

Sunday 13th October

# GOODWOOD



1.50	ALDERBROOK HANDICAP (Professional Jump Jockeys) (4) 2m (3220 Metres)
RACE 1	<b>(10) JUDGEMENTOFSOLOMON   (9) ZIKANY   (7) CLEVER RELATION</b>
2.25	WILLIAM HILL / BRITISH EBF RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES (4) 6f (1210 Metres)
RACE 2	<b>(1) QETAIFAN   (8) WICKET KEEPER   (6) GREAT</b>
3.00	WILLIAM HILL OFFERS PROPER PRICES HANDICAP (3) 6f (1210 Metres)
RACE 3	<b>(5) CHAIRMANOFTHEBOARD   (2) WODAO   (1) COACHELLO</b>
3.35	IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF NURSERY HANDICAP (4) 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 4	<b>(5) MAYDAY MALONE   (3) TACTICAL PLAN   (1) MEGALITHIC</b>
4.10	GOODWOOD RACEHORSE OWNERS GROUP EBF NOVICE STAKES (4) 1m1f11y (1820 Metres)
RACE 5	<b>(2) CASTLE GATES   (1) ASHDOWN FOREST   (6) THE POUNCING LION</b>
4.45	INKERMAN LONDON HANDICAP (2) 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 6	<b>(8) PLANTADREAM   (9) ARKHALIA FLYNN   (1) RHOSCOLYN</b>
5.20	WILLIAM HILL KEEP YOUR RACEDAY POSITIVE HANDICAP (4) 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 7	<b>(2) RACINGBREAKS RYDER   (3) PHOENIX PASSION   (1) MAGIC MEMORIES</b>

## 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.

1.50

**ALDERBROOK HANDICAP (Professional Jump Jockeys) (4) 3yo+ (Rated 0-80) £12,650 2m (3220 Metres)**

RACE 1




Going: **Heavy**


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


**1 5 ZORAN (79) (D)** t **95**  
20-552128 7 12-0 | 76.2kg

 Emma Lavelle **Tom Bellamy**  
Versatile sort who resumed winning ways at Kempton in June. Beat only one at Ascot (2m) following month but he's the sort to bounce back.

**2 9 MARK OF GOLD (14) (CD)** **95**  
1-8 7 11-11 | 74.8kg

 Gary & Josh Moore **Freddie Mitchell**  
Successful over C&D in May but he failed to beat a rival on his return at Epsom last month. Needs to get back on track.

**3 4 ROYAUME UNI (IRE) (735) (D)** **92**  
0/ 7 11-10 | 74.4kg

 Gary & Josh Moore **David Noonan**  
Fairly useful over hurdles but off the track since 2m4f landing Plumpton handicap in May. Ought to be a factor from this sort of mark back on the level.


**4 8 HAVAILA (IRE) (27)** **94**  
6/2644-279 5 11-7 | 73.0kg

 Gary & Josh Moore **Tom Cannon**  
Arrives out of sorts, last of 9 in handicap at Windsor (11.4f, good) 27 days ago. Significantly back up in trip with work to do.


**5 1 GOOLOOGONG (IRE) (22)** s **95**  
78-879054 4 11-6 | 72.6kg

 George Baker **Marc Goldstein**  
Comes here in decent nick, fourth of 13 in handicap at Chester (14.4f, soft) 22 days ago. Needs considering off an easing mark.


**6 6 HURTLE WALLOP (16)** h **95**  
44-6U5646 4 11-5 | 72.1kg

 Jim Boyle **Robert Dunne**  
Unreliable type who was tried in cheekpieces when last of 6 in handicap at Haydock (14f, heavy) 16 days ago. Hood goes back on now but others are more persuasive.


**7 2 CLEVER RELATION (49) (C)** ★ **100**  
1660-631 4 11-4 | 71.7kg

 Hughie Morrison **David Bass**  
Improved when third at Nottingham in May and cosily landed 6-runner seller here (11.2f, good to soft) 38 days ago. Remains fairly treated and is not taken lightly for yard among the winners.


