



Wednesday 30th July
GALWAY

5.05 TOTE 50,000 GUARANTEED PLACEPOT TODAY MAIDEN HURDLE 2¾m (4430 Metres)

RACE 1 **(5) HIPOP DE LOIRE | (12) SON OF ANARCHY | (9) PLOMEUR**

5.35 TOTE MONEY-BACK 2nd EVERY RACE TODAY HANDICAP HURDLE 2¾m (4430 Metres)

RACE 2 **(3) NITTY GRITTY | (16) BEGGARS ROCK | (8) PORTARLINGTON**

6.05 TOTE, 5,000 GUARANTEED JACKPOT IRISH EBF MARES HANDICAP HURDLE 2m110y (3320 Metres)

RACE 3 **(2) FARFROMNOWHERE | (13) RADAR AHEAD | (4) ENFRANCHISE**

6.40 TOTE GALWAY PLATE (Handicap) (Grade 3) 2¾m111y (4530 Metres)

RACE 4 **(6) NURBURGRING | (14) COMMON PRACTICE | (11) ASHDALE BOB**

7.15 DOWNLOAD THE TOTE APP (Q.R.) MAIDEN 1½m43y (2450 Metres)

RACE 5 **(15) WATERFORD FLOW | (5) MONT ST MICHEL | (11) EDELAK**

7.50 WATCH DANNY'S DIARY - 15 YEARS OF TOTE MEMORIES HANDICAP 1m123y (1720 Metres)

RACE 6 **(7) FAR FROM DANDY | (3) SUJET | (9) JA'MARR**

8.20 TOTE, NEVER BEATEN BY SP HANDICAP 2m110y (3320 Metres)

RACE 7 **(19) PRALOGNAN | (5) LIGHT UP THE DARK | (6) OPEN SECRET**

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












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Pace Information: **Strong**

1	AURORA'S BAY (IRE)	73
	5 11-12 75.3kg Paul John Gilligan, Ireland Harzand gelding. Half-brother to bumper winner The Long Point, stays 21f. Dam unplaced in bumpers.	<i>Mr O. T. Gilligan (7lb/3kg)</i>
2	CODED WELDER (IRE) (27)	76
	R32 6 11-12 75.3kg P. Mulligan, Ireland Thrice-raced maiden under NH rules. 22/1, second of 15 in novice hurdle at Tipperary (20.4f, good to soft) 27 days ago, no match for winner. Each-way claims.	<i>Sam Ewing</i>
3	COUP D'ETAT (IRE) (19)	75
	7/0296-6P6 6 11-12 75.3kg P. O'Rourke, Ireland Modest hurdler. 11/1, creditable sixth of 18 in novice hurdle at Cork (24f, good) 19 days ago. Others preferred.	<i>Mr J. P. O'Rourke (7lb/3kg)</i>
4	GORVITHO (FR) (27) (BF)	76
	3-0 6 11-12 75.3kg W. P. Mullins, Ireland Fair maiden on the Flat. Twice-raced maiden. 5/6, twelfth of 15 in novice hurdle at Tipperary (20.4f, good to soft) 27 days ago. Others more convincing.	<i>S. F. O'Keeffe</i>
5	HIPOP DE LOIRE (FR) (361)	100
	2- 8 11-12 75.3kg W. P. Mullins, Ireland Posted promising second on sole hurdles start here last year and shaped well in listed race on the level at Roscommon 29 days ago. The one to beat.	<i>P. Townend</i>
6	MATTER OF OPINION (IRE) (143)	74
	0343580- 5 11-12 75.3kg William Harvey, Ireland 125/1, nineteenth of 25 in novice hurdle at Naas (19.5f, soft) 143 days ago.	<i>Alex Harvey (5lb/2kg)</i>
7	MIGHTY BERKSHIRE (IRE) (26)	75
	5 5 11-12 75.3kg Declan Queally, Ireland Once-raced maiden. 40/1, fifth of 14 in novice hurdle at Wexford (20.8f, good to soft) on NH debut 26 days ago, considerably handled. Likely to need more time.	<i>J. P. O'Sullivan</i>
8	OBEY THE ORDER (IRE) (88)	77
	0 5 11-12 75.3kg P. J. Rothwell, Ireland Once-raced maiden. Tenth of 20 in bumper (16/1) at Punchestown (16f, good to soft) on NH debut 88 days ago. Makes hurdles debut. Significantly up in trip.	<i>Tiernan Power Roche (5lb/2kg)</i>
9	PLOMEUR (FR) (19)	77
	4 5 11-12 75.3kg Colin Bowe, Ireland Promising individual who posted encouraging fourth of 18 in novice hurdle at Cork (24f, good) on NH debut 19 days ago, finishing with running left. Ought to have plenty from that experience.	<i>J. J. Slevin</i>
10	PREMIER BANNER (IRE)	74
	5 11-12 75.3kg Paul John Gilligan, Ireland Berkshire gelding. Dam unraced half-sister to useful hurdler/very smart chaser (stayed 2¾m) Starchitect.	<i>Jack G. Gilligan (5lb/2kg)</i>
11	SOLDIERS WORLD (IRE) (26)	78
	21 5 11-12 75.3kg Declan Queally, Ireland Fairly useful winner at 17f in bumpers. 11/4 and visored for 1st time, won 14-runner bumper at Wexford (16.9f, good to soft) 26 days ago. Warrants respect on hurdles debut.	<i>Mr D. L. Queally</i>

12	SON OF ANARCHY (IRE) (53)	79
	4674-2 6 11-12 75.3kg Gordon Elliott, Ireland Lightly-raced maiden. Creditable second of 21 in novice hurdle (5/2) at Punchestown (19.2f, good) 53 days ago. Enters calculations.	<i>M. P. Walsh</i>
13	WESTOFTIGNES (IRE) (23)	74
	6 6 11-12 75.3kg Adrian Murray, Ireland Once-raced maiden. 100/1, sixth of 14 in novice hurdle at Roscommon (20.6f, good) on NH debut 23 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Work to do.	<i>Sean Flanagan</i>
14	ZANNDABAD (IRE) (192)	78
	022/26- 6 11-12 75.3kg A. J. Martin, Ireland Useful on Flat and, while he is yet to reproduce that level of form in this sphere, he has shaped better than the result on numerous occasions and must be respected here.	<i>D. King</i>
15	CHAMPAGNE MELANIE (IRE) (17)	73
	0-697 5 11-5 72.1kg John Neilan, Ireland Lightly-raced maiden. Last of 7 in bumper (33/1) at Sligo (18.3f, good) 17 days ago. Makes hurdles debut. Up in trip. Tongue strap on for 1st time.	<i>C. M. Quirke</i>
16	JAMPOT LANE (IRE) (99)	73
	00- 7 11-5 72.1kg Gearoid O'Loughlin, Ireland Twice-raced maiden. Tenth of 24 in novice hurdle (200/1) at Fairyhouse (19.8f, soft) 99 days ago.	<i>A. P. Kelly (3lb/1kg)</i>
17	RUTLAND ROSE (IRE) (52)	74
	6-08 6 11-5 72.1kg Martin Brassil, Ireland Thrice-raced maiden under NH rules. First run since leaving John Andrew Kinsella when eighth of 17 in novice hurdle at Punchestown (21.6f, good, 50/1) 52 days ago.	<i>R. A. Doyle</i>
18	WILLUHAVEAMINERAL (IRE) (60)	73
	9 5 11-5 72.1kg Michael Winters, Ireland Once-raced maiden. Ninth of 13 in novice hurdle at Listowel (16.4f, good to firm, 125/1) on NH debut 60 days ago, not knocked about. Significantly up in trip.	<i>S. Fitzgerald</i>
19	WINTER ORCHID (IRE) (19)	74
	067 8 11-5 72.1kg John Neilan, Ireland Thrice-raced maiden under NH rules. Seventh of 18 in novice hurdle (80/1) at Cork (24f, good) 19 days ago, finishing with running left. Tongue strap on for 1st time.	<i>A. M. King (7lb/3kg)</i>

