

Tuesday 12th November

LINGFIELD



1.00 WIN £1M WITH BETMGM'S GOLDEN GOALS MARES' HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 2m (3220 Metres)

RACE 1 **(1) JACKELINE | (3) PENNSYLVANIE | (2) NO NO FIZZ**

1.35 BETMGM: IT'S SHOWTIME HANDICAP CHASE (4) 2½m (4020 Metres)

RACE 2 **(10) REALISATION | (7) HURLERONTHEDITCH | (2) CAT TIGER**

2.10 GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM / EBF 'NATIONAL HUNT' NOVICES' HURDLE (Qualifier) (3) 2m3f110y (3920 Metres)

RACE 3 **(9) METKAYINA | (2) CENTREOFATTENTION | (6) NOT SO WOOLLY**

2.45 SHARON KNAPP MEMORIAL CUP HANDICAP HURDLE (Qualifier) (3) 2m7f (4630 Metres)

RACE 4 **(2) HIGH GAME ROYAL | (4) CHLOE'S COURT | (1) JATILUWIH**

3.20 HOWARD PEARL 80th CLASSIC NOVICES' HANDICAP CHASE (5) 2m7f110y (4730 Metres)

RACE 5 **(1) VISION DE MAINE | (4) CAERULEUM | (3) KAP CHIDLEY**

3.55 BEST ODDS GUARANTEED AT BETMGM HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 2m7f (4630 Metres)

RACE 6 **(5) GOLDEN AMBITION | (9) TWP STORI | (3) SAUNTON SURF**

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.







1.00

RACE 1

WIN £1M WITH BETMGM'S GOLDEN GOALS MARES' HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 4yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-100) £6,150 2m (3220 Metres)**GBI RACING**Going: **Good (Good to Soft in places)**

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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1	JACKELINE (36)	89
	88/4F83-4P 5 12-0 76.2kg Seamus Mullins Fair maiden hurdler who failed to get home when upped to 2½m at Fakenham on final start of last season, therefore it was something of a surprise that she was tried over 2¾m on return/handicap debut at Stratford. By no means a forlorn hope now back down in trip.	Daniel Sansom (31b/1kg)
2	NO NO FIZZ (IRE) (29) (BF)	100
	P652P-4 6 11-11 74.8kg Fergal O'Brien Took a step forward when runner-up on handicap debut at Huntingdon (20.7f, soft) in April. Failed to fire next time but reappearance fourth on debut for this yard over 19.7f at Hereford was a decent effort and dropping back to 2m looks a good move.	Jonathan Burke
3	PENNSYLVANIE (FR) (20)	94
	5/5P258-93 5 11-6 72.6kg Gary & Josh Moore Fair form over hurdles in France and left low-key debut effort for this yard behind when third in a 7-runner Fontwell handicap (19f, soft) 20 days ago. Another who may well benefit from dropping back in trip and she's one to consider in first-time blinkers.	Caolin Quinn (31b/1kg)
4	SAWPIT SIENNA (27) (D)	99
	8741F36-4 9 11-3 71.2kg Samuel Drinkwater Proved at least as good as ever when successful at Taunton (16.5f, good to soft) in January. Not in the same form since but she has at least slipped back to her last winning mark and reappearance spin at Worcester will have blown away the cobwebs. Cheekpieces/tongue strap refitted.	Tom Bellamy
5	BLUEBELLA (33) (D)	98
	F35-P6045 6 10-12 68.9kg Tom Lacey Landed a Worcester handicap in May 2023. That's her sole success from 16 career starts but she has posted several creditable efforts in defeat, too, and this 6-y-o is very much of interest here off a reduced mark.	Robert Dunne
6	SIMPLY GORGEOUS (13)	95
	8F84 5 10-9 67.6kg Neil King Fair at best on Flat and bettered form showed in 3 qualifying runs when fourth of 8 on handicap debut in this sphere at Fakenham (2m, good) recently. First-time tongue strap worn that day is retained and she could have a part to play if able to build on that.	Jack Quinlan

