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VAAL CLASSIC (SA) - 19 SEPTEMBER 2024

RACECOURSE: Turf. 2800m oval track. Races up to 1000m straight course; beyond 1000m clockwise round turn with 1000m run-in. **TOP JOCKEYS AT TRACK:** G Lerena 125-31 (24.80%)-46, M Yeni 133-18 (13.53%)-55, P Strydom 51-15 (29.41%)-19, C Habib 115-14 (12.17%)-48 **TOP TRAINERS AT TRACK:** M N Houdalakis 79-14 (17.72%)-34, F P Habib 68-13 (19.12%)-22, F Bronkhorst 147-12 (8.16%)-50, P F Matchett 117-11 (9.40%)-45 **DRAW:** High-number draws favoured over 1000m; low-number draws best 1200m and 1450m. **APPRENTICES (ALLOWANCES):** T Mayhew (2.5), N Nastili (2.5), G Samo-Burthia (4.0).

TAB BETS for this meeting = ALL RACES: Win, Place, Swinger, Exacta, Trifecta, Quartet, Rolling Double (Races 1-2; 2-3; 3-4 etc) and Pick 3 (Races 1-3; 2-4; 3-5 etc) AND Bipot (RACES 1-6), Place Accumulator (RACES 2-8), Pick 6 (RACES 3-8), Jackpot (RACES 4-7; 5-8). All bets R1 unit; minimum bet in TABs R6 except SWINGER minimum bet R2. EACHWAY bet of R3 Win and R3 Place, as well as 3-horse EXACTA or TRIFECTA Box or 4-horse SWINGER Box for R6 total cost can be taken. Minimum bet online R1. **TAB PICK 6 Rule:** If first-timer wins, first horse to finish of those to have run before also qualifies. **TAB PLACE Rules:** Less than 6 runners no Place betting; 6-7 runners payouts FIRST, SECOND; 8-15 runners FIRST, SECOND, THIRD; 16 or more runners FIRST, SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH. Fractional betting: Trifecta, Quartet, Bipot, PA, Pick 6, Jackpot. ALL TO COME (WIN or PLACE) any 2 or more races. **4Racing TAB** betting form: mark **VAAL** oval. **TAB Gold:** mark **GTG** oval. **TV:** ALL RACES RACING 240 (ch 240 DStv); ALL RACES GLOBAL TV (in TABs)

RACE 1: 12:30 - BETWAY WELCOMES YOU MAIDEN HANDICAP (For Maidens with 3 or more runs. R15000 Win bonus ROA Members) Turf Right-Hand Turn Stake: R75,000 1600m

