

1.50 TATTERSALLS ONLINE ROYAL LODGE STAKES (Group 2) (1) 1m (1610 Metres)

RACE 1 **(1) ACTION | (4) DAYTONA | (3) BOW ECHO**

2.25 TATTERSALLS SCEPTRE SESSIONS CHEVELEY PARK STAKES (Group 1) (1) 6f (1210 Metres)

RACE 2 **(3) BEAUTIFY | (8) ROYAL FIXATION | (1) AMERICA QUEEN**

3.00 TATTERSALLS MIDDLE PARK STAKES (Group 1) (1) 6f (1210 Metres)

RACE 3 **(9) WISE APPROACH | (2) COPPULL | (7) KANSAS**

3.40 BET365 CAMBRIDGESHIRE (Heritage Handicap) (2) 1m1f (1810 Metres)

RACE 4 **(12) TREBLE TEE | (10) FIFTH COLUMN | (15) TRIBAL CHIEF**

4.15 BRITISH STALLION STUDS EBF 'JERSEY LILY' FILLIES' NURSERY HANDICAP (2) 7f (1410 Metres)

RACE 5 **(8) QUEEN TAMARA | (4) GWEN JOHN | (3) ROGUE TEMPTATION**

4.45 BLANDFORD BLOODSTOCK MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (2) (D.I) 7f (1410 Metres)

RACE 6 **(1) ACT OF KINDNESS | (4) FORBIDDEN COLOURS | (8) MUBASIMAH**

5.20 BLANDFORD BLOODSTOCK MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (2) (D.II) 7f (1410 Metres)

RACE 7 **(5) OTTOMAN EMPRESS | (4) GOLDEN ORBIT | (3) GLOW**

5.55 AMBASSADOR CRUISE LINE HANDICAP (2) 7f (1410 Metres)

RACE 8 **(10) DANCE IN THE STORM | (4) INDIAN SPRINGS | (8) LEADMAN**

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.

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RACE 1

TATTERSALLS ONLINE ROYAL LODGE STAKES (Group 2) (1)
2yo colts and geldings £133,750 1m (1610 Metres)



Going: **Good to Firm**

The Cesarewitch course is two and a half miles long, with a single right-handed turn at halfway, creating a ten-furlong straight course, the longest in the country. A wide, galloping track with an uphill finish that is ideal for the big, long-striding horse, except for the descent into the Dip where those types can become unbalanced. Ability to see out the trip thoroughly is essential, and those that commit for home too early can be caught out by the uphill run to the line.

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

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|--|------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1 | 6 | ACTION (IRE) (56) (D) | 86 |
| | 31 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | Aidan O'Brien, Ireland | <i>W. M. Lordan</i> |
| Close third of 15 on debut at the Curragh before landing the odds in a Galway maiden upped to 8.3f last month. In terms of bare form his achievements don't measure up to some of the others (including stablemate Daytona), but, on the other hand, this Frankel colt is literally brimming with potential. | | | |
| 2 | 1 | ANCIENT EGYPT (IRE) (34) (D) | 95 |
| | 11 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | Charlie Johnston | <i>David Egan</i> |
| Fetches 1,100,000 gns as a yearling and confirmed the positive impression he created on debut when following up in a warm-looking Goodwood novice (1m, good to firm), defying a penalty in really likeable fashion. This is a significant step up, but he's potentially smart and could have a part to play. | | | |
| 3 | 8 | BOW ECHO (IRE) (21) (D) | 97 |
| | 11 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | George Boughey | <i>Billy Loughnane</i> |
| Looked good on debut at Newbury last month and there was an awful lot to like about the way he wrestled his way back to the front after being headed in a listed race at Haydock (8.2f, good to firm) 3 weeks ago. Looks ready for this step up in class and he's high on the shortlist. | | | |
| 4 | 3 | DAYTONA (IRE) (41) (D, BF) | 100 |
| | 113 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | Aidan O'Brien, Ireland | <i>Tom Marquand</i> |
| Decisive winner of 7f Gowran maiden and 1m listed race at Naas on first 2 starts prior to finishing third in a Group 3 at Deauville where the drop back to 7f was one of a couple of factors that counted against him. Remains open to improvement for top yard and needs considering. | | | |
| 5 | 5 | HUMIDITY (28) | 98 |
| | 1172 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | Andrew Balding | <i>James Doyle</i> |
| Built on debut success when making it 2-2 in the Chesham at Royal Ascot (7f, good to firm) in June. Back on track when going close in the Solario at Sandown last time (seemingly unsuited by the track when down the field at Goodwood on penultimate start) and this step up to 1m will be in his favour. | | | |
| 6 | 2 | LORD BRITAIN (9) | 81 |
| | 513 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | Ismail Mohammed | <i>Rossa Ryan</i> |
| Stepped up on what he showed first time out when landing a 7f Kempton novice last month. Subsequent third over the same C&D was no backward step, but he's probably biting off more than he can chew now stepping into Group 2 company. | | | |
| 7 | 4 | PACIFIC AVENUE (IRE) (28) | 97 |
| | 14 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | Charlie Appleby | <i>William Buick</i> |
| Got the better of shorter-priced stablemate Wild Desert (twice placed in Group company since) when making a winning debut on the other course here in June. Only gave way close home in the 7f Solario at Sandown where his lack of experience was evident and this Dubawi colt is capable of better. | | | |
| 8 | 7 | TAILGUNNER JOE (USA) (21) | 81 |
| | 617 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | |
| | | Dylan Cunha | <i>Ray Dawson</i> |
| Sixth of 9 behind Humidity on debut in the Chesham prior to bagging a 10-runner Catterick maiden (7f, good) a month later. However, his limitations were seemingly exposed when last of 7 in the Haydock listed race won by Bow Echo. | | | |

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

2-1 Bow Echo, 9-2 Action, 5-1 Pacific Avenue, 13-2 Daytona, 7-1 Humidity, 8-1 Ancient Egypt, 200-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Aidan O'Brien has tasted success in this race several times in the past and ACTION could be another Royal Lodge winner for the yard. It's admittedly a sizeable step up for the Frankel colt, who has only contested maidens so far, but he looks very promising indeed. Stablemate Daytona was better than he was able to show in France and is feared most, albeit only marginally as Bow Echo, Pacific Avenue and Ancient Egypt (in order of preference) are all open to improvement. Humidity also has claims.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. ACTION 2. DAYTONA 3. BOW ECHO

