

Wednesday 22nd April

# LUDLOW



**2.30** POWELL & CONSTRUCTION POULTRY BUILDINGS NOVICES' HURDLE (4) 1m7f169y (3170 Metres)

RACE 1 **(1) UN SENS A LA VIE | (5) SONIC PIONEER | (2) SNATCH A GLANCE**

**3.00** TEMPLAR MEDICAL HANDICAP HURDLE (4) 2m7f174y (4790 Metres)

RACE 2 **(3) TZARMIX | (2) MAXIMUM OFFERS | (5) WINDSOR BLUE**

**3.30** HR SMITH HANDICAP CHASE (4) 2m7f171y (4780 Metres)

RACE 3 **(2) EPIC WEST | (4) GRIS MAJEUR | (7) ANNIE EXPRESS**

**4.00** POWELL & COMPANY CONSTRUCTION STABLES & BUILDINGS MARES' NOVICES' LIMITED HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 2m5f55y (4270 Metres)

RACE 4 **(3) AFTER MANY DAYS | (8) IMPERIAL PRIDE | (6) KLERVIA**

**4.30** POWELL & COMPANY CONSTRUCTION AGRICULTURAL BUILDINGS MARES' OPEN MAIDEN NATIONAL HUNT FLAT (4) 1m7f169y (3170 Metres)

RACE 5 **(13) MILLY OCEAN | (4) MYSTI MEADOW | (12) MELIDEN MOUNTAIN**

**5.05** EDDIE MAPP MEMORIAL OPEN HUNTERS' CHASE (4) 2m7f171y (4780 Metres)

RACE 6 **(6) POTTERS PARTY | (7) PROHUS YANK | (2) MR GLASS**

## 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.


**2.30****POWELL & CONSTRUCTION POULTRY BUILDINGS NOVICES' HURDLE (4) 4yo+ £10,000 1m7f169y (3170 Metres)**

RACE 1

**GBI RACING**Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

**1 UN SENS A LA VIE (FR) (74) (CD)**   **100**  
1-17214 6 12-0 | 76.2kg



Nigel &amp; Willy Twiston-Davies

**Sam Twiston-Davies**

Promising hurdler who won twice in 2025, including over C&D prior to shaping better than the result when fourth of 15 on very testing ground in handicap at Newbury in February. Sets a clear standard returned to novice company and should prove up to conceding weight all round.

**2 SNATCH A GLANCE (23) (CD)** **88**  
4-2131F 6 11-9 | 73.9kg



Fergal O'Brien

**Fern O'Brien (5lb/2kg)**

Fair performer who has landed a C&D bumper/maiden hurdle and was in the process of running well when falling here last month. Looks sure to prove competitive if feeling no ill effects from that mishap but has plenty to find with the likely favourite.

**3 LATIN (IRE) (6)** **85**  
0-4 5 11-2 | 70.8kg



James Owen

**Jonathan Burke**

Better known for all-weather exploits (already won 4 times this year) and, while he showed ability over hurdles when fourth of 13 in maiden at Hereford last time, handicaps will likely be more his bag moving forward in this sphere.

**4 NOT FOR PASSIN (IRE) (111) (D, BF)** **79**  
1F2 6 11-2 | 70.8kg



Robbie Llewellyn

**Liam Harrison**

Bumper winner who failed to meet market expectations when second of 7 in maiden hurdle at Catterick (2m, good) on New Year's Day. Has hood and tongue strap applied here and looks to have plenty to find in this company.

**5 SONIC PIONEER (88) (D)** **96**  
1PP 4 11-1 | 70.3kg



Martin Keighley

**Harry Atkins (7lb/3kg)**

Fairly useful Flat winner who impressed when making all at Kempton on hurdles bow in November but struggled when highly tried next 2 starts. This drop in grade should help and he could prove hard to peg back if getting into a good rhythm in refitted cheekpieces.