No	Horse	Age, Colour, Sex; Wins, Places, Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey * = App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	RED LEGEND% 3Bg 0-3-6	14-1600m Earn: R31,500 Black, white spots, red sleeves, white cap	M N Houdalakis	*2	C Zackey	60	3B14 (0.55)	5J14 (7.10)	2V16 (0.10) 29Aug24
2	LIVEBYTHESWORD 4Bg 0-1-5	1600m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R9,750 White, blue spots, red sleeves, white stars, red cap, white star	M/A Azzie	*8	*N Nastili	60	8B16 (27.00)	8T16 (21.00)	9V16 (10.00) 28Mar24
3	RASTIGNAC 4Bg 0-3-5	18-2400m Earn: R13,500 Dark grey, mustard gold spots, dark grey sleeves, dark grey cap, mustard gold spots	R Klaasen	+11	C Habib	59	4J18 (5.40)	4B24 (21.50)	0V20 (50.00) 21Aug24
4	HAT TRICK OR TREAT 3Bg 0-2-5	12-1400m Earn: R27,000 Brown, beige shamrock, brown sleeves, beige cap	P P Labuschagne	*5	S Khumalo	58.5	8T16 (8.75)	3V12 (6.25)	2V14 (3.00) 03Sep24
5	GOLD DE GRACE* 4Chg 0-1-11	1800m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R6,375 White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	*9	R Danielson	56.5	6B15 (6.50)	5V12 (8.00)	4J18 (4.30) 31Aug24
6	PIKE PLACE§ 5Bg 0-5-20	14-2000m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R46,375 Grey and orange diagonal stripes, orange sleeves and cap	D N Stenger	*3	*T Mayhew	56.5	6T14 (7.75)	5J16 (8.50)	8V14 (9.00) 23Jul24
7	MISHRAH 4Bg 0-0-3	0m Earn: R2,875 White, blue spots, red sleeves, white stars, red cap, white star	M/A Azzie	*7	D De Gouveia	54.5	7J16 (7.00)	5N19 (18.90)	8J16 (11.00) 07Sep24
8	FUTURE KNIGHT 5Bg 0-0-3	0m Earn: Nil Dark blue, grey sleeves and collar, dark blue cap, black peak	S G Tarry	+14	K Matsunyane	52.5	7J12 (8.50)	0V14 (16.50)	6J16 (7.25) 07Sep24
9	THE MERCIFUL 5Chg 0-1-13	1800m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R7,250 Turquoise blue, cerise epaulettes and sleeves, turquoise blue armband, cerise cap	T Zackey	*6	P Mxoli	52.5	7J20 (15.40)	0V16 (15.00)	9B24 (50.00) 15Nov22
10	VARJURY 3Bg 0-1-3	1000m Earn: R5,000 White, black fleur de lys, red sleeves, black collar and cuffs, black and white striped cap	F Bronkhorst	+12	C Maujean	52	0T11 (50.00)	4T10 (13.50)	9V11 (21.00) 23Jul24
11	PRINCE OF MIRACLES* 3Bg 0-0-10	0m Earn: Nil Lime green and royal blue qtd diagonally, green collar, blue slvs, green chevrons, blue cap, green	F Bronkhorst	*1	J Penny	52	0V14 (21.00)	0V12 (18.75)	9V12 (15.25) 29Aug24
12	BRIGHTEST BLAZE%< 4Bg 0-1-9	1200m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R5,625 Light blue, white star, hooped sleeves, white cap	B Webber	+13	J R Syster	52	7B14 (4.00)	4V12 (5.75)	9V12 (17.50) 21Aug24
13	DESTINY FULFILLED%< 3Bg 0-0-4	0m Earn: Nil Red, blue maltese cross, white sleeves and cap	F P Habib	*4	M K Katjedi	52	0B12 (27.25)	8T11 (23.50)	8V16 (10.25) 29Aug24
14	UNDER THE RAINBOW 4Bc 0-0-5	0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R2,000 Green, blue spot, hooped sleeves and cap	B Webber	+10	L Nhlapo	52	5J15 (8.00)	6V12 (12.00)	0V12 (26.85) 21Aug24

Same Trainer: (2 & 7); (10 & 11); (12 & 14).

FORECAST BETTING: 1-1 RED LEGEND; 6-1 HAT TRICK OR TREAT; 7-1 RASTIGNAC; 8-1 PIKE PLACE; 10-1 FUTURE KNIGHT; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS OFF: THE MERCIFUL.

TIPS: 1 RED LEGEND 6 PIKE PLACE 4 HAT TRICK OR TREAT 3 RASTIGNAC

PREVIEW: RED LEGEND finished close-up in 2 of his last 3 starts and is unlikely to get a better opportunity to open his account. RASTIGNAC and HAT TRICK OR TREAT have shown enough to play leading roles, though a bigger threat could come from PIKE PLACE who, with the benefit of his rider's 2.5kg claim, gets 6kg from the selection. FUTURE KNIGHT and VARJURY have scope to improve and, despite their wide draws, could get a look in under light weights.