**8 11 PONCHO (FR) (31) (D)** s **92**  
8345 6 11-4 | 71.7kg

 Gary & Josh Moore **Niall Houlihan**  
A fair 2m winner over hurdles but below par of late in this sphere, fifth in handicap at Epsom (12f, soft) 31 days ago. More is needed back up in trip.


**9 7 ZIKANY (10) (CD)** **96**  
056143/76 6 11-1 | 70.3kg

 Amanda Perrett **Charlie Deutsch**  
Fairly useful performer but has shaped as if still needing the run (second start back after 22 months off) when sixth of 11 in handicap at Salisbury (14.2f, good to soft) 10 days ago. Took this in 2022 so he's very much one to consider.

**10 10 JUDGEMENTOFSOLOMON (14) (BF)** s **97**  
66-134213 3 11-0 | 69.9kg

 Sir Mark Prescott Bt **Nico de Boinville**  
Looked on the up when bagging his second win this year at Pontefract in September and not seen to best effect given steady pace when third of 6 at Southwell (16.5f) 14 days ago. This thorough stayer remains one to be interested in.

**11 3 FAR L'AMORE (FR) (30)** s **92**

 Brian Meehan **Brendan Powell**  
Still to register a victory but he comes here in good order, second of 6 in handicap at Chester (14.4f, heavy) 30 days ago. In the mix with cheekpieces replacing blinkers.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**10-3** Clever Relation, **7-2** Judgementofsolomon, **13-2** Gooloogong, **10-1** Far L'amore, **12-1** Zoran, **16-1** Hurtle Wallop, **16-1** Mark of Gold, **16-1** Poncho, **25-1** Royaume Uni, **28-1** Zikany, **33-1** Havaila

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

JUDGEMENTOFSOLOMON wasn't seen to best effect when third in a steadily-run contest at Southwell last time and is fancied to bounce back in style given this stiffer test of stamina. 2022 victor Zikany could emerge as the main danger to Sir Mark Prescott's 3-y-o after a couple of runs under his belt, although Clever Relation and Gooloogong could also have a say.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. JUDGEMENTOFSOLOMON 2. ZIKANY 3. CLEVER RELATION**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	Baileys Derbyday	5-11-6	28-1	Amy Murphy	Jack Quinlan	7
2022	Zikany	4-11-5	14-1	Amanda Perrett	Bryony Frost	16
2021	Polish	6-11-7	7-2f	Fergal O'Brien	Connor Brace	15

**SMART STATS:**

- £14.65** Emma Lavelle's profit to a £1 level stake when having one runner at a flat meeting (saddles: **ZORAN**)
- £70.79** George Baker's profit to a £1 level stake when having one runner at a flat meeting (saddles: **GOOLOOGONG**)
- 25%** Sir Mark Prescott Bt's strike rate with horses running over 10f+ (saddles: **JUDGEMENTOFSOLOMON**)

**2.25****WILLIAM HILL / BRITISH EBF RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES  
(4) 2yo £15,000 6f (1210 Metres)**


RACE 2

**GBI RACING**Going: **Heavy**

Right handed, undulating. There are two bends; all races up to a mile and a quarter use the lower bend, and in excess of eleven furlongs use the top bend. Although there is a five-furlong run-in from the top bend, the turns and the pronounced downhill gradients make Goodwood essentially a sharp track, favouring handy types, particularly in the shorter-distance races. The five-furlong course is one of the fastest in the country, meaning speedy sorts often have an advantage. A notoriously tricky course, those held up regularly meet trouble in the straight, particularly when kept to the rail.

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

**1 7 QETAIFAN (IRE) (30) (D)**  **100**  
451 2 9-9 | 61.2kg

Andrew Balding **Oisin Murphy**

Stepped up on first 2 starts to get off the mark in decisive fashion in 6-runner novice at Chester (6.1f, heavy) 30 days ago and sets the standard under a penalty.

**2 5 KOSOMETSUKE (11)** **69**  
68 2 9-4 | 59.0kg

Roger Varian **Jack Mitchell**

Modest form when down the field in novices at Ascot and Kempton.