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 No No Fizz, **4-1** Pennsylvanie, **9-2** Bluebella, **11-2** Simply Gorgeous, **17-2** Sawpit Sienna, **11-1** Jackeline

TIMEFORM VIEW:

A chance is taken on JACKELINE, who predictably bombed out when tried over 2¾m on her reappearance at Stratford but she is interesting judged on her latest effort over this trip at Chepstow where she was third in a decent novice event during the spring. Pennsylvanie and No No Fizz are both likely to benefit from this drop back in trip, too, and they rate the main dangers. That said, cases can also be made for the other three in this trappy contest.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. JACKELINE 2. PENNSYLVANIE 3. NO NO FIZZ

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

1.35

BETMGM: IT'S SHOWTIME HANDICAP CHASE (4) 4yo+
(Rated 0-120) £8,900 2½m (4020 Metres)

RACE 2

GBI RACINGGoing: **Good (Good to Soft in places)**

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Pace Information: **Even**

1 AWAYTHELAD (IRE) (203) (D, BF) s+t 92
P2/7211P7- 7 11-11 | 74.8kg



Ben Pauling **Ben Jones**
A dual winning hurdler around 2m4f but he ended the season below par. Goes chasing after 6 months off and no surprise to see him get back on track.

2 CAT TIGER (FR) (33) s+t 94
35R3U-224 10 11-11 | 74.8kg



Paul Nicholls **Mr David Maxwell (3lb/1kg)**
A useful chaser at his best but looked rusty after 4 months off (reunited with former yard) when fourth of 5 in handicap chase at Exeter (19.2f, good, 7/2) 33 days ago. Cheekpieces on 1st time and can take a step forward.

3 BELARGUS (FR) (24) (D) t 91
6P3/5P52-3 9 11-8 | 73.5kg



Nick Gifford **James Davies**
Eleven runs since his last win in 2021 but he recorded a respectable third of 6 in handicap chase at Stratford (20.9f, heavy) 24 days ago. Enters calculations.

4 TACTICAL AFFAIR (FR) (167) 90
5/313423-6 5 11-7 | 73.0kg



Warren Greatrex **James Bowen**
Winner over hurdles at Cork in November. 9/2 and tongue strap on for 1st time, only sixth of 7 in handicap hurdle at Cartmel (22.1f, soft) 167 days ago. Since had a wind op so not ruled out on his chase debut.

5 MIDNIGHT JEWEL (9) (D) 91
414-63148 8 11-7 | 73.0kg



Charlie Longsdon **David Bass**
Scored over fences at Fontwell in September but only eighth of 11 in handicap hurdle at Huntingdon (19.6f, good) 9 days ago. Switches to chasing with work to do.

6 WALKS LIKE THE MAN (IRE) (202) 92
1731483- 6 11-7 | 73.0kg



Gary & Josh Moore **Niall Houlihan**
Scored over hurdles at Plumpton (20.5f) in January for Anthony Charlton and ran well on sole run for Harriet Dickin when third of 13 in 2m3f Taunton handicap hurdle in April. This point winner commands respect on his yard/chasing debut.

7 HURLERONTHEDITCH (IRE) (27) t ★ 100
3/F4655-22 8 11-6 | 72.6kg



Kim Bailey **Tom Bellamy**
It's now 11 runs since his last win in 2021 but underwent breathing surgery before a good second of 9 in handicap chase at Wetherby (21.3f, good to soft, 3/1) 27 days ago. Weighted to go close.

8 MOVIDDY (IRE) (30) (C, D) 91
1/233P4-46 8 11-6 | 72.6kg



Noel Williams **Jonathan Burke**
Dual 2m4f hurdles winner but yet to add to that over fences and made mistakes as usual when sixth of 7 in handicap chase at Ffos Las (21.5f, soft) 30 days ago. Others are preferred.

9 KNOCKANORE (IRE) (30) s 91
P371/3F4-5 7 11-5 | 72.1kg



Ryan Potter **Conor Ring**
A fairly useful winning hurdler but off 8 months before a well-held fifth of 8 in handicap chase at Ffos Las (16f, soft) on debut over fences 30 days ago. Back up in trip with lots more needed.