VAAL CLASSIC - RACE 2 - 19 SEP 2024 - TAB TOP 7 MEETING

RACE 2: 13:05 - BETWAY MAIDEN HANDICAP (F & M) (Maiden F&M with 3 or more runs.R15000 Win bonus ROA Members) **Turf Right-Hand Turn** Stake: R75,000 **1600m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	AMBITIOUS LADY	4Chf 0-2-10 15-2000m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R26,500 Purple, mauve star and sleeves, purple stars, mauve cap, purple star	C J Lensley	*9	G Lerena	60	6J16 (9.10)	2V20 (3.25)	5J18 (4.60) 31Aug24
2	FUTURE DATE	3Bf 0-0-4 0m Earn: R2,250 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*5	M Yeni	58	8T10 (7.75)	7V11 (7.65)	5B10 (3.25) 05Sep24
3	PASS THE BATON*	4Bf 0-5-16 12-1450m Earn: R56,375 White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	*6	S Khumalo	57.5	7V12 (14.25)	5V14 (9.25)	5J16 (5.00) 07Sep24
4	TIK TOK ADDICTION	4Bf 0-1-8 1450m Earn: R6,875 Green, red diamond, checked diamond sleeves, red cap	T Zackey	*4	P Mxoli	57	6B14 (2.50)	4J14 (4.25)	6J16 (5.25) 07Sep24
5	BELLA'S CHARM	3Bf 0-4-9 1450m Earn: R24,250 Maroon, yellow chevrons, collar and cuffs, maroon cap	F Bronkhorst	*1	C Habib	56.5	7T16 (10.00)	4J14 (1.25)	7V14 (11.50) 03Sep24
6	ENCHANTED ROYAL*	4Bf 0-1-8 2000m Earn: R11,250 Dayglo yellow and bright blue quartered, bright orange and black halved sleeves, bright orange	P P Labuschagne	*3	J Gates	55.5	3V20 (5.25)	5T18 (16.00)	8V20 (25.75) 21Aug24
7	BELLA BOOP BOOP	3Bf 0-0-7 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R2,250 Black and silver hoops	C J Lensley	*8	L Nhlapo	52	5V11 (6.40)	0V12 (8.75)	8V14 (11.55) 03Sep24
8	BEVERLY BABY*	3Bf 0-0-4 0m Earn: R2,250 Cerise, black hoop and sleeves, cerise armbands, black cap	J Borman	*7	N Klink	52	9T11 (9.75)	0V14 (24.95)	5J16 (21.25) 24Aug24
9	BERRIESOFTHESTRAW*	4Bf 0-0-4 0m Earn: Nil Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*2	K Matsunyane	52	8J16 (21.75)	0T14 (16.75)	9B12 (14.00) 20Jun24

Same Trainer: (1 & 7); (2 & 9).

FORECAST BETTING: 2-1 AMBITIOUS LADY; 28-10 FUTURE DATE; 9-2 ENCHANTED ROYAL; 6-1 TIK TOK ADDICTION; 7-1 PASS THE BATON; 8-1 BELLA'S CHARM; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 1 AMBITIOUS LADY 2 FUTURE DATE 3 PASS THE BATON 4 TIK TOK ADDICTION

PREVIEW: AMBITIOUS LADY has made sufficient improvement recently over slightly further to suggest that she can give weight and a beating to these rivals, even over this trip. FUTURE DATE has an earlier engagement but is open to improvement going this trip for the first time, so she could fight for victory if taking her place in the line-up. PASS THE BATON, TIK TOK ADDICTION, ENCHANTED ROYAL and BELLA'S CHARM are likely to fight out the minors.

RACE 3: 13:40 - BETWAY FM 64 HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) **Turf Right-Hand Turn** Stake: R70,000 **1600m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	SOLO DIVA%	5Bm 2-15-26 10-2000m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R240,250 Turquoise blue, cerise epaulettes and sleeves, turquoise blue armband, cerise cap	T Zackey	*2	P Mxoli	60.5	4J14 (2.70)	2V16 (1.15)	9V20 (50.00) 12Sep24
2	FREE IN SEATTLE	3Bf 1-2-9 14-1800m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R80,875 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*8	M Yeni	60	3V15 (0.50)	3V18 (4.50)	5V16 (4.25) 21Aug24
3	ANNEWITHAN E%	4Bf 1-6-15 16-2000m S: 1-0-3 Earn: R103,312 Red, blue chevron, red sleeves, quartered cap	W C Marwing	*9	G Lerena	59.5	0J18 (6.25)	4V16 (4.25)	2V16 (1.50) 21Aug24
4	GIMME THE FLAME%	5Bm 2-14-38 10-1600m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R253,000 Royal blue, yellow spots, royal blue sleeves, royal blue cap, yellow spots	H E Adamson	*10	R Danielson	58.5	8J14 (8.75)	5B14 (2.25)	4V16 (5.25) 03Sep24
5	PERINI PALACE	4Bf 1-4-21 10-1450m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R73,250 Silver, black epaulettes, striped sleeves and cap	J A Visser	*6	C Zackey	57.5	1B10 (0.40)	5V15 (2.00)	0V14 (22.75) 12Sep24
6	FLYING BROOMSTICK	5Bm 1-1-14 11-1200m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R55,125 White, red hoop and sleeves, white armbands, checked cap	B B Ruiters	*1	D Schwarz	56	8T10 (4.75)	7B10 (5.50)	8V12 (6.35) 03Sep24
7	OH MY GUCCI GIRL%	3Bf 1-0-10 1500m Earn: R46,875 Black,dark greenandred stripes,black collar,d green sleeves,red seams,white cuffs,redand dgre	F P Habib	*4	K Matsunyane	55.5	7J14 (8.60)	9B14 (4.00)	0V11 (9.00) 29Aug24
8	COUNT YOUR CHANCES*	5Bm 2-16-36 10-1600m S: 1-3-6 Earn: R224,625 Brown, grey and green hooped sleeves and cap	F Bronkhorst	*5	S Khumalo	54	6V17 (3.25)	4V16 (3.75)	6V16 (5.50) 03Sep24
9	WILKIES*	5Chm 1-10-24 10-1400m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R127,625 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*3	C Habib	53	0B10 (10.00)	0V11 (4.50)	6V14 (10.25) 12Sep24
10	ANGELOFTHEMORNING*	6Bm 1-2-15 14-1700m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R60,250 Dark green, white hoop, dark green sleeves and cap	H van der Westhuizen	*7	J R Syster	52	9B20 (9.00)	7V16 (11.00)	7V16 (10.75) 21Aug24