**6 WINSTON'S OATH (IRE) (16)** **80**  
56663 4 10-8 | 67.1kg



Dylan Cunha

**Lee Edwards**

Better effort over hurdles when third of 6 in juvenile contest at Fakenham (2m, good to firm) 16 days ago, but even that form leaves him with plenty to find.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**evens** Un Sens A La Vie, **4-1** Sonic Pioneer, **5-1** Snatch A Glance, **16-1** Latin, **16-1** Not For Passin, **25-1** Winston's Oath

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

UN SENS A LA VIE sets a lofty standard dropping back in grade and shouldn't have too much trouble giving weight away. Sonic Pioneer is the potential fly in the ointment if gaining some confidence back at a lower level.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. UN SENS A LA VIE 2. SONIC PIONEER 3. SNATCH A GLANCE**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Brendas Asking</b> 7-10-9	4-7f	Kim Bailey & Mat Nicholls	Nathan Andrews (10)	6
2024	<b>Daddy Long Legs</b> 5-11-9	1-7f	W. P. Mullins	Mr P.W. Mullins	7
2023	<b>Trolley Boy</b> 5-11-9	11-4f	Neil Mulholland	Joe Anderson (7)	12
2022	<b>Sayadam</b> 5-11-8	1-2f	Kim Bailey	David Bass	10
2021	<b>Tinnahalla</b> 4-10-13	1-6f	Olly Murphy	Harry Skelton	8

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**3.00****TEMPLAR MEDICAL HANDICAP HURDLE (4) 4yo+ (Rated 0-115) £9,000 2m7f174y (4790 Metres)**

RACE 2

Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Kitesurfer</b> 6-11-10	11-2	Jamie Snowden	Joe Anderson (3)	6
2024	<b>Porter In The Park</b> 7-10-11	9-2	Emma Lavelle	Joe Anderson (5)	11
2023	<b>Hardy Fella</b> 6-11-10	3-1	Emma Lavelle	Tom Bellamy	10

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**1 THE EGYPTIAN GINGE (IRE) (24) 97**

42-555322 5 11-13 | 75.7kg



Nigel &amp; Willy Twiston-Davies

**Mr Jamie Neild (7lb/3kg)**

Not entirely straightforward but good second of 13 on handicap debut at Haydock in March, the winner scoring again next time. Backed that up when filling the same position in 4-runner maiden at Ascot (19f) 24 days ago, though more needed returned to handicap company.

**2 MAXIMUM OFFERS (IRE) (6) 94**

3612-3431 7 11-11 | 74.8kg



Jamie Snowden

**Gavin Sheehan**

Maiden hurdle winner last spring and has been going the right way over fences last 3 starts, landing the odds in 3-runner novice handicap at Hereford 6 days ago (only one other finisher). Could still have more to offer making first handicap start in this sphere.

**3 TZARMIX (FR) (64) (CD) 100**

5-P631222 8 11-10 | 74.4kg



Alastair Ralph

**Toby McCain-Mitchell (5lb/2kg)**

After 6 months off, gained a first success for present connections over this C&D in December and has continued in good heart with 3 runner-up efforts since, only narrowly denied at Market Rasen on latest outing. Can make another bold bid back here.

**4 SPRINGS A GIRL (IRE) (38) (C) 99**

124-2P825 7 11-7 | 73.0kg



Martin Keighley

**Harry Atkins (7lb/3kg)**

Won twice over hurdles last season, including a novice at this course. Good second in 4-runner novice handicap at Worcester on seasonal/chase debut in September, but pulled up at Cheltenham next time and mixed form back hurdling last 3 starts.

**5 WINDSOR BLUE (IRE) (34) (C) 98**

3-4635415 5 11-5 | 72.1kg



Henry Daly

**Sam Twiston-Davies**

Stoutly-bred mare who showed much improved form on her second start in handicaps when winning at this course (21f) in February. Wasn't able to repeat that effort here last time, but she's worth another chance with this longer trip promising to suit.

**6 NOONETELLSMENOTHIN (IRE) (33) 98**

2313P4 5 11-4 | 71.7kg



Jonjo &amp; A.J. O'Neill

**Jonjo O'Neill Jr.**

Made a winning start over hurdles in a Catterick novice in December. Has't kicked on in 3 starts since, though, showing an awkward side when fourth of 10 in valuable handicap at Musselburgh (2½m) a month ago. Cheekpieces wore last time now replaced with blinkers.