**3 1 NEWLYN SCHOOL (IRE) (11)** **81**  
459 2 9-4 | 59.0kg



William Haggas

**Tom Marquand**

From a top yard but little better than modest form in 3 outings so far.

**4 6 ARABIAN COBRA (IRE) (23)** **96**  
625068 2 9-2 | 58.1kg



Hugo Palmer

**Sean Dylan Bowen (3lb/1kg)**

Better for debut when going close in Windsor novice but yet to match that, down the field switched to nurseries last 2 starts.

**5 3 DANNICK (30)** **50**  
6 2 9-2 | 58.1kg



Gary &amp; Josh Moore

**Tom Queally**

Once-raced maiden. Sixth of 10 in maiden (50/1) at Sandown (5f, soft) on debut 30 days ago, hampered and finished with running left. Likely to improve.

**6 8 GREAT** **96**  
2 9-2 | 58.1kg



Richard Hannon

**Pat Dobbs**

Foaled February 13. 10,000 gns foal, Twilight Son colt. Half-brother to useful Hong Kong multiple 1m winner Magnificent. Dam 1¼m winner.

**7 2 JUST KING HIGH (IRE) (19)** **96**  
4 2 9-2 | 58.1kg



Dylan Cunha

**Rhys Clutterbuck**

Kodiac gelding. Dam maiden (stayed 6f) half-sister to US 5f/7f winner Big Handsome and winner up to 6f Frenetic (by Kodiac) (both smart). 12/1 and tongue strap on, fourth of 10 in novice at Beverley (5f, good to soft) on debut 19 days ago. Entitled to come on for that.

**8 9 WICKET KEEPER (IRE) (23)** **91**  
3 2 9-2 | 58.1kg



Eve Johnson Houghton

**Charles Bishop**

£44,000 yearling, Kodi Bear colt. Half-brother to 5f winner Grandlad. Dam unraced half-sister to smart 6f-7f winner Almargo out of useful 6f winner Alexander Youth. Third of 12 in maiden at Newbury (6f, good to soft, 14/1) on debut 23 days ago. Should progress.

**9 4 KEITH'S STAR (38)** **96**  
0 2 8-7 | 54.0kg



Rachel Cook &amp; John Bridger

**Gina Mangan**

6,000 gns yearling, Land Force filly. Sister to 6f winner Yiengaa. Dam, 6f/7f winner (including at 2 yrs), half-sister to useful 1m winner (stayed 10.5f) Madeed. 150/1, last of 11 in maiden at Newbury (7f, soft) on debut 38 days ago.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**13-8** Qetaifan, **5-1** Wicket Keeper, **11-2** Just King High, **7-1** Great, **12-1** Arabian Cobra, **20-1** Newlyn School, **22-1** Dannick, **25-1** Kosometsuke, **300-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

A good opportunity for QETAIFAN to defy a penalty in what looks an ordinary novice. Wicket Keeper offered something to work on when third at Newbury and is next best ahead of Hannon's newcomer Great.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:****1. QETAIFAN 2. WICKET KEEPER 3. GREAT****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	<b>Al Shabab Storm</b> 2-9-4	1-2f	Andrew Balding	Richard Kingscote	6
2022	<b>Yacowlef</b> 2-9-4	4-9f	Paul & Oliver Cole	Tom Marquand	8
2021	<b>Lil Guff</b> 2-9-0	6-5f	Daniel & Claire Kubler	Hollie Doyle	13

**SMART STATS:**

**21%** William Haggas's strike rate at GOODWOOD since the start of the 2020 season (saddles: **NEWLYN SCHOOL**)

**34%** Oisin Murphy's strike rate on favourites (rides: **QETAIFAN**)

**21%** William Haggas's strike rate with sprinters (saddles: **NEWLYN SCHOOL**)

**3.00****WILLIAM HILL OFFERS PROPER PRICES HANDICAP (3) 3yo+  
(Rated 0-95) £15,000 6f (1210 Metres)**

RACE 3

**GBI RACING**Going: **Heavy**

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

**1 6 COACHELLO (FR) (22) (D) 94**  
5-4050700 6 9-12 | 62.6kg



Mark Loughnane

**Ray Dawson**

Ex-Irish 6f/7f scorer but yet to build upon his encouraging debut for this yard at Royal Ascot. Will at least find this less competitive and conditions not a problem.

