)	7J10 (7.50)	7V12 (13.25) 09May24
4	VIRGINIA BEACH	3Bf 1-3-8 8-1000m Earn: R127,000 Blue, shocking pink band of diamonds and sleeves, checked diamond cap	A P Peter	*5	C Habib	55.5	2B10 (4.25)	8T10 (7.70)	6J10 (2.25) 23May24
5	WOMAN OF POWER	3Bf 2-7-11 10-1200m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R221,750 Yellow, black sash, sleeves and cap	M F De Kock	*2	M Yeni	55.5	4T10 (2.50)	4J10 (1.90)	6J14 (5.90) 12May24
6	LAW OF SUCCESS	4Bf 4-15-24 10-1200m S: 0-3-3 Earn: R412,312 Black, white epaulettes, red sleeves, white cap	P F Matchett	*6	P Mxoli	55.5	2J10 (1.70)	2T11 (3.25)	4J10 (1.95) 23May24
7	GREEN FLASH	3Bf 2-1-7 10-1160m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R159,938 White, black fleur de lys, red sleeves, black collar and cuffs, black and white striped cap	B Warren	*13	C Zackey	54	5T11 (4.25)	3J10 (0.40)	7T11 (5.00) 09Jun24
8	MIST IN SCOTLAND	3Chf 2-4-13 10-1100m S: 0-2-3 Earn: R180,750 Lime green and purple checks, lime green sleeves and cap	P F Matchett	9	*M K Katjedi	54	5B10 (9.25)	7T10 (11.00)	7N10 (12.05) 22May24
9	QUICK TRIP	3Bf 2-7-13 10-1400m S: 0-2-3 Earn: R279,425 Dark green, blue sleeves, white cap	B Crawford	*7	K Matsunyane	54	2B12 (1.00)	1T10 (0.30)	8V10 (9.00) 04Jun24
10	RIDE ON	4Bf 1-4-11 10-1400m Earn: R120,000 Yellow, black chevrons, yellow sleeves, red armbands and cap	A P Peter	*12	*N Nastili	53	7G12 (5.10)	2J10 (0.80)	2J12 (3.40) 06Jun24
11	SO SEDUCTIVE	3Bf 1-4-6 10-1160m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R162,375 White, black fleur de lys, red sleeves, black collar and cuffs, black and white striped cap	J J van Vuuren	*11	N Klink	52	2T11 (0.25)	3T11 (1.00)	1T11 (0.50) 06Apr24
12	WHITE HILLS	3Bf 1-6-13 1000m Earn: R147,375 Black, scarlet cap	R R Magner	*3	K A Brewer	52	3T10 (2.25)	6T10 (6.00)	0V10 (7.00) 17Apr24
13	METEORIC*	5Bm 6-9-42 10-1200m S: 1-3-8 Earn: R438,500 White,b purple,b pink, b orange, light blue,signal red,lime green and royal blue spots	R Klaasen	*10	J R Syster	52	0B12 (9.75)	6V10 (3.75)	9J10 (9.50) 23May24

Same Trainer: (4 & 10); (6 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-1 WOMAN OF POWER; 6-1 EXCHANGE STUDENT, GREEN FLASH; 7-1 VIRGINIA BEACH, LAW OF SUCCESS; 8-1 QUICK TRIP, RIDE ON, SO SEDUCTIVE; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: FLOWERBOMB.

TIPS: 5 WOMAN OF POWER 7 GREEN FLASH 1 EXCHANGE STUDENT 6 LAW OF SUCCESS

PREVIEW: Good race. EXCHANGE STUDENT bounced back to her best to win a similar contest on Turffontein's Inside track last time and a resultant 4-point penalty isn't likely to halt her momentum. GREEN FLASH, however, is weighted to reverse that form on these revised terms and she will appreciate reverting to this shorter trip after a disappointing last start over 1160m. WOMAN OF POWER should also enjoy the return to 1000m and could represent the value in the race. LAW OF SUCCESS and VIRGINIA BEACH are capable sprinters with solid credentials - they should pose more of a threat on these terms. Tricky!