19 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:
5-4 Hipop De Loire, 9-1 Zanndabad, 9-1 Son of Anarchy, 11-1 Coded Welder, 14-1 Gorvitho, 14-1 Soldiers World, 16-1 Plomeur, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:
HIPOP DE LOIRE shaped well on his previous run over timber at this meeting last season and has performed creditably on the Flat since. He can land the opener. Son Of Anarchy and Plomeur rate the principal dangers.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:
1. HIPOP DE LOIRE 2. SON OF ANARCHY 3. PLOMEUR

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2024	Lightkeeper	6-11-12	11-1	Gordon Elliott	J. W. Kennedy	18
2023	High Class Hero	6-11-12	4-5f	W. P. Mullins	P. Townend	16
2022	Champ Kiely	6-11-12	9-4	W. P. Mullins	P. Townend	17
2021	Desir du Large	8-12-0	9-4	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	S. Fitzgerald (7)	19
2020	Kaatskill Nap	7-12-0	7-4f	W. P. Mullins	P. Townend	12

SMART STATS:
No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 2












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Pace Information: **Very Strong**

1	ANOTHER CHOICE (IRE) (17) (D)	88
	2928-7078 8 12-0 76.2kg Matthew J. Smith, Ireland <i>James Smith (5lb/2kg)</i> Thirteen runs since last win in 2024. Last of 8 in handicap hurdle (8/1) at Sligo (17.4f, good) 17 days ago. Back up in trip.	
2	EL CHAMPO (IRE) (44) (C)	92
	242436-00 7 11-12 75.3kg P. J. Rothwell, Ireland <i>Tiernan Power Roche (5lb/2kg)</i> Course winner. Eighteen runs since last win in 2023. 6/1, tenth of 11 in handicap chase at Kilbeggan (20.2f, good) 44 days ago. Switches from chase to hurdles.	s
3	NITTY GRITTY (IRE) (13)	95
	8/056-41 5 11-12 73.5kg Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland <i>J. J. Slevin</i> Career best when winning 15-runner novice hurdle at Killarney (20.4f, good to soft, 9/4) 13 days ago, suited by increase in trip. Open to progress now handicapping.	
4	SPINNING WEB (IRE) (17) (BF)	96
	90211-P50 5 11-12 75.3kg Ms Margaret Mullins, Ireland <i>D. E. Mullins</i> Latest win in chase at Thurles in March. 10/3, tenth of 11 in handicap hurdle at Sligo (25.7f, good) 17 days ago. Can give a good account without posing serious threat to principals.	t
5	ARCTIC GALE (IRE) (29)	96
	222469-41 6 11-11 74.8kg Emmet Mullins, Ireland <i>Donagh Meyler</i> Fairly useful winner at 20f in chases. 11/2, didn't need to improve to win 16-runner novice chase at Tipperary (19.7f, good to soft) 29 days ago, staying on well. Switches from chase to hurdles. One to consider.	t
6	BEAU WALKING (IRE) (96)	97
	485B0P89- 7 11-11 74.8kg Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland <i>Sam Ewing</i> 22/1, ninth of 13 in novice chase at Kilbeggan (22.6f, good to soft) 96 days ago, going in snatches. Switches from chase to hurdles. Others more persuasive.	s+t
7	DREAM IN THE PARK (IRE) (216)	96
	5P4/P6201- 8 11-11 74.8kg Eric McNamara, Ireland <i>C. M. Hogan (7lb/3kg)</i> Fairly useful winner at 18f in chases. 7/2, career best when winning 10-runner handicap chase at Limerick (17.7f, soft), driven out. Off 7 months. Switches from chase to hurdles and moves back up in trip here.	
8	PORTARLINGTON (IRE) (15) (D)	98
	81118-651 6 11-11 74.8kg Ian Patrick Donoghue, Ireland <i>Mr J. P. Sutton (7lb/3kg)</i> Three wins from 9 runs last season. 7/2, career best when winning 9-runner handicap hurdle at Downpatrick (21.8f, good to firm) 15 days ago. 5 lb rise fair and he merits respect.	s+t
9	OSSIFER HOPS (IRE) (200)	92
	00/93526P- 7 11-10 74.4kg Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>J. W. Kennedy</i> Eleven runs since last win in 2023. 33/1, pulled up in novice chase at Fairyhouse (21.9f, soft), pulled up before 2 out. Off 6 months. Switches from chase to hurdles.	s
10	AHEAD OF THE POSSE (IRE) (23)	94
	70836-461 8 11-9 73.9kg Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland <i>E. Staples (7lb/3kg)</i> Improved to win 10-runner claiming hurdle (7/1) at Roscommon (20.6f, good) 23 days ago, well on top finish. This is more demanding.	s+t
11	CAESAR ROCK (IRE) (29)	97
	532F4P7-2 9 11-9 73.9kg M. F. Morris, Ireland <i>D. J. O'Keeffe</i> One win from 33 NH runs. Twenty-two runs since last win in 2022. Second of 6 in novice chase at Tipperary (19.7f, good to soft, 18/1) 29 days ago, clear of rest. On an attractive mark returned to this sphere.	s

12	BRILLIANT LIGHT (17)	98
	621305-03 8 11-8 73.5kg John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland <i>Sean Flanagan</i> Cheekpieces on for 1st time in this code, good third of 11 in handicap hurdle at Sligo (25.7f, good, 14/1) 17 days ago. Place possibilities.	s
13	COASTAL WORLD (FR) (31) (D)	98
	P214-4 10 11-8 73.5kg Noel C. Kelly, Ireland <i>Mr M. E. McCrory (7lb/3kg)</i> 22/1, creditable fourth of 9 in handicap hurdle at Cartmel (22.1f, soft) 31 days ago. Looks competitive on form.	t
14	GABRIEL RANGER (IRE) (79)	97
	1643656-1 6 11-8 73.5kg Joseph G. Murphy, Ireland <i>C. M. Quirke</i> Fair winner at 20f in chases. Career best when winning 15-runner handicap chase at Killarney (20.4f, good to soft, 6/1) 79 days ago. Able to complete off the same mark back hurdling.	
15	AFFINITY ROCK (IRE) (79) (D)	93
	62-1 5 11-7 73.0kg Cian Michael Collins, Ireland <i>Danny Gilligan</i> Thrice-raced winner over hurdles. Won 9-runner novice hurdle at Killarney (22.4f, good to soft, 15/8) 79 days ago, always holding on. More needed now handicapping.	
16	BEGGARS ROCK (IRE) (51) (BF)	100
	310382-17 6 11-7 73.0kg Declan Queally, Ireland <i>K. C. Sexton</i> Fairly useful winner at 20f in chases. Below form seventh of 15 in handicap chase (5/1) at Roscommon (25.1f, good to soft) 51 days ago. Switches from chase to hurdles. Couldn't rule out.	v
17	FOLLY BEACH (13)	98
	4065PP-37 7 11-7 73.0kg Mark Molloy, Ireland <i>L. A. McKenna (5lb/2kg)</i> 7/1, bit below form seventh of 15 in handicap hurdle at Killarney (20.4f, good to soft) 13 days ago, going off too hard. Others make more appeal.	
18	HIGH COURT CAVE (IRE) (118)	57
	41070- 5 11-7 73.0kg Noel C. Kelly, Ireland <i>Mr O. McGill (5lb/2kg)</i> Lightly-raced winner under Rules. Fourteenth of 19 in novice hurdle at Naas (16f, good to soft, 33/1) 118 days ago. Significantly up in trip for this handicap debut and improvement could be on the way.	
19	ROXBORO RIVER (IRE) (10) (D)	91
	6602-5914 6 11-7 73.0kg John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland <i>P. Hanlon (7lb/3kg)</i> Winner in hurdle at Stratford in July. Below form fourth of 8 in handicap hurdle (11/2) at Stratford (22f, soft) 10 days ago. Cheekpieces on 1st time. Uphill task.	s
20	CEOL DRAIOCHTA (IRE) (97)	94
	2U50FO- 4 11-5 72.1kg Edward Buckley, Ireland <i>K. E. Buckley</i> Tongue strap on for 1st time, twelfth of 13 in maiden at Leopardstown (15f, good to firm, 100/1) on Flat debut 41 days ago, lost all chance at start. Switches from Flat to hurdles.	t

RESERVES

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BAL KAUTO (FR) (19)
11/F54-371 8 11-6 | 72.6kg
Declan Queally, Ireland
Career best when winning 14-runner handicap hurdle at Kilbeggan (24.8f, good, 3/1) 19 days ago, easily. Can make presence felt. RESERVE.