10 REALISATION (FR) (40) (D, BF) t ★ 100
1/43148-3 6 11-3 | 71.2kg



Charlie Longsdon **Harry Cobden**
A fair winning 2m4f hurdler who made a promising chasing start on the back of wind surgery when third of 8 in handicap at Warwick (20f, good) 40 days ago. Player with that form working out well.

11 DIPLOMATIC ASH (IRE) (23) 90
8320P-U 5 11-3 | 71.2kg



Gary & Josh Moore **Freddie Mitchell (5lb/2kg)**
A fair maiden hurdler but almost brought down 2nd and unseated rider in handicap chase at Kempton (18f, good to soft) on his debut over fences 23 days ago. Worth another chance.

12 CLONDAW ROYALE (IRE) (24) (D) s 91
821F-44P 5 11-2 | 70.8kg



Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill **Richie McLernon**
A fairly useful winner at 20f over hurdles but pulled up in handicap chase at Stratford (20.9f, heavy) 24 days ago. Cheekpieces are reached for now.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

10-3 Realisation, **7-2** Hurlerontheditch, **17-2** Cat Tiger, **14-1** Awaythelad, **14-1** Walks Like The Man, **16-1** Belargus, **16-1** Moviddy, **16-1** Midnight Jewel, **18-1** Clondaw Royale, **22-1** Knockanore, **25-1** Diplomatic Ash, **28-1** Tactical Affair

TIMEFORM VIEW:

REALISATION shaped well on her chasing bow when third at Warwick and with that form having been franked she earns the vote in a very open-looking handicap. Hurlerontheditch showed the benefit of a breathing op when a good Wetherby second last time out and heads the list of dangers, although the likes of Cat Tiger, Awaythelad, Belargus and Tactical Affair all command plenty of respect too.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. REALISATION 2. HURLERONTHEDITCH 3. CAT TIGER

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Oxygen 5-10-11	6-5f	Venetia Williams	Charlie Deutsch	9
2022	Walk In The Wild 6-10-12	28-1	Gary Moore	Jamie Moore	10
2021	Clondaw Promise 7-11-11	15-8f	Jonjo O'Neill	K. Brogan (3)	8
2020	Avoir de Soins 6-11-5	17-2	Anthony Honeyball	Rex Dingle (3)	10
2019	Kingston Mimosa 7-10-1	12-1	Mark Gillard	James Davies	8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 3

GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM / EBF 'NATIONAL HUNT' NOVICES' HURDLE (Qualifier) (3) 4, 5 and 6yo £10,700 2m3f110y (3920 Metres)**GBI RACING**Going: **Good (Good to Soft in places)**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1 AMARILLOBYMORNING (IRE) (166) 75
3-0 6 11-0 | 69.9kg



Ben Pauling **Kielan Woods**
£58,000 buy after finishing second in his sole point in April 2022 but not seen again until beaten a long way in 2 hurdles in the spring. It's Hard To Know looks the stable first string.

2 CENTREOFATTENTION (IRE) (305) 98
1- 5 11-0 | 69.9kg



Nicky Henderson **Nico de Boinville**
Looked a useful prospect when justifying favouritism in a 6-runner Wincanton bumper in January. Very interesting recruit to hurdling.

3 DRUMHELLER (IRE) (335) 87
34- 5 11-0 | 69.9kg



Nick Gifford **Niall Houlihan**
Fair form in 2 starts in bumpers at the end of 2023 but starts out over hurdles in what looks a warm race. Probably best watched.

4 IT'S HARD TO KNOW (IRE) 91
5 11-0 | 69.9kg



Ben Pauling **Ben Jones**
Won sole start in Irish points (Feb 2024). Had subsequent point winners well behind in third and fourth on that occasion and it'll be interesting to see what the betting makes of him.

5 KEN ROY (IRE) (225) 91
33- 5 11-0 | 69.9kg



Paul Nicholls **Harry Cobden**
Fair form when third in 2 bumpers earlier in the year. Switches to hurdles on return for a top stable back among the winners in a big way over the weekend.