Same Trainer: (2 & 9).

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 SOLO DIVA; 33-10 ANNEWITHAN E; 7-2 FREE IN SEATTLE; 5-1 COUNT YOUR CHANCES; 6-1 GIMME THE FLAME; 7-1 PERINI PALACE; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: SOLO DIVA, FLYING BROOMSTICK.

TIPS: 1 SOLO DIVA 3 ANNEWITHAN E 2 FREE IN SEATTLE 5 PERINI PALACE

PREVIEW: ANNEWITHAN E had FREE IN SEATTLE 2.75-lengths behind her when second in a similar contest last time out. However, she was 3.10 lengths adrift of SOLO DIVA in her previous outing, so a chance is taken on the latter confirming that form. GIMME THE FLAME and PERINI PALACE are competitive at this level while COUNT YOUR CHANCES need only jump on terms to have a say in the outcome.

RACE 4: 14:15 - BETWAY MR 66 HANDICAP (Open) **Turf Right-Hand Turn** Stake: R75,000 **1800m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	MANZ KNIGHT*	6Bh 0-9-16 17-2000m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R92,125 Dark blue, yellow hoop, yellow and dark blue hooped sleeves, yellow and black striped cap, b	L Karriem	*2	P Strydom	60	4J20 (1.60)	3V20 (3.00)	7T18 (6.50) 03Aug24
2	CALLABURN*	4Bg 1-12-24 14-2400m S: 0-2-3 Earn: R168,625 White and black quartered diagonally, black sleeves, white cuffs, halved cap	F Bronkhorst	*4	C Maujean	59.5	6B24 (4.25)	3V15 (1.00)	2J18 (2.00) 07Sep24
3	WHISTLEDOWN	4Chf 1-2-11 14-2000m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R72,875 Yellow, red fleur de lis, yellow sleeves, red cuffs, quartered cap	M Khan	*6	J Penny	59	3T20 (3.25)	1T18 (0.05)	0B18 (9.25) 25Jul24
4	FULL GO<	6Bg 3-15-46 10-1800m S: 0-1-13 Earn: R283,625 Dayglo yellow, dayglo pink cross and sleeves, white cap	B B Ruiters	*8	M Yeni	57	1B18 (0.10)	1V17 (0.25)	7V16 (10.00) 21Aug24
5	FLAG BEARER*	6Bg 3-20-51 14-2600m S: 0-3-9 Earn: R356,875 Turquoise, white stars, red collar and sleeves, white stars, turquoise cap	F Bronkhorst	*5	*G Samo-Burthia	56.5	2V17 (0.25)	2J20 (2.75)	3J18 (2.50) 07Sep24
6	GUY ALEXANDER>	6Bh 2-9-35 16-2400m S: 0-2-3 Earn: R190,688 Red, white braces, checked sleeves and cap, red peak	C J Lensley	*7	G Lerena	56	5B24 (4.20)	8G20 (2.05)	2V16 (3.50) 03Sep24
7	CANTFOOLME	5Chm 1-1-11 14-1600m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R68,500 Dark blue, grey sleeves and collar, dark blue cap, black peak	B Webber	*1	L Nhlapo	55.5	6V14 (7.00)	8J18 (18.50)	8V16 (10.25) 03Sep24
8	AZUCAR*	6Bm 2-4-23 12-1800m S: 2-3-9 Earn: R148,625 Emerald green, spectrum orange band of diamonds and sleeves, green cuffs, spectrum orange cap, green peak	W H Marwing	*3	J R Syster	54.5	8J18 (22.60)	7B18 (9.25)	8V18 (16.00) 08Aug24

Same Trainer: (2 & 5).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-2 CALLABURN; 28-10 FLAG BEARER; 4-1 FULL GO; 5-1 GUY ALEXANDER; 6-1 MANZ KNIGHT; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: CALLABURN, FULL GO, FLAG BEARER. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS ON: AZUCAR.

