



# Thursday 21st November WARWICK

12.23	BRITISH EBF SUPPORTING NATIONAL HUNT BREEDERS' DAY JUNIOR 'NATIONAL HUNT' HURDLE (4) 2m (3220 Metres)
RACE 1	(6) TASHAN   (1) DENZIL   (4) LIVINGIT DU LARGE
12.53	TATTERSALLS CHELTENHAM SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY 'NATIONAL HUNT' MAIDEN HURDLE (4 2m (3220 Metres)
RACE 2	(4) CASTLE IVERS (7) DON'T MIND IF I DO (6) DISKATEK
1.23	GOFFS SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES' NOVICES' HURDLE (4) 2m3f (3820 Metres)
RACE 3	(5) HONKY TONK HIGHWAY (15) THAT'S NICE (2) DEFINITE DREAM
1.53	BRITISH NH STALLIONS SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES' HANDICAP HURDLE (Qualifier) (3) 2m5f (4220 Metres)
RACE 4	(5) LOOKING AS YOU ARE   (3) LITTLE MISS DANTE   (2) GEORGI GIRL
2.25	JOHN SUMNER MEMORIAL VETERANS' HANDICAP CHASE (2) 3m (4830 Metres)
RACE 5	(5) SMARTY WILD   (1) ELDORADO ALLEN   (2) EMPIRE STEEL
3.00	BRITISH NH AGENTS SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES' HANDICAP CHASE (Qualifier) (4) 21/2 m (4020 Metres)
RACE 6	(6) CLUAIN AODHA   (2) LADY JAGO   (1) REGAL RENAISSANCE
3.31	THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES' OPEN NATIONAL HUNT FLAT (5) 2m (3220 Metres)
RACE 7	(3) BEAUTY IN THE PARK   (6) DIAMONDS GALORE   (8) FLAMINGO GROVE

# **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.



RACE 1

# **BRITISH EBF SUPPORTING NATIONAL HUNT BREEDERS' DAY** JUNIOR 'NATIONAL HUNT' HURDLE (4) 3yo £8,000 2m (3220 Metres)



#### Going: Good to Soft

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#### Pace Information: Very Weak

**DENZIL (20)** (D)

**3** 11-7 73.0kg



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Dan Skelton

Disappointed in Wensleydale Juvenile Hurdle at Wetherby earlier this month but had easily won a 3-runner event on debut at Stratford (16.3f) previously and must enter calculations.

JACKSON'S BAY (IRE)

92

**3** 11-0 69.9kg



Evan Williams

€4,000 3-y-o, Joshua Tree gelding. Closely related to fairly useful hurdler/chaser My Manekineko, stayed 31/4m, and half-brother to 6 winners, including smart hurdler Marsh Warbler. Market check advised on debut.

**LENJOLEUR DE PALMA (FR) (38)** 

97

3 11-0 69.9kg

Tom Ellis

Mr Jack Andrews (3lb/1kg)

Shaped encouragingly when third of 5 in juvenile hurdle at Hereford (16.2f, good) on NH debut 38 days ago. Likely to improve and merits consideration.

LIVINGIT DU LARGE (FR)

97

**3** 11-0 69.9kg



Jamie Snowden

**Gavin Sheehan** 

Nirvana Du Berlais gelding. Half-brother to useful hurdler/fairly useful chaser Gua du Large, stays 2½m, and winning hurdler/chaser up to 25f in France Embrun du Large. Newcomers from yard often fancied.

ROMANCIER (FR) (20)

93

**3** 11-0 69.9kg



Donald McCain **Brian Hughes** 

Roman Candle gelding who was well supported for his Wetherby debut earlier this month but was brought down early on. This run should reveal more.