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Reserve

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ADALIZ (GER) (27)
0696-131 5 11-5 | 72.1kg
Henry de Bromhead, Ireland 
Career best when winning 16-runner handicap hurdle at Tipperary (23.6f, good to soft, 7/1) 27 days ago. Yard having good spell. Can give a good account without posing serious threat to principals. RESERVE.

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Reserve


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RACE 2

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THE LITTLE YANK (IRE) (7)

P2-471382 10 11-5 | 72.1kg

John Patrick Ryan, Ireland

Latest win in hurdle at Kilbeggan in June. 9/1, good second of 15 in handicap chase at Wexford (25.5f, good to soft) 7 days ago, clear of rest. Switches from chase to hurdles. RESERVE.

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Reserve

20 DECLARED RUNNERS (3 RESERVES)

BETTING FORECAST:

8-1 Nitty Gritty, 10-1 Portarlinton, 11-1 Arctic Gale, 12-1 Beggars Rock, 12-1 Gabriel Ranger, 12-1 Dream In The Park, 14-1 Brilliant Light, 14-1 Caesar Rock, 16-1 Ahead of The Posse, 16-1 Affinity Rock, 20-1 Coastal World, 22-1 Spinning Web, 28-1 Folly Beach, 33-1 High Court Cave, 33-1 Beau Walking, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

It's hard to resist the allure of NITTY GRITTY, as an unexposed handicap debutant form the Joseph O'Brien yard. He improved when opening his account in a 20.4f Killarney maiden recently and this step up in trip could help bring about further progress. Beggars Rock is one of a handful of these returning to hurdles on an attractive mark and he is feared most ahead of Portarlinton, while Bal Kauto will also be a threat if he gets a run.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. NITTY GRITTY 2. BEGGARS ROCK 3. PORTARLINGTON

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2024	Talk In The Park	6-11-5	7-1	Ross O'Sullivan	D. J. O'Keeffe	20
2023	Building Bridges	7-11-12	40-1	Gary McGill	Mr O. McGill (7)	20
	Thornleigh Frank	6-11-10	7-1	Mark Fahey	M. M. McDonagh (5)	20
2022	Rock Road	10-11-6	4-1	W.P. Mullins	P.Townend	17
2021	Shanwalla	7-11-10	16-1	Paul John Gilligan	Jack G. Gilligan (7)	20
2020	Bon Retour	5-11-8	7-2	W.P. Mullins	P.Townend	14

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RACE 3












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1	REDWOOD QUEEN (IRE) (63) (D)	96
	REDWOOD QUEEN (IRE) (63) (D) P/11131-5U 8 11-12 75.3kg Cian Michael Collins, Ireland <i>Mr R. James (7lb/3kg)</i> Unseated rider at the last in claiming hurdle at Wexford (17f, good to soft, 13/2) 63 days ago, in control at the time of her departure. First run for yard after leaving Charles Byrnes.	
2	FARFROMNOWHERE (IRE) (63) (D)	99
	FARFROMNOWHERE (IRE) (63) (D) 1/1-2 7 11-11 74.8kg Paul Nolan, Ireland <i>S. F. O'Keeffe</i> Promising type. One win from 1 run last season. 12/1, second of 10 in minor event hurdle at Wexford (17f, good to soft) 63 days ago. Of strong interest now pitched into a handicap.	
3	MISS FOURIE (IRE) (25) (D)	98
	MISS FOURIE (IRE) (25) (D) 5742614-7 8 11-6 72.6kg Peter Fahey, Ireland <i>J. Coen (3lb/1kg)</i> Unreliable individual. Creditable seventh of 16 in handicap hurdle at Bellewstown (17.2f, good, 20/1) 25 days ago. Cheekpieces on 1st time. Others more persuasive.	
4	ENFRANCHISE (IRE) (364) (CD)	99
	ENFRANCHISE (IRE) (364) (CD) 54751/9- 7 11-5 72.1kg W. McCreery, Ireland <i>D. E. Mullins</i> C&D winner. 7¾ lengths seventh of 9 to Goodie Two Shoes in Stanerra Stakes (8/1) at Fairyhouse (14f, good) 21 days ago. Switches from Flat to hurdles. Enters calculations.	
5	CARRIED WITH LOVE (IRE) (132) (D, BF)	94
	CARRIED WITH LOVE (IRE) (132) (D, BF) 641- 4 11-4 71.7kg Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland <i>M. P. Walsh</i> Thrice-raced winner over hurdles. 6/4 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, third of 11 in handicap at Limerick (17f, good) 49 days ago. Switches from Flat to hurdles. Makes handicap debut in this sphere and she's open to improvement.	
6	FIRST DARE (IRE) (25) (D)	97
	FIRST DARE (IRE) (25) (D) 5166F-620 7 11-2 70.8kg Miss Elizabeth Doyle, Ireland <i>E. Staples (7lb/3kg)</i> Twelfth of 16 in handicap hurdle (16/1) at Bellewstown (17.2f, good) 25 days ago. Needs a couple of these to falter.	
7	FRATAS (IRE) (64) (D, BF)	98
	FRATAS (IRE) (64) (D, BF) 1P/02-2 5 10-13 69.4kg Michael Mulvany, Ireland <i>Jordan Colin Gainford</i> Lightly-raced winner over hurdles. Fairly useful winner at 12f on the Flat. 7/4, fourth of 7 in handicap at Tramore (12f, good) 22 days ago. Switches from Flat to hurdles.	
8	JOLIE JEWEL (FR) (65)	98
	JOLIE JEWEL (FR) (65) 5036932-2 6 10-13 69.4kg Brian M. McMahon, Ireland <i>Phillip Enright</i> Good second of 16 in handicap hurdle (7/1) at Ballinrobe (22.6f, good) 65 days ago. Back down in trip and likely to give another good account.	
9	BELLE THE TIGRESS (IRE) (53) (D, BF)	97
	BELLE THE TIGRESS (IRE) (53) (D, BF) 536-13 5 10-12 68.9kg Henry de Bromhead, Ireland <i>D. J. O'Keeffe</i> Lightly-raced winner over hurdles. Third of 5 in novice hurdle at Punchestown (16.4f, good, 6/4) 53 days ago, well positioned. One to be interested in on this handicap debut.	
10	BILLIE FRECHETTE (IRE) (19) (D)	96
	BILLIE FRECHETTE (IRE) (19) (D) 443-21 4 10-11 68.5kg Noel Meade, Ireland <i>Donagh Meyler</i> Lightly-raced winner over hurdles. Career best when winning 15-runner novice hurdle (7/4) at Cork (16.9f, good) 19 days ago, kept up to work. This mark demands more back in handicap company, but she's clearly going the right way.	
11	RED BALL OF FIRE (IRE) (276) (D)	96
	RED BALL OF FIRE (IRE) (276) (D) 67/534556- 8 10-5 65.8kg Mark McNiff, Ireland <i>A. M. King (7lb/3kg)</i> Respectable sixth of 14 in handicap hurdle (33/1) at this course (16f, heavy). Off 9 months. Has fallen to a workable mark, but others make more appeal all the same.	

