

Saturday 20th June

NOTTINGHAM



5.55 DINE IN SHERWOODS RESTAURANT NOVICE STAKES (3) 1¼m50y (2060 Metres)

RACE 1 **(1) CYRANO DE BERGERAC | (3) SEACOLE | (2) FLAG OF EVA**

6.35 RACEDAYS FOR £9 AT NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE TRAINING SERIES APPRENTICE HANDICAP (4) 1m75y (1680 Metres)

RACE 2 **(4) LEADENHALL | (2) ZOWAL | (1) RAMLI**

7.10 WILDWEST BEER FESTIVAL 4th JULY HANDICAP (4) 1¼m50y (2060 Metres)

RACE 3 **(4) SPOKEN TRUTH | (1) ORGAN | (6) TIME LOOP**

7.45 IT'S RACING STAFF WEEK FILLIES' HANDICAP (4) 5f8y (1010 Metres)

RACE 4 **(5) DESERT TREASURE | (3) TIVA | (2) SUGAR HILL BABE**

8.15 CONSTRUCTION DAY 14th OCTOBER HANDICAP (5) 6f18y (1220 Metres)

RACE 5 **(5) INGLEBY ARCHIE | (1) WINCHURCH | (6) CAIRDEAS**

8.45 NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE SUPPORTING RACING STAFF WEEK HANDICAP (5) 1¼m50y (2060 Metres)

RACE 6 **(1) KALOKALO | (5) ASTRACORNUS | (4) MR BOLLINGER**

KEY TO SYMBOLS

Top Rated: The horse with the best chance based solely on past form, specially tailored to a 0-100 scale.

Horses For Courses: A suitable track for the horse, compared to its lifetime record on similar courses as defined by Timeform's course data.

Jockey Uplift: The engaged rider has a notably higher Timeform Jockey Ranking than those who've ridden the horse on its most recent starts

Trainer Form: A hot trainer to follow, based on Timeform ratings-related measurements looking at the recent performance of runners.

5.55

DINE IN SHERWOODS RESTAURANT NOVICE STAKES (3) 3yo
£12,000 1¼m50y (2060 Metres)

RACE 1



Going: **Good (Good to Firm in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

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

1 1 **CYRANO DE BERGERAC (IRE) (12)** (BF) **100**
 22 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg

John & Thady Gosden **Luke Catton** (31b/1kg)
 Palace Pier colt who is bred to be smart and having bumped into a useful prospect on debut, he stepped up on that effort when again finding only one too good at Windsor (1¼m, good to soft) 12 days ago. Ought to take some stopping here with further improvement anticipated.

2 3 **FLAG OF EVA (24)** **76**
 66 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg

Michael Appleby **Jack Dace** (51b/2kg)
 Flag of Honour gelding who showed a bit more than on debut when sixth of 10 in a Kempton novice (11f) 24 days ago. However, handicaps back over longer trips promise to be more his bag moving forward.

3 2 **SEACOLE (IRE)** h
3 9-2 | 58.1kg

Ralph Beckett **Pat Dobbs**
 400,000 gns yearling, Sea The Stars filly. Sister to useful 2-y-o 1m winner Seacruiser and half-sister to winner abroad by Le Havre. Dam maiden (stayed 1¼m). Wears hood for debut and she's of interest for powerful stable.

3 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-7 Cyrano De Bergerac, **15-8** Seacole, **28-1** Flag of Eva

TIMEFORM VIEW:

CYRANO DE BERGERAC stepped forward from his promising debut effort when going down narrowly over this trip at Windsor 12 days ago and he holds prime claims with further progress anticipated. Seacole is an interesting newcomer from the Ralph Beckett stable and market confidence behind her would look significant.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. CYRANO DE BERGERAC 2. SEACOLE 3. FLAG OF EVA

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.35

RACE 2

RACEDAYS FOR £9 AT NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE TRAINING SERIES APPRENTICE HANDICAP (4) 4yo+ (Rated 0-80) £11,000 1m75y (1680 Metres)




Going: **Good (Good to Firm in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

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


1 3 RAMLI (19) (D) 88
531 4 10-0 | 63.5kg

 Nick Littmoden *Kyle McHugh (3lb/1kg)*
Frankel gelding who was the second next-time-out winner to emerge from his Salisbury race when taking a Wolverhampton maiden (8.6f) 19 days ago. Had the run of the race then but looks the part physically and appeals as the type to make his mark in handicaps.



2 5 ZOWAL (FR) (74) (D) 98
2/177P0-61 4 9-9 | 61.2kg

 John & Sean Quinn *Shay Farmer*
Got back on the up with his reappearance behind him when winning 9-runner handicap at Pontefract (1m) in April. Remains low mileage and needs considering nudged up 2 lb.