TIPS: 2 CALLABURN 5 FLAG BEARER 4 FULL GO 6 GUY ALEXANDER

PREVIEW: Maiden MANZ KNIGHT finished behind CALLABURN in a 2000m maiden and is unlikely to turn the tables on these revised weight terms. The latter finished ahead of FLAG BEARER in a similar contest last time and should confirm his superiority. Course-and-distance winner FULL GO and hard-knocker GUY ALEXANDER, who finished second off his current mark over 1600m last time, have the ability to make their presence felt too.

RACE 5: 14:50 - BETWAY FM 64 HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R70,000 2000m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	PLAY WITH FIRE*	4Bf 1-10-24 14-2000m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R185,875 White, black fleurdelis and sleeves, white cap	F Bronkhorst	+1	*G Samo-Burthia	62	3V16 (1.35)	5J18 (3.80)	5V20 (2.50) 12Sep24
2	ANGEL'S WISH§	6Bm 4-16-41 14-2600m S: 1-0-6 Earn: R348,500 Emerald green, spectrum orange band of diamonds and sleeves, green cuffs, spectrum orange cap, green peak	W H Marwing	+3	D De Gouveia	61	4B24 (4.00)	4J26 (13.50)	4V24 (3.00) 03Sep24
3	SILKY JET	4Bf 1-3-11 14-2000m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R78,125 Red and white checked diamonds, black sleeves, checked diamond cap, black peak	W H Marwing	+7	K A Brewer	60.5	7B14 (2.75)	6T16 (5.50)	1V20 (3.25) 21Aug24
4	IDEAL FUTURE*	6Bm 4-15-31 14-2600m S: 0-5-8 Earn: R357,375 Yellow, purple sleeves, yellow armbands, quartered cap	L Kruger	+2	*T Mayhew	60.5	4J20 (5.50)	1B24 (1.50)	2V24 (0.10) 03Sep24
5	HAVE A PARTY	5Bm 1-7-21 12-2000m S: 1-1-3 Earn: R117,875 Baby blue, red crossed sashes, hooped sleeves and cap	P F Matchett	+5	M Yeni	55.5	2J20 (3.75)	9B18 (6.50)	5V24 (6.00) 03Sep24
6	EYE CATCHING	7Bm 2-9-41 12-2000m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R179,475 Cerise, black hoop and sleeves, cerise armbands, black cap	J Borman	+4	M K Katjedi	52	6W18 (5.75)	8V15 (4.20)	8V20 (8.75) 12Sep24
7	SUMMERLAND%	5Bm 2-9-46 12-2000m S: 0-1-6 Earn: R174,500 Gold, black stars, black sleeves, gold seams, gold cap, black peak	C Spies	+6	N Klink	52	8B18 (5.50)	8V16 (18.25)	0V16 (15.50) 21Aug24

Same Trainer: (2 & 3).