12	MISS DISHY (IRE) (19) (D)	s+t	86
	MISS DISHY (IRE) (19) (D) 31830-696 6 10-3 64.9kg Ciaran Murphy, Ireland <i>S. Cleary-Farrell (7lb/3kg)</i> 25/1 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, sixth of 8 in handicap hurdle at Kilbeggan (18.7f, good) 19 days ago. Tongue strap on for 1st time.		
13	RADAR AHEAD (17)	★	100
	RADAR AHEAD (17) 47-21 4 10-3 64.9kg T. G. McCourt, Ireland <i>C. Stone-Walsh</i> Promising individual. 3/1, career best when winning 9-runner handicap hurdle at Sligo (17.4f, good) 17 days ago. Leading contender.		
14	KILLINURE LASS (IRE) (19)	s	97
	KILLINURE LASS (IRE) (19) FUB97-314 8 10-2 64.4kg J. P. Dempsey, Ireland <i>C. G. O'Dwyer (5lb/2kg)</i> Latest win in chase at Tramore in May. 7/1, good fourth of 17 in handicap hurdle at Cork (20f, good) 19 days ago. Needs a couple of these to falter.		
15	LEAH'S CONTESSA (IRE) (19)	h	99
	LEAH'S CONTESSA (IRE) (19) 5901P63-0 5 10-1 64.0kg Cian Michael Collins, Ireland <i>D. King</i> Winner at Fairyhouse in January. Bit below form tenth of 17 in handicap hurdle (15/2) at Cork (20f, good) 19 days ago. Likely to find one or two too good.		
16	CLASSY CC (IRE) (101)	t	92
	CLASSY CC (IRE) (101) 5700- 5 10-0 63.5kg Martin Brassil, Ireland <i>Shane O'Callaghan (5lb/2kg)</i> Lightly-raced maiden under Rules. Below form twelfth of 22 in novice hurdle (100/1) at Fairyhouse (16f, soft) 101 days ago. Makes handicap hurdle debut. Uphill task.		
17	SEA OF DOUBT (IRE) (5)		96
	SEA OF DOUBT (IRE) (5) 04092-240 5 10-0 63.5kg Ian Patrick Donoghue, Ireland <i>P. T. Smithers (7lb/3kg)</i> 20/1, twelfth of 13 in handicap hurdle at Kilbeggan (18.9f, good to soft) 5 days ago. Looks set for another struggle.		
18	CLEOPATRA'S NEEDLE (IRE) (109) (D)	h+t	98
	CLEOPATRA'S NEEDLE (IRE) (109) (D) 7951022- 7 10-0 63.5kg Harry Rogers, Ireland <i>Patrick Michael O'Brien (5lb/2kg)</i> 10/1, eighteenth of 20 in handicap at Leopardstown (9f, good to firm) 20 days ago. Switches from Flat to hurdles. Can give a good account without posing serious threat to principals.		

18 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

15-2 Enfranchise, 8-1 Farfromnowhere, 9-1 Carried With Love, 10-1 Radar Ahead, 11-1 Belle The Tigress, 12-1 Billie Frechette, 14-1 Jolie Jewel, 14-1 Fratas, 16-1 Cleopatra's Needle, 16-1 Killinure Lass, 22-1 Redwood Queen, 25-1 Leah's Contessa, 33-1 Miss Fourie, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Though FARFROMNOWHERE lost her unbeaten record when runner-up at Wexford back from a 12-month absence in May, she lost no caste in defeat in chasing home one who has subsequently performed well in Grade 3 company. Paul Nolan's charge should have more to offer now handicapping and she gets the nod ahead of Radar Ahead, who did the job well on her recent handicap bow at Sligo and is open to further improvement. Enfranchise has been in good order on the Flat in recent months and she is also feared.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. FARFROMNOWHERE 2. RADAR AHEAD 3. ENFRANCHISE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2024	Champella 6-10-7	10-1	Ross O'Sullivan	D. J. O'Keeffe	19
2023	A Law of Her Own 6-11-5	18-1	Peter Fahey	Sam Ewing	18
2022	Outback Flyer 6-10-9	11-1	Peter Fahey	K. C. Sexton	18
2021	Nodoubtabouthat 6-10-1	12-1	Shane Crawley	T. Joseph Kelly (7)	20
2020	Mrs Milner 5-11-1	14-1	Paul Nolan	S. F. O'Keeffe (5)	16

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 4











TOTE GALWAY PLATE (Handicap) (Grade 3) 4yo+ €270,000
2¾m111y (4530 Metres)















Going: **Nh: Good; flat: Yielding**

Galway is a right-handed track with a circuit of just over a mile and a quarter. There is a steep incline to the finish, but unless the ground is particularly testing the track is essentially sharp in character. The finishing straight is short at little more than a furlong. A low draw at 7f and 1m 100yds is a slight advantage.

Pace Information: **Very Strong**

1	SENECIA (IRE) (79) U4U3P1-P5 8 11-12 75.3kg  Vincent Laurence Halley, Ireland <i>Phillip Enright</i> Latest win in chase at Navan in March. 25¾ lengths fifth of 7 to Hercule Du Seuil in Gr 3 chase at Killarney (20.4f, good to soft, 10/1) 79 days ago. Risky proposition at present.	b	97
2	ZANAHIYR (IRE) (141) 145/3254F- 8 11-11 74.8kg  Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>Mr J. H. Williamson (7lb/3kg)</i> Tongue strap/cheekpieces on for 1st time in this code, respectable fourth of 15 in handicap (9/2) at Killarney (16.8f, good) 78 days ago. Switches from Flat to chase and not ruled out.	s+t	97
3	JESSE EVANS (IRE) (27) (C) 8313-3311 9 11-10 74.4kg  Noel Meade, Ireland <i>Mr D. McGill (7lb/3kg)</i> Course winner who landed 2m handicap hurdle at Tipperary recently. Goes up in trip for his handicap chase debut so needs considering.	t	94
4	WESTERN FOLD (IRE) (65) 6/F4632-11 6 11-10 74.4kg  Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>Danny Gilligan</i> 5/1, career best when winning 15-runner handicap chase at Ballinrobe (23.3f, good) 65 days ago, responding well. Not taken lightly in his current mood.		96
5	AMIRITE (IRE) (19) 290744-P1 9 11-8 73.5kg  Henry de Bromhead, Ireland <i>D. J. O'Keefe</i> 6/1, career best when winning 12-runner handicap chase at Kilbeggan (25.4f, good) 19 days ago. Stable having good spell so he's very much one to consider with blinkers added.	b+t	96
6	NURBURGRING (IRE) (12) (C) 4/313394-1 5 11-8 73.5kg  Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland <i>J. J. Slevin</i> Landed Galway Hurdle here 12 months ago. Excellent second in Ascot Stakes at Royal Ascot before getting off the mark in this sphere in 4-runner novice chase at Killarney (17f, good to soft) 12 days ago. Cheekpieces go back on and open to a fair bit more improvement. Big shout.	s+t	97
7	BUDDY ONE (IRE) (116) (CD) 41343P57- 8 11-7 73.0kg  Paul John Gilligan, Ireland <i>Jack G. Gilligan (5lb/2kg)</i> Much improved when winning 7-runner maiden at Ballinrobe (12.8f, good to soft, 4/1) 9 days ago, keeping on well. Switches from Flat to chase and no forlorn hope on his handicap debut.		91
8	DOWN MEMORY LANE (IRE) (101) 13/1324- 7 11-7 73.0kg  Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>M. P. Walsh</i> Latest win in chase at Navan in November. Shaped as if in need of the run when a well-held fourth of 6 in WillowWarm Gold Cup Novices' Chase (11/1) at Fairyhouse (20f, soft) 101 days ago. Much respected now going into handicaps.		98
9	THREE CARD BRAG (IRE) (116) (C) 22/337130- 8 11-7 73.0kg  Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>J. W. Kennedy</i> Latest win in chase at Navan in January. Eleventh of 34 in handicap chase at Aintree (34.3f, good, 16/1) 116 days ago, unsuited by step up in trip. Not discounted reverting in distance.	s	98
10	CHEMICAL ENERGY (IRE) (88) 5P3P046-5 9 11-5 72.1kg  Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>E. Staples (7lb/3kg)</i> Thirteen runs since last win in 2022. 7/2, below form fifth of 11 in minor event chase at Punchestown (24.4f, good to soft) 88 days ago. Tongue strap on 1st time. Plenty to find on form.	s+t	92