RACE 5: 14:45 - RACING TODAY FM 77 DIVIDED HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) *Turf Straight* Stake: R80,000 **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	JASIRI	3Bf 1-1-7 1000m Earn: R64,250 Red, gold chevron, halved sleeves, quartered cap	J J van Vuuren	*15	G Lerena	60	5T10 (1.80)	5T11 (4.00)	8J10 (5.50) 23May24
2	MIDNIGHT FUSION	3Bf 1-4-9 8-1000m S: 1-0-3 Earn: R84,812 Purple, cerise sleeves and cap	S G Tarry	*5	P Strydom	59.5	4B10 (1.50)	9V12 (10.75)	5J10 (2.70) 23May24
3	INVENTRIX	4Bf 3-8-20 10-1200m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R272,875 Lime greenandroyal blue qtd diagonally,green collar,blue slvs,green chevrons,blue cap,green	F Bronkhorst	*4	R Danielson	59.5	0T11 (16.00)	9T10 (4.25)	6B10 (8.00) 04Apr24
4	DHOW SOLO*	3Bf 1-3-8 10-1160m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R94,125 Yellow, black chevrons, yellow sleeves, red armbands and cap	A P Peter	*11	C Habib	59	1T11 (4.25)	0V12 (7.00)	7T11 (13.00) 04May24
5	GOLDEN ASPEN	5Bm 8-27-61 11-1500m S: 2-7-13 Earn: R659,125 Purple, purple and yellow checked sleeves, yellow cap	C Spies	*1	*J Botes	59	4N14 (2.70)	1B12 (1.25)	1B14 (1.00) 28May24
6	HEIRLOOM	3Bf 2-6-16 8-1200m S: 0-3-3 Earn: R213,375 Light blue, blue spots and collar, light blue and blue halved sleeves, light blue cap	R Klaasen	*16	P Mxoli	58.5	3J10 (2.20)	9V10 (5.00)	7J10 (5.20) 23May24
7	WAITFORGREENLIGHT%	3Bf 1-7-15 1000m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R168,625 Black, shocking pink stars, shocking pink cap, black stars	F P Habib	*17	*T Mayhew	58.5	2J10 (0.90)	1T10 (2.25)	3J10 (1.80) 23May24
8	WESTERN WISHES*	4Bf 2-3-8 10-1200m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R126,875 Dark blue, yellow hoop, yellow and dark blue hooped sleeves, yellow and black striped cap, b	L Karriem	*3	S Khumalo	58.5	4J10 (2.25)	4S12 (2.75)	7G12 (3.40) 25May24
9	GLAWARI	3Bf 1-5-12 10-1160m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R128,500 Blue, white chevron, white and pink hooped sleeves, pink collar and cuffs, white cap, pink dia	P F Matchett	*12	*N Nastili	58	8J14 (28.75)	0J14 (11.60)	1T11 (1.25) 18May24
10	BOSSY BOOTS*	3Bf 1-2-12 1000m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R91,125 Black, shocking pink stars, shocking pink cap, black stars	F P Habib	*13	D Schwarz	57.5	3J10 (2.60)	1J10 (0.25)	6J10 (6.25) 22Feb24
11	NEERAH	3Bf 1-3-7 10-1200m Earn: R71,000 Orange, blue hoop, orange sleeves, quartered cap	S G Tarry	*14	C Zackey	57	5V10 (2.75)	7T14 (8.25)	0J12 (10.30) 06Jun24
12	GOLD AGENT*	3Bf 1-9-13 10-1200m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R179,250 Black,cerise pink zig zags,collar,cuffs and cap	P F Matchett	*8	M Yeni	55.5	2J12 (0.10)	3V10 (4.50)	1V10 (1.75) 04Jun24
13	THE NAVY LARK*	3Bf 1-7-17 10-1200m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R85,875 Blue, green crossed sashes, blue sleeves and cap	J A Visser	*9	*B Plaatjies	55.5	1V10 (2.25)	4B12 (1.50)	4J10 (2.70) 13Jun24
14	PINATUBO	2Bf 1-0-3 1000m Earn: R62,500 Red and white checked diamonds, black sleeves, checked diamond cap, black peak	R Klaasen	*2	*M K Katjedi	54	1J10 (0.60)	0V10 (7.25)	7T11 (12.50) 27Apr24

Reserve Runner(s):

15	SAMOA*	9Bm 7-47-90 10-1200m S: 2-9-17 Earn: R727,650 Sky blue, navy maltese cross and cap	B H Stidolph	*7	Reserve 1	52.5	4B10 (2.00)	3V10 (1.65)	4V12 (1.90) 04Jun24
16	RISKY BUSINESS	5Bm 1-8-24 10-1450m S: 0-3-5 Earn: R162,000 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*10	Reserve 2	52	5B15 (3.75)	5J12 (2.80)	4J10 (2.50) 22Feb24
17	SMELTING*	6Bm 1-24-66 10-1450m S: 0-3-8 Earn: R280,500 Sky blue, navy maltese cross and cap	B H Stidolph	*6	Reserve 3	52	6B12 (6.75)	9J10 (5.60)	7J12 (5.05) 13Jun24

Same Trainer: (2 & 11); (6 & 14); (7 & 10); (9 & 12); (15 & 17).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-1 GOLDEN ASPEN; 6-1 WAITFORGREENLIGHT; 7-1 MIDNIGHT FUSION, WESTERN WISHES; 8-1 JASIRI, THE NAVY LARK; 10-1 GOLD AGENT, PINATUBO; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS ON: DHOW SOLO.