FORECAST BETTING: 28-10 SILKY JET; 3-1 IDEAL FUTURE; 7-2 ANGEL'S WISH; 4-1 PLAY WITH FIRE; 6-1 HAVE A PARTY; 10-1 EYE CATCHING; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.**DOWN IN CLASS:** PLAY WITH FIRE, ANGEL'S WISH, IDEAL FUTURE, HAVE A PARTY, EYE CATCHING.**TIPS:** 3 SILKY JET 4 IDEAL FUTURE 1 PLAY WITH FIRE 2 ANGEL'S WISH**PREVIEW:** SILKY JET was a wide-margin maiden winner over this distance and her opening handicap mark isn't likely to halt her momentum. PLAY WITH FIRE, ANGEL'S WISH and IDEAL FUTURE are hard-knockers with the form and experience to make life difficult for the selection.**RACE 6: 15:25 - BETWAY MR 66 HANDICAP** (Open) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R75,000 1450m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	GUERRILLA WARFARE	3Bg 1-2-7 8-1600m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R73,750 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	+2	M Yeni	61.5	7J16 (12.50)	6T14 (6.00)	6J18 (26.75) 07Sep24
2	BREATH OF MAGIC	4Bg 1-17-33 10-1600m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R241,625 Turquoise, white stars, red collar and sleeves, white stars, turquoise cap	F Bronkhorst	+3	*G Samo-Burthia	61.5	5T18 (5.25)	4V16 (7.00)	8V15 (11.10) 29Aug24
3	CAPTAIN JIM%	4Bg 1-3-7 12-1600m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R76,250 Yellow, green stars, black sleeves, yellow cap	F P Habib	+6	S Khumalo	59.5	3N12 (3.30)	3V12 (1.00)	1V16 (0.10) 29Aug24
4	FAST DUTY	5Bg 1-7-18 12-1800m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R119,500 Black, white maltese cross and sleeves, red cap	S T Pettigrew	+4	G Lerena	59.5	4B14 (2.50)	6V14 (8.00)	5J14 (2.35) 18Jul24
5	SAIL THE SKY	4Bg 2-1-13 12-1400m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R124,812 White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	+11	D Schwarz	59	1T14 (1.25)	0V12 (17.00)	0V15 (8.25) 29Aug24
6	BOB LEE SWAGGER%	4Chg 1-3-11 13-1600m Earn: R59,550 Dark blue, light blue braces and sleeves, red stars, collar and cuffs, dark blue cap, red star	C Mayhew	+8	*T Mayhew	57.5	8E20 (20.75)	9V14 (11.25)	0B14 (5.50) 25Jul24
7	SOUTHERN STYLE	5Bm 1-20-38 10-1450m S: 1-3-11 Earn: R212,875 Grey and green halved diagonally, halved cap	C Mayhew	+10	D De Gouveia	57.5	5J14 (3.40)	3B14 (0.50)	4V12 (3.60) 08Aug24
8	KITTYBOYS GIRL*	5Bm 1-10-22 14-1600m S: 1-2-5 Earn: R171,125 Brown and white halved horizontally, checked sleeves and cap	M Khan	+5	C Zackey	57	2J16 (0.30)	5T11 (2.50)	5V18 (6.00) 08Aug24
9	WRITTEN IN STONE	9Bg 5-39-90 10-1450m S: 0-6-11 Earn: R547,488 Black, yellow braces, striped sleeves, checked cap	B Webber	+9	L Nhlapo	56.5	5V13 (2.75)	1V12 (2.25)	4V12 (6.25) 12Sep24
10	GREEN SCEPTRE§	5Bg 1-4-22 12-1600m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R93,125 Yellow, fuchsia stripe, halved sleeves, yellow cap	S G Tarry	+1	K Matsunyane	52	0B14 (4.10)	5V17 (4.50)	5V16 (5.35) 03Sep24
11	MIRACULOUS MAN*	5Bg 1-8-28 10-1400m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R128,600 White, purple maltese cross and cap	G J Maroun	+7	P Mxoli	52	9B12 (27.00)	0V12 (16.75)	0V11 (17.25) 29Aug24

Same Trainer: (6 & 7).

FORECAST BETTING: 4-1 CAPTAIN JIM; 9-2 SOUTHERN STYLE; 5-1 GREEN SCEPTRE; 6-1 FAST DUTY; 7-1 KITTYBOYS GIRL; 8-1 WRITTEN IN STONE; 10-1 BREATH OF MAGIC; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.**DOWN IN CLASS:** GUERRILLA WARFARE, BREATH OF MAGIC, FAST DUTY, WRITTEN IN STONE.**TIPS:** 4 FAST DUTY 3 CAPTAIN JIM 7 SOUTHERN STYLE 6 BOB LEE SWAGGER**PREVIEW:** CAPTAIN JIM has improved in 3 starts with this headgear fitted and should remain competitive on his handicap debut. BREATH OF MAGIC and FAST DUTY should acquit themselves competitively dropping in grade off a reduced mark. Consistent hard-knockers SOUTHERN STYLE, KITTYBOYS GIRL and WRITTEN IN STONE aren't underestimated, while BOB LEE SWAGGER shouldn't be taken lightly either in his peak outing after an eye-catching last start over track and trip.