TASHAN (38)



100



Emma Lavelle Only narrowly failed to make a winning debut in 5-runner juvenile hurdle at

Hereford (16.2f, good) 38 days ago. Since joined Emma Lavelle and likely has more to offer vet

**BLOSSOM TEA** 

95



**3** 10-7 | 66.7kg Oliver Greenall & Josh Guerriero

**Robert Dunne** 



Territories filly. Half-sister to bumper winner Fresh Perspective. Dam 1m winner who stayed 1½m. Could be a player on debut from shrewd yard.

## 7 DECLARED RUNNERS

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

7-2 Denzil, 7-2 Tashan, 5-1 Lenjoleur De Palma, 11-2 Livingit Du Large, 15-2 Blossom Tea, 12-1 Romancier, 16-1 Jackson's Bay

#### TIMEFORM VIEW:

TASHAN made a good start over hurdles at Hereford last month and is taken to make a winning debut for Emma Lavelle. Denzil looks the likeliest danger on form, whilst Livingit Du Large may be the pick of the newcomers.

#### TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. TASHAN 2. DENZIL 3. LIVINGIT DU LARGE

# SMART STATS:

95

60

70

**Conor Ring** 



# TATTERSALLS CHELTENHAM SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY 'NATIONAL HUNT' MAIDEN HURDLE (4) 4yo+ £6,500 2m (3220 Metres)



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Pace Information: Weak

AVIATION (IRE) (182) 5 11-2 70.8kg 93

Lucy Wadham

**Gavin Sheehan** 

Half-brother to bumper winner Flemensface and fairly useful 2¾m hurdle winner Flemenstide. Fourth in Market Rasen bumper 6 months ago.

**BEAUFORT BREEZE (IRE)** (27)

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Sean Bowen

D. J. Jeffreys

70

93

100

Irish point winner well beaten in Cheltenham novice on hurdles debut 4 weeks ago. This is easier.

**CALL YOUR BLUFF (10)** 

**4** 11-2 | 70.8kg

Tom Fllis Fergus Gillard

Better effort over hurdles starting out for this yard at Kempton recently. Looks one for handicaps.

CASTLE IVERS (IRE) (222) (D)

**5** 11-2 70.8kg

Olly Murphy

Easy winner sole start in Irish points and scored twice in bumpers. Ran as if amiss in Grade 2 event at Aintree final start but clearly an interesting hurdling debutant

**DANGEROUS TOUCH (IRE) (8)** 

5 11-2 70.8kg

6 11-2 70.8kg

Olly Murphy K. Brogan

£135,000 buy after finishing runner-up sole outing in Irish points but has yet to make a real impact under Rules.

DISKATEK (IRE) (211) h 99



Cost a bit and showed promise with a hood on for his debut in 2m Southwell novice hurdle in February. Not so good at Ludlow next time but remains with

potential on return.

DON'T MIND IF I DO (IRE) (243) **4** 11-2 | 70.8kg



Alan King **Tom Cannon** £75,000 half-brother to 3 winners, including fairly useful hurdler/chaser Lord Baddesley and bumper winner/fairly useful hurdler Robins Reef. Ran a cracker in

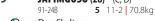
Newbury sales bumper on debut in March, faring best of the newcomers and staying on well. Good jumps prospect.

**GRANEMORE ROAD (IRE)** 



Ian Williams **Robert Dunne** Half-brother to a point winner but pulled up both starts in that sphere in Ireland.

JAFIMGOSO (28) (C, D) 99



Dan Skelton Charlie Todd



Bumper winner here who showed just modest form when odds on and held for hurdles debut at Uttoxeter in June. Had nothing go right during his brief stay in the race returning from 4 months off at Ludlow 4 weeks ago.

JUMBO MILLS (FR) (36) 93 5 11-2 70.8kg



Dan Skelton **Harry Skelton** From a successful French NH family. Easy to back and never dangerous on hurdles bow at Worcester 5 weeks ago after a breathing operation.

KLIC BOUM (FR) (13)

**4** 11-2 | 70.8kg

Evan Williams Fourth in bumper at Fontwell and well held at big prices in novice/maiden hurdles, not unduly punished. One for handicaps.

