

Thursday 7th November

CHELMSFORD CITY



4.55	BETFAIR FILLIES' RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES (5) 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 1	(3) BOUVIER (6) MAKE LOVE (2) EVA DICKSON
5.30	BETFAIR RACING PODCASTS HANDICAP (6) 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 2	(4) LADY WINGALONG (5) THOMAS EQUINAS (3) AMAYSMONT
6.00	betting.betfair.com NURSERY HANDICAP (6) 1¼m (2010 Metres)
RACE 3	(4) CAPRICORN KING (5) FREAK ENCOUNTER (6) GOOD CALL
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RACE 4	(1) AEGEAN PRINCE (4) KENTUCKY RIVER (6) MERSEA ISLAND
7.00	CCR THANKS THE ARMED FORCES HANDICAP (6) 1¼m (2010 Metres)
RACE 5	(9) JENSON BENSON (2) SWITCHEL (4) RENESMEE
7.30	BETFAIR EXCHANGE BEACONS HANDICAP (5) 5f (1010 Metres)
RACE 6	(3) SIR RODNEYREDBLOOD (1) TWILIGHT FUN (5) PAPA DON'T PREACH
8.00	BETFAIR EXCHANGE HANDICAP (4) 6f (1210 Metres)
RACE 7	(3) MONSIEUR KODI (1) PRINCESS SHABNAM (4) HIERARCHY
8.30	BEST ODDS ON THE BETFAIR EXCHANGE HANDICAP (4) 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 8	(5) HAT TOSS (7) EXPENSIVE QUEEN (2) PJANOO

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.

4.55**BETFAIR FILLIES' RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES (5) 2yo fillies**
£8,000 7f (1410 Metres)

RACE 1

Going: **Standard**

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

1 1 A LA LOUCHE (10) 82
906 2 9-2 | 58.1kg
Sir Mark Prescott Bt **Luke Morris**
Thrice-raced maiden. 200/1, sixth of 7 in novice at Southwell (7.1f) 10 days ago, slowly away. Probably more one for middle distance handicaps next season.



2 11 EVA DICKSON (28) 87
4 2 9-2 | 58.1kg
Charlie Johnston **Jason Hart**
Once-raced maiden. Fourth of 9 in maiden at Southwell (7.1f, 13/2) on debut 28 days ago. Another who will probably be seen in a better when handicapping over further in due course.



3 3 BOUVIER (IRE) (15) 100
32732 2 9-0 | 57.2kg
Dr Richard Newland & Jamie Insole **Sean Levey**
Fair filly. Respectable second of 12 in maiden at Kempton (7f, 5/1) 15 days ago. It's doubtful that there's anything in this race on par with the horse she chased home on that occasion. The one to beat.



4 9 DESERT EYE (58) 79
74 2 9-0 | 57.2kg
Amy Murphy **Adam Farragher**
Twice-raced maiden. 28/1, fourth of 12 in maiden at Lingfield (6f, AW) 58 days ago. Probably more of a long-term project.



5 6 JESTER QUEEN (USA) 84
2 9-0 | 57.2kg
Jamie Osborne **William Carver (31b/1kg)**
Foaled January 31. £45,000 yearling, Practical Joke filly. Dam, US 7.5f-8.5f winner, half-sister to useful US 5f (minor stakes) winner Classy Zip. Worth a peek in the betting.



6 7 MAKE LOVE (49) 95
72445 2 9-0 | 57.2kg
James Horton **George Wood**
Lightly-raced maiden. 3/1, respectable fifth of 11 in maiden at Yarmouth (8f, good to firm) 49 days ago. Makes polytrack debut and cheekpieces on 1st time. Appears to be the one most likely to make a race of it with Bouvier.



7 5 THE THIRD STAR 82
2 9-0 | 57.2kg
Chris Dwyer **Marco Ghiani**
Foaled February 14. Iffraaj filly. Half-sister to 2-y-o 7f-9f winner Youmzain Star and 2-y-o 7f winner With Love. Yard rarely hits the target with 2-y-o newcomers, so she's probably one for another day.