6 NOT SO WOOLLY (21) 93
5-3 5 11-0 | 69.9kg



Joe Tizzard **Brendan Powell**
Fifth in an Exeter bumper in the spring and made a sound to his hurdle career when third of 9 in 18.5f maiden there 3 weeks ago, form which was boosted when the second won at Wincanton on Saturday. Open to progress.

7 OAK GROVE (IRE) (238) (BF) 90
52- 5 11-0 | 69.9kg t



Fergal O'Brien **Jonathan Burke**
Expensive purchase after winning his second start in points and he showed promise in 2 bumpers last season. The type to go on to better things over hurdles.

8 KALHANDRION (FR) (213) 88
5- 4 10-13 | 69.4kg



Richard Hobson **Charlie Deutsch**
Showed a bit when fifth in 2m Chepstow juvenile hurdle in April but he'll need to leave that form behind to get heavily involved here.

9 METKAYINA (IRE) (215) 100
314- 5 10-7 | 66.7kg



Noel Williams **Tom Bellamy**
Impressive winner of a Ludlow bumper for Sam Curling last November and even better form when fourth in Aintree Grade 2 setting out for this yard in the spring. Should have a bright future over jumps.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

TIMEFORM VIEW:

An interesting novice hurdle featuring several likely types, none more so than METKAYINA, who was last seen finishing fourth in a Grade 2 bumper at Aintree in April. Centreofattention was a winning favourite in his sole bumper and is second choice ahead of Joe Tizzard's Not So Woolly, whose hurdle debut form received a boost over the weekend.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. METKAYINA 2. CENTREOFATTENTION 3. NOT SO WOOLLY****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	Theyseekhimthere 5-11-0	125-1	Warren Greatrex	Sean Bowen	10
2022	Mister Who 5-11-0	15-8	Toby Lawes	Tom O'Brien	8
2021	Milan Bridge 5-10-12	13-2	Paul Nicholls	Harry Cobden	6
2020	Take Your Time 5-10-12	11-8f	Paul Nicholls	Bryony Frost	12
2019	Up The Straight 5-10-12	33-1	Richard Rowe	James Davies	8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Metkayina, **3-1** Centreofattention, **6-1** Not So Woolly, **9-1** Ken Roy, **9-1** It's Hard To Know, **10-1** Oak Grove, **25-1** Kalhandrion, **40-1** bar

2.45**SHARON KNAPP MEMORIAL CUP HANDICAP HURDLE
(Qualifier) (3) 4yo+ (Rated 0-130) £15,700 2m7f (4630
Metres)**

RACE 4

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

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Pace Information: **Uncontested**

1 **JATILUWIH (FR) (37)** **99**
32/04428-4 **10** 11-12 | 75.3kg



Philip Hobbs & Johnson White

Mr David Maxwell (31b/1kg)

It's now 16 runs since last win in 2019 and he was beaten 15 lengths when fourth of 5 on his 23f Uttoxeter reappearance last month. Entitled to be sharper now but High Game Royal has to be considered the stable number one.

2 **HIGH GAME ROYAL (FR) (21)** **100**
31/23335-2 **7** 11-8 | 73.5kg



Philip Hobbs & Johnson White

Ben Jones

Made a sound return to action when second of 13 in 23f Exeter handicap hurdle 3 weeks ago and this looks a good opportunity for him to notch a second hurdle success.

3 **SPIKE JONES (339)** **98**
31412/P45- **7** 11-5 | 72.1kg **s+t**



Samuel Drinkwater

Ned Fox (51b/2kg)

Successful twice over 3¼m at Fontwell in 2022/23 season but below that level in only 3 runs last term. Has first-time cheekpieces added to his regular tongue tie back from 11 months off. A watching brief is the percentage call.

4 **CHLOE'S COURT (IRE) (230)** **96**
P81/14231- **11** 11-2 | 70.8kg **s+t**



Robert Walford

Harry Kimber

Won on her reappearance last season and ended that campaign with a victory at Wincanton in March. Evidently capable fresh and should go well for a yard among the winners.