VAAL CLASSIC - RACE 7 - 19 SEP 2024 - TAB TOP 7 MEETING

RACE 7: 16:00 - BETWAY MR 80 HANDICAP (Open) Turf *Straight*

Stake: R85,000 **1000m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *= App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	DONTSHOOTTHEBARMAN	> 5Bq 4-7-20 1000m S: 0-1-4 Earn: R295,875 Yellow, purple stars, yellow cap, purple star	C Binda	*8	P Strydom	62	9T10 (4.75)	4B10 (4.00)	1B10 (1.70) 05Sep24
2	NKANDLA GOLD	%< 4Chg 3-3-22 1000m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R199,938 Light blue, white star, hooped sleeves, white cap	B Webber	*6	G Lerena	62	5B10 (4.50)	8V11 (7.00)	3B10 (1.75) 05Sep24
3	ON CUE	* 6Bm 5-28-48 8-1200m S: 1-7-11 Earn: R491,688 White, royal blue band of diamond, royal blue sleeves, white cuffs, white cap, royal blue	P F Matchett	*5	M Yeni	60.5	5T10 (1.75)	2T11 (1.10)	3B10 (3.75) 20Aug24
4	TCHAIKOVSKY	6Bq 5-10-30 10-1450m S: 1-0-3 Earn: R386,950 Black, white maltese cross, yellow sleeves and cap	J S Roux	*3	J Penny	60.5	6V10 (6.25)	8B12 (7.00)	1V10 (0.05) 03Sep24
5	JOHN WICK	* 4Bq 2-4-14 10-1400m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R158,125 Red, black epaulettes and cap	F P Habib	*9	S Khumalo	60	9T11 (3.60)	2T10 (0.25)	1V10 (3.25) 21Aug24
6	VAR PARK	5Chg 3-9-26 10-1100m S: 1-1-4 Earn: R316,500 White, purple maltese cross and cap	G J Maroun	*4	M K Katjedi	59.5	7V10 (8.75)	6B10 (6.00)	5B10 (7.50) 05Sep24
7	MUNCHKIN	% 5Bq 2-10-22 10-1500m S: 0-3-4 Earn: R212,875 Orange, black stars, orange sleeves, black seams, orange cap, black stars and peak	M N Houdalakis	*1	C Zackey	56.5	5T10 (1.75)	5V12 (5.75)	5V10 (5.10) 21Aug24
8	SAKHALA IS'CATHULO	* 4Bq 1-4-12 1000m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R126,750 Yellow, purple stars, yellow cap, purple star	C Binda	*7	R Danielson	56.5	0V12 (11.50)	2T10 (0.20)	4T10 (2.50) 03Aug24
9	PENDRAGON	* 5Bq 4-13-41 10-1200m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R334,750 Yellow, cerise seams, quartered cap	F Bronkhorst	*2	C Maujean	56	1T10 (0.20)	5B12 (4.35)	7V10 (8.50) 21Aug24
10	AXEL COLLINS	! 5Bq 2-11-25 10-1100m S: 0-4-7 Earn: R215,375 Dark grey, mustard gold spots,dark grey sleeves, dark grey cap, mustard gold spots	A P Peter	*10	C Habib	53.5	3T10 (4.00)	8B10 (8.50)	2V10 (2.25) 03Sep24

Same Trainer: (1 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 4-1 DONTSHOOTTHEBARMAN; 9-2 NKANDLA GOLD; 5-1 ON CUE; 6-1 TCHAIKOVSKY, JOHN WICK; 7-1 MUNCHKIN; 8-1 SAKHALA IS'CATHULO; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: TCHAIKOVSKY. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS OFF: VAR PARK.

TIPS: 3 ON CUE 1 DONTSHOOTTHEBARMAN 2 NKANDLA GOLD 4 TCHAIKOVSKY

PREVIEW: DONTSHOOTTHEBARMAN beat NKANDLA GOLD by 1.7-lengths in a similar contest over track and trip recently but is 2.5kg worse off. Both had finished behind ON CUE over course and distance last month and the latter is weighted to confirm her superiority on these terms. Last-start winners TCHAIKOVSKY (off an unchanged mark) and JOHN WICK, despite a 6-point penalty, ought to remain competitive.