8 10 APPLEBLOSSOMWHITE (IRE) (26) 83
05 2 8-12 | 56.2kg
Amy Murphy **Finley Marsh**
Twice-raced maiden. Fifth of 12 in novice at this C&D (150/1) 26 days ago. Will need to step up on that if she's to play a leading role in this contest.



9 2 LATE STAR (89) 75
9 2 8-12 | 56.2kg
Philip McBride **Connor Planas (31b/1kg)**
Once-raced maiden. Last of 9 in maiden (80/1) at Newmarket (7f, good) on debut 89 days ago. Readily passed over.



10 8 MADRIGAL MOMENT (72) 75
80 2 8-12 | 56.2kg
Michael Bell **Non Runner**
Twice-raced maiden. Tenth of 12 in maiden (28/1) at Lingfield (7f, AW) 72 days ago. Easy enough to look elsewhere. NON RUNNER.



11 12 MISS SOVEREIGN (IRE) (7) 60
09 2 8-12 | 56.2kg
Matt Crawley **Tyler Heard**
Twice-raced maiden. 150/1, ninth of 10 in maiden at this course (6f) 7 days ago. Hard to fancy.



12 4 SECRET COMBINATION (USA) 83
2 8-12 | 56.2kg
Jamie Osborne **Saffie Osborne**
Foaled April 21. £30,000 yearling, €18,000 2-y-o, Maximum Security filly. Dam, US 2-y-o 6f winner, half-sister to smart winner up to 1m Nemoralia. Yard also represented by Jester Queen and the market should be informative.



13 13 WELSH FIZZ (26) 79
0 2 8-12 | 56.2kg
Hugo Palmer **Harry Davies**
Once-raced maiden. Tenth of 12 in novice (22/1) at this C&D on debut 26 days ago. Will need to leave that form well behind if she's to make an impact.



13 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

6-5 Bouvier, **3-1** Make Love, **10-1** Eva Dickson, **18-1** Secret Combination, **20-1** Appleblossomwhite, **22-1** Jester Queen, **33-1** Welsh Fizz, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

This represents a golden opportunity for BOUVIER to deservedly open her account, having chased home a potentially useful colt from the Roger Varian yard at Kempton recently. Make Love is the clear pick for forecast purposes in mind, with many of the others, including Eva Dickson, likely to need more time and distance.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. BOUVIER 2. MAKE LOVE 3. EVA DICKSON

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Queues Likely 2-9-7	22-1	J. S. Moore	Billy Loughnane	12
2022	Perdika 2-10-2	7-2	George Boughey	Kevin Stott	12
2021	Shouldavbeenmore 2-9-0	13-8f	Richard Fahey	Tony Hamilton	14
2020	Maraakiz 2-9-5	10-3	William Haggas	Jim Crowley	10

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.30**BETFAIR RACING PODCASTS HANDICAP (6) 3yo+ (Rated 0-62) £7,000 7f (1410 Metres)****RACE 2**Going: **Standard**

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

1 5 PREFER THE SISTER (IRE) (136) h **95**
423834 4 10-0 | 63.5kg



Matt Crawley

Adam Farragher

10/1 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, creditable fourth of 9 in handicap at Thirsk (7f, good to firm), slowly away. Off 136 days. First run for yard after leaving Jack Jones and hood refitted. Looks vulnerable.

2 1 GUTEAU (IRE) (19) (D, BF) **96**
6-1286057 4 10-0 | 63.5kg



Dominic Ffrench Davis

Rhys Clutterbuck

10/3, seventh of 10 in handicap at Wolverhampton (7.2f) 19 days ago and he's probably worth taking on once more.