3 2 LORD NORMANDY (FR) (232) 92
402/81- 5 9-8 | 60.8kg

 Tom Clover *Molly Keegan-Price (7lb/3kg)*
Lightly-raced 5-y-o who seemingly showed much improved form making turf debut when readily landing 3-runner Newmarket handicap (1¼m, good) when last seen in October. That wasn't a strong race however, and more on his plate from 6 lb higher mark.

4 1 LEADENHALL (7) (CD) 100
6300-5716 6 9-6 | 59.9kg

 Tim Easterby  *Jake Dickson*
Dual 1m scorer in 2025 and capitalised on reduced mark when going in again over C&D in May. Posted a good sixth in a stronger contest at York (9f) last week, likely he'd have finished closer still but for meeting trouble. One to bear in mind.

5 4 EQUION (152) (CD) 96
084472-65 8 8-7 | 54.0kg

 Tony Carroll  *Myla Coppins*
C&D winner who signed off 2025 with a good second at Wolverhampton (8.6f) in December and dispelled a lesser effort when fifth at Kempton (1m) in January. However, possible this first start for 5 months will bring him on.

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Ramli, **11-4** Zowal, **4-1** Leadenhall, **11-2** Lord Normandy, **10-1** Equion

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Successful over C&D on his penultimate start, LEADENHALL shaped as if still in good form back in a stronger handicap when sixth at York 7 days ago, likely to have finished closer still but for meeting with trouble in running. He looks to hold solid claims again and earns the vote over Pontefract winner Zowal. Ramli is a good sort physically and looks to have his best days ahead of him in handicaps.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LEADENHALL 2. ZOWAL 3. RAMLI

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.10

WILDWEST BEER FESTIVAL 4th JULY HANDICAP (4) 4yo+ (Rated 0-85) £11,000 1¼m50y (2060 Metres)

RACE 3



Going: **Good (Good to Firm in places)**

SMART STATS:

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

No Smart Stats available for this race

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

1 6 ORGAN (44) 96
111500-42 4 9-10 | 61.7kg



Martyn Meade *Harry Vigors (7lb/3kg)*
Form tailed off last autumn but back on track after 7 months off, finishing fourth at Epsom before recent good 2nd of 9 in a handicap at Chester in May, looking unlucky. One to take very seriously with good-value claimer aboard.

2 4 MODEL YUKO (289) 92
43138- 4 9-10 | 61.7kg h



Roger Varian *Sean Dylan Bowen*
Lightly-raced filly who improved when third of 14 in a Goodwood handicap last July. Raced too freely when down field in listed race on final outing that year and looks interesting back in handicaps if ready to go on return from a 289-day absence.

3 2 NOLTON CROSS (IRE) (34) 87
64/144089 7 9-10 | 61.7kg



Hugo Palmer *Luke Catton (3lb/1kg)*
Won on all-weather in February but has struggled since returning to turf and has questions to answer back down in trip.

4 8 SPOKEN TRUTH (IRE) (15) (D) 100
3408-4223 5 9-9 | 61.2kg



David O'Meara *Callum Hutchinson*
Not long with new connections and shaped well when placed last 3 starts, including when third of 16 in a higher-grade handicap at Epsom 15 days ago, forced to switch and taking third close home. Drops in grade here and can prove himself well handicapped.

5 1 GREEN TRIANGLE (IRE) (19) 97
867-46588 4 9-8 | 60.8kg b+t



Simon & Ed Crisford *Ross Coakley*
Ran in Dubai earlier this year and shaped well at Newbury back in this country in May but finished only eighth of 12 in a handicap at same track 19 days ago. Capable if bouncing back with blinkers refitted back up in trip.

6 3 TIME LOOP (IRE) (24) (D) 95
12-48 5 9-7 | 60.3kg



William Haggas *Pat Dobbs*
Fairly useful sort who finished fourth on handicap debut in January before eighth of 13 over 1½m at Kempton 24 days ago, not relishing the longer trip. Return to this trip looks sure to suit for top yard so she merits respect back on turf.

7 7 TOWERLANDS (IRE) (42) 94
12-413504 4 9-7 | 60.3kg



Tony Carroll *Jack Doughty*
Prolific on all-weather during the winter but is yet to win on turf. Produced a creditable fourth of 8 at Lingfield on this surface in May but this looks a deeper race.