4 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-4 High Game Royal, 2-1 Chloe's Court, 11-2 JatiluwiH, 7-1 Spike Jones

TIMEFORM VIEW:

HIGH GAME ROYAL gets the vote on the back of an encouraging return to action at Exeter, with the main threat likely to come from Chloe's Court, who was successful on last season's reappearance.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. HIGH GAME ROYAL 2. CHLOE'S COURT 3. JATILUWIH

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Whydah Gally 7-11-3	8-1	Joe Tizzard	Freddie Gingell (7)	5
2022	Lynwood Gold 7-11-7	22-1	Brian Barr	Thomas Doggrell (7)	11
2021	Khan 7-10-1	15-8f	Milton Harris	Paddy Brennan	7
2020	Storm Arising 6-11-10	10-3	Paul Nicholls	Bryony Frost	7

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

3.20**HOWARD PEARL 80th CLASSIC NOVICES' HANDICAP CHASE**
(5) 4yo+ (Rated 0-100) £6,150 2m7f110y (4730 Metres)

RACE 5

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

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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 VISION DE MAINE (FR) (25) (D) t **100**
2707-1 5 12-0 | 76.2kg



David Pipe

Jack Tudor

Irish point winner who justified strong support and left his hurdles form behind when making a successful chase debut in 3m Uttoxeter handicap on return last month. Plenty of size about him and the type to progress well beyond this level.

2 COCONUT TWIST (IRE) (27) b **77**
22-163246 6 11-13 | 75.7kg



Daisy Hitchins

Harry Reed

Point winner and made a successful chase debut at Newton Abbot (21f) in May. Has shaped as if still in form since and sterner headgear tried now.

3 KAP CHIDLEY (FR) (192) t **76**
24/25743-5 6 11-10 | 74.4kg



Tim Vaughan

Mr Edward Vaughan (71b/3kg)

Unreliable maiden but has slipped to a good mark judged on a couple of bits of form and first time back might be the time to catch him.

4 CAERULEUM (20) t **78**
6/624522-3 6 11-6 | 72.6kg



Robert Walford

Harry Kimber

Has a race like this in him judged on the pick of his efforts and ran creditably on his comeback at Fontwell 3 weeks ago. One to note for in-form yard.

5 OUTBACK FRONTIERS (IRE) (53) **73**
28/0-47126 8 10-13 | 69.4kg



John O'Shea

Brendan Powell

Scored over hurdles at Stratford in July but set a lot to do at Newton Abbot last time. Stamina to prove now chasing.

6 BALLYGELLY (IRE) (239) t **72**
708- 6 10-5 | 65.8kg



Emma-Jane Bishop

James Best

No promise in 3 runs over hurdles at the start of the year but had won a point before that. Upped markedly in trip for chase debut.

7 CAPTAIN COPPER (IRE) (201) t **71**
905P8P5P- 6 10-2(9-13) | 64.4kg (63.0kg)



Ryan Potter

Conor Ring

Little form under Rules.

8 DESIGN FLAW (8) s **70**
000/P-8P 6 10-2(9-8) | 64.4kg (60.8kg)



Cynthia Woods

Lorcan Murtagh

Looks of little account.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

8-11 Vision De Maine, **6-1** Caeruleum, **7-1** Coconut Twist, **17-2** Kap Chidley, **25-1** Outback Frontiers, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

VISION DE MAINE looked one to keep firmly on side when making a successful start over fences at Uttoxeter on his return and can win again. Caeruleum is feared most ahead of Kap Chidley.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. VISION DE MAINE 2. CAERULEUM 3. KAP CHIDLEY

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Dysania 8-9-12	11-2	Peter Bowen	Sean Bowen	5
2022	Ozzie Man 6-12-0	10-11f	Gary Moore	Jamie Moore	4
2021	Movethechains 7-10-8	2-5f	Gary Moore	Jamie Moore	6
2020	Hang Tough 6-10-8	10-3	Jonjo O'Neill	Jonjo O'Neill Jr.	7
2019	Pres 5-11-10	4-1f	Chris Gordon	Leighton Aspell	8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