3 3 AMAYSMONT (30) (CD) **99**
22110413 7 9-12 | 62.6kg



Kevin Frost

Andrea Pinna (7lb/3kg)

C&D winner. 3 wins from 13 runs this year. Latest win at Wolverhampton in September. 9/2, respectable third of 10 in handicap at Southwell (8.1f) 30 days ago. Likely to be in the thick of things.

4 2 LADY WINGALONG (IRE) (14) (D) ★ **100**
22213623 5 9-10 | 61.7kg



David Evans

Jordan Williams (5lb/2kg)

Latest win at Salisbury in July. 9/1, creditable third of 9 in handicap at Wolverhampton (7.2f) 14 days ago. Solid claims.

5 4 THOMAS EQUINAS (12) (CD) s **97**
101-99791 5 9-10 | 61.7kg



Dean Ivory

John Egan

Four-time C&D winner. Career best when winning 6-runner handicap (11/4) at this C&D 12 days ago. 3 lb rise tolerable and another bold show could be on the way.

6 6 KESSAAR POWER (IRE) (5) (C) **99**
70890410 4 9-4 | 59.0kg



Phil McEntee

Luke Morris

Course winner. Latest win here in October. 9/1, tenth of 11 in handicap at Southwell (8.1f) 5 days ago. Record is too patchy for comfort.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Thomas Equinas, **10-3** Amaysmont, **4-1** Lady Wingalong, **11-2** Guteau, **10-1** Kessaar Power, **12-1** Prefer The Sister

TIMEFORM VIEW:

The vote in this tricky-looking contest goes to LADY WINGALONG, who did well under the circumstances when third at Wolverhampton a fortnight ago. Thomas Equinas rates the main danger on the back of his recent C&D success, which was his fourth win here, but the consistent Amaysmont is also likely to be firmly in the mix.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LADY WINGALONG 2. THOMAS EQUINAS 3. AMAYSMONT

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023 **Capuchinero** 4-9-12 11-4jf Alice Haynes Christian Howarth (3) 8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.00**betting.betfair.com NURSERY HANDICAP (6) 2yo (Rated 0-60) £7,000 1¼m (2010 Metres)**

RACE 3

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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

1 7 PINE CLIFFS (17) s **98**
03664 2 9-9 | 61.2kg



Jonathan Portman

Hector Crouch

Lightly-raced maiden. 25/1, creditable fourth of 12 in nursery at Southwell (8.1f) 17 days ago. Up in trip. Cheekpieces on 1st time. Needs a couple of these to falter.

2 1 NO RELEASE (22) b **97**
89896 2 9-2 | 58.1kg

Ed Dunlop **Robert Havlin**

Modest maiden who fared no better in first-time blinkers when sixth of 9 in nursery (40/1) at Kempton (8f) 22 days ago, slowly away. Up in trip.

3 5 DOWNCLIFFE FLYER (47) **76**
607 2 9-1 | 57.6kg



Ollie Sangster

Trevor Whelan

Has shown very little so far but needs a precautionary market check now switching to a low-grade nursery over an appreciably longer trip.

4 3 CAPRICORN KING (23) (BF) b **98**
760452 2 8-12 | 56.2kg



John & Sean Quinn

Jason Hart

Creditable second of 10 in nursery at Leicester (8.2f, heavy, 5/2) 23 days ago. Step back up in trip will suit on polytrack debut and has to be of interest in first-time blinkers for in-form yard.

5 4 FREAK ENCOUNTER (IRE) (23)  **100**
9895334 2 8-9 | 54.9kg



Jamie Osborne

Saffie Osborne

10/3, run best excused when fourth of 10 in nursery at Leicester (8.2f, heavy) 23 days ago, hampered and tramped wide. Up in trip and needs considering.

6 8 GOOD CALL (IRE) (22) **95**
77473433 2 8-9 | 54.9kg



J. S. Moore

Kieran O'Neill

17/2, creditable third of 9 in nursery at Kempton (8f) 22 days ago, running on. Up in trip.