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

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|------|-------------------|-------|------|----------------|-------------------|---|
| 2024 | Wimbledon Hawkeye | 2-9-2 | 4-1 | James Owen | James Doyle | 7 |
| 2023 | Ghostwriter | 2-9-2 | 10-3 | Clive Cox | Richard Kingscote | 9 |
| 2022 | The Foxes | 2-9-2 | 17-2 | Andrew Balding | David Probert | 4 |
| 2021 | Royal Patronage | 2-9-0 | 7-2 | Mark Johnston | Jason Hart | 7 |
| 2020 | New Mandate | 2-9-0 | 9-4f | Ralph Beckett | Frankie Dettori | 5 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 2












TATTERSALLS SCEPTRE SESSIONS CHEVELEY PARK STAKES
(Group 1) (1) 2yo fillies £275,000 6f (1210 Metres)



Going: **Good to Firm**

The Cesarewitch course is two and a half miles long, with a single right-handed turn at halfway, creating a ten-furlong straight course, the longest in the country. A wide, galloping track with an uphill finish that is ideal for the big, long-striding horse, except for the descent into the Dip where those types can become unbalanced. Ability to see out the trip thoroughly is essential, and those that commit for home too early can be caught out by the uphill run to the line.

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

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| 1 | 4 | AMERICA QUEEN (IRE) (37) (D, BF) 12 2 9-2 58.1kg | 93 |
|  | Richard Hughes  | Billy Loughnane Won her maiden by an extraordinarily wide margin (12 lengths) at Haydock in July and subsequently pulled nicely clear of the rest when beaten a length by Royal Fixation in the Lowther at York. More needed in order to turn the tables on that rival here, but that's by no means an impossibility. | |
| 2 | 3 | ANTHELIA (IRE) (15) (D) 1115151 2 9-2 58.1kg | 92 |
|  | Rod Millman | Lewis Edmunds Winner of the Super Sprint at Newbury in July and, having performed with credit in a valuable sales race at the York Ebor meeting next time, she recently resumed winning ways when getting the better of Orion's Belt in Group 3 company at Salisbury (6f, soft). This is more demanding. | |
| 3 | 1 | BEAUTIFY (IRE) (13) (D) 312 2 9-2 58.1kg |  100 |
|  | Aidan O'Brien, Ireland | Tom Marquand Stepped up markedly on debut form when landing the Group 2 Airlie Stud Stakes at the Curragh in June. Impressed with the way she moved through the race when second in the Moyglare at the same course (7f, good to soft) next time and she's a big player back at 6f here. Yard also saddles True Love. | |
| 4 | 7 | FITZELLA (34) (D) 21412 2 9-2 58.1kg | 91 |
|  | Hugo Palmer | Oisín Murphy Raised her game when making all in the Princess Margaret Stakes at Ascot prior to chasing home a potentially very smart Andre Fabre-trained filly in a French Group 3 upped to 7f. This drop back in trip looks a good move, but she arguably lacks the star potential of some of these rivals. | |
| 5 | 6 | GOLDEN PALACE (15) (D) 117 2 9-2 58.1kg | 83 |
|  | Richard Fahey | David Egan Created a good impression when winning novice events at Beverley and York on first 2 starts. Wasn't able to show what she can do behind Anthelia at Salisbury recently (raced on the unfavoured near side on that occasion), but she's probably flying too high here in any case. | |
| 6 | 5 | HAVANA ANNA (27) (BF) 32112 2 9-2 58.1kg | 94 |
|  | Donnacha Aidan O'Brien, Ireland | G. M. Ryan Solid placed efforts first 2 starts before going on to land a maiden and listed race (both over 5f at Naas) during the summer. Just touched off in a Group 3 at Longchamp (also 5f) last time and, with the return to this trip unlikely to be an issue, she's not without each-way hope. | |
| 7 | 2 | ORION'S BELT (IRE) (15) 41362 2 9-2 58.1kg | 89 |
|  | Richard Hannon | Sean Levey Starman filly who bagged a 7f maiden on the other course here in July and found a bit of improvement when overhauled close home by Anthelia in a Salisbury Group 3 last time, the front 2 pulling clear of the rest. Should win more races, but this assignment demands a significant step forward. | |
| 8 | 9 | ROYAL FIXATION (37) (D) 121 2 9-2 58.1kg | 96 |
|  | Ed Walker | William Buick Fetched 180,000 gns as a yearling and has wasted little time in delivering a return on that investment, winning a Thirkby novice and the Lowther at York either side of a near-miss in a Group 2 on the July Course here. Remains open to improvement and she's a major player. | |
| 9 | 8 | TRUE LOVE (IRE) (49) (D, BF) 22112 2 9-2 58.1kg | 98 |
|  | Aidan O'Brien, Ireland | W. M. Lordan Runner-up first 2 starts prior to landing the Queen Mary at Royal Ascot and the Railway Stakes at the Curragh during the summer. Presumably wasn't 100% when turned over at prohibitive odds in the Phoenix Stakes back at the Curragh last time, but it could be that she's a 5f specialist. | |

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

2-1 Royal Fixation, 4-1 Beautify, 9-2 True Love, 11-2 America Queen, 14-1 Fitzella, 18-1 Havana Anna, 28-1 Anthelia, 50-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Though bred to stay at least 1m, it's no surprise to see BEAUTIFY dropping back in trip here given how well she travelled through the race when second in the Moyglare over 7f at the Curragh. The forecast quicker ground here is another positive factor and she is taken to strike for the yard responsible for five winners of this contest since 2016. There was much to like about the way Royal Fixation went about her business when seeing off America Queen in the Lowther and she rates the main danger.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. BEAUTIFY 2. ROYAL FIXATION 3. AMERICA QUEEN

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

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|------|----------------------------|------|------------------------|---------------|----|
| 2024 | Lake Victoria 2-9-2 | 6-4f | Aidan O'Brien | Ryan Moore | 7 |
| 2023 | Porta Fortuna 2-9-2 | 9-2 | Donnacha Aidan O'Brien | Oisín Murphy | 11 |
| 2022 | Lezoo 2-9-2 | 11-2 | Ralph Beckett | William Buick | 10 |
| 2021 | Tenebrism 2-9-0 | 14-1 | Aidan O'Brien | Ryan Moore | 12 |
| 2020 | Alcohol Free 2-9-0 | 7-2 | Andrew Balding | Oisín Murphy | 8 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 3














TATTERSALLS MIDDLE PARK STAKES (Group 1) (1) 2yo
entire colts only £291,580 6f (1210 Metres)



Going: **Good to Firm**

The Cesarewitch course is two and a half miles long, with a single right-handed turn at halfway, creating a ten-furlong straight course, the longest in the country. A wide, galloping track with an uphill finish that is ideal for the big, long-striding horse, except for the descent into the Dip where those types can become unbalanced. Important to see out the trip thoroughly is essential, and those that commit for home too early can be caught out by the uphill run to the line.