11	ASHDALE BOB (IRE) (44) (C) 526/2115-4 10 11-4 71.7kg  Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland <i>Sean Flanagan</i> Two wins from 4 runs last season. Off 4 months before an encouraging fourth of 11 to Gaelic Arc in handicap chase at Kilbeggan (20.2f, good, 8/1) 44 days ago. Cheekpieces back on. Looks competitive on form.	s	98
12	JAZZY MATTY (FR) (88) (BF) 3P12216-P 6 11-4 71.7kg  Cian Michael Collins, Ireland <i>Harry Cobden</i> Three wins from 10 runs last season. 4/1, pulled up in handicap hurdle at Punchestown (20.5f, good to soft) 88 days ago, weakening from 3 out. Switches from hurdles to chase. Tongue strap back on.	s+t	97
13	ANYWAY (GER) (44) (D) F128552-1 7 11-3 71.2kg  David Kenneth Budds, Ireland <i>Mr D. O'Connor</i> Tongue strap on for 1st time when bagging 9-runner novice chase at Kilbeggan (20.2f, good, 2/1) 44 days ago. Scored with a bit in hand there so he's one to consider.	s	96
14	COMMON PRACTICE (IRE) (89) (C, BF) 910/P151-4 6 11-3 71.2kg  Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland <i>S. D. Torrens</i> Promising sort. Good third of 20 in handicap (3/1) at the Curragh (14f, good) 66 days ago, running on. Switches from Flat to chase with blinkers added. Enters calculations.	b+t	99
15	THECOMPANYSERGEANT (88) (C) 2136432-5 8 11-3 71.2kg  Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland <i>C. Stone-Walsh</i> Course winner. 15/2, respectable fifth of 16 in handicap hurdle at Punchestown (20.5f, good to soft) 88 days ago, not ideally placed. Switches from hurdles to chase. Has to be taken seriously at these weights.		100
16	DUFFLE COAT (IRE) (88) 52P48UP-P 8 11-2 70.8kg  Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>Sam Ewing</i> Pulled up in handicap chase (28/1) at Punchestown (31.3f, good to soft) 88 days ago. Back down in trip with work to do.	s	98
17	SHECOULDBEANYTHING (IRE) (100) 11115337- 8 11-2 70.8kg  Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>Jordan Colin Gainford</i> Five wins from 13 runs last season. 33/1, respectable seventh of 30 in handicap chase at Fairyhouse (29.2f, soft) 100 days ago. Back down in trip with cheekpieces refitted. Possibilities.	s+t	96
18	ZENTA (FR) (51) (BF) 37/4P13-P3 6 11-2 70.8kg  W. P. Mullins, Ireland <i>A. P. Kelly (3lb/1kg)</i> Latest win in chase at Fairyhouse in February. Last of 3 in novice chase (8/11) at Roscommon (21.7f, good to soft) 51 days ago. Blinkers on 1st time.	b	93
19	ADAMANTLY CHOSEN (IRE) (91) 0/790590-3 8 11-1 70.3kg  W. P. Mullins, Ireland <i>P. Townend</i> Got back on track when third of 14 in handicap chase at Punchestown (20.4f, good) 91 days ago. Not taken lightly for top yard from a slipping mark.	s	98
20	SEA MUSIC (IRE) (65) (D) 207P2U-1U 7 11-0 69.9kg  Emmet Mullins, Ireland <i>Donagh Meyler</i> Scored at Punchestown and unseated rider 6th in handicap chase at Ballinrobe (23.3f, good) later in May. Tongue strap/cheekpieces back on and could easily bounce back.	s+t	97
21	OLYMPIC MAN (FR) (95) 12/P4617P- 8 10-13 69.4kg  W. P. Mullins, Ireland <i>D. E. Mullins</i> Hooded for 1st time, pulled up in handicap chase (20/1) at Sandown (28.7f, good to firm) 95 days ago, behind when bad mistake eighth. Down in trip and merits consideration if shrugging off latest effort.		98
22	GAELIC ARC (IRE) (12) F08-89412 9 10-6 66.2kg  John Patrick Ryan, Ireland <i>D. King</i> Latest win in chase at Kilbeggan in June. Good second of 9 in handicap chase at Killarney (17f, good to soft, 9/2) 12 days ago. Significantly back up in trip. Can make his presence felt.		97




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RACE 4

TOTE GALWAY PLATE (Handicap) (Grade 3) 4yo+ €270,000
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RESERVES

23	THE GOFFER (IRE) (90) (D)	t	96
	0P77543-5 8 10-11 68.5kg Gordon Elliott, Ireland <i>Reserve</i> Seventeen runs since last win in 2023. Below form fifth of 12 in minor event chase at Punchestown (33f, good, 7/2) 90 days ago. Significantly down in trip. Something to find on form. RESERVE.		
24	ARCTIC FLY (IRE) (29) (C)	t	97
	4P/601PP-1 7 10-10 68.0kg W. P. Mullins, Ireland <i>Reserve</i> 12/1, career best when winning 15-runner handicap chase at Tipperary (16.6f, good to soft) 29 days ago. Significantly up in trip. Needs considering. RESERVE.		
25	WATCH THE WEATHER (65)	t	97
	3248151-5 9 10-10 68.0kg R. P. Cody, Ireland <i>Reserve</i> Latest win in chase at Punchestown in November. Creditable fifth of 16 in handicap hurdle at Ballinrobe (22.6f, good, 33/1) 65 days ago. Switches from hurdles to chase and in the mix. RESERVE.		

22 DECLARED RUNNERS (3 RESERVES)

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 Nurburgring, 10-1 Thecompanysergeant, 14-1 Down Memory Lane, 14-1 Jazzy Matty, 14-1 Anyway, 16-1 Common Practice, 16-1 Amirite, 18-1 Three Card Brag, 18-1 Sea Music, 22-1 Zanahiy, 22-1 Western Fold, 25-1 Olympic Man, 33-1 Adamantly Chosen, 33-1 Ashdale Bob, 33-1 Gaelic Arc, 33-1 Shecouldbeanything, 33-1 Zenta, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Joseph O'Brien looks to hold a strong hand and his smart and versatile NURBURGRING is fancied to add to his victory in last year's Galway Hurdle now going back handicapping in this sphere with more to offer. Stablemate Common Practice also has better days ahead of him over fences and holds good claims, while a whole host of others enter calculations too, notably Ashdale Bob, Down Memory Lane, Three Card Brag, Thecompanysergeant and Adamantly Chosen in a cracking renewal of the Galway Plate.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. NURBURGRING 2. COMMON PRACTICE 3. ASHDALE BOB

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2024	Pinkerton 8-10-4	20-1	Noel Meade	Donagh Meyler	22
2023	Ash Tree Meadow 7-10-4	13-2	Gordon Elliott	Danny Gilligan (7)	22
2022	Hewick 7-11-7	16-1	John Joseph Hanlon	Jordan Colin Gainford	21
2021	Royal Rendezvous 9-11-5	5-1f	W. P. Mullins	P. Townend	22
2020	Early Doors 7-10-5	7-1	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	M. P. Walsh	21

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 5

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1½m43y (2450 Metres)



Going: **Nh: Good; flat: Yielding**

Galway is a right-handed track with a circuit of just over a mile and a quarter. There is a steep incline to the finish, but unless the ground is particularly testing the track is essentially sharp in character. The finishing straight is short at little more than a furlong. A low draw at 7f and 1m 100yds is a slight advantage.