7 6 SPACEAGE LOVE SONG (IRE) (39) (BF) v **86**
0056 2 8-9 | 54.9kg

Michael Bell **Luke Morris**

Little form in 3 maidens/nursery. Up in trip for polytrack debut and sports a first-time visor.

8 2 ASTROQUALIS (USA) (22) s **85**
00065 2 8-9 | 54.9kg



Matt Crawley

Connor Planas (3lb/1kg)

Cheekpieces on for 1st time, fifth of 9 in nursery (200/1) at Kempton (8f) 22 days ago. Up in trip. Has work to do.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Capricorn King, **10-3** Freak Encounter, **6-1** Spaceage Love Song, **13-2** Good Call, **8-1** Pine Cliffs, **10-1** Downcliffe Flyer, **28-1** No Release, **33-1** Astroqualis

TIMEFORM VIEW:

CAPRICORN KING is sure to benefit from the step back up in trip and, with the possibility of first-time blinkers triggering a bit of improvement, he earns the vote for an in-form yard. Freak Encounter had excuses on his most recent outing and is considered the main threat ahead of Good Call.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. CAPRICORN KING 2. FREAK ENCOUNTER 3. GOOD CALL

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Palazzo Persico 2-9-7	3-1jf	Ed Dunlop	Rossa Ryan	7
2022	Mirabello Bay 2-9-9	8-13f	J. S. Moore	Aidan Keeley (5)	8
2021	Fearless Bay 2-9-10	11-10f	Ed Dunlop	Martin Harley	7
2020	Western Beat 2-9-7	16-1	Michael Easterby	John Egan	14
2019	Goddess of Fire 2-8-11	33-1	John Ryan	Adrian McCarthy	11

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.30**EBF "CONFINED" NOVICE STAKES (4) 2yo £10,000 1¼m (2010 Metres)**

RACE 4


GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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

1 1 AEGEAN PRINCE  **100**
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Charlie Appleby  **Harry Davies**
Foaled May 18. Dubawi colt. Dam, winner up to 1m (including at 2 yrs) who stayed 1½m, half-sister to smart 1¼m winner Harland. Has to be of serious interest on debut given connections.


2 7 AMMES (IRE) **83**
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



James Owen **Adam Farragher**
Foaled April 5. No Nay Never colt. Brother to 10.7f-1½m winner Autocrat and half-brother to 1m winner Benitoite.

3 2 HI YA MAL (28) **83**
03 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Andrew Balding  **Rob Hornby**
Very low-key debut but showed a lot more when third of 5 in novice at Bath (10.2f, heavy, 6/1) 28 days ago.

4 6 KENTUCKY RIVER (IRE) **90**
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Ollie Sangster **Jamie Spencer**
Foaled March 20. Camelot colt. Half-brother to 3 winners, including high-class winner up to 2m Protectionist and 1m-1¼m winner Primatist. Dam unraced. Starts out over the right sort of trip on breeding.


5 5 KOKANEE (IRE) **83**
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Ed Dunlop  **Robert Havlin**
Foaled April 5. €50,000 yearling, Kameko colt. Half-brother to 3 winners, including 2-y-o 6f winner Hot Touch and 6.5f/7f winner Mused.

6 4 MERSEA ISLAND (IRE) (15) **84**
547 2 9-7 | 60.3kg b



Charlie Johnston  **Jason Hart**
Raced 3 times, taking a backward step when last of 7 in maiden at Newmarket (10f, soft) 15 days ago. Blinkers applied.