**2 5 WODAO (FR) (9) 95**  
6897-8304 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



Jamie Osborne

**Saffie Osborne**

Listed winner in Ireland for Donnacha O'Brien but lost his way last season and just respectable efforts at best for this yard this term. However, was fourth in a better race than this at Ascot 9 days ago and is proven under testing conditions.

**3 1 BALDOMERO (IRE) (15) (CD) 96**  
40058416 6 9-8 | 60.8kg



Michael Appleby

**Jason Watson**

As good as ever when making all in 9-runner handicap at Doncaster (6.5f, good to soft, 10/1) last month and not disgraced off revised mark at Ripon since. Won over C&D (off 3 lb lower) under similar conditions in the spring so should go well again.

**4 2 SPANISH STAR (IRE) (102) (CD) 95**  
366-44600 9 9-1 | 57.6kg



Patrick Chamings

**Hollie Doyle**

Four-time C&D winner, including this race in 2021 and 2022, but only sixth in this last season and further signs of decline this term.

**5 3 CHAIRMANOFTHEBOARD (IRE) (15) (CD) 100**  
309-82300 8 9-0 | 57.2kg



Jack Channon

**Edward Greatrex**

Losing run is mounting up but went close off 3 lb higher at Newbury in the spring and probably needed the run at Haydock 2 weeks ago after 5 months off. Interesting.

**6 4 ALCAZAN (8) (CD) 97**  
80116461 6 8-12 | 56.2kg



Roger Teal

**Hayley Turner**

Bagged handicaps at Ascot and Brighton during the summer and resumed winning ways with a career best at former course last week. Player if handling these conditions (unraced on going softer than good to soft).

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**2-1** Alcazan, **10-3** Baldomero, **5-1** Wodao, **13-2** Coachello, **10-1** Chairmanoftheboard, **12-1** Spanish Star

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Claims can be made for all 6 but it could be worth chancing CHAIRMANOFTHEBOARD off a tempting mark. Wodao and Coachello are feared most dropping in class.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. CHAIRMANOFTHEBOARD 2. WODAO 3. COACHELLO**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	<b>Gisburn</b> 4-9-5	9-1	Richard Hannon	Sean Levey	11
2022	<b>Spanish Star</b> 7-9-4	10-3jf	Patrick Chamings	Tom Marquand	10
2021	<b>Spanish Star</b> 6-9-1	6-1	Patrick Chamings	David Probert	12
2020	<b>Amarillo Star</b> 3-9-6	16-1	Charlie Fellowes	Stevie Donohoe	14

**SMART STATS:**

**2** Patrick Chamings's number of winners in past 10 runnings. (saddles: **SPANISH STAR**)

**35%** Hayley Turner's strike rate on favourites (rides: **ALCAZAN**)

**3.35****IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF NURSERY HANDICAP (4) 2yo**  
**(Rated 0-78) £15,650 7f (1410 Metres)**

RACE 4

Going: **Heavy**

Right handed, undulating. There are two bends; all races up to a mile and a quarter use the lower bend, and in excess of eleven furlongs use the top bend. Although there is a five-furlong run-in from the top bend, the turns and the pronounced downhill gradients make Goodwood essentially a sharp track, favouring handy types, particularly in the shorter-distance races. The five-furlong course is one of the fastest in the country, meaning speedy sorts often have an advantage. A notoriously tricky course, those held up regularly meet trouble in the straight, particularly when kept to the rail.

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

No Smart Stats available for this race

**1 5 MEGALITHIC (IRE) (93) (BF) 93**  
3236 2 9-10 | 61.7kg



Ralph Beckett

**Hector Crouch**

Placed in novice events. Made a very disappointing start to his nursery career at Chester in July but that was almost too bad to be true and no surprise were he to prove a different proposition 3 months on.