**7 CATWALK GIRL (IRE) (21) 96**

353 6 11-2 | 70.8kg



Max Comley

**Tom Broughton (5lb/2kg)**

Point winner who showed up well on Rules debut when third of 12 in mares maiden hurdle (21f) in February. Well held next time but got back on track when third of 5 in a Wincanton novice 3 weeks ago, though had the run of the race.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**2-1** Maximum Offers, **4-1** Tzarmix, **11-2** The Egyptian Ginge, **7-1** Noonetellsmenothin, **9-1** Windsor Blue, **11-1** Springs A Girl, **14-1** Catwalk Girl

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

A winner over C&D in December, TZARMIX has been holding his form well since and is taken to resume winning way back at this venue. He can see off the challenge of Maximum Offers, who makes his handicap hurdle debut on the back of a win over fences last time, with Windsor Blue also considered up in trip.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:****1. TZARMIX 2. MAXIMUM OFFERS 3. WINDSOR BLUE**

**3.30****HR SMITH HANDICAP CHASE (4) 5yo+ (Rated 0-120)  
£10,000 2m7f171y (4780 Metres)**

RACE 3

**GBI RACING**Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

**1 ALMAZHAR GARDE (FR) (32) (CD)** s **97**  
351142PU 11 12-2 | 77.1kg



Charlie Longsdon

**David Bass**

In good heart prior to being let down by his jumping the last twice. Goes without usual tongue strap again here and now has something to prove, though the drop back in grade should help.

**2 EPIC WEST (IRE) (69) (BF)** **98**  
112-023 7 11-11 | 74.8kg

Jamie Snowden **Gavin Sheehan**

Irish point winner who was successful on 2 of 3 starts in novice hurdles. Improved on chase debut when close second in 5-runner handicap at Warwick (2m) in January but sulked when unable to lead at Leicester last time. Needs to bounce back but longer trip offers scope for progress.

**3 TAX FOR MAX (GER) (34)** t **96**  
03385523 9 11-9 | 73.9kg



Nigel &amp; Willy Twiston-Davies

**J. J. Slevin**

Not tasted success since 2024 and he failed to convince with jumping when third of 4 in handicap chase at this course (2m, good to soft) 5 weeks ago. Work to do belatedly stepping up markedly in trip in refitted tongue strap.

**4 GRIS MAJEUR (FR) (11) (C)** ★ **100**  
PP2-12322 9 11-7 | 73.0kg



Sheila Lewis

**Sean Houlihan**

Course winner who produced a creditable second of 8 in handicap chase at Chepstow (3m, good) 11 days ago, going with enthusiasm before tiring. In good heart but suspicion is that he may be ideally suited by shorter trips.

**5 ARRYCAN (IRE) (193) (D)** **98**  
00-2PP920 12 11-5 | 72.1kg



Nick Scholfield

**Jack Quinlan**

Not won since 2023 and form in Ireland has been patchy at best since. Starts out for a new stable here but comes with plenty of risks attached.

**6 PETTY CASH (IRE) (33) (D)** t **98**  
P3/21-263P 9 11-2 | 70.8kg



Henry Daly

**Sam Twiston-Davies**

Didn't run badly on the back of another breathing operation when third of 7 here (3m, soft) in February but found to be lame when pulled up at Newbury last time. Doesn't stand much racing and has tongue strap applied for the first time here so others are preferred.

**7 ANNIE EXPRESS (IRE) (23) (CD)** v **99**  
P5/4-15P41 8 11-0 | 69.9kg



Robbie Llewellyn

**Toby McCain-Mitchell (5lb/2kg)**

Both career victories have come at this track, including a career-best effort when making all in 6-runner handicap chase (2½m, good to soft) 23 days ago. 6 lb higher mark to contend with in a deeper race but looks hard to rule out around here.

**8 ZACONY REBEL (IRE) (35) (C, D)** b+t **85**  
32189445 11 10-2(9-6) | 64.4kg (59.9kg)



Sarah-Jayne Davies

**Charlie Price**

Veteran who doubled his tally for the season at Huntingdon (3m, soft) in December. However, he has struggled for form since then and is hard to fancy at present.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-2** Annie Express, **4-1** Epic West, **5-1** Gris Majeur, **6-1** Tax For Max, **9-1** Petty Cash, **12-1** Almazhar Garde, **18-1** Arrycan, **66-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