7 3 PALAZZO BLU (IRE) **83**
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Marco Botti **Marco Ghiani**
Foaled February 12. Saxon Warrior colt. Dam, 2-y-o 7f winner, sister to useful 1m-1¼m winner Tamarama out of smart 7f-9f winner Kalsa.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Aegean Prince, **4-1** Kentucky River, **8-1** Mersea Island, **9-1** Hi Ya Mal, **11-1** Kokanee, **11-1** Palazzo Blu, **12-1** Ammes

TIMEFORM VIEW:

AEGEAN PRINCE rather leaps off the page as a Dubai colt and the first foal of a smart mare at up to 1½m so he makes plenty of appeal on debut. Kentucky River is also bred to stay well and is in very capable hands, while Mersea Island will attempt to put his experience to good use.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. AEGEAN PRINCE 2. KENTUCKY RIVER 3. MERSEA ISLAND

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Al Mootamid 2-9-4	20-1	Marco Botti	Marco Ghiani	9
2022	Sir Laurence Graff 2-9-4	9-4	John & Thady Gosden	Kieran O'Neill	7
2021	Nations Pride 2-9-2	2-9f	Charlie Appleby	Adam Kirby	4
2020	Irish Legend 2-9-1	2-1	Hugo Palmer	David Probert	6
2019	Persia 2-9-1	4-9f	Aidan O'Brien	Donnacha O'Brien	4

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.00**CCR THANKS THE ARMED FORCES HANDICAP (6) 3yo+
(Rated 0-65) £7,000 1¼m (2010 Metres)****RACE 5**Going: **Standard**

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Draw: **Against High** Pace Information: **Even**

1 7 ARENAS DEL TIEMPO (7) (D) v **97**
2630-2703 6 9-11 | 62.1kg



Jim & Suzi Best

Luke Morris

Twenty-one runs since last win in 2021. 13/2 and visored for first time, respectable third of 8 in handicap at this course (8f) 7 days ago. Back up in trip, which promises to suit.

2 6 SWITCHEL (IRE) (21) t **99**
08-728532 4 9-11 | 62.1kg



Hughie Morrison

Rob Hornby

Still a maiden but gave another good account of herself when second of 14 in handicap (7/2) at this C&D 21 days ago. Hood removed.

3 2 FIBONACCI SEQUENCE (IRE) (52) (C) **87**
418 3 9-10 | 61.7kg



George Scott

Liam Wright (5lb/2kg)

Confirmed debut promise when landing 1m novice here in August. Last of 8 in handicap (15/2) at Thirsk (8f, good) 52 days ago. Up in trip and more needed from this mark.

4 9 RENESMEE (14) s **99**
40752214 4 9-10 | 61.7kg



Alice Haynes

Kieran O'Neill

Latest win at Wolverhampton in October. 15/2, creditable fourth of 11 in handicap at Wolverhampton (9.5f) 14 days ago, having benefit of enterprising ride. Merits consideration given start she's made for this stable.

5 5 PALAZZO PERSICO (IRE) (12) (CD) **96**
76522409 3 9-9 | 61.2kg



Ed Dunlop

Hector Crouch

C&D winner. Ninth of 14 in handicap (10/1) at this course (8f) 12 days ago, merely passing beaten rivals. Back up in trip.

6 3 MC'TED (26) (CD) s **97**
68494110 6 9-9 | 61.2kg



Joseph Parr

Alice Bond (7lb/3kg)

C&D winner. 4 wins from 12 runs this year. 10/1, eleventh of 14 in handicap at this C&D 26 days ago.

7 1 BORN A REBEL (12) **97**
12445783 3 9-8 | 60.8kg



Patrick Owens

Tyler Heard

Back down to last winning mark and took a step in the right direction when third of 14 in handicap at this course (8f) 12 days ago, never nearer. Back up in trip and she isn't an easy ride.

8 4 CAKEWALK (IRE) (87) **94**
58785 3 9-7 | 60.3kg



Simon & Ed Crisford

Harry Davies

Lightly-raced maiden. Respectable fifth of 10 in handicap (17/2) at Kempton (11f) 87 days ago. Has work to do from this mark but she's in the right hands.