**2 7 UP THE PACE (IRE) (30) (D) 97**  
4351 2 9-8 | 60.8kg



Edward Smyth-Osbourne

**Rob Hornby**

Improved to make a winning nursery debut at Salisbury (7f, good to soft) last month. Respected up 5 lb.

**3 4 TACTICAL PLAN (15) (D) 100**  
40223412 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Ed Dunlop

**Jim Crowley**

Saw off Mayday Malone to gain a deserved first victory in maiden at Chester (7f, soft) last month and backed it up with a fine second in a heavy-ground nursery at Haydock. Should give another good account.

**4 3 LOUIE THE LEGEND (IRE) (17) (D) 90**  
4215 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Dylan Cunha

**Ray Dawson**

Won a 16-runner maiden at Chepstow (7f, good) in August but not in the same form when fifth of 7 in a heavy-ground nursery at Newmarket since. Likely to face testing ground again here.

**5 2 MAYDAY MALONE (29) 98**  
642 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Michael Bell

**Oisín Murphy**

Improved when 1¼ lengths second of 7 to reopposing Tactical Plan in maiden at Chester (7f, soft) 29 days ago. Potential for better again in nurseries with Oisín Murphy doing the steering.

**6 1 NUMBER (IRE) (53) 97**  
35240 2 9-1 | 57.6kg



John Butler

**Tom Marquand**

Fair maiden. Not beaten far when fourth of 5 on 6f Ascot nursery debut in July and this easier than the big-field York Ebor nursery he ran in last time. Tackles 7f for the first time.

**7 6 EMPORESS (IRE) (5) (BF) 99**  
53486412 2 9-0 | 57.2kg



Rod Millman

**Saffie Osborne**

In good form in deep ground this month, winning at Bath (5.7f) and second at Leicester (6f). Remains to be seen whether 7f suits her quite so well.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**7-2** Mayday Malone, **4-1** Tactical Plan, **9-2** Up The Pace, **11-2** Megalithic, **6-1** Emporess, **10-1** Number, **20-1** Louie The Legend

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

MAYDAY MALONE has the assistance of Oisín Murphy for this nursery debut and is taken to turn the tables on his Chester conqueror Tactical Plan. Magalithic could also have a say if the betting suggests he's expected to leave a disappointing nursery debut run behind after a break.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. MAYDAY MALONE 2. TACTICAL PLAN 3. MEGALITHIC**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	<b>Mad Punter</b> 2-8-9	10-1	Brian Meehan	Billy Loughnane	7
2022	<b>Benacre</b> 2-9-10	10-3	Charlie & Mark Johnston	William Buick	5
2021	<b>Mystery Fox</b> 2-9-5	4-1	Roger Varian	Silvestre De Sousa	12
2020	<b>Conservatoire</b> 2-8-8	13-2	William Haggas	Tom Marquand	7

**4.10****GOODWOOD RACEHORSE OWNERS GROUP EBF NOVICE STAKES (4) 2yo £20,000 1m1f11y (1820 Metres)**

RACE 5

Going: **Heavy**

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

**1 1 ASHDOWN FOREST (IRE) 84**  
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Ed Walker

**Tom Marquand**

Foaled March 6. €75,000 foal, 210,000 gns yearling, Camelot colt. Half-brother to useful winner up to 7f Lexington Times. Dam, 2-y-o 5f winner, half-sister to winner up to 8.5f Green Line. Interesting newcomer.

**2 4 CASTLE GATES (12) 100**  
52 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Saeed bin Suroor

**Oisin Murphy**

Farhh colt who built on his promising debut effort when second of 12 in novice at Bath (8f, soft) 12 days ago, sticking to his task well when headed. This longer trip looks sure to suit on that evidence and big shout with further progress anticipated.

**3 7 KARTHON 83**  
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Andrew Balding

**Jason Watson**

Foaled March 30. New Bay gelding. Half-brother to several winners, including smart winner up to 1¼m Berlin Tango, useful 11.6f-1¼m winner Fairbanks. Makes appeal on paper and he commands a market check for clues on debut.