TIPS: 7 WAITFORGREENLIGHT 13 THE NAVY LARK 5 GOLDEN ASPEN 8 WESTERN WISHES

PREVIEW: Wide-open sprint handicap. GOLDEN ASPEN has won back-to-back starts over further and her rider's 4kg allowance negates the 6-point penalty for her recent 1450m success. WAITFORGREENLIGHT fared better than re-opposing rivals MIDNIGHT FUSION, HEIRLOOM (engaged at an earlier meeting), JASIRI and SMELTING (reserve) in a similar contest on her handicap debut last month. She, too, benefits from the 4kg allowance of her rider so could be worth siding with. WESTERN WISHES has acquitted herself well in KZN handicaps over this distance and shouldn't be underestimated off a reduced mark. Others are also capable!

VAAL CLASSIC - RACE 6 - 20 JUN 2024 - TAB TOP 7 MEETING
RACE 6: 15:20 - BOOK FOR JULY DAY IN JOZI 0116811796 MR 96 HANDICAP (Open) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R110,000 1800m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	WHAFFEEF	5Bg 5-11-30 12-1800m S: 1-4-6 Earn: R610,500 White, red braces, black broad stripe, white and black checked diamond sleeves, quartered c	S T Pettigrew	*4	*B Plaatjies	61	6T18 (1.75)	7T18 (4.25)	5T16 (3.40) 13Apr24
2	MEDLERS TART	4Bf 4-7-19 16-2800m S: 1-0-3 Earn: R335,212 Dark blue, orange spot, dark blue sleeves, orange spots, dark blue cap, orange spots	A P Peter	*3	C Habib	60.5	3F20 (1.75)	1F27 (2.50)	2F28 (1.25) 05Apr24
3	DUKE OF SUSSEX	6Bg 9-7-29 14-2000m S: 3-1-7 Earn: R847,250 Orange, black stars, orange sleeves, black seams, orange cap, black stars and peak	M N Houdalakis	*10	C Zackey	60	0V15 (4.00)	9B18 (6.70)	0V14 (11.50) 04Jun24
4	TWIN TURBO	6Bg 10-20-52 16-2600m S: 1-5-9 Earn: R802,438 White, black sash, pink diamond, blue heart, red cap	F P Habib	*11	D Schwarz	59	9T18 (7.10)	0B18 (9.55)	8J16 (8.55) 12May24
5	ANOTHER LEVEL	5Bg 4-6-20 14-1700m S: 2-0-3 Earn: R343,000 Black, gold star, hooped sleeves and cap	C Dawson	*6	C Maujean	58.5	0T16 (11.50)	5J14 (3.25)	4V14 (1.75) 04Jun24
6	THE BRIEF*	5Bg 5-8-20 12-2000m S: 0-3-3 Earn: R323,812 White, blue crossed sashes and collar, white sleeves, red stars, red cap, white hoop	R R Sage	*12	S Khumalo	57.5	4T20 (2.35)	2J18 (0.90)	1T20 (3.25) 30May24
7	TOP SAIL	4Bg 2-9-23 12-2400m S: 1-3-6 Earn: R267,550 Dark green,maroon y with white binding,white, d greenandmaroon hooped slvs,d greenandwhite str	P F Matchett	*7	*M K Katjedi	57	9T14 (10.15)	9T24 (8.00)	0T28 (37.50) 06Apr24
8	GEORGE HANDEL	3Bg 2-7-15 12-2000m S: 0-1-4 Earn: R259,250 Turquoise, white stars, red collar and sleeves, white stars, turquoise cap	F Bronkhorst	*1	M Yeni	56.5	2T20 (4.25)	0T24 (36.25)	8T20 (12.00) 30May24
9	BATTEGROUND	4Bg 3-10-19 16-3200m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R325,000 Blue, white square, blue sleeves and cap	M N Houdalakis	*5	K A Brewer	56	6T24 (8.00)	7T20 (5.25)	3T32 (2.00) 27Apr24
10	IMPERIAL MASTER*	6Bg 5-19-35 14-2600m S: 0-3-6 Earn: R534,000 White, red hoop, striped sleeves, quartered cap	S T Pettigrew	*2	P Mxoli	56	1V18 (0.90)	3J14 (2.50)	9V20 (10.70) 09May24
11	MILLAHUE%	5Bg 4-13-26 11-2000m S: 0-5-6 Earn: R330,050 Gold, red chevron, gold and red halved sleeves, quartered cap	J J van Vuuren	*8	G Lerena	56	9T20 (20.00)	3B18 (1.00)	5V20 (4.00) 09May24
12	SUPREME DANCE	6Bg 5-16-34 11-2000m S: 1-1-4 Earn: R484,688 Orange, orange sleeves, white seams, white cap	B Warren	*13	D De Gouveia	56	4J17 (2.95)	6J18 (4.15)	8V20 (7.95) 09May24
13	POORLITTLEIRICHGIRL!<	4Bf 3-3-15 18-2000m S: 1-0-4 Earn: R244,638 Yellow, purple stars, yellow cap, purple star	B Crawford	*9	K Matsunyane	55	2B20 (0.20)	0G20 (4.85)	0P24 (9.65) 01Jun24