3.55**BEST ODDS GUARANTEED AT BETMGM HANDICAP HURDLE
(5) 4yo+ (Rated 0-105) £6,150 2m7f (4630 Metres)**

RACE 6

GBI RACINGGoing: **Good (Good to Soft in places)**

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Pace Information: **Even**

1 LUCKY SO AND SO (IRE) (235) 96
P/PPU2P- 7 12-0 | 76.2kg



Nicky Martin

Niall Houlihan

Just one credible performance last season and will probably strip fitter for this first run in 7 months. Others make more appeal.

2 KEABLE (IRE) (227) 96
426/4P- 7 12-0 | 76.2kg



Philip Hobbs & Johnson White

Callum Pritchard (71b/3kg)

Promise when in the frame in maiden hurdles at the start of 2023. Disappointing so far in handicaps and hasn't been seen for 7 months.

3 SAUNTON SURF (IRE) (200) 94
12558- 5 11-13 | 75.7kg



Warren Greatrex

James Bowen

Easy winner of a point/Aintree bumper for Bradley Gibbs and better than the result on a couple of occasions over hurdles last season. Worthy of interest on return.

4 BELLES BENEFIT (IRE) (22) 96
64P-16U21 8 11-12 | 75.3kg



Ben Case

Harry Bannister

Bounced back to form to score at Plumpton last month. Remains on a fair mark but not certain to be in the same mood.

5 GOLDEN AMBITION (IRE) (20) 98
55P05-U21 5 11-11 | 74.8kg



Ben Pauling

Kielan Woods

Has benefited from the refitting of blinkers this term, bumping into one at Fontwell in early October before going one better there later in the month. Leading claims.

6 SEIGNOR GRINGO (FR) (27) 95
12/P36-45 6 11-5 | 72.1kg



Richard Bandey

Brendan Powell

Shaped better than previously for this yard when fourth of 7 in handicap hurdle at Fontwell (25.8f, good, 12/1) in May but added to a patchy record when only fifth at Worcester on return.

7 WEAVER'S ANSWER (249) 99
443/18314- 6 11-5 | 72.1kg



Tim Vaughan

Mr Edward Vaughan (71b/3kg)

Improved with cheekpieces added when gaining second hurdle success at Plumpton in February and may have found the race coming too soon at Ayr 8 months ago. Could get back on track.

8 DANCE TO FAME (IRE) (207) 89
P3P- 9 10-7 | 66.7kg



Richard Rowe

James Davies

Successful on the last of 4 starts in Irish points but is yet to offer much over hurdles. Hard to fancy back from 6 months off.

9 TWP STORI (25) 100
655321-25 6 10-7 | 66.7kg



Samuel Drinkwater

Robert Dunne

Steadily progressive sort who scored at Fontwell in March and progressed again when second of 9 at Uttoxeter in May. Inadequate test on return and should get back on the up over this distance.

10 ENGAGING SAM (273) 93
08P/8863- 7 10-2(9-9) | 64.4kg (61.2kg)



Paddy Butler

Caoilin Quinn (31b/1kg)

Little form in bumpers and just poor form over hurdles. Likely to struggle back from 9 months off.

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Golden Ambition, **5-1** Belles Benefit, **6-1** Twp Stori, **15-2** Weaver's Answer, **10-1** Saunton Surf, **14-1** Lucky So And So, **16-1** Engaging Sam, **22-1** Keable, **25-1** Seigneur Gringo, **66-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

GOLDEN AMBITION is going well in blinkers and is fancied to supplement his Fontwell win with the step up in trip likely to bring even more out of him. Twp Stori is a danger returning to a more suitable distance and Saunton Surf may have more to offer this term.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. GOLDEN AMBITION 2. TWP STORI 3. SAUNTON SURF

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023 **Shewearsthowellies** 6-10-9 4-1 Lawney Hill David Bass 8
2022 **Shot Boii** 5-11-0 13-8f David Pipe Tom Scudamore 6

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race