**4 5 LOVE YOU BACK (IRE) (25) 76**  
0 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Gary &amp; Josh Moore

**Tom Queally**

Galiway colt. Very easy to back and he went with no short-term promise when last of 11 in maiden at Sandown (8f, good) on debut 25 days ago. Looks one for the longer term on that evidence.

**5 2 NELSON GATE (IRE) (18) 78**  
4 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Gary &amp; Josh Moore

**Rhys Clutterbuck**

Australia colt who showed a bit when amidst greenness when fourth of 6 in maiden at this course (9.9f, heavy, 25/1) on debut 18 days ago. Likely to improve but handicaps could well be more his bag in due course.

**6 6 THE POUNCING LION (IRE) 82**  
2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Michael Bell

**Hector Crouch**

Foaled April 25. 92,000 gns foal, 140,000 gns yearling, Ghaiyyath colt. Half-brother to 6f-1m winner North East Star and winner up to 1m Circe. Dam unraced half-sister to high-class 9f-1½m winner Prince Bishop. Interesting newcomer.

**7 3 GIRLS NIGHT OUT (10) 76**  
86 2 9-2 | 58.1kg



Owen Burrows

**Jim Crowley**

Mayson filly who has offered little both starts to date, last of 6 in novice at Chelmsford (1m) 10 days ago. Can only be watched.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**evens** Castle Gates, **9-2** Ashdown Forest, **11-2** Karthon, **6-1** The Pouncing Lion, **14-1** Nelson Gate, **66-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

CASTLE GATES confirmed the promise of his debut effort when runner-up in a Bath novice (1m) 12 days ago and, with this increase in trip firmly in his favour on that evidence, he makes plenty of appeal in his bid to go one place better. Ashdown Forest and The Pouncing Lion are a pair of newcomers to note also.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. CASTLE GATES 2. ASHDOWN FOREST 3. THE POUNCING LION**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	<b>Black Run</b> 2-9-7	7-4f	Paul & Oliver Cole	Tom Marquand	7
2022	<b>Rathgar</b> 2-9-7	11-10f	Mick Channon	Charles Bishop	9
2021	<b>Secret Image</b> 2-9-5	5-1	Charlie Appleby	William Buick	12
2020	<b>Juan de Montalban</b> 2-9-5	2-1	Andrew Balding	Oisin Murphy	8



**4.45****INKERMAN LONDON HANDICAP (2) 3yo+ (Rated 0-105)  
£25,000 1m (1610 Metres)**

RACE 6

Going: **Heavy**

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

**1 8 RHOSCOLYN (8) (CD)** t **98**  
61000019 6 10-0 | 63.5kg



David O'Meara

*Edward Greatrex*

Revels in the mud and he enhanced his fine record here when landing 6-runner C&D handicap (heavy) on penultimate start in September. Far from disgraced when ninth of 18 in handicap at Ascot (7f, good) 8 days ago and no surprise to see him thereabouts back at this venue.

**2 3 WHIP CRACKER (IRE) (22)** **95**  
21-2303 3 9-11 | 62.1kg



Richard Hughes

*Jim Crowley*

Lightly raced 3-y-o who ran up to best after 3 months off when third of 9 in handicap (11/2) at Newbury (10f, soft) 22 days ago. Return to 1m will hold no fears and he's respected from unchanged mark.

**3 6 MARCELLA (GER) (14)** h **93**  
15-259061 3 9-4 | 59.0kg



Andrew Balding

*Oisin Murphy*

Struggled following a promising comeback run in the spring but found a drop in grade/positive ride right up her street when back to winning ways in 8-runner handicap at Epsom (8.5f, soft) 14 days ago, by 2 lengths from Arkhalia Flynn. May find things tougher from revised mark/back up in class.

**4 2 ALPHA CRUCIS (IRE) (18) (CD)** s **96**  
16-403541 4 9-4 | 59.0kg



Gary &amp; Josh Moore

*Jason Watson*

Building up a solid record at this venue and he capitalised on an easing mark to land 6-runner handicap here (9f, heavy) 18 days ago, albeit a shade flattered by the winning margin. Handicapper has reacted but he's entitled to respect back down in trip.