EPIC WEST has scope for progress over this longer trip and may be able to edge out the in-form Gris Majeur, who may ideally be suited by a little shorter, and Annie Express who has shown plenty of form at this track.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. EPIC WEST 2. GRIS MAJEUR 3. ANNIE EXPRESS**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Almazhar Garde</b>	10-11-3	10-3	Charlie Longsdon	Paul O'Brien	5
2024	<b>Horacio Apple's</b>	7-11-4	10-1	Oliver Greenall & Josh Guerriero	Jonjo O'Neill Jr.	9
2023	<b>Marettimo</b>	9-11-4	25-1	Bill Turner	Harry Kimber (3)	10
2022	<b>Broken Quest</b>	10-11-12	3-1	David Dennis	Jack Andrews (5)	5
2021	<b>Another Stowaway</b>	9-11-0	12-1	Tom George	Ciaran Gethings	7

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 4

**POWELL & COMPANY CONSTRUCTION STABLES & BUILDINGS MARES' NOVICES' LIMITED HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 4yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-95) £7,000 2m5f55y (4270 Metres)**



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Pace Information: **Even**

**1 LADY DAPPLE ROSE (IRE) (27) 92**  
6-52683 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

Harriet Dickin *Tabitha Worsley*  
Showed ability in 2 bumpers. Translated that to hurdling when second in small-field Leicester maiden (2m) in November but hasn't come close to repeating that form in 3 starts since (beaten 20 lengths when third latest). Handicap debut.

**2 KOTTAYAM (FR) (184) 91**  
43F26PP 6 11-7 | 73.0kg

Dave Roberts *Lee Edwards*  
Placed twice in maiden hurdles for Patrick Neville last summer but pulled up in 2 handicaps for Dylan Cunha in the autumn. Returns from a 6-month break (has had a breathing operation) under the care of another new trainer.

**3 AFTER MANY DAYS (35) (BF) s ★ 100**  
3P-424222 7 11-7 | 73.0kg

Henry Daly *Sam Twiston-Davies*  
Long-standing maiden but has posted good runner-up efforts in handicap hurdles around 2½m on 4 of her last 5 starts. Another prominent showing is likely for a stable no stranger to success in this race.

**4 SLACK ALICE (22) v 87**  
8420-7458 5 11-5 | 72.1kg

Mickey Bowen *Shane Fenelon (5lb/2kg)*  
Modest maiden on the Flat and over hurdles. Well beaten in her first handicap over hurdles 3 weeks ago and needs the refitting of a visor she's worn on the Flat to have a positive effect.

**5 JLOW (IRE) (10) t 94**  
6-93346P4 5 11-2 | 70.8kg

Ryan Potter *Brendan Powell*  
Eighteen-race maiden. Below form in 2 comeback outings this spring (beaten just under 25 lengths into fourth last time) and it's likely the wait for a first win will go on.

**6 KLERVIA (FR) (15) s 98**  
7/323604 6 11-1 | 70.3kg

Fergal O'Brien *Tom Broughton (5lb/2kg)*  
Placed in novice hurdles around 2m on good ground last spring. Best effort in handicaps since when fourth of 13 over 21.5f at Exeter in first-time cheekpieces (retained) 15 days ago. That gives her something to build on.

**7 LA CANTATE (FR) (276) 94**  
6524-64 5 10-12 | 68.9kg

Robbie Llewellyn *Charlie Price*  
Just minor promise in 4 starts for Clive Boulton-Brooks last season and no significant impact in 2 handicap hurdles for Robbie Llewellyn last summer. Best watched back from 9 months off unless the betting hints otherwise.

**8 IMPERIAL PRIDE (IRE) (37) s+t 99**  
63-PP4P12 10 10-10 | 68.0kg

David Dennis *Jonathan Burke*  
Multiple point winner in 2024 and belatedly opened Rules account when landing a 3m Huntingdon handicap chase in first-time cheekpieces in March. Backed that up when second over 3¼m at Plumpton a fortnight later. Shorter trip back hurdling but has to be respected in her current mood.

**9 WISHFUL WINGS (IRE) (23) s 62**  
P084U 5 10-6 | 66.2kg

Sheila Lewis *Sean Houlihan*  
Runner-up in an Irish point but only poor form under Rules, merely plugging on for a never-dangerous fourth over 3m at Warwick on her completed start in handicap chases in recent months. Not an obvious one back hurdling but the stable did win this race last year. Wears first-time cheekpieces.

**10 SHES ALL PRIDE (IRE) (25) 95**  
377-P3 6 10-5(10-2) | 65.8kg (64.4kg)

Deborah Cole *Lewis Stones (3lb/1kg)*  
Second in her sole Irish point. Poor form over hurdles but did make more of an impact than previously when third of 9 on 2¾m Stratford handicap debut 25 days ago.