Same Trainer: (1 & 10); (3 & 9).

FORECAST BETTING: 33-10 THE BRIEF; 9-2 MEDLERS TART; 5-1 MILLAHUE; 6-1 WHAFFEEF; 7-1 ANOTHER LEVEL; 10-1 POORLITTLEIRICHGIRL; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.
DOWN IN CLASS: WHAFFEEF, DUKE OF SUSSEX, TWIN TURBO, ANOTHER LEVEL, TOP SAIL, BATTEGROUND. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS OFF: TWIN TURBO.

TIPS: 6 THE BRIEF 11 MILLAHUE 1 WHAFFEEF 5 ANOTHER LEVEL

PREVIEW: THE BRIEF has been rejuvenated by a recent stable/trainer switch and on the evidence of a dominant last-start victory over 2000m, is capable of defying his 7-point penalty and wide draw to win again. Class-droppers WHAFFEEF and ANOTHER LEVEL, as well as recently relocated (from the Eastern Cape) MEDLERS TART, have the form and experience at this level to make life difficult for the selection. MILLAHUE, in his peak outing, BATTEGROUND, who has run well in his 2 starts over this shorter trip, and IMPERIAL MASTER, who had excuses last time, also have the means to get involved. Good race!

RACE 7: 15:55 - FOR HOSPITALITY BOOKINGS CALL 011 681 1796 FM 80 HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R85,000 1600m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	ELEMBEE\$	4Bf 3-10-17 14-1800m S: 1-0-2 Earn: R300,875 Yellow, shocking pink star and armbands, yellow cap	S G Tarry	*8	P Strydom	62	7T18 (9.50)	1J16 (1.10)	3P17 (1.90) 01Jun24
2	ROSY LEMON*	4Bf 4-14-28 12-2000m S: 2-3-7 Earn: R357,375 Yellow, blue band of diamonds, striped sleeves, quartered cap	F Bronkhorst	*5	D Schwarz	60	1T18 (1.75)	8J18 (4.70)	7J16 (8.25) 23May24
3	HILLARY STEP	3Bf 2-1-7 11-1400m Earn: R117,250 Kingfisher,white star and sleeves,kingfisher seams,collar andcuffs,kingfisher cap, white stars	D N Stenger	*7	*T Mayhew	59	1T14 (1.30)	8V14 (7.95)	6J16 (5.50) 23May24
4	REGAL DAUGHTER	3Chf 1-4-8 14-1600m S: 1-1-2 Earn: R108,875 White, blue hoop, white sleeves and cap	C Dawson	*1	C Maujean	59	1T16 (0.75)	0B20 (10.25)	4J14 (2.60) 12May24
5	PRIMROSE PATH	4Bf 3-7-19 10-1800m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R222,250 Brown, grey and green hooped sleeves and cap	F Bronkhorst	*10	D De Gouveia	59	1V16 (0.50)	0V14 (15.80)	9B12 (12.30) 09Apr24
6	MOUNT ETNA*	3Bf 2-7-17 14-2400m S: 0-1-4 Earn: R164,438 Lime greenandroyal blue qtd diagonally,green collar,blue slvs,green chevrons,blue cap,green	F Bronkhorst	*9	R Danielson	58.5	0T20 (14.25)	8T24 (11.75)	0V24 (9.00) 16May24
7	DIMAKO'S JET	3Bf 1-2-5 14-1800m S: 1-0-2 Earn: R87,250 White, royal blue inverted chevrons, collar and cuffs, white cap with blue peak	W C Marwing	*6	C Habib	57	8J18 (5.50)	3T18 (2.75)	2J18 (0.30) 12May24
8	SPRINGER	3Bf 1-5-8 12-1700m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R119,500 Yellow, brown stripe, brown and white hooped sleeves and cap	R R Magner	*3	G Lerena	56.5	5T16 (7.25)	1V17 (0.25)	2J16 (1.70) 20Apr24
9	SNEAK PREVIEW	3Bf 1-2-4 14-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R82,250 Red and yellow checks, emerald sleeves and cap	M N Houdalakis	*2	C Zackey	55	2V14 (0.25)	1J14 (1.75)	3B14 (2.25) 28May24
10	ODE TO THE OCEAN	4Bf 1-4-17 8-1600m S: 1-1-6 Earn: R114,750 Blue and green stripes, blue sleeves, green armband, hooped cap	P F Matchett	*4	P Mxoli	54	3V12 (2.25)	0P14 (59.25)	0B12 (5.50) 28May24