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

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|---|---|--|---|------------|
| 1 | 6 | BRUSSELS (16) (D, BF) 1424 2 9-2 58.1kg  Aidan O'Brien, Ireland <i>W. M. Lordan</i> Debut winner at the Curragh. Has proved expensive to follow at a higher level since, though running creditably each time, fourth of 21 in valuable sales race at Doncaster latest. Return to bare 6f should suit though this looks a bridge too far. Tongue strap on 1st time. | t | 89 |
| 2 | 5 | COPPULL (34) (D) 1315 2 9-2 58.1kg  Clive Cox <i>Rossa Ryan</i> Improved appreciably on Leicester debut success when third of 20 in Coventry Stakes at Royal Ascot. Stepped up again to win Richmond at Goodwood, seen to good effect from the front. Underperformed in Prix Morny at Deauville since but he's entitled to be bang there on previous form. | | 96 |
| 3 | 9 | FIRST APPROACH (IRE) (8) 21402943 2 9-2 58.1kg  Aidan O'Brien, Ireland <i>G. M. Ryan</i> Established as a fairly-useful colt. Not good enough for this level and likely to be used as a pacemaker. | | 81 |
| 4 | 2 | FIVE WAYS (21) (D) 411 2 9-2 58.1kg  Andrew Balding  <i>Jason Watson</i> Green on debut and knew a lot more when bolting up in 6f novice at Salisbury. Improved again when narrow winner of Sirenia Stakes at Kempton 3 weeks ago, able to dictate and again impressing with the way he travelled. Needs to improve again but respected all the same. | | 91 |
| 5 | 4 | HAVANA HURRICANE (15) 121234 2 9-2 58.1kg  Eve Johnson Houghton <i>Charles Bishop</i> Has proved to be a bargain buy for connections despite his habitual slow starts, winning Windsor Castle at Royal Ascot before going close in Newbury Super Sprint. Good in-frame efforts in Group 2s since, knocking the eye out with how he finished off when fourth in Flying Childers. Not taken lightly. | | 90 |
| 6 | 1 | HILITANY (19) (D) 211 2 9-2 58.1kg  George Boughey  <i>Billy Loughnane</i> Progressive form in novices, defying a penalty with ease at Windsor 19 days ago. Now takes a big step up in class but he clearly has more to offer still. | | 85 |
| 7 | 3 | KANSAS (IRE) (15) 3231222 2 9-2 58.1kg  Aidan O'Brien, Ireland <i>Tom Marquand</i> Off the mark at fourth attempt in Tipperary maiden and much better form in defeat at a higher level since, beaten only by a highly progressive filly in the Flying Childers at Doncaster 2 weeks ago. Return to 6f could suit. | s | 92 |
| 8 | 7 | THE PUBLICAN'S SON (USA) (28) 2 2 9-2 58.1kg  Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland  <i>Oisin Murphy</i> £20,000 yearling, £200,000 2-y-o. Shaped with plenty of encouragement pitched in deep on debut when ¾-length second of 10 in Group 3 at the Curragh 4 weeks ago, having to pick way through. Highly tried once again but looks a smart prospect. | | 89 |
| 9 | 8 | WISE APPROACH (IRE) (34) (D) 14213 2 9-2 58.1kg  Charlie Appleby  <i>William Buick</i> Runner-up in the Norfolk at Royal Ascot before winning Newbury listed race in July. Confirmed himself a smart juvenile when ¾-length third of 6 to Venetian Sun in Prix Morny at Deauville (6f, good to firm) last month and effort makes him the clear pick on form. | ★ | 100 |

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Not a particularly strong renewal and Charlie Appleby has an excellent chance of winning this race for the second successive year with WISE APPROACH, who sets a clear standard on the back of his very good third in the Prix Morny at Deauville. Coppull failed to give his running behind the selection that day but still rates the main threat on previous form. Aidan O'Brien has won this a record 7 times and Kansas looks the pick of his 3 runners.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. WISE APPROACH 2. COPPULL 3. KANSAS

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

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|------|------------------------------|-------|---------------------|----------------------|----|
| 2024 | Shadow of Light 2-9-2 | 11-4 | Charlie Appleby | William Buick | 6 |
| 2023 | Vandeek 2-9-2 | 5-4f | Simon & Ed Crisford | James Doyle | 9 |
| 2022 | Blackbeard 2-9-2 | 10-3 | Aidan O'Brien | Ryan Moore | 8 |
| 2021 | Perfect Power 2-9-0 | 11-4f | Richard Fahey | Christophe Soumillon | 10 |
| 2020 | Supremacy 2-9-0 | 13-2 | Clive Cox | Adam Kirby | 8 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-10 Wise Approach, 11-2 The Publican's Son, 9-1 Coppull, 11-1 Hilitany, 14-1 Kansas, 16-1 Five Ways, 22-1 Havana Hurricane, 22-1 Brussels, 150-1 bar

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RACE 4















BET365 CAMBRIDGESHIRE (Heritage Handicap) (2) 3yo+
£175,000 1m1f (1810 Metres)




















Going: **Good to Firm**

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Draw: **Favours High** Pace Information: **Very Strong**