**5 1 CRACK SHOT (IRE) (49) (D)** **98**  
10-140005 4 9-4 | 59.0kg



Ed Walker

*Tom Marquand*

Progressive at 3 and made a winning return over 1m at Newmarket in May. Best effort since when fifth of 9 in handicap at this C&D (good to soft) 49 days ago and no surprise to see a good showing with his mark having eased a little more.

**6 7 DASHING DARCEY (15) (D)** **95**  
11-234102 3 9-4 | 59.0kg



Roger Varian

*Ray Dawson*

Won a pair of 1m Lingfield novices on AW in December and has progressed again in handicaps, off the mark at Haydock (1m) in June and similar form following a break when runner-up back at that venue 2 weeks ago. Versatile as regards ground and he's respected.

**7 5 SON OF MAN (IRE) (16)** **97**  
735-02087 3 9-1 | 57.6kg



Jim Boyle

*Hector Crouch*

Stepped up markedly on his reappearance effort when runner-up over 7f here in June. However, not scaled same heights since, including in 2 starts for new stable, seventh of 9 in handicap at Haydock (7.2f, heavy) 16 days ago. Needs a couple of these to falter.

**8 4 PLANTADREAM (49) (D)** **100**  
6-48222 9 8-13 | 56.7kg



Karen Jewell

*Hollie Doyle*

9-y-o who is on a long losing run but he has gone agonisingly close to bucking that trend of late, conceding run when just failing in 9-runner C&D handicap 7 weeks ago. Mark has crept back up but he could just be worth chancing under Hollie Doyle in an open affair.

**9 9 ARKHALIA FLYNN (14) (D, BF)** h **99**  
52131122 3 8-11 | 55.8kg



Jack Channon

*George Bass (3lb/1kg)*

Has progressed into a useful performer, bagging a third success in handicaps at Windsor (1m, soft) in August. Runner-up both starts since, a slow start not helping when chasing home Marcella in handicap at Epsom (8.5f) 2 weeks ago. Looks sure to be in the mix again.

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**4-1** Alpha Crucis, **11-2** Marcella, **13-2** Plantadream, **13-2** Rhoscolyn, **13-2** Dashing Darcey, **7-1** Arkhalia Flynn, **9-1** Whip Cracker, **14-1** Crack Shot, **28-1** Son of Man

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

PLANTADREAM's losing run tempers enthusiasm to a degree but he again went agonisingly close to bucking that trend over C&D 7 weeks ago, just failing having conceded first run. He's given the vote partnered by Hollie Doyle for the first time. Arkhalia Flynn, prolific course scorer Rhoscolyn and Alpha Crucis are just a trio of others to consider in a competitive affair.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. PLANTADREAM 2. ARKHALIA FLYNN 3. RHOSCOLYN**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023 **Thunder Ball** 3-9-3 3-1 Paul & Oliver Cole Alec Voikhansky (5) 6

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**5.20****WILLIAM HILL KEEP YOUR RACEDAY POSITIVE HANDICAP (4)  
3yo+ (Rated 0-80) £12,650 1m (1610 Metres)**

RACE 7

**GBI RACING**Going: **Heavy**

Right handed, undulating. There are two bends; all races up to a mile and a quarter use the lower bend, and in excess of eleven furlongs use the top bend. Although there is a five-furlong run-in from the top bend, the turns and the pronounced downhill gradients make Goodwood essentially a sharp track, favouring handy types, particularly in the shorter-distance races. The five-furlong course is one of the fastest in the country, meaning speedy sorts often have an advantage. A notoriously tricky course, those held up regularly meet trouble in the straight, particularly when kept to the rail.

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

**1 3 MAGIC MEMORIES (IRE) (18)** (D, BF) **100**  
3-5821465 4 10-1 | 64.0kg



Gary &amp; Josh Moore

**Tom Queally**

Has plenty of form with the mud is flying and scored at Yarmouth in June. Just ticking over subsequently but can never be ruled out in these sort of conditions.