Same Trainer: (2 & 5 & 6).

FORECAST BETTING: 28-10 ELEMBEE; 4-1 REGAL DAUGHTER; 9-2 DIMAKO'S JET; 5-1 SPRINGER; 6-1 SNEAK PREVIEW; 8-1 HILLARY STEP; 10-1 ROSY LEMON; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: ROSY LEMON, HILLARY STEP.

TIPS: 1 ELEMBEE 4 REGAL DAUGHTER 7 DIMAKO'S JET 3 HILLARY STEP

PREVIEW: Consistent ELEMBEE performed well under a 3-point penalty in a 1750m KZN handicap at this level earlier in the month. She was beaten just 1.90 lengths by the winner, to whom she conceded 3kg, and could prove hard to beat if repeating that performance on her Highveld return off an unchanged mark. HILLARY STEP finished behind that rival in a 1600m handicap last month but ought to get closer with the aid of her rider's 4kg allowance. Fellow 3yo fillies REGAL DAUGHTER and DIMAKO'S JET may pose more a threat, while SPRINGER and SNEAK PREVIEW have both shown enough to make their presence felt too.

RACE 8: 16:35 - NEXT VAAL RACEMEETING THURSDAY 4 JULY MR 80 HANDICAP (Open) Turf Right-Hand Turn										Stake: R85,000	1450m
No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *≡App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date		
1	OPEN HIGHWAY	3Chg 3-8-14 10-1450m S: 1-1-2 Earn: R253,550 White and black quartered diagonally, black sleeves, white cuffs, halved cap	F Bronkhorst	*3	P Strydom	60.5	1B14 (2.00)	3T14 (1.75)	1T14 (0.30)	18May24	
2	COURAGEOUS CAT	5Bg 1-2-4 12-1600m Earn: R84,250 Yellow, black sash, sleeves and cap	M F De Kock	*13	D De Gouveia	60.5	3S12 (1.00)	8T14 (12.25)	2T16 (2.25)	17Nov23	
3	THE PLAYBOY BOMBER	3Bg 2-1-4 1450m Earn: R180,125 Black and white checks, metallic purple sleeves, black and white checked cap, metallic purple peak	A G Laird	*15	*N Nastili	59.5	2J14 (4.75)	1J14 (3.50)	1J14 (0.80)	25Apr24	
4	GIMMEALIGHT*	4Bf 2-6-18 11-1600m S: 1-2-7 Earn: R211,375 White, purple sash, red sleeves and cap	P F Matchett	*8	P Mxoli	59.5	2V16 (1.25)	2T14 (0.25)	8T16 (5.00)	30May24	
5	SOUTHERN BLAZE	5Bg 4-6-19 14-1600m S: 2-1-4 Earn: R291,875 Black, yellow star and sleeves, quartered cap	S T Pettigrew	*9	C Habib	59	2T14 (1.25)	1B15 (0.10)	5T14 (1.20)	18May24	
6	TAMIL TIGRESS	3Bf 1-2-13 12-1600m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R72,375 Dark blue, yellow hoop, yellow and dark blue hooped sleeves, yellow and black striped cap, b	L Karriem	*1	S Khumalo	58.5	9T18 (Disq)	8T14 (7.75)	0T16 (14.25)	09Jun24	
7	VITELLIUS\$	4Bg 1-6-10 14-1800m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R139,500 White, sky blue hoop, black sleeves, white stars, sky blue cap, white stars	W C Marwing	*12	C Maujean	58.5	0T16 (6.00)	8B15 (8.10)	4T14 (4.00)	30May24	
8	CARE TAKER	3Bg 1-3-11 12-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R79,625 All vieux rose	M/A Azzie	*4	M Yeni	58	0T14 (14.50)	9B14 (11.00)	8B14 (9.75)	28May24	