RACE 8: 16:35 - BETWAY MR 66 HANDICAP (Open) Turf *Right-Hand Turn*

Stake: R75,000 **1200m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *= App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	COMMANDER OF ALL	% 4Bq 1-5-16 10-1400m Earn: R85,000 Dark blue, shocking pink stars, black sleeves, black cap, shocking pink stars	F P Habib	*7	K Matsunyane	61	4B10 (3.50)	3V12 (2.50)	4V10 (5.00) 21Aug24
2	AFTER HOURS	* 7Bq 7-26-77 10-1600m S: 2-2-13 Earn: R565,375 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*10	M Yeni	59.5	3V13 (1.00)	5V12 (3.75)	6J14 (11.50) 07Sep24
3	TOGETHER AGAIN	* 5Bm 1-13-37 10-1450m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R155,875 Blue,yellow maltese cross, yellow and red striped sleeves, yellow cuffs, y and red hooped cap	J A Visser	*1	*T Mayhew	58	4V14 (3.30)	9V11 (4.00)	9V14 (20.25) 12Sep24
4	DANCING DORA	6Bm 5-16-47 10-1450m S: 3-3-9 Earn: R407,469 Maroon, yellow chevrons, collar and cuffs, maroon cap	F Bronkhorst	*5	C Maujean	57	2V14 (2.00)	4V11 (1.50)	3J12 (2.00) 07Sep24
5	MARIACHI MADNESS	4Bq 1-0-13 1450m S: 1-0-2 Earn: R68,250 Orange, blue star, orange sleeves, blue stars, orange cap, blue star	C Binda	2	J Gates	57	6B14 (5.75)	6B16 (7.75)	9N18 (19.05) 19Jun24
6	PRIZED PLATINUM	< 4Bq 1-2-13 1000m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R93,500 Orange, blue star, orange sleeves, blue stars, orange cap, blue star	C Binda	*12	R Danielson	56.5	8B10 (5.00)	7V12 (4.50)	0V11 (4.35) 29Aug24
7	VAVA VEGAS	* 5Chg 3-5-24 10-1600m S: 1-1-5 Earn: R176,625 Cerise, black hoop and sleeves, cerise armbands, black cap	J Borman	*11	M V'Rensburg	56.5	9V12 (6.50)	4V15 (1.25)	3V12 (5.75) 12Sep24
8	INAFIX	4Bq 2-5-19 10-1100m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R158,500 Orange, blue star, orange sleeves, blue stars, orange cap, blue star	C Binda	*6	S Khumalo	56	3V10 (4.25)	1V11 (0.25)	5V10 (3.60) 03Sep24
9	TWICE AS WILD	* 6Bm 2-15-37 11-1500m S: 1-0-6 Earn: R258,375 Dark blue,old gold chevron,dark blue sleeves,old gold chevron,collar and cuffs quartered cap	G J Maroun	*4	P Mxoli	55	3J12 (1.60)	6J12 (2.50)	3V11 (1.25) 29Aug24
10	DARK TIDE	8Bq 5-22-63 10-1600m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R476,200 Lime greenandroyal blue qtd diagonally,green collar,blue slvs,green chevrons,blue cap,green	F Bronkhorst	*3	M K Katjedi	53	3B12 (3.75)	8V12 (5.00)	6V11 (3.00) 29Aug24
11	CAN'T CATCH ME	5Bm 1-13-33 12-1600m S: 0-3-8 Earn: R165,875 White, orange epaulettes, striped sleeves and cap	B Webber	*9	L Nhlapo	52	6V16 (9.75)	9V15 (4.25)	5V14 (10.00) 12Sep24
12	BAD HAIR DAY	* 5Bm 1-1-25 12-1800m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R55,250 Midnight blue, silver diamond, midnight blue sleeves, silver cap	H van der Westhuizen	*8	J R Syster	52	8B16 (9.50)	6V16 (10.00)	8V16 (12.00) 21Aug24

Same Trainer: (4 & 10); (5 & 6 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 33-10 DANCING DORA; 9-2 COMMANDER OF ALL; 5-1 AFTER HOURS; 7-1 INAFIX; 8-1 TOGETHER AGAIN, TWICE AS WILD; 10-1 VAVA VEGAS; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: COMMANDER OF ALL, AFTER HOURS, DANCING DORA, VAVA VEGAS. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS ON: BAD HAIR DAY. BLINKERS OFF: CAN'T CATCH ME.

TIPS: 4 DANCING DORA 1 COMMANDER OF ALL 2 AFTER HOURS 3 TOGETHER AGAIN

PREVIEW: COMMANDER OF ALL and AFTER HOURS are consistent hard-knockers whose competitiveness at this level is beyond doubt. TOGETHER AGAIN is another with the form and experience to make her presence felt. However, preference is for veteran DANCING DORA whose consistency off her current mark will be rewarded sooner rather than later. INAFIX, TWICE AS WILD, VAVA VEGAS and DARK TIDE have earning potential.

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