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|--|----|---|------------------------|----|
| 1 | 6 | BOILING POINT (IRE) (35) (C) | ✓ | 91 |
|  | | K. R. Burke  | <i>Clifford Lee</i> | |
| Listed winner for Roger Varian and even better form in defeat for new yard, notably his close second in the Group 3 Strensall at York (9f, good to firm) 5 weeks ago. Represents last year's winning connections but he'll require a very smart performance to defy clear top weight. | | | | |
| 2 | 5 | THUNDER RUN (IRE) (35) | | 94 |
|  | | K. R. Burke  | <i>Charles Bishop</i> | |
| Tackling 1¼m for the first time when getting up in the dying strides at the York Dante meeting in May. Creditable sixth of 18 in the John Smith's Cup back there in July and stamina seemingly stretched when last of 4 in 11.5f Windsor listed race since. | | | | |
| 3 | 12 | WESTRIDGE (FR) (35) (BF) | s | 94 |
|  | | John & Thady Gosden  | <i>Billy Loughnane</i> | |
| High head carriage hasn't halted his progression, improving with each run this season, winning a big-field handicap at Glorious Goodwood (1¼m) under Billy Loughnane before a good third in a similar race at the York Ebor meeting. | | | | |
| 4 | 14 | SAVVY VICTORY (IRE) (28) | b | 95 |
|  | | S. P. C. Woods <i>Jack Callan (5lb/2kg)</i> | | |
| Produced a career best to end a losing run down in grade at Newcastle in December. Has largely struggled since but he was a bit better than the result when sixth of 12 at Sandown (1¼m, soft) 28 days ago, travelling well before stamina stretched late on. | | | | |
| 5 | 24 | CASH (IRE) (14) (C) | | 96 |
|  | | David Simcock <i>David Egan</i> | | |
| Winless since his 2021 debut but several smart efforts in defeat since, including 2¾ lengths second of 14 to Treble Tee on his belated handicap debut at Doncaster (1m, good) a fortnight ago. Same mark here. | | | | |
| 6 | 15 | EBT'S GUARD (22) | | 95 |
|  | | William Muir & Chris Grassick <i>Lewis Edmunds</i> | | |
| Bagged Spring Cup at Newbury in April and resumed winning ways in Shergar Cup Mile at Ascot (good to firm) last month. Just as good when third of 17 back at Ascot (1m again) 3 weeks ago. Didn't quite see out the slightly longer trip when sixth in this last year. | | | | |
| 7 | 19 | URBAN LION (37) | | 95 |
|  | | Jack Channon <i>Edward Greatrex</i> | | |
| Has won a pair of 1m handicaps this year. Further progression third to Ebt's Guard in the Shergar Cup Mile at Ascot (good to firm) in August but needs to shrug off a lesser effort at York since. Stable has tasted recent success in this. | | | | |
| 8 | 23 | ERZINDJAN (IRE) (35) | | 96 |
|  | | T. J. Kent <i>Ray Dawson</i> | | |
| Struggled last year but has run solid races in strong 1¼m handicaps at York since joining T J Kent. Could outrun big odds. | | | | |
| 9 | 4 | MARHABA GHAIYYATH (IRE) (35) (D) | | 95 |
|  | | Charlie Johnston <i>Connor Beasley</i> | | |
| Largely progressive form, finishing runner-up in ultra-competitive 3-y-o handicaps at Newmarket July meeting and Glorious Goodwood. Caught further back than ideal when eighth of 15 at York since. No surprise were he to resume his progression now. | | | | |
| 10 | 18 | FIFTH COLUMN (IRE) (36) | s | 97 |
|  | | John & Thady Gosden  | <i>William Buick</i> | |
| Different model since being gelded prior to this season, winning strong 1m 3-y-o handicaps at the Newmarket July and York Ebor meetings. The way he stayed on to lead in the final strides on the Knavesmire suggests the extra 1f this afternoon will be right up his street. Major player. | | | | |



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| 11 | 13 | GREEK ORDER (35) | ✓ | 98 |
|  | | Michael Bell  | <i>Rossa Ryan</i> | |
| Second in this for the Charlton yard in 2023. Underperformed during US stint but quickly found form top back in Britain, hitting the frame in a trio of top-end handicaps. However, he does now need to shrug off a disappointing effort at last month's York Ebor meeting. | | | | |
| 12 | 7 | TREBLE TEE (IRE) (4lb/2kg ex) (14) (C) | t | 100 |
|  | | Simon & Ed Crisford <i>Kieran Shoemark</i> | | |
| Soft-ground course debut winner at 2 and back on the up since tongue tied, building on runner-up effort at Thirsk and Goodwood with a comfortable 2¾-length defeat of Cash at Doncaster (1m, good) 2 weeks ago. Well treated under a 4 lb penalty. | | | | |
| 13 | 22 | REAL GAIN (IRE) (57) (CD) | | 96 |
|  | | Richard Hughes  | <i>James Doyle</i> | |
| Last season never really got going for him but given a chance by the handicapper as a result and this low-mileage 5-y-o returned with a fine effort when third of 15 in the Golden Mile at Glorious Goodwood. This former C&D winner has been kept fresh for this since. | | | | |
| 14 | 10 | FORT GEORGE (42) (C) | | 94 |
|  | | Ed Walker <i>Oisin Murphy</i> | | |
| Very progressive 3-y-o who was impressive under a change of tactics in a small field at Newbury (1¼m, good to firm) last month, making all with ease. Raised 9 lb as a result but there's probably more to come. | | | | |
| 15 | 20 | TRIBAL CHIEF (FR) (34) (D) | t | 97 |
|  | | David Menuisier <i>Sean Levey</i> | | |
| Won 4 handicaps last season and firmly back on the up when beating Treble Tee by ½ length at Goodwood (1m, good to firm) 5 weeks ago. Effectively 2 lb better off with that reopposing rival and has to enter the reckoning. | | | | |
| 16 | 2 | MR SWIVELL (22) (D) | | 96 |
|  | | Kevin Philippart de Foy  | <i>Harry Davies</i> | |
| Bagged a third win of 2025 for his current yard at Wolverhampton in July. Failed to get home over 1¼m at Windsor last month and quickly back on form when second of 17 at Ascot (1m, good to soft) 22 days ago. | | | | |
| 17 | 16 | GREAT CHIEFTAIN (IRE) (34) (C) | b | 93 |
|  | | Oliver Cole <i>Benoit de la Sayette</i> | | |
| Back on the up with 1m wins here and at Haydock in May. Off 3 months, respectable fifth of 11 to Tribal Chief and Treble Tee in 1m Goodwood handicap 5 weeks ago and could be sharper with that behind him. | | | | |
| 18 | 21 | TREASURE TIME (49) | | 97 |
|  | | William Haggas  | <i>Tom Marquand</i> | |
| Made a pleasing reappearance at Sandown in July. Disappointed at Glorious Goodwood next time but back on form with cheekpieces added (off now) when fourth of 10 to Ebt's Guard at Ascot (1m, good to firm) 7 weeks ago. His top yard has been in tremendous form in September. Enters calculations. | | | | |
| 19 | 3 | INDALO (IRE) (30) | | 94 |
|  | | Roger Varian  | <i>Jack Mitchell</i> | |
| Keen-going type has been in very good form in recent months, winning 1m handicaps at Sandown and Southwell and fine fourth at Glorious Goodwood (9f, good) in between. | | | | |
| 20 | 1 | SILVER SWORD (140) | | 94 |
|  | | Dylan Cunha <i>John Egan</i> | | |
| Back to winning ways when edging out No Retreat at Meydan (1m) in March. Some respectable efforts in defeat in Britain in the spring but looks summed up by his mark. First run for 140 days. | | | | |
| 21 | 17 | MISTER WINSTON (34) (BF) | | 95 |
|  | | Andrew Balding  | <i>Nicola Currie</i> | |
| Churchill colt who has made steady progress this season, winning a 7.5f Chester maiden and a 1m handicap on the July Course here (both good to firm). Better than result when 3 lengths fourth of 11 to Tribal Chief and Treble Tee at Goodwood latest, making his effort earlier than ideal. Respected. | | | | |