**11 JESSIE'S GIANT (42) 61**  
67940 5 10-5(10-0) | 65.8kg (63.5kg)

Tom Ellis *Jack Andrews*  
Little promise in bumpers/hurdles around 2m but more realistic chance now handicapping over a trip which is bred to suit. Worth a look in the betting.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-2** After Many Days, **11-2** Klervia, **7-1** Imperial Pride, **15-2** Shes All Pride, **14-1** Jessie's Giant, **16-1** Kottayam, **18-1** La Cantate, **20-1** Lady Dapple Rose, **22-1** Wishful Wings, **22-1** Jlow, **25-1** Slack Alice

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Perhaps this is the time when AFTER MANY DAYS finally gets off the mark. Imperial Pride will be a danger if she can translate her recent good chase form back to hurdles, while Klervia was having only her second outing for the Fergal O'Brien stable when fourth at Exeter a couple of weeks ago and it's possible she could build on that now.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. AFTER MANY DAYS 2. IMPERIAL PRIDE 3. KLERVIA**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Versace Twentyone</b>	6-12-0	7-1	Sheila Lewis	Jamie Brace (5)	13
2024	<b>Musique de Fee</b>	5-11-9	20-1	Georgina Nicholls	Jonathan Burke	8
2024 <sup>II</sup>	<b>Special Dragon</b>	5-11-1	7-2jf	Oliver Greenall & Josh Guerriero	Henry Brooke	8
	<b>Mrs Tabitha</b>	5-10-11	11-8f	Oliver Greenall & Josh Guerriero	Henry Brooke	9
2023	<b>Regal Renaissance</b>	5-11-10	15-2	Henry Daly	Alice Stevens (7)	12
2023 <sup>II</sup>	<b>Maid of The Night</b>	6-10-7	3-1f	Henry Daly	Richard Patrick	13
2022	<b>Rock On Rita</b>	6-11-3	4-1	Neil Mulholland	Richie McLernon	13

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**4.30**

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RACE 5







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Pace Information: **Even**

<b>1</b>	<b>ARM'S OF AN ANGEL (IRE)</b>	<b>94</b>
	David Killahena & Graeme McPherson <i>David Bass</i> €5,500 3-y-o, Getaway mare. Half-sister to fairly useful hurdler Clap of Thunder. Dam (h105), 2½m hurdle winner, sister to bumper winner/very smart hurdler (stayed 3m) Voler La Vedette. Failed to complete all 3 starts in Irish points, though every chance when carried out on latest (Nov 2025).	
<b>2</b>	<b>BRITWAY BELLE (IRE) (28)</b>	<b>93</b>
	Henry Oliver <i>Oscar Palmer (7lb/3kg)</i> Getaway mare who was bought for £120,000 after winning sole start in Irish points and bettered her first effort in this sphere when third in 9-runner bumper at Hereford (16.2f) last month. Needs more, however.	
<b>3</b>	<b>MRS CRAVATTE (IRE)</b>	<b>79</b>
	Henry Oliver <i>Lee Edwards</i> Unpromising in points so looks best watched on Rules debut unless the betting suggests otherwise.	
<b>4</b>	<b>MYSTI MEADOW (140)</b>	<b>97</b>
	Mel Rowley <i>Charlie Deutsch</i> Out of a 2m-2¼m hurdle winner, herself a sister to useful hurdler/high-class chaser Secret Investor. Backed at long odds and showed ability whilst looking green when fifth in a C&D bumper in December. Entitled to progress.	
<b>5</b>	<b>ROSE OF KNOCKNAMOE (IRE) (21)</b>	<b>94</b>
	Fergal O'Brien <i>J. Hogan</i> Westerner mare who finished runner-up on her sole outing in points and didn't get the chance to show what she could do on her Rules debut at Southwell, having been hampered by a weakening rival end of back straight.	
<b>6</b>	<b>THATSNOTMYNAME</b>	<b>93</b>
	Dan Horsford <i>Brendan Powell</i> £2,000 3-y-o, Dartmouth mare. Half-sister to 3 winners, including bumper winner/fair 2½m hurdle winner San Rumoldo and bumper winner/modest hurdler Perculator. Dam, unraced, closely related to useful hurdler/top-class chaser (stayed 3¼m) Carlingford Lough. A cheap purchase given her pedigree.	
<b>7</b>	<b>WHITING ASH</b>	<b>92</b>
	Alastair Ralph <i>Jay Tidball (5lb/2kg)</i> Jack Hobbs mare. Dam multiple point winner. Others more persuasive on breeding.	
<b>8</b>	<b>BELLE JUSTICE</b>	<b>92</b>
	Tom Symonds <i>Ben Poste</i> £15,000 3-y-o, Order of St George filly. Closely related to a winner, and half-sister to numerous winners, including useful hurdler Cool Macavity. Dam 1¼m/11f winner. Market for clues.	
<b>9</b>	<b>CHOCOLATE COSMOS (35)</b>	<b>95</b>
	Charlie Longsdon <i>Daire McConville (7lb/3kg)</i> Showed promise on her Ludlow debut and shaped better than the distance beaten suggests at Huntingdon 9 weeks on, though her effort did peter out quite tamely. 7-lb claimer now takes over in the saddle.	
<b>10</b>	<b>DONWELL ABBEY (IRE) (35)</b>	<b>91</b>
	Hughie Morrison <i>Jonjo O'Neill Jr.</i> From a family the yard has had success with but was very green when down the field in bumper at Huntingdon (15.8f, good to soft) on last month's debut. Should do better somewhere down the line.	