Draw: **Favours Low** Pace Information: **Even**

1	7	FATHOM TWO (IRE)	71
	8	11-12 75.3kg	
		Mark Fahey, Ireland	Mr C. J. White (7lb/3kg)
		Making GB/IRE Flat debut. 12/1, pulled up in handicap hurdle at Fairyhouse (23.5f, good). Off 8 months. First run for yard after leaving Gavin Patrick Cromwell.	
2	18	GOLDINTHEVALLEYS (IRE)	71
	5	11-12 75.3kg	t
		Martin Brassil, Ireland	Non Runner
		Making GB/IRE Flat debut. Tongue strap on, eighth of 9 in bumper (5/1) at Punchestown (16.8f, good to soft) on NH debut. Off 8 months. Tongue strap on for 1st time in this code.	
3	12	GOTTA CATCH'EM ALL (IRE) (22)	71
	02420-675	5	11-12 75.3kg
		Harry Rogers, Ireland	Miss M. Walsh (7lb/3kg)
		Fair gelding. Remains a maiden after 12 Flat runs. Cheekpieces on for 1st time, fifth of 7 in handicap (16/5) at Tramore (12f, good) 22 days ago, going off too hard.	
4	9	MAX MERIDIUS (IRE)	70
	4	11-12 75.3kg	
		Thomas Mullins, Ireland	Mr Charlie Mullins (7lb/3kg)
		Making GB/IRE Flat debut. 100/1, twelfth of 24 in bumper at Punchestown (16.7f, good to soft) on NH debut 92 days ago. Off 92 days.	
5	21	MONT ST MICHEL (IRE) (15) (BF)	100
	0/2-42	4	11-12 75.3kg
		Aidan O'Brien, Ireland	Mr P. Smullen (7lb/3kg)
		Lightly-raced colt. Second of 7 in maiden (7/4) at Killarney (14.2f, good to soft) 15 days ago. Best form probably flatters him but still needs considering.	
6	3	NAKASSAMA (IRE) (361)	72
	287325/74-	5	11-12 75.3kg
		Noel C. Kelly, Ireland	Mr O. McGill (5lb/2kg)
		Fair gelding. Remains a maiden after 9 Flat runs. Won 15-runner handicap hurdle at Hexham (20.1f, good to soft, 11/8) 53 days ago. Fair on the Flat, creditable on last Flat outing.	
7	15	ROCKYS FAVOURITE (IRE) (224)	70
	0/0-	4	11-12 75.3kg
		P. Mulligan, Ireland	C. Healy (7lb/3kg)
		Twice-raced gelding on Flat. Tongue strap on for 1st time in this code, fourth of 9 in novice hurdle (125/1) at Downpatrick (17.8f, good to firm) 16 days ago. Poor on last Flat run.	
8	16	SIMPLETWISTOFFAITH (IRE)	71
	8	11-12 75.3kg	
		John F. O'Neill, Ireland	Mr K. O'Neill (7lb/3kg)
		Making GB/IRE Flat debut. Pulled up in handicap hurdle at Kilbeggan (20f, good to soft, 14/1) 59 days ago. First run for yard after leaving P. J. F. Hassett.	
9	11	SUPREME LAW (IRE) (298)	70
	444900/50-	6	11-12 75.3kg
		Sabrina J. Hartly, Ireland	Ms M. Kelly (7lb/3kg)
		Modest gelding. Remains a maiden after 17 Flat runs. Fourteenth of 15 in handicap at the Curragh (12f, good to soft, 150/1). Off 9 months. Rejoined yard after leaving Darren Bunyan.	
10	2	BOUJEE (IRE)	72
	8	11-7 73.0kg	
		Mark Molloy, Ireland	Mr J. H. Williamson (7lb/3kg)
		Making GB/IRE Flat debut. Tenth of 13 in bumper (20/1) at Punchestown (16.4f, good) 52 days ago.	
11	4	EDELAK (IRE) (10)	81
	8425	3	11-1 70.3kg
		John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland	Miss Georgie Benson (7lb/3kg)
		Lightly-raced colt. Bit below form fifth of 9 in maiden (4/1) at the Curragh (12f, soft) 10 days ago, slowly away. Blinkers on 1st time, tongue strap on 1st time. Player on best form.	

12	19	INDIAN RIVER (IRE)	71
	3	11-1 70.3kg	
		John Joseph Murphy, Ireland	Mr H. C. Swan
		€35,000 yearling, Nathaniel gelding. Half-brother to 7f-8.6f winner Kitaro Kich. Dam, 1m-10.7f winner, half-sister to useful 5f-7f winner Merhoob.	
13	1	SILENCE IS WISDOM (IRE) (37)	70
	07	3	11-1 70.3kg
		Patrick Magee, Ireland	Mr Finn Tegetmeier (7lb/3kg)
		Twice-raced gelding on Flat. 100/1 and tongue strap on for 1st time in this code, sixth of 7 in juvenile hurdle at Killarney (17f, good to soft) 12 days ago, having run of race. Back up in trip.	
14	8	SUPERFICIAL (FR) (291)	70
	9-	3	11-1 70.3kg
		Andrew McNamara, Ireland	Mr D. G. Lavery
		Once-raced colt. 40/1, ninth of 11 in maiden at Naas (8f, good to soft) on debut. Off 9 months. Significantly up in trip.	
15	10	WATERFORD FLOW (IRE) (18)	81
	5-324392	3	11-1 70.3kg
		Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland	Mr J. L. Gleeson
		Fairly useful colt. Remains a maiden after 7 Flat runs. Good second of 7 in handicap (6/4) at Limerick (11.3f, good) 18 days ago. Form pick.	
16	6	WORD FOR WORD (IRE) (16)	71
	04	3	11-1 70.3kg
		John Joseph Murphy, Ireland	Mr Finian Maguire
		Twice-raced gelding. Fourth of 8 in maiden (66/1) at Killarney (11.3f, good to soft) 16 days ago, not knocked about.	
17	14	NATIONAL VOICE (IRE) (61)	71
	755-867	3	10-10 68.0kg
		Jessica Bedi	Mr S. Cavanagh (7lb/3kg)
		Modest filly. Significantly up in trip. First run for yard after leaving Lemos De Souza. Modest on the Flat, below form on last Flat run.	
18	13	ROSE OF GLENHEST (IRE) (275)	70
	000-	3	10-10 68.0kg
		K. A. Heffernan, Ireland	Mr L. Hackett (7lb/3kg)
		Thrice-raced filly. Last of 11 in maiden at this course (8.3f, heavy, 250/1). Off 9 months. Significantly up in trip. Hooded for 1st time.	

RESERVES			
19	17	SURF ON JAMIE (IRE) (35)	60
	6	3	11-1 70.3kg
		P. Mulligan, Ireland	Reserve
		Once-raced gelding. 40/1, sixth of 9 in maiden at Naas (8f, good) on debut 35 days ago. Significantly up in trip. Tongue strap on for 1st time. RESERVE.	
20	5	THRU THE GAP (IRE) (26)	60
	8	3	10-10 68.0kg
		Patrick Magee, Ireland	Reserve
		€4,000 foal, €3,500 yearling, Inns of Court filly. Closely related to 7f/1m winner Weellan and half-sister to winner up to 1m Worlds His Oyster and 2-y-o 7f winner Regal Glory. Dam 8.3f winner. 80/1, eighth of 9 in maiden at Bellewstown (12.2f, good) on debut 26 days ago. RESERVE.	
21	20	SPORTING ACLAIM (16)	60
	7	3	11-1 70.3kg
		Denis Hogan, Ireland	Reserve
		Once-raced gelding. Seventh of 8 in maiden (50/1) at Killarney (11.3f, good to soft) on debut 16 days ago, slowly away. RESERVE.	

18 DECLARED RUNNERS (3 RESERVES)

BETTING FORECAST:

15-8 Mont St Michel, 11-4 Waterford Flow, 4-1 Edalak, 22-1 Indian River, 33-1 Word For Word, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

A thin maiden despite the numbers and a good opportunity for WATERFORD FLOW to get off the mark. Mont St Michel and Edalak are others to consider.