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RACE 4

BET365 CAMBRIDGESHIRE (Heritage Handicap) (2) 3yo+
£175,000 1m1f (1810 Metres)



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| 22 | 8 | DIVINE KNIGHT (IRE) (14) | 93 |
|  | 1724 | 4 8-5 53.1kg | <i>Marco Ghiani</i> |
| S. P. C. Woods | | | |
| Has quickly reached a useful level, finishing 3 lengths fourth of 9 on his 1¼m Doncaster handicap debut a fortnight ago. He'll need to step up on that form here but his lightly-raced profile provides the hope for better. | | | |
| 23 | 11 | DUTCH DECOY (6) | 94 |
|  | 41100508 | 8 8-2(8-1) 51.7kg (51.3kg) | <i>Hollie Doyle</i> |
| Charlie Johnston | | | |
| Bagged a pair of 1m wins at Newmarket in July but the handicapper has looked in charge since. Sixth is the best he's managed in 3 previous attempts in this race. | | | |
| 24 | 9 | SIR PAUL RAMSEY (21) | 94 |
|  | 76101340 | 3 8-2(8-1) 51.7kg (51.3kg) | <i>Joe Fanning</i> |
| Charlie Johnston | | | |
| Successful twice in 1m handicaps this summer. Shaped well when reaching the frame in quick succession at York and Chester towards the end of August. Not in the same form on AW latest but no shock were he to bounce back with a bang. | | | |

24 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:
11-2 Treble Tee, **17-2** Fifth Column, **17-2** Fort George, **11-1** Tribal Chief, **18-1** Westridge, **20-1** Greek Order, **20-1** Cash, **20-1** Real Gain, **20-1** Great Chieftain, **22-1** Ebt's Guard, **22-1** Boiling Point, **25-1** Indalo, **28-1** Mr Swivell, **33-1** Treasure Time, **33-1** Mister Winston, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:
Older horses have won the last 5 runnings but 3-y-os can hold sway this time, with impressive recent Doncaster winner TREBLE TEE selected to make light of 4 lb penalty and see off Fifth Column, whose yard won this with a 3-y-o in 2018 and 2019. Tribal Chief and Mister Winston are tied in with the selection on last month's Goodwood form and also make the shortlist. Sir Paul Ramsey is one who could go well at likely bigger odds.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:
1. TREBLE TEE 2. FIFTH COLUMN 3. TRIBAL CHIEF

| WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS: | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------|--------|------|------------------------|-------------------|----|
| 2024 | Liberty Lane | 4-9-12 | 8-1 | K. R. Burke | Clifford Lee | 31 |
| 2023 | Astro King | 6-9-12 | 20-1 | Daniel & Claire Kubler | Richard Kingscote | 34 |
| 2022 | Majestic | 4-8-1 | 25-1 | Mick Channon | Aidan Keeley (5) | 28 |
| 2021 | Bedouin's Story | 6-9-5 | 40-1 | Saeed bin Suroor | Jamie Spencer | 26 |
| 2020 | Majestic Dawn | 4-8-8 | 40-1 | Paul & Oliver Cole | Paul Hanagan | 27 |

SMART STATS:
No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 5















BRITISH STALLION STUDS EBF 'JERSEY LILY' FILLIES' NURSERY HANDICAP (2) 2yo fillies £50,000 7f (1410 Metres)



Going: **Good to Firm**

The Cesarewitch course is two and a half miles long, with a single right-handed turn at halfway, creating a ten-furlong straight course, the longest in the country. A wide, galloping track with an uphill finish that is ideal for the big, long-striding horse, except for the descent into the Dip where those types can become unbalanced. Important to see out the trip thoroughly is essential, and those that commit for home too early can be caught out by the uphill run to the line.

Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Strong**

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| 1 | 4 | BELLA LYRA (GER) (15) | 91 |
|  | 31334 | 2 9-9 61.2kg | <i>Finley Marsh</i> |
| Richard Hughes  Confirmed debut promise when landing 9-runner novice at Windsor in June. Improved form when placed in better company next 2 stars and soft ground perhaps to blame for her backward step in the Dick Poole a fortnight ago. Nursery debut trying 7f for the first time. | | | |
| 2 | 6 | JUST CALL ME ANGEL (21) (D) | 96 |
|  | 3511 | 2 8-9 54.9kg | <i>Robert Havlin</i> |
| Ed Dunlop Novice winner at Epsom in August and improved another chunk when following up in 4-runner nursery at Kempton (7f) 21 days ago, getting first run. Up 4 lb but a bold hat-trick bid should be forthcoming. | | | |
| 3 | 1 | ROGUE TEMPTATION (IRE) (16) | 96 |
|  | 5123 | 2 8-7 54.0kg | <i>Harry Davies</i> |
| Edward Bethell Showed the benefit of her debut experience when taking a 10-runner Haydock novice in July. Travelled strongly for most of the way when a joint-second at Ripon (6f, good) and way she stuck to her task when third on nursery debut at Doncaster (6.5f) strongly indicates that 7f will suit. | | | |
| 4 | 8 | GWEN JOHN (IRE) (16) | 97 |
|  | 2122 | 2 8-6 53.5kg | <i>Marco Ghiani</i> |
| William Haggas  Confirmed debut promise with a smooth success at Windsor last month. Failed to land the odds at Carlisle 9 days later but found only a big improver too strong when second of 12 on nursery debut at Doncaster (6.5f) a fortnight ago. Up 4 lb but she's on the shortlist. | | | |
| 5 | 7 | SWIFT WINDS (IRE) (16) (D) | 92 |
|  | 0128 | 2 8-6 53.5kg | <i>Jack Doughty</i> |
| Hilal Kobeissi Left behind debut effort when winning a 5-runner maiden at Brighton and improved again when close second in Goodwood novice. Outclassed in the Group 2 May Hill Stakes last time and this a more realistic assignment back in trip. | | | |
| 6 | 3 | DICTAL (58) | 85 |
|  | 434 | 2 8-4 52.6kg | <i>Nicola Currie</i> |
| Andrew Balding  Wasn't able to justify short odds (10/11) but stepped forward from her first run when third of 9 in novice at Newbury (6f, good to firm). Too free on first crack over 7f at Goodwood and must settle down to make an impact from what is a tricky-looking opening mark. | | | |
| 7 | 5 | QUIESCENT (25) (D) | 96 |
|  | 271 | 2 8-4 52.6kg | <i>Jack Nicholls (5lb/2kg)</i> |
| Hamad Al Jehani Runner-up on debut at Newmarket and cas aside a lesser effort at Goodwood when off the mark in 8-runner novice at Chepstow 4 weeks ago. Different ground here but she's open to further progress. | | | |
| 8 | 2 | QUEEN TAMARA (IRE) (39) (D) | 100 |
|  | 521 | 2 8-3 52.2kg | <i>Hollie Doyle</i> |
| Harry Charlton  Continued theme of race-by-race progress when landing 7-runner maiden at Chepstow in comfortable fashion a month ago. Opening mark looks perfectly fair so major claims with promise of more to come. | | | |
| 9 | 9 | SECRET ECHO (IRE) (28) (D) | 94 |
|  | 331 | 2 8-2(8-1) 51.7kg (51.3kg) | <i>Ray Dawson</i> |
| Roger Varian  First foal from a dam related to smart winners. Didn't need to improve to make third start a winning one at Beverley 4 weeks ago, always holding on. In good hands but this demands more from just out of the weights switched to a nursery. | | | |