9 8 JENSON BENSON (IRE) (21) (CD) ★ **100**
24596243 6 9-4 | 59.0kg



Shaun Lycett

Jason Hart

Four-time course winner. Sixteen runs since last win in 2023. Creditable third of 14 in handicap at this C&D (10/1) 21 days ago. Has to be taken seriously from this lowly mark.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 Switchel, **6-1** Jenson Benson, **6-1** Renesmee, **6-1** Born A Rebel, **8-1** Arenas Del Tiempo, **9-1** Cakewalk, **12-1** Palazzo Persico, **14-1** Mc'ted, **16-1** Fibonacci Sequence

TIMEFORM VIEW:

JENSON BENSON has registered all of his career wins at this venue, and from a handy mark with Jason Hart in the saddle, he has plenty to recommend him. Switchel seems very likely to give it a good go unless the removal of a hood has a negative effect, with Renesmee also of interest.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. JENSON BENSON 2. SWITCHEL 3. RENESMEE****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**2023 **Cavalluccio** 4-10-0 3-1f Alice Haynes Kieran O'Neill 10**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.30**BETFAIR EXCHANGE BEACONS HANDICAP (5) 3yo+ (Rated 0-68) £9,000 5f (1010 Metres)**

RACE 6

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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

1 1 TWILIGHT FUN (40) (C, D) **100**
1/4-661601 **4** 9-11 | 62.1kg



Chelsea Banham

Joey Haynes

Two wins from 6 runs this year. 11/1 and cheekpieces on for first time, career best for latest of them in 10-runner handicap at this course (6f) 40 days ago, just holding on. Shortlist material up just 2 lb.

2 2 SMOOTH SILESIE (IRE) (8) (CD) **95**
13116223 **3** 9-11 | 62.1kg



Lisa Williamson

Jason Hart

C&D winner. 5 wins from 22 runs this year. Latest win at Bath in September. 8/1, respectable third of 9 in handicap at Nottingham (5f, soft) 8 days ago. Standing up really well to an intensive campaign.

3 3 SIR RODNEYREDBLOOD (7) (CD) **98**
26225142 **7** 9-5 | 59.4kg



J. R. Jenkins

Marco Ghiani

Four-time C&D winner. Latest win at Lingfield in August. Creditable second of 9 in handicap at this course (6f, 8/1) 7 days ago. Way he shapes suggests return to 5f will suit.

4 6 AGOSTINO (12) (CD) **94**
92565701 **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Robert Cowell

Sean Levey

10/3, improved on recent efforts to win 10-runner handicap at this C&D 12 days ago, settling better than has been the case. 5 lb rise asks for more but he's clearly in good nick.

5 4 PAPA DON'T PREACH (IRE) (19) (CD, BF) **95**
46358134 **5** 9-4 | 59.0kg



Kevin Frost

Andrea Pinna (7lb/3kg)

C&D winner. Latest win here in October. 5/6, respectable fourth of 8 in handicap at Wolverhampton (5.1f) 19 days ago. Can remain very competitive at this sort of level.

6 5 ALAFDHAL (IRE) (7) (C, D) **95**
98522293 **6** 9-1 | 57.6kg



Phil McEntee

Josephine Gordon

Four-time course winner. 3 wins from 21 runs this year. Creditable third of 9 in handicap at Bath (5f, soft, 13/2) 7 days ago. Going through a good spell.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

10-3 Twilight Fun, **7-2** Papa Don't Preach, **4-1** Sir Rodneyredblood, **9-2** Agostino, **17-2** Smooth Silesie, **10-1** Alafdhah

TIMEFORM VIEW:

SIR RODNEYREDBLOOD came within a neck of adding to his Chelmsford haul over 6f a week ago and, equally effective over 5f, he's surely a big player from the same mark. Twilight Fun reacted well to cheekpieces when winning here in September and he looks the main danger.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SIR RODNEYREDBLOOD 2. TWILIGHT FUN 3. PAPA DON'T PREACH

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

8.00**BETFAIR EXCHANGE HANDICAP (4) 3yo+ (Rated 0-78)
£11,000 6f (1210 Metres)**

RACE 7

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

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

1 7 PRINCESS SHABNAM (IRE) (14) (CD) s **96**
47352755 5 9-9 | 61.2kg



S. P. C. Woods **Ben Sanderson (31b/1kg)**
C&D winner. Twenty one runs since last win in 2022. Cheekpieces on for first time, creditable fifth of 12 in handicap at Southwell (6.1f, 33/1) 14 days ago, encountering a wide trip. Drops in class.