**2 1 RACINGBREAKS RYDER (IRE) (36)** (D, BF) **98**  
04853304 4 9-13 | 63.0kg



Charles Hills

**Jim Crowley**

Well treated and has shaped well on occasion this year, notably at this course. Not disgraced on latest effort and stable have been showing better signs lately. One to note.

**3 5 PHOENIX PASSION (IRE) (22)** (CD) **97**  
4-3111152 3 9-13 | 63.0kg



Ed Walker

**Saffie Osborne**

Has thrived this year, completing the four-timer when dead-heating at Kempton (1m) in June. Has remained in form since and he's liable to give another good account.

**4 7 DOUBLE TIME (11)** (CD) **99**  
62418846 6 9-11 | 62.1kg



Sir Mark Todd

**Charles Bishop**

Quirky sort who scored here in June and, having edged back down the weights, looked back in form when sixth at Kempton 11 days ago. Tricky ride, so will need the race to pan out ideally.

**5 4 ASTEVERDI (36)** (D) **93**  
16-271037 3 9-11 | 62.1kg



Alice Haynes

**Tom Marquand**

Well on top at the line when opening her account for the season at Sandown in June but has been hit and miss since, her latest effort at Haydock one of her lesser ones. Cheekpieces are tried.

**6 6 ZIGGY'S PHOENIX (IRE) (36)** (CD) **93**  
91425013 3 9-11 | 62.1kg



Richard Hannon

**Pat Dobbs**

Caused a 66/1 shock at Newmarket in May and arguably surpassed that performance when accounting for 7 rivals in a C&D handicap in August. Ran about as well in defeat from 4 lb higher when third of 6 at Ascot (1m, good to soft) last month and deserves respect again.

**7 2 WINDCRACK (25)** (D) **93**  
3-45411 3 9-9 | 61.2kg



Andrew Balding

**Oisin Murphy**

Progressive switched to handicaps and completed a Sandown double when finding plenty to land a 10-runner event there last time. Has to prove herself on this less-conventional track but she's worthy of respect.

**8 8 BEAU JARDINE (IRE) (9)** (D) **96**  
49654304 6 8-9(8-7) | 54.9kg (54.0kg)



Rachel Cook &amp; John Bridger

**Sean Dylan Bowen (3lb/1kg)**

Visored for 1st time, respectable fourth of 13 in handicap at Ascot (7f, good to soft, 9/2) 9 days ago, making effort earlier than ideal. Cheekpieces back on. Seemingly just ticking over at present and he's wrong at the weights.

**9 9 PLATINUM PRINCE (24)** (D) **88**  
55-720234 7 8-9(8-3) | 54.9kg (52.2kg)



Gary &amp; Josh Moore

**Sam Hitchcott**

Unreliable sort who isn't in top form and is a long way out of the weights, so easy to look elsewhere.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**7-2** Magic Memories, **5-1** Phoenix Passion, **5-1** Windcrack, **11-2** Racingbreaks Ryder, **10-1** Ziggy's Phoenix, **11-1** Beau Jardine, **16-1** Double Time, **20-1** Asteverdi, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

RACINGBREAKS RYDER isn't the most reliable but he's well treated and already shaped well here this season, so he's worth taking a chance on. Magic Memories and Phoenix Passion should also be on the premises.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. RACINGBREAKS RYDER 2. PHOENIX PASSION 3. MAGIC MEMORIES**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	<b>Alpha Crucis</b> 3-9-11	7-1	Gary Moore	Jason Watson	10
2022	<b>Mystery Fox</b> 3-9-9	10-1	Roger Varian	David Egan	10
2021	<b>Diamil</b> 3-9-9	11-2	Ralph Beckett	Rob Hornby	19
2020	<b>Latent Heat</b> 4-8-11	15-2	Tony Carroll	Tom Marquand	12

**SMART STATS:**

**34%** Tom Queally's strike rate on favourites (rides: **MAGIC MEMORIES**)