9	GOLDEN PAVILION%	3Grg 1-4-15 14-1600m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R118,750 Black, red maltese cross, white sleeves, white and red striped cap, black peak	A G Laird	*10	D Schwarz	56	2B16 (1.75)	5J16 (4.65)	5B14 (4.25)	28May24	
10	SOVEREIGNS CALL	3Chg 1-3-9 12-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R70,875 White, red braces, black broad stripe, white and black checked diamond sleeves, quartered c	S T Pettigrew	*11	J R Syster	56	3J14 (7.00)	4J12 (2.30)	1B12 (1.75)	07May24	
11	FEEL ALL RIGHT	3Bg 1-5-15 14-1600m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R156,750 Mint green, light pink seams, mint green sleeves, light pink cap	W C Marwing	*7	Wes Marwing	55.5	4J14 (6.00)	8J14 (8.50)	9J16 (6.30)	12May24	
12	LAUGHING WILLIAM	4Bg 1-6-16 14-1600m S: 1-1-4 Earn: R113,375 Red, orange epaulettes, green sleeves, orange cuffs, green collar, green and orange quartered cap	C Dawson	*6	G Lerena	55.5	3B14 (2.00)	0J16 (14.50)	4V14 (1.20)	09May24	
13	ARCHIMIDES*	4Grg 2-10-23 13-1600m S: 0-3-7 Earn: R198,250 Dayglo yellow and bright blue quartered, bright orange and black halved sleeves, bright orange	P P Labuschagne	*5	K A Brewer	54	6B14 (5.50)	7G14 (9.65)	6V16 (8.95)	04Jun24	
14	PEACE TREATY	2Bg 1-0-2 1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R58,750 Black, white cross, black sleeves, red cap	S G Tarry	*2	C Zackey	53.5		5T11 (6.00)	1J14 (0.10)	06Jun24	
Reserve Runner(s):											
15	VAVA VEGAS*	4Chg 3-3-18 10-1600m S: 1-1-5 Earn: R171,000 Cerise, black hoop and sleeves, cerise armbands, black cap	J Borman	*14	Reserve 1	52	7V14 (3.70)	0V14 (5.10)	1B16 (0.50)	28May24	
16	SUPER AGRA	6Bg 4-13-43 10-1450m S: 1-1-6 Earn: R343,625 Purple, mauve star and sleeves, purple stars, mauve cap, purple star	C J Lensley	*16	Reserve 2	52	0V14 (10.50)	6B12 (3.25)	0J14 (8.25)	13Jun24	
Same Trainer: (3 & 9); (5 & 10); (7 & 11).											
FORECAST BETTING: 9-2 PEACE TREATY; 5-1 OPEN HIGHWAY; 6-1 THE PLAYBOY BOMBER, SOUTHERN BLAZE; 7-1 SOVEREIGNS CALL; 8-1 GOLDEN PAVILION; 10-1 LAUGHING WILLIAM; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.											
DOWN IN CLASS: COURAGEOUS CAT, TAMIL TIGRESS, VITELLIUS.											
TIPS: 1 OPEN HIGHWAY 5 SOUTHERN BLAZE 3 THE PLAYBOY BOMBER 14 PEACE TREATY											
PREVIEW: Good race. OPEN HIGHWAY has raised his game in 3 recent starts beyond over 1200m, winning twice. The form of his last-start 1400m victory is working out well and a 3-point penalty may not be enough to prevent him from winning again (and preserving an unbeaten course-and-distance record). On the form of that race SOUTHERN BLAZE (2kg better off for a 1.20-length defeat) will pose a threat on these revised terms. Returning COURAGEOUS CAT, hat-trick seeking 3yo THE PLAYBOY BOMBER (both of whom are drawn wide), and 2yo last-start winner PEACE TREATY have scope to improve so complete the shortlist.											
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