2 2 MAID IN CHELSEA (IRE) (24) **91**
411 3 9-8 | 60.8kg



Jack Jones **Dylan Hogan**
Thrice-raced winner. 2 wins from 3 runs this year. Won 3-runner novice at Windsor (5.1f, heavy, 13/8) 24 days ago, always holding on. Makes handicap debut and more is needed, but she's clearly not yet exposed.

3 6 MONSIEUR KODI (IRE) (36) (D) **99**
58545004 5 9-7 | 60.3kg



Richard Fahey **Jack Garritty**
Thirteen runs since last win in 2023. 13/2, shape well when fourth of 11 in handicap at Catterick (7f, soft) 36 days ago. Makes polytrack debut and a danger to all if he takes to it.

4 5 HIERARCHY (IRE) (15) (D, BF) b+t  **100**
00032238 5 9-7 | 60.3kg



Jamie Osborne **Saffie Osborne**
Twelve runs since last win in 2023. 10/11, last of 8 in claimer at Kempton (6f) 15 days ago. That race may have come too soon and he's dangerous if bouncing back.

5 4 TEMPLE BRUER (14) (CD) s+t **95**
0-8107567 6 9-4 | 59.0kg



Mike Murphy **Marco Ghiani**
C&D winner. Seventh of 10 in handicap (28/1) at Wolverhampton (6.1f) 14 days ago. Usual cheekpieces back on and he's well weighted these days, for all he does need everything to fall right.

6 3 BLACKJACK (10) (CD) b **96**
85416893 7 9-2 | 58.1kg



Alan Brown **Rhys Clutterbuck**
C&D winner. Latest win at Southwell in August. 11/1, respectable third of 8 in handicap at Southwell (6.1f) 10 days ago.

7 1 LEGEND OF LEROS (IRE) (15) **95**
00500705 4 9-0 | 57.2kg



David Evans **George Downing**
Thirteen runs since last win in 2022. Fifth of 8 in claimer at Kempton (6f, 40/1) 15 days ago.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Maid In Chelsea, **7-2** Hierarchy, **9-2** Monsieur Kodi, **11-2** Princess Shabnam, **10-1** Blackjack, **11-1** Temple Bruer, **22-1** Legend of Leros

TIMEFORM VIEW:

This is quite late in the day for MONSIEUR KODI to tackle polytrack for the first time but shaped quite nicely at Catterick last time and he's a regular in better handicaps than this. He's therefore awarded the vote in favour of Princess Shabnam and Hierarchy.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. MONSIEUR KODI 2. PRINCESS SHABNAM 3. HIERARCHY

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Cuban Breeze 5-9-4	10-1	David Evans	Rossa Ryan	12
2022	Gabrial The Devil 7-9-7	9-1	Richard Fahey	Oisin James Orr	10
2021	Muscika 7-9-2	22-1	David O'Meara	Jason Watson	12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

8.30**BEST ODDS ON THE BETFAIR EXCHANGE HANDICAP (4) 3yo+
(Rated 0-85) £11,000 1m (1610 Metres)**

RACE 8

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard**

Chelmsford City (first opened in April 2008 under the name Great Leighs) has a polytrack surface and is essentially galloping in nature, having broad, sweeping turns. It is a left-handed track of just over a mile in circumference, with seven-furlong and one-mile races starting on different spurs. Since re-opening, prominent tactics have proven an advantage, all the more so in fact over sprint trips.

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

1 1 KOY KOY (21) (D) t **99**
50660950 5 10-2 | 64.4kg



George Boughey **Grace McEntee (31b/1kg)**
18/1 and cheekpieces on for first time, tenth of 12 in handicap at Southwell (7.1f) 21 days ago. Makes polytrack debut with that headgear off and he's likely to bounce back eased in class.