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 Queen Tamara, 9-2 Quiescent, 6-1 Gwen John, 6-1 Rogue Temptation, 15-2 Just Call Me Angel, 11-1 Secret Echo, 12-1 Bella Lyra, 22-1 Dictal, 25-1 Swift Winds

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Plenty of depth to this but QUEEN TAMARA brings persuasive credentials to the table as a progressive nursery debutante who looks to have been let in lightly. Gwen John and Rogue Temptation filled the places in a competitive contest at Doncaster last time and head the opposition.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. QUEEN TAMARA 2. GWEN JOHN 3. ROGUE TEMPTATION

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

| | | | | | |
|------|----------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------------|----|
| 2024 | Naina 2-9-2 | 6-1 | John Ryan | Christian Howarth (3) | 9 |
| 2023 | Wild Goddess 2-9-9 | 11-2 | Charlie Appleby | William Buick | 10 |
| 2022 | Coco Jamboo 2-8-7 | 10-3 | Marco Botti | Andrea Atzeni | 10 |
| 2021 | Perfect News 2-9-6 | 6-1 | William Haggas | Tom Marquand | 11 |
| 2020 | Mystery Angel 2-8-9 | 13-2 | George Boughey | David Probert | 16 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 6











BLANDFORD BLOODSTOCK MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (2) (D.I)
2yo fillies £22,000 7f (1410 Metres)



Going: **Good to Firm**

The Cesarewitch course is two and a half miles long, with a single right-handed turn at halfway, creating a ten-furlong straight course, the longest in the country. A wide, galloping track with an uphill finish that is ideal for the big, long-striding horse, except for the descent into the Dip where those types can become unbalanced. Ability to see out the trip thoroughly is essential, and those that commit for home too early can be caught out by the uphill run to the line.

Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Insufficient Data**

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| 1 | 6 | ACT OF KINDNESS | ★ | 100 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | William Buick | |
| Foaled April 3. 3,700,000 gns yearling, Siyouni filly. Half-sister to smart 2-y-o 7f/1m winner Ylang Ylang. Takes the eye on paper for powerful connections and obvious appeal. | | | | |
| 2 | 10 | BLUEBLUELECTRICBLU (IRE) | | 85 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Charles Bishop | |
| £50,000 yearling, Starman filly. Dam maiden (stayed 7f), out of useful winner up to 6.5f (2-y-o 6f winner) Inyordreams, out of Molecomb/Flying Childers winner Wunders Dream. Plenty of speed in her pedigree but newcomers from this yard tend to need their first outing and this looks a good maiden. | | | | |
| 3 | 5 | CHERRY BAKER (15) | | 89 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Pat Cosgrave | |
| Much improved from debut when second of 7 in maiden at Sandown (8f, soft, 50/1) 15 days ago. Probably going to need a bit more if she's to open her account in this competitive maiden. | | | | |
| 4 | 9 | FORBIDDEN COLOURS (IRE) | | 90 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Kieran Shoemark | |
| Foaled February 2. 750,000 gns yearling, Kingman filly. Dam unraced sister to smart 2-y-o 7f winner (stayed 1½m) Dance Sequence out of useful 1m-1¼m winner Tearless. Lots of appeal on paper. | | | | |
| 5 | 4 | HAVANA FLOWER | | 89 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Ray Dawson | |
| Foaled March 15. 60,000 gns foal, Havana Grey filly. Half-sister to several winners, including smart winner up to 11f Pivoine and 7f-11f winner Soldanelle. Dam 13f winner. | | | | |
| 6 | 1 | HEN PARTY (IRE) | | 86 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Jason Watson | |
| Foaled March 28. 110,000 gns yearling, Mehmas filly. Closely related to 6f winner Al Saariyah and half-sister to 3 winners, including winner up to 7f Happy Hadedá and 7f winner Light Blush. | | | | |
| 7 | 2 | MOJITO (12) | | 79 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Sean Levey | |
| Promise in Newbury/Kempton events, taking keen hold and still looking to be learning a fortnight ago. One for handicaps. | | | | |
| 8 | 8 | MUBASIMAH (IRE) | | 90 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Tom Marquand | |
| Foaled February 26. Frankel filly. Dam, 7f-1m winner, half-sister to useful winner up to 1m Mr Chaplin. Got to be of interest on debut. | | | | |
| 9 | 3 | SHADY DAME | | 89 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Oisin Murphy | |
| Foaled March 18. Too Darn Hot filly. Half-sister to 2 winners by Gleneagles, including 2-y-o 1¼m winner Top Brass. | | | | |
| 10 | 7 | TOPATHEMORNING | | 79 |
|  | 2 | 9-2 58.1kg | Marco Ghiani | |
| Foaled January 30. Mohaather filly. Dam, ungenuine 1½m-16.5f winner, half-sister to useful 1m-10.4f winner Topatoo. | | | | |

BETTING FORECAST:

2-1 Act of Kindness, 7-1 Forbidden Colours, 7-1 Mubasimah, 15-2 Shady Dame, 8-1 Cherry Baker, 8-1 Havana Flower, 20-1 Hen Party, 33-1 Blueblueelectricblu, 50-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

A good chance this will go to a newcomer, with ACT OF KINDNESS topping the shortlist. Charlie Appleby has a tremendous record with runners making the short trip to the Rowley Mile for their first outing and the 3.7m gns yearling has obvious claims. Forbidden Colours and Mubasimah are a couple of others to note before betting clues.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. ACT OF KINDNESS 2. FORBIDDEN COLOURS 3. MUBASIMAH