<b>11</b>	<b>LIGHTNING LUNA (IRE)</b>	<b>92</b>
	Sheila Lewis <i>Sean Houlihan</i> Order of St George filly. Half-sister to bumper winner/fairly useful 2½m hurdle winner Midnight Jet and fair hurdler/fairly useful chase winner Mighty Moth, probably stays 3m. Fourth sole start in point bumpers (Apr 4).	
<b>12</b>	<b>MELIDEN MOUNTAIN</b>	<b>96</b>
	Nigel & Willy Twiston-Davies <i>Sam Twiston-Davies</i> Scalo filly. Dam unraced sister to useful hurdler (winner around 2m) Hearts Are Trumps and French hurdle winner/chaser (2¼m-2¾m winner) Go Fast du Belais. Respected newcomer.	
<b>13</b>	<b>MILLY OCEAN (IRE) (35)</b>	<b>100</b>
	Fergal O'Brien <i>Jonathan Burke</i> Crystal Ocean filly who is bred more for stamina than speed but produced a promising first effort with that in mind when a keeping-on fourth of 14 in Huntingdon bumper (15.8f) last month. That looks the best form on offer so appears to have a leading chance.	
<b>14</b>	<b>OAKSTEAD PARK (IRE)</b>	<b>92</b>
	Mel Rowley <i>Toby Wynne</i> €35,000 3-y-o, Walk In The Park filly. Sister to bumper winner/fairly useful hurdler Lime Avenue, and half-sister to 3 winners, including hurdler/smart chaser Rogue Angel, stayed 4m. Bred to stay well.	

14 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

4-1 Milly Ocean, 6-1 Mysti Meadow, 8-1 Meliden Mountain, 17-2 Chocolate Cosmos, 11-1 Arm's of An Angel, 12-1 Rose of Knocknamoe, 16-1 Britway Belle, 16-1 Thatsnotmyname, 20-1 Belle Justice, 25-1 Whiting Ash, 25-1 Oakstead Park, 28-1 Lightning Luna, 33-1 Donwell Abbey, 66-1 bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

MILLY OCEAN producing a promising first effort when fourth at Huntingdon in March and is fancied to build on that for a yard that does very well in this sphere. Mysti Meadow hasn't been seen since an encouraging debut fifth over C&D in December but is entitled to progress nonetheless, with Meliden Mountain the pick of the newcomers before market clues.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

1. MILLY OCEAN 2. MYSTI MEADOW 3. MELIDEN MOUNTAIN

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**5.05****EDDIE MAPP MEMORIAL OPEN HUNTERS' CHASE (4) 5yo+  
£6,600 2m7f171y (4780 Metres)**

RACE 6

Going: **Good**

Ludlow is a sharp, right-handed, oval track, with a nine-fence chase circuit about a mile and a half and a run-in of 250 yards, requiring riders to steer left after the last to avoid taking the wrong course. Probably on account of so many races being well run the fences claim far more casualties than might be expected, Ludlow sitting comfortably in the top half dozen for fallers and unseats. The hurdle course, which runs on the outside of the chase course, has easier turns. Whereas the chase course is flat, the hurdle course has slight undulations but they rarely provide difficulties for a long-striding horse.