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RACE 5

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1½m43y (2450 Metres)



TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. WATERFORD FLOW 2. MONT ST MICHEL 3. EDELAK

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2024	Shoda 3-10-10	9-2	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	Mr T. Hamilton	18
2023	Minella Mate 5-11-12	66-1	John Nallen	Mr J. L. Gleeson (5)	16
2022	Dads Lad 7-11-12	28-1	W. P. Mullins	Miss R. Dudfield (7)	18
2021	Zero Ten 8-12-0	9-4f	Emmet Mullins	Mr P. W. Mullins	16
2020	Mt Leinster 6-12-0	3-1	W. P. Mullins	Mr P. W. Mullins	16

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 6















WATCH DANNY'S DIARY - 15 YEARS OF TOTE MEMORIES
HANDICAP 3yo €26,000 1m123y (1720 Metres)



Going: **Nh: Good; flat: Yielding**

Galway is a right-handed track with a circuit of just over a mile and a quarter. There is a steep incline to the finish, but unless the ground is particularly testing the track is essentially sharp in character. The finishing straight is short at little more than a furlong. A low draw at 7f and 1m 100yds is a slight advantage.

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

1	6	FIRST WAVE (FR) (43) 22-2317 3 10-0 63.5kg  Aidan O'Brien, Ireland Mark Crehan (3lb/1kg) Winner at Gowran in May. 17¾ lengths last of 7 to Field of Gold in St James's Palace Stakes at Royal Ascot (8f, good to firm, 100/1) 43 days ago. May do better now sent handicapping.	t	91
2	3	IRON FIST (IRE) (14) (D) 025-47281 3 9-7 60.3kg  Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland S. McCullagh Career best when winning 7-runner maiden at Killarney (8.2f, soft, 5/4) 14 days ago, always coming on. Hood on 1st time. Fairly treated back in handicap comonly.	h	97
3	5	SUJET (31) (D) 535-1 3 9-7 60.3kg  D. K. Weld, Ireland  C. D. Hayes Promising type who found improvement when winning 13-runner handicap at the Curragh (9f, good, 10/1) 31 days ago, well on top finish. 10 lb higher now but may have more to offer yet.		98
4	9	MATHAN (IRE) (25) 42-21272 3 9-5 59.4kg  Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland D. B. McMonagle Winner at the Curragh in March. Second of 3 in minor event at Naas (7f, good, 11/4) 25 days ago. Up in trip. Cheekpieces on 1st time. Makes handicap debut. Not out of things.	s 	100
5	4	SCOTT KEY (IRE) (67) 008-3186 3 9-3 58.5kg  A. Slattery, Ireland Ben Martin Coen Winner at Gowran in April. Bit below form sixth of 11 in handicap (11/1) at the Curragh (7f, good) 67 days ago. Up in trip. Others more persuasive.		97
6	10	LADY O (IRE) (15) (C) 13416-908 3 9-1 57.6kg  Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland K. G. Kennedy (5lb/2kg) Course winner. 14/1, eighth of 10 in handicap at Killarney (11.4f, good to soft) 15 days ago, not ideally placed. Back down in trip. Blinkers/tongue strap on 1st time. Others preferred.	b+t	96
7	2	FAR FROM DANDY (IRE) (16) 612-453 3 9-0 57.2kg  Stephen Thorne, Ireland J. Kearney (3lb/1kg) Shaped well, in first-time cheekpieces, when very good third of 12 in handicap at Killarney (8.1f, good to soft, 9/2) 16 days ago, left with too much to do. 2 lb rise fair and is one for shortlist.	s	96
8	7	REFRESHMENT (IRE) (6) 8-6461102 3 8-13 56.7kg  Mark Fahey, Ireland G. M. Ryan Latest win at Cork in June. Second of 4 in handicap at Leopardstown (9f, good to soft, 5/1) 6 days ago. Others look better treated.	b 	94
9	1	JA'MARR (18) 811-45332 3 8-12 56.2kg  David Marnane, Ireland  L. T. McAteer Dual winner (both 8f) last year who produced his best effort yet when good second of 7 in minor event at Limerick (6.7f, good, 9/4) 18 days ago. Step back up in trip will suit and holds solid claims.		99
10	8	SUNRISEONTHEBOYNE (IRE) (39) (D) 11092145 3 8-12 56.2kg  Michael Mulvany, Ireland Wesley Joyce (3lb/1kg) 3 wins from 9 runs this year. Latest win at Navan in May. Fifth of 6 in handicap at Down Royal (12.9f, good, 22/1) 39 days ago. Significantly back down in trip. Needs a couple of these to falter.		98

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Sujet, 6-1 Far From Dandy, 7-1 Ja'marr, 17-2 First Wave, 9-1 Mathan, 9-1 Iron Fist, 14-1 Refreshment, 18-1 Scott Key, 22-1 Lady O, 33-1 Sunriseontheboyne

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Preference is for FAR FROM DANDY, who was doing all his best work late on at Killarney last time and remains fairly treated. Sujet and Ja'marr are feared most.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. FAR FROM DANDY 2. SUJET 3. JA'MARR

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2024	Monasterboice 3-8-13	9-2	Noel Meade	C. T. Keane	10
2023	Lan Cinnte 3-9-10	5-4f	Mrs J. Harrington	Shane Foley	6
2022	Sir Antonino 3-9-7	8-1	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	Declan McDonogh	11
2021	Moddy Puddle 3-8-10	9-2	Ms Sheila Lavery	C. D. Hayes	11
2020	Flying Scotsman 3-9-3	13-8f	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	W. M. Lordan	8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 7

TOTE, NEVER BEATEN BY SP HANDICAP 3yo+ €18,000
2m110y (3320 Metres)



Going: **Nh: Good; flat: Yielding**

Galway is a right-handed track with a circuit of just over a mile and a quarter. There is a steep incline to the finish, but unless the ground is particularly testing the track is essentially sharp in character. The finishing straight is short at little more than a furlong. A low draw at 7f and 1m 100yds is a slight advantage.

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

1	7	HAPPY JACKY (IRE) (31) (D)	s	99
	0/31-3	11 10-2 64.4kg	K. G. Kennedy (5lb/2kg)	
Mark Fahey, Ireland Classy veteran who arrived fit from a good third on Flat at the Curragh when gamely resuming winning ways in 6-runner minor event hurdle at Cork (24f, good, evens) 19 days ago. Versatile sort who looks sure to give another good account returned to this sphere.				
2	22	JACOVEC CAVERN (291)		94
	20-	6 10-2 64.4kg	Seamie Heffernan	
Paul Hennessy, Ireland 6/1, finished sixth of 15 in novice hurdle at Ballinrobe (22.6f, good) 65 days ago, going well when mistake 2 out and not recover. Fairly useful in this sphere (shaped very well when runner-up in this race 12 months ago) and return to this code looks a good move. Respected.				
3	9	NOT JUST ANY EAGLE (IRE) (21)		96
	15-881572	6 10-2 64.4kg	R. Donaghue-Leahy (7lb/3kg)	
Patrick J. Flynn, Ireland Latest win at Leopardstown (12f) in May. Creditable second of 6 in minor event at Fairyhouse (14f, good, 6/1) 21 days ago, clear of rest. Each-way possibilities again.				
4	18	DROP THE ANCHOR (IRE) (22) (D)	v	94
	400/08-8	11 10-0 63.5kg	S. Coen (7lb/3kg)	
P. A. Fahy, Ireland Veteran who built on minor promise of previous efforts when ending losing run in 20-runner handicap hurdle at Fairyhouse (20f) in April. However, not in anything like the same form when 9/4 lengths last of 8 to Miss Gitana in handicap at Tramore (2m) 22 days ago.				
5	3	LIGHT UP THE DARK (39) (D)		93
	771	4 9-12 62.6kg	S. McCullagh	
Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland Camelot filly who was 2-2 in bumpers and readily surpassed what she'd achieved previously in this sphere when winning 6-runner maiden at Down Royal (12.9f, good, 13/8) 39 days ago, always holding on. Makes handicap debut with definite potential for better still now stamina is tested further.				
6	12	OPEN SECRET (31)	t	100
	7474317-7	4 9-12 62.6kg	Declan McDonogh	
Matthew J. Smith, Ireland Sole career success for Charlie Johnston came over 14f at Redcar last autumn and far from disgraced after 7 months off when seventh of 25 in handicap at the Curragh (16f, good) on stable debut 31 days ago, left with too much to do. Worth a second look on the back of that.				
7	6	SHODA (IRE) (37) (C)		96
	3140-5	4 9-12 62.6kg	D. B. McMonagle	
Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland Lightly-raced course winner. Creditable fifth of 12 in handicap (11/1) at Ballinrobe (13f, good to soft) 37 days ago, staying on. Appeals as the type to be suited by this further increase in trip.				
8	14	SIGN FROM ABOVE (IRE) (53) (C, D, BF)	s	97
	331/1-765	7 9-12 62.6kg	Ben Martin Coen	
Peter Fahey, Ireland Course winner. Creditable fifth of 21 in handicap (4/1) at Navan (14f, good) 53 days ago, ridden 3f out and keeping on. Another holding each way claims back up in trip.				
9	11	TEED UP (IRE) (82) (CD)	t	96
	0908090-9	8 9-12 62.6kg	R. P. Whelan	
Emmet Mullins, Ireland C&D winner. Eleven runs since last win in 2023. 10/1, never involved on the back of 7 months off when ninth of 10 in handicap at Ballinrobe (12.9f, good) 82 days ago. Back up in trip. Tongue strap back on.				
10	13	ARCH ENEMY (IRE) (15) (D)		99
	171-00085	6 9-11 62.1kg	P. McGettigan (7lb/3kg)	
Patrick Magee, Ireland Fifth of 8 in handicap (12/1) at Killarney (16.8f, good to soft) 15 days ago, plugging on having not been ideally placed. Not taken lightly.				