8 5 BELLA'S PATH (FR) (257) (BF) 91
415- 4 9-4 | 59.0kg h



Charlie Pike *Kieren Fox*
Won maiden at Kempton on all-weather in September but failed to justify favouritism when fifth of 9 in a novice at Yarmouth on final 3-y-o outing. Handicap debut after 257 days off and first for new trainer so she's got a bit to find trying a new trip.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

7-2 Spoken Truth, **4-1** Organ, **9-2** Time Loop, **13-2** Green Triangle, **8-1** Model Yuko, **11-1** Bella's Path, **16-1** Nolton Cross, **20-1** Towerlands

TIMEFORM VIEW:

SPOKEN TRUTH looks well treated and can exploit a drop in grade to get off the mark for current connections. Organ was an unlucky second at Chester in May, forced to cover ground yet nearly prevailing, and can be competitive, while Time Loop didn't relish the longer trip at Kempton last time.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SPOKEN TRUTH 2. ORGAN 3. TIME LOOP

7.45

IT'S RACING STAFF WEEK FILLIES' HANDICAP (4) 3yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-85) £11,000 5f8y (1010 Metres)

RACE 4



Going: **Good (Good to Firm in places)**

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

1 2 ELEGANT ERIN (IRE) (14) (D) 98
6114-0906 9 10-4 | 65.3kg



Paul Midgley **T. Kiely-Marshall (5lb/2kg)**
Down field all 4 starts this year but not seen to best effect on several occasions. Mark is slipping and merits some respect down slightly in grade and back against her own sex.

2 1 SUGAR HILL BABE (IRE) (20) (C, D) 96
342069-21 6 10-3 | 64.9kg



Lisa Williamson **Ross Coakley**
Notched a second C&D success when winning a 7-runner handicap 20 days ago, going with zest throughout. 6 lb higher mark may not prove beyond her if getting into the same rhythm again.

3 5 TIVA (IRE) (15) (D) v+t 99
91108-525 4 9-12 | 62.6kg



David O'Meara **Jack Doughty**
Proved as good as ever this year when second of 6 at Hamilton Park in May and wasn't seen to best effect when fifth of 7 at Musselburgh 15 days ago, short of room over 2f out and keeping on when snatched up close home. Holds place claims once more.

4 6 PALMEIRA (7) s+t 98
27603-655 3 9-11 | 62.1kg



Eve Johnson Houghton **Callum Hutchinson**
Not disgraced when probably slightly out of depth at listed level on last 3 starts, shaping a bit better than the result on latest outing. Makes belated handicap debut from what could be a workable mark.

5 3 DESERT TREASURE (36) (D, BF) ★ 100
11-0 3 9-6 | 59.9kg



William Haggas **Pat Dobbs**
Unbeaten in 2 starts as a 2-y-o but had missed 10 months when 11th of 17 in a handicap at York in May and understandably shaped as if needing the run. Has a smart pedigree and she looks well worth another chance for top yard.

6 4 SECRET MISTRAL (176) (D) 96
13062238- 6 9-5 | 59.4kg



Tony Carroll **Myla Coppins (7lb/3kg)**
Exposed sprinter who hasn't been seen since looking stretched by 6f in December. Back at 5f now but likely has plenty on up against younger rivals after 176 days off.

7 7 PARADISE WALK (IRE) (26) b 98
22-241 3 9-1 | 57.6kg



Ralph Beckett **Jack Dace (5lb/2kg)**
Improved to win 4-runner maiden at Windsor in May, proving willing. She's in good hands and may have more to come but she has a drop back in trip to contend with here.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

3-1 Desert Treasure, **4-1** Sugar Hill Babe, **5-1** Tiva, **11-2** Paradise Walk, **8-1** Palmeira, **10-1** Elegant Erin, **20-1** Secret Mistral

TIMEFORM VIEW:

DESERT TREASURE was unbeaten as a juvenile and shaped as if badly needing her York reappearance 36 days ago following a 10-month absence so she's well worth another chance to show her true ability now fitter. Tiva has improved with each run back from a layoff and was unlucky at Musselburgh last time when short of room, while Sugar Hill Babe won readily over C&D 20 days ago.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. DESERT TREASURE 2. TIVA 3. SUGAR HILL BABE

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

8.15

CONSTRUCTION DAY 14th OCTOBER HANDICAP (5) 4yo+ (Rated 0-75) £8,500 6f18y (1220 Metres)

RACE 5



Going: **Good (Good to Firm in places)**

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

1 4 WINCHURCH (IRE) (9) (C, D) 100
8-7534161 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



Michael Appleby *Harry Vigors (7lb/3kg)*
Capitalised on a career-low mark when winning at C&D in April and proved better than ever when doubling his tally for the season in a 7-runner handicap at Catterick (5f, good to soft, 8/1) 9 days ago. Step back up in trip will suit and he should go close to following up.

2 2 HOLBACHE (21) (D) 96
512103-71 8 9-9 | 61.2kg



Julie Camacho *T. Kiely-Marshall (5lb/2kg)*
Won at Redcar and Leicester last summer and returned to from 5 months off by bossing a 6-runner veterans event from some way out at Catterick (6f, good to firm) 21 days ago, 10 lb rise might demand more against younger rivals, though.