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

| | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|-------|-------------------|---------------|----|
| 2024 | Saqqara Sands 2-9-2 | 4-1 | Ralph Beckett | Rossa Ryan | 10 |
| 2023 | True Cyan 2-9-2 | 13-2 | Roger Varian | David Egan | 17 |
| 2022 | Vermilion 2-9-2 | 3-1jf | Andrew Balding | William Buick | 12 |
| 2021 ^I | Miss Carol Ann 2-9-0 | 10-3 | Roger Varian | Andrea Atzeni | 8 |
| 2021 ^{II} | Siamsa 2-9-0 | 9-1 | Richard Hannon | Pat Dobbs | 9 |
| 2020 | Saffron Beach 2-9-0 | 12-1 | Jane Chapple-Hyam | Adam Kirby | 15 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 7

BLANDFORD BLOODSTOCK MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (2)
(D.II) 2yo fillies £22,000 7f (1410 Metres)



Going: **Good to Firm**

The Cesarewitch course is two and a half miles long, with a single right-handed turn at halfway, creating a ten-furlong straight course, the longest in the country. A wide, galloping track with an uphill finish that is ideal for the big, long-striding horse, except for the descent into the Dip where those types can become unbalanced. Ability to see out the trip thoroughly is essential, and those that commit for home too early can be caught out by the uphill run to the line.

Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Weak**

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| 1 | 9 | CAPRICORN BELLE (USA) (12) | 70 |
| | 0 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>Marco Ghiani</i> |
| William Knight Nyquist filly. Dam once-raced half-sister to US Grade 1 1¼m (Arlington Million) winner Hardest Core out of US winner up to 8.5f (2-y-o 5.5f winner) Lillybuster. Tenth of 11 in novice (50/1) at Kempton (7f) on debut 12 days ago, slowly away. | | | |
| 2 | 5 | CARAWAY (30) | 84 |
| | 7 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>Tom Marquand</i> |
| William Haggas Gun Runner filly. Dam, 1½m-13f winner, half-sister to useful 2-y-o 7f/1m winner Agnes Stewart. 15/2, seventh of 11 in maiden at Newbury (6f, good to firm) on debut 30 days ago. May well do better. | | | |
| 3 | 7 | GLOW (30) (BF) | 88 |
| | 4 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>Hollie Doyle</i> |
| Richard Hannon 105,000 gns foal, Pinatubo filly. Half-sister to useful 7f winner Take A Pull and 9f winner Me Time. Fourth of 11 in maiden (7/2) at Newbury (6f, good to firm) on debut 30 days ago. 7f will suit and she'll improve. | | | |
| 4 | 3 | GOLDEN ORBIT | 90 |
| | | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>Rossa Ryan</i> |
| Ralph Beckett Foaled April 21. Sea The Stars filly. Half-sister to several winners, including useful 1¼m winner Warrant Holder, 1¼m winner Portfolio and winner up to 1½m Educator. Appealing newcomer. | | | |
| 5 | 1 | OTTOMAN EMPRESS | 100 |
| | | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>William Buick</i> |
| Charlie Appleby Foaled March 7. 550,000 gns yearling, Zarak filly. Half-sister to very smart 8.5f-1¼m winner Ottoman Fleet and 1m/8.6f winner Inverloch. Lots to like on paper and no surprise to see her go well on debut for Godolphin. | | | |
| 6 | 8 | SOMETHING COMING | 83 |
| | | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>Harry Davies</i> |
| Peter Chapple-Hyam Foaled April 6. 16,000 gns foal, Kodi Bear filly. Half-sister to French 9f/1¼m winner Miss Angel. Dam French winner up to 9f (2-y-o 6.5f winner). | | | |
| 7 | 2 | SOUFFLER (24) | 75 |
| | 7 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>David Egan</i> |
| Kevin Philippart de Foy 33/1, seventh of 9 in maiden at Lingfield (7f, AW) on debut 24 days ago, not knocked about. | | | |
| 8 | 6 | SUMMER IN PARIS | 86 |
| | | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>Pat Cosgrave</i> |
| James Owen Foaled April 17. 150,000 gns yearling, Wootton Bassett filly. Half-sister to 1¼m winner Dubai Harbour and 9f winner Passive Management. Dam twice-raced sister to smart performer up to 14.5f Pretty Perfect. Appealing newcomer on paper. | | | |
| 9 | 4 | ZABEEL FLOWER (IRE) (25) (BF) | 92 |
| | 22 | 2 9-2 58.1kg | <i>Billy Loughnane</i> |
| Richard Hughes Promising start when runner-up on debut in a 7f Lingfield turf maiden but couldn't replicate that despite filling same spot in 8-runner novice at Chepstow (7f, 8/11f) 25 days ago, heavy ground a plausible excuse. Remains with potential but hard to see her winning this. | | | |

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

7-4 Ottoman Empress, 4-1 Zabeel Flower, 5-1 Golden Orbit, 13-2 Glow, 11-1 Summer In Paris, 20-1 Caraway, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Charlie Appleby and Godolphin have a superb record with newcomers on the Rowley Mile and OTTOMAN EMPRESS is fancied to make a successful start. Golden Orbit is another interesting filly starting out, while Glow can improve from her promising Newbury debut.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. OTTOMAN EMPRESS 2. GOLDEN ORBIT 3. GLOW

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 8

AMBASSADOR CRUISE LINE HANDICAP (2) 3yo+ (Rated 0-105) £45,000 7f (1410 Metres)



Going: **Good to Firm**

The Cesarewitch course is two and a half miles long, with a single right-handed turn at halfway, creating a ten-furlong straight course, the longest in the country. A wide, galloping track with an uphill finish that is ideal for the big, long-striding horse, except for the descent into the Dip where those types can become unbalanced. Ability to see out the trip thoroughly is essential, and those that commit for home too early can be caught out by the uphill run to the line.

Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Even**

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|--|-----------|--|--------------|------------------------|
| 1 | 15 | PELLITORY (20) (CD) | s | 92 |
| | 1-1947855 | 3 | 9-9 61.2kg | Pat Cosgrave |
| James Owen C&D winner who comes here on the back of a good fifth of 9 to Elmonjed in listed race at York (6f, good to firm) 20 days ago. Cheekpieces on 1st time and ought to be thereabouts. | | | | |
| 2 | 12 | COMPLETELY RANDOM (35) | | 95 |
| | 54-115580 | 4 | 9-9 61.2kg | James Doyle |
| Harry Charlton Kick-started 2025 with wins at Southwell and Leicester in April and has continued in good nick, suffering a poor run when 16th in 6f York handicap last time. Can make his presence felt upped to 7f. | | | | |
| 3 | 8 | AALTO (FR) (37) (D) | t | 96 |
| | 1960-9207 | 5 | 9-7 60.3kg | Billy Loughnane |
| Ian Williams Yet to score this term but he turned in one of his better efforts when seventh of 17 in handicap at York (7.9f, good to firm) 37 days ago. Needs considering in the hope he's on his A-game again. | | | | |
| 4 | 13 | INDIAN SPRINGS (IRE) (85) (CD) | | 96 |
| | 3-11 | 3 | 9-6 59.9kg | William Buick |
| Charlie Appleby Promising Too Darn Hot colt made it 2-3 with stylish win in 5-runner novice at Haydock (7f, good to firm) in July. Makes his handicap debut with more to offer. Interesting. | | | | |
| 5 | 4 | ELARAK (43) (BF) | | 95 |
| | 6-1176 | 3 | 9-6 59.9kg | Tom Marquand |
| Charles Hills Scored at Lingfield before an impressive success in 1m novice on July course here in June. Not disgraced on his handicap debut when sixth of 8 to Mr Chaplin over 1m here 43 days ago. Not dismissed. | | | | |
| 6 | 6 | MR CHAPLIN (43) (D) | | 96 |
| | 0154-8081 | 3 | 9-5 59.4kg | Rossa Ryan |
| Ralph Beckett Got back on the up when bagging 1m handicap on the July course here 43 days ago. Up 3 lb but may do better still so he's not taken lightly. | | | | |
| 7 | 3 | SILVER GHOST (IRE) (37) (CD) | | 96 |
| | 26-611906 | 3 | 9-3 58.5kg | David Egan |
| Emma Lavelle C&D winner in May when also successful at Goodwood. Posted a solid sixth of 18 in handicap at York (7f, good to firm) 37 days ago and must enter calculations eased 2 lb here. | | | | |
| 8 | 14 | LEADMAN (21) (D) | ★ | 100 |
| | 2-2410280 | 5 | 9-2 58.1kg | Kieran Shoemark |
| David O'Meara Scored at Newmarket in July and an excellent second at Newbury following month. Much better than his 12th position suggests in 7f Ascot handicap last time, travelling strongly long way but poorly drawn. Interesting from 2 lb lower mark. Engaged Haydock 4.35 Friday. | | | | |
| 9 | 1 | OUR HAVANA (56) (CD) | | 97 |
| | 61016086 | 4 | 9-1 57.6kg | Joe Fanning |
| Richard Fahey A three-time winner this year, latest at Musselburgh in April. Came in a below-form sixth of 13 in handicap at Thirsk (7f, good) 56 days ago though so this C&D scorer needs to get back on track. | | | | |
| 10 | 5 | DANCE IN THE STORM (37) (D, BF) | h | 99 |
| | 5-171423 | 3 | 9-1 57.6kg | Oisin Murphy |
| Andrew Balding Upwardly-mobile filly was an impressive winner at Sandown in June and has advanced her form with excellent placed efforts in big-field 7f handicaps at Glorious Goodwood and York on her last two starts, suffering a poor run on latter occasion. Very much one to consider nudged up 1 lb. | | | | |

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| 11 | 10 | HUMAM (IRE) (21) (D) | | 92 |
| | 12666185 | 3 | 9-1 57.6kg | Marco Ghiani |
| Stuart Williams A ready all-the-way winner of 7f York handicap in June. Sold out of Andrew Balding's yard for 190,000 gns and below par both outings over 6f for his new yard since. No forlorn hope back at 7f here though. | | | | |
| 12 | 7 | RARE CHANGE (IRE) (22) (D) | | 96 |
| | 3-1101706 | 3 | 8-12 56.2kg | Finley Marsh |
| Richard Hughes Gelded before improving to win 3 of first 4 handicaps over 6f/7f in first half of 2025. Below that level since however so needs to take a big step forward. | | | | |
| 13 | 11 | HAVANAGREATTIME (IRE) (22) (D) | b | 98 |
| | 93172709 | 4 | 8-12 56.2kg | Jack Nicholls (5lb/2kg) |
| Richard Hughes Scored at Newbury in April and shaped as if back on song from a wide draw when ninth of 12 in handicap at Kempton (7f) 22 days ago. Possibilities in a change of headgear from a slipping mark. | | | | |
| 14 | 2 | WALSON'S LAW (57) (D) | | 96 |
| | 4626-1516 | 4 | 8-12 56.2kg | Charles Bishop |
| Eve Johnson Houghton Looked on the up when scoring at Newbury in July but he came in last of 6 in handicap at Newmarket (7f, good to soft) 57 days ago. He's the sort to bounce back though. | | | | |
| 15 | 9 | ZOULU CHIEF (35) | | 96 |
| | 5-0384623 | 4 | 8-9 54.9kg | Hollie Doyle |
| Heather Main It's now 13 runs since his last win in 2023 but he comes here in good nick, third of 12 in handicap at Goodwood (7f, good to firm) 35 days ago. One for the shortlist. | | | | |

15 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:
5-2 Indian Springs, 6-1 Dance In The Storm, 7-1 Mr Chaplin, 12-1 Zoulu Chief, 14-1 Elarak, 16-1 Leadman, 22-1 Silver Ghost, 22-1 Humam, 25-1 Our Havana, 28-1 Walson's Law, 33-1 Havanagreattime, 33-1 Aalto, 33-1 Pellitory, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:
DANCE IN THE STORM is fancied to gain a deserved third success of 2025 having shaped really well when placed in big-field handicaps at Goodwood and York on her last two outings. Charlie Appleby's unexposed Indian Springs (second choice) rates an interesting prospect now going handicapping after a break, while the handily-weighted Leadman makes lots of appeal too. Course scorer Mr Chaplin and in-form C&D winners Pellitory and Silver Ghost also need factoring into this highly competitive contest,

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:
1. DANCE IN THE STORM 2. INDIAN SPRINGS 3. LEADMAN

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

| | | | | | | |
|------|-----------------|--------|--------|----------------------|---------------|----|
| 2024 | Spanish Blaze | 3-8-11 | 13-2 | Marcus Tregoning | Trevor Whelan | 9 |
| 2023 | Catch The Paddy | 3-9-0 | 16-1 | Kevin Ryan | R. P. Whelan | 10 |
| 2022 | Noble Dynasty | 4-9-11 | 10-3jf | Charlie Appleby | William Buick | 8 |
| 2021 | Jumby | 3-9-7 | 5-2f | Eve Johnson Houghton | William Buick | 8 |
| 2020 | Vale of Kent | 5-9-9 | 5-1 | Mark Johnston | Franny Norton | 8 |

SMART STATS:
No Smart Stats available for this race