2 2 PJANOO (70) (D) b **96**
46-100734 4 10-1 | 64.0kg



Richard Spencer **George Wood**
16/1, creditable fourth of 14 in handicap at Southwell (8.1f) 70 days ago given he was drawn poorly. Fared better in that department this time and he can give a good account.

3 7 CEPHALUS (35) (C,D) v **98**
21111460 5 10-0 | 63.5kg



Gary & Josh Moore **Tom Queally**
Course winner. Nine wins from 28 Flat runs. 4 wins from 9 runs this year. Last of 11 in handicap (80/1) at Salisbury (9.9f, good to soft) 35 days ago, not knocked about on return from a break, Visor now the headgear of choice and he'll step up on that effort back on the AW.

4 9 HELM ROCK (36) (D) s+t **95**
07588780 6 9-11 | 62.1kg



Daniel & Claire Kubler **Saffie Osborne**
Twelve runs since last win in 2023. 11/1, twelfth of 14 in handicap at Kempton (8f) 36 days ago. Dropping in the weights but hard to warm to until showing more spark.

5 8 HAT TOSS (IRE) (29) (D) ★ **100**
23367123 4 9-10 | 61.7kg



James Owen **Adam Farragher**
Latest win at Sandown in August. Caught further back than ideal when third of 11 in handicap at Kempton (7f, 16/1) 29 days ago. Is shaping up very well so a must for consideration.

6 3 SAMRA STAR (IRE) (65) **87**
417 3 9-10 | 61.7kg



Richard Hughes **Finley Marsh**
Wolverhampton winner on second start but proved much too free when seventh of 10 in novice at Goodwood (9.9f, good) 65 days ago, also hampered. Makes handicap debut and mark looks stiff.

7 5 EXPENSIVE QUEEN (IRE) (50) **96**
152-062 3 9-8 | 60.8kg



James Tate **Neil Callan**
9/1, first run since leaving Kevin Ryan when very good second of 10 in handicap at Sandown (8f, good) 50 days ago, just failing. Makes polytrack debut and could have more to offer for this yard.

8 6 FORCA TIMAO (IRE) (55) **93**
42-036687 4 9-6 | 59.9kg



Mark Pattinson **Paddy Bradley**
Twelve runs since last win in 2022. 50/1, first run since leaving Richard Hannon when seventh of 9 in handicap at Sandown (10f, soft) 55 days ago. Now needs to build on that.

9 4 LAKE TEO (IRE) (42) **94**
643258 3 8-10 | 55.3kg



Charles Hills **Marco Ghiani**
Last of 8 in handicap (16/1) at Newmarket (8f, heavy) 42 days ago. Makes polytrack debut.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

3-1 Hat Toss, **7-2** Expensive Queen, **6-1** Pjanoo, **9-1** Koy Koy, **9-1** Samra Star, **11-1** Helm Rock, **12-1** Cephalus, **22-1** Lake Teo, **33-1** Forca Timao

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Having won at Sandown in August, HAT TOSS has shaped well on both starts since, left with too much to do in a steadily-run race last time, and he looks poised to strike. Expensive Queen made an excellent start for James Tate in September and is second choice, ahead of Pjanoo.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. HAT TOSS 2. EXPENSIVE QUEEN 3. PJANOO****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	Moonspirit 3-9-9	5-1	George Boughey	Billy Loughnane	10
2022	Court of Session 3-9-9	12-1	Simon & Ed Crisford	Harry Burns (3)	11
2021	Excel Power 3-9-10	20-1	Archie Watson	Hollie Doyle	11
2020	Mr Scaramanga 6-9-10	25-1	Simon Dow	Tom Marquand	15
2019	Jabalaly 3-9-5	4-1jf	Ed Dunlop	Jim Crowley	14

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race