3 5 RAFFLES ANGEL (14) (D) 97
18/54189-6 5 9-8 | 60.8kg



Jack Jones *Ross Coakley*
Winner at Haydock last summer. Raced too freely after 9 months off when sixth of 8 in handicap at Lingfield (6f, heavy) 14 days ago and it'll likely require a significant step forward from that if she's to take this.

4 6 EARLY RELEASE (25) (D) 96
19-081671 4 9-5 | 59.4kg



David Evans *Pat Dobbs*
Took advantage of a handy draw when resuming winning ways from the front at Kempton (6f) in March and notched a first turf success with similar tactics executed when beating 4 rivals at Bath (5.7f, good to firm, 15/2) 25 days ago. This is more competitive from 3 lb higher.

5 3 INGLEBY ARCHIE (IRE) (10) (D) 97
03600-432 5 9-4 | 59.0kg



Adrian Nicholls *Jack Garritty*
Dual winner last spring and having edged down the weights, shaped like the best horse on the day when collared on the line in a 6-runner handicap at Hamilton (6f, good) 10 days ago. Has to be of interest again from only 1 lb higher.

6 1 CAIRDEAS (17) 98
480460-25 4 9-3 | 58.5kg



Paul Midgley *Sean Dylan Bowen*
Sole success came in a 7f Newmarket novice back in 2024 for William Haggas. Shaped well behind a race-fit stablemate when runner-up at Doncaster on return and wasn't ideally placed away from the favoured rail at Ripon last time. Still merits respect.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Winchurch, **3-1** Holbache, **5-1** Ingleby Archie, **5-1** Early Release, **7-1** Cairdeas, **18-1** Raffles Angel

TIMEFORM VIEW:

INGLEBY ARCHIE has slipped a long way in the weights and went like the best horse at them when collared late at Hamilton last time, so he can make amends from 1 lb higher in a competitive race. Winchurch was better than ever when winning at Catterick last time and can pose the biggest threat, with Cairdeas taken to complete the 1-2-3.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. INGLEBY ARCHIE 2. WINCHURCH 3. CAIRDEAS

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

8.45

RACE 6

**NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE SUPPORTING RACING STAFF
WEEK HANDICAP (5) 3yo (Rated 0-70) £8,500 1¼m50y
(2060 Metres)**




Going: **Good (Good to Firm in places)**


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

1 5 KALOKALO (IRE) (19) (D) 100
63214-231 3 9-7 | 60.3kg

 **Charles Hills** *Harry Vigors (71b/3kg)*
Not always the easiest ride (can take strong hold/hang left) but he eked out a bit more improvement when doubling his tally in a 10-runner handicap at Windsor (1¼m, good to firm) 19 days ago. 6 lb rise looks manageable and he remains unexposed at this trip.


2 1 DISTORTED TRUTH (IRE) (43) 94
267 3 9-5 | 59.4kg

 **K. R. Burke** *Pat Dobbs*
Camelot filly who showed fair form when second on 11f Kempton debut in January but folded tamely at Southwell (11f again) the following month and was beaten a long way after 10 weeks off in a Chester maiden last month. Leap of faith required now handicapping.


3 3 MISS PRETTY (28) 89
17-0 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

 **Edward Smyth-Osbourne** *Georgia Dobie*
Made a winning start in a 1m Kempton maiden in August but not in same form when only seventh of 13 in a novice there 2 months later. Struggled making her handicap debut at Salisbury (1¼m, good to soft) 28 days ago and she likely needs her mark to ease further.

4 2 MR BOLLINGER (USA) (32) 92
648 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

 **Michael Bell** *Ross Coakley*
No better than modest form across 3 qualifying runs this spring but handicaps have surely always been in mind, not given a hard time as he passed beaten rivals when eighth of 11 in novice at this course (8.3f, good to soft) 32 days ago. Return to this trip will suit with cheekpieces now applied.

5 4 ASTRACORNUS (26) (BF) 94
0-66 3 9-4 | 59.0kg

 **David Menuisier** *Jack Doughty*
Green but showed ability in a Chelmsford novice on debut last November but not disgraced despite finishing last of 6 in a strong maiden at Leicester on return. Below expectations when filling the same position in a 12-runner novice there (1¼m, firm) 26 days ago. Should still progress in handicaps.

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Kalokalo, **5-2** Astracornus, **5-1** Mr Bollinger, **8-1** Miss Pretty, **14-1** Distorted Truth

TIMEFORM VIEW:

KALOKALO wasn't the most professional when scoring at Windsor earlier this month but he's done well since being upped to this trip and has the ability to defy this 6 lb higher mark. Handicap newcomers Astracornus and Mr Bollinger both rate as potential improvers now stepping into this company.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. KALOKALO 2. ASTRACORNUS 3. MR BOLLINGER

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race