Pace Information: **Weak****SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**1 THE PADDY PIE (IRE) (368) (D)** s **76**  
2U131116- 13 12-6 | 78.9kg



W. M. Wanless **Miss Venetia Thompson (71b/3kg)**  
Grand servant for previous connections who won 4 of his final 6 starts in 2024/25. Has moved yards since last seen under Rules 12 months ago and arrives fit from points (last of 3 finishers, Apr 6).

**2 MR GLASS (IRE) (36)** t **94**  
1P-P33 10 12-2 | 77.1kg



Mrs D. J. Treneer **Mr Michael Treneer (71b/3kg)**  
Made successful start in this discipline at Wincanton in January 2025 but rather in-and-out since, doing all he could on first outing since leaving Paul Nicholls when third of 12 at Exeter just over 5 weeks ago.

**3 AMENON (FR) (404) (D)** **81**  
76P/163- 11 11-12 | 75.3kg



Fred Timmis **Mr Henry Bailey (71b/3kg)**  
Fair hurdler/chaser at best. Lost his way in Ireland but found a weak race to open his account in this sphere at Huntingdon in May 2024. Offered little for a new yard at Fakenham 13 months ago and has since switched yards again. Arrives fit from points, runner-up last time (Apr 6).

**4 EST ILLIC (IRE) (55)** s **72**  
32/47-75PP 12 11-12 | 75.3kg



Ryan Bradford **Miss Jess Stewart (71b/3kg)**  
Temperamental veteran who is winless since 2020. First run for yard after leaving Sarah-Jayne Davies and remains easy to oppose despite being a recent point winner (beat sole other finisher, Apr 4).

**5 FIX AT ALL (FR) (23) (C)** s **91**  
P40-PP323 10 11-12 | 75.3kg



Callum Bickers-Price **Mr Troy Walsh (71b/3kg)**  
Not disgraced in hunters last 3, unable to go with a pair operating at a higher level at this course (2½m) just over 3 weeks ago. Place claims.

**6 POTTERS PARTY (IRE) (9)** s+t  **100**  
7/8252P-7U 9 11-12 | 75.3kg



Kelly Morgan **Miss Ellie Callwood (71b/3kg)**  
Fairly useful chaser at best for Henry de Bromhead. Fit from points and went with zip in a first-time visor before unseating rider eighth at Hexham 9 days ago and the cheekpieces are quickly reapplied. Leading claims.

**7 PROHUS YANK (IRE) (57)** **93**  
UP 11 11-12 | 75.3kg



Miss H. Brookshaw **Mr Huw Edwards (31b/1kg)**  
Didn't show much in a handful of points last winter but in process of running a cracker on first Rules start for present yard when unseating last in hunter over C&D in February, likely he'd have split a fairly useful pair. Failed miserably to repeat that at Leicester later in the month, however.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**9-4** Prohus Yank, **11-4** Potters Party, **4-1** Mr Glass, **7-1** Fix At All, **20-1** Amenon, **20-1** The Paddy Pie, **33-1** Est Illic

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

A tricky finale to solve but POTTERS PARTY was going with zip before unseating at Hexham 9 days ago so Kelly Morgan's charge gets the tentative nod back in his usual headgear at the expense of Prohus Yank, who needs to leave a lesser effort behind but can. Mr Glass looks best of the remainder.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. POTTERS PARTY 2. PROHUS YANK 3. MR GLASS**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2025	<b>Jeffery's Cross</b> 9-11-12	11-4jf Dan Skelton	Mr Sean O'Connor (5)	6
2024	<b>Go On Chez</b> 8-11-12	13-8f Oliver Greenall & Josh Guerriero	Mr Harry Myddelton (7)	5
2023	<b>Secret Investor</b> 11-12-6	8-13f Paul Nicholls	Miss Natalie Parker (3)	6
2022	<b>Solomon Grey</b> 10-11-12	10-11f Miss V. Collins	Mr James King	3
2021	<b>Garde Ville</b> 11-12-0	9-4 Patricia Rigby	Miss Immy Robinson (5)	4