11	23	CRASSUS (IRE) (15) (D)	b	98
	31473/856	8 9-11 62.1kg	C. D. Hayes	
Noel Meade, Ireland 10/1, sixth of 8 in handicap at Killarney (16.8f, good to soft) 15 days ago. Blinkers back on.				
12	2	LAST AMMO (IRE) (9) (CD)	s+t	96
	7535-0004	6 9-11 62.1kg	J. Kearney (3lb/1kg)	
Laura Hourigan, Ireland Won this in 2023. Creditable fourth of 10 in handicap at Ballinrobe (12.8f, good to soft, 20/1) 9 days ago. Back up in trip and she's not dismissed out of hand from this sort of mark.				
13	5	NELSON MUNTZ (IRE) (22)		90
	34820-4	6 9-10 61.7kg	G. M. Ryan	
David Harry Kelly, Ireland Lightly-raced gelding on Flat who probably needed the run following 8 months off when fourth of 7 in maiden (14/1) at Tramore (12f, good) 22 days ago. Significantly up in trip for handicap debut and interesting what the market makes of him.				
14	16	FEUD (15) (D)	s	98
	541233/0-4	5 9-9 61.2kg	M. W. Hassett (3lb/1kg)	
Richard John O'Brien, Ireland Creditable fourth of 8 in handicap (6/1) at Killarney (16.8f, good to soft) 15 days ago, making late headway having been left with a bit to do. One to keep an eye on upped further in trip.				
15	1	RICH BELIEF (12) (D)	b+t	96
	831560-08	8 9-9 61.2kg	R. C. Colgan	
Karl Thornton, Ireland 50/1, eighth of 10 in handicap at Down Royal (10.6f, good) 12 days ago, always behind. Significantly back up in trip. Dropped to a handy mark if refitting of blinkers has positive effect.				
16	15	PEARL JEWEL (IRE) (13)	h	99
	2551-3206	4 9-8 60.8kg	J. J. G. Ryan	
Christopher David Timmons, Ireland Below form sixth of 10 in handicap at Leopardstown (12.8f, good, 7/1) 13 days ago. Back up in trip. Hood back on.				
17	8	HARRY'S LEGACY (222) (D)	t	96
	5/400-	7 9-6 59.9kg	D. W. O'Connor	
Ross O'Sullivan, Ireland Fairly useful Flat performer at best who ran up to best over hurdles (fair form) when second in a Punchestown maiden (16.5f) in June. Saddle slipped when well held at Cork next time but he was out of sorts when last seen in this sphere.				
18	19	EMPRESS ALMA (IRE) (22) (D)		97
	1151-7865	4 9-4 59.0kg	G. F. Carroll	
Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland 3 lengths fifth of 8 to Miss Gitana in handicap at Tramore (16f, good, 9/2) 22 days ago, forced wide and unable to land a blow. Not one to give up on from this sort of mark.				
19	17	PRALOGNAN (FR) (32)	t	98
	5234-0991	6 9-4 59.0kg	J. S. Dalton (10lb/5kg)	
A. J. Martin, Ireland Gained a belated breakthrough success for this yard over hurdles at Downpatrick (17.7f) in June and justified good support when following up back on the level in 11-runner handicap at Newcastle (12.4f) 32 days ago. Significantly up in trip and he commands respect again.				
20	20	MISS GITANA (IRE) (22) (D, BF)		97
	1137-8691	4 9-2 58.1kg	L. F. Roche	
Gordon Elliott, Ireland Bounced back to form when opening her account for present connections at Tramore (2m) and backed that up when second of 10 in handicap hurdle at Downpatrick (18.8f, good to firm) 15 days ago. Up to playing a part again in this groove.				
RESERVES				
21	4	THE TRUANT (IRE) (6)	s+t	98
	20-712063	8 9-1 57.6kg	Reserve	
Paul W. Flynn, Ireland Latest win at Navan in April. 10/1 and visored for 1st time, creditable third of 9 in handicap at Leopardstown (15f, good to soft) 6 days ago. Cheekpieces back on. Reserve 1.				

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RACE 7

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DREAM ESCAPE (55)

509166/9-0 6 9-0 | 57.2kg

Thomas Mullins, Ireland

80/1, seventeenth of 18 in handicap at Leopardstown (9f, good) 55 days ago, never involved. Significantly up in trip. Not easy to make a case for. Reserve 2.

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Reserve

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BALTIC BIRD (21)

4/424-6 6 10-3 | 64.9kg

William Durkan, Ireland

Versatile sort who added to his tally over fences at Down Royal (19.7f) in May. However, laboured display in that sphere at Punchestown next time and disappointing when last of 6 in minor event at Fairyhouse (14f, good) 21 days ago. Cheekpieces need to perk him up. Reserve 3.

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Reserve

20 DECLARED RUNNERS (3 RESERVES)

BETTING FORECAST:
13-2 Light Up The Dark, **9-1** Pralognan, **10-1** Miss Gitana, **11-1** Happy Jacky, **14-1** Sign From Above, **14-1** Shoda, **18-1** Open Secret, **18-1** Feud, **18-1** Empress Alma, **18-1** Not Just Any Eagle, **18-1** Jacovec Cavern, **22-1** Teed Up, **22-1** Harry's Legacy, **25-1** Crassus, **28-1** Pearl Jewel, **28-1** Arch Enemy, **28-1** Nelson Muntz, **33-1** Last Ammo, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:
Having opened his account for Tony Martin over hurdles on his penultimate start, PRALOGNAN followed up with a bit to spare back on the Flat at Newcastle 32 days ago. He remains with plenty of handicapping scope on old form and rates a live player stepping back up in trip. Light Up The Dark is an interesting runner on handicap debut for last year's winning stable, with Open Secret, Miss Gitana and Feud others making the shortlist.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:
1. PRALOGNAN 2. LIGHT UP THE DARK 3. OPEN SECRET

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:						
2024	Busselton	7-10-2	8-1	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	Declan McDonogh	17
2023	Last Ammo	4-9-12	40-1	Richard John O'Brien	J. Kearney (7)	19
2022	Scenic Look	4-9-9	33-1	Adrian Murray	Seamie Heffernan	19
2021	No Thanks	5-8-13	4-1	Matthew J. Smith	Declan McDonogh	19
2020	Walking On Glass	5-9-7	28-1	Padraig Roche	L. F. Roche	15

SMART STATS:
No Smart Stats available for this race