12 LANESBOROUGH (IRE)

**5** 11-2 70.8kg

Ben Pauling **Ben Jones** £70,000 3-y-o, Diamond Boy gelding. Half-brother to fairly useful hurdler Foillan. Dam unraced, closely related to fair hurdler (stayed 31/4m) Bold Conquest. Placed both starts in Irish points and commands respect.

**OUT OUT (IRE)** (413) 92 5 11-2 70.8kg

Dan Skelton

Tristan Durrell (3lb/1kg) Shaped well amidst inexperience first time up in bumper here in October 2023. Not seen since.

92

14 SEEK HIM THERE (IRE) (201) **5** 11-2 70.8kg

> Ben Case **Harry Bannister** Showed a bit in bumpers and shaped as if in need of the experience on his



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13

hurdling debut at Uttoxeter in May. Will probably do better further down the

POLLY PI (IRE) (45) 4 10-9 67.6kg

Evan Williams

Shaped with promise in both bumper starts and looked badly in need of the experience making her hurdling debut after a 6-week break at Stratford.

**RUNAWAY BRIDE (IRE)** (130)

**David Dennis** Tom Bellamy



Mid-division in maiden bumper at Tipperary for Mrs Grainne O'Connor. No promise in maiden/novice hurdle (tongue tied last time).

16 DECLARED RUNNERS

#### **BETTING FORECAST:**

3-1 Castle Ivers, 5-1 Diskatek, 5-1 Jafimgoso, 11-2 Don't Mind If I Do, 9-1 Lanesborough, 25-1 Call Your Bluff, 28-1 Jumbo Mills, 33-1 Out Out, 33-1 Seek Him There, 40-1 bar

#### TIMEFORM VIEW:

CASTLE IVERS and Don't Mind If I Do are good prospects for jumping and could be the pair to focus on, with narrow preference for Olly Murphy's charge. Diskatek can do better, while Ben Pauling's Lanesborough is a newcomer from the pointing field to

# **TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

1. CASTLE IVERS 2. DON'T MIND IF I DO 3. DISKATEK

## **WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

Lucy Wadham 2023 El Saviour 5-11-0 Tom Cannon

## **SMART STATS:**

RACE 3

# **GOFFS SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES' NOVICES'** HURDLE (4) 4yo+ fillies and mares £7,500 2m3f (3820 Metres)

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**Gavin Sheehan** 



#### Going: Good to Soft

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Pace Information: Even

**ARCTIC STREAM** 

11-0 69.9kg 7

Richard Bandey

Harry Bannister Little show in points in 2022. Big outsider on belated hurdle debut.

**DEFINITE DREAM (IRE)** (16)

**Denis Coakley** Has reached the frame on all 5 starts over hurdles, including second on 2m

course handicap debut 16 days ago. Will be at least as effective back at 21/2m. Likely to be in the shake-up yet again.

HILL OF SCARRIFF (30) 75 5 11-0 69.9kg

Mr Ben Sutton (5lb/2kg) Dan Skelton

Successful on sole outing in points but looks more one for handicaps judged on her 2 efforts last month.

HIT FOR SIXTY (278) 81

5 11-0 69.9kg

Alan King

Half-sister to 3 winners, including useful hurdler/smart chaser Cheddleton, but she offered only minor promise on her Ascot bumper debut in February.

Switches to hurdles back from 9 months off.

**HONKY TONK HIGHWAY (IRE)** (224) **5** 11-0 69.9kg

Noel Williams

Dan Skelton **Harry Skelton** 

Expensive purchase after winning her only start in points and justified strong support when landing a listed contest at Sandown on her Rules debut in March. Down the field in Aintree Grade 2 a month later but remains a good hurdle

prospect. Has had wind surgery. KAYF HOPE (IRE) (361) 79

**7** 11-0 69.9kg Thomas Gallagher

Cost £55,000 after winning an Irish point in 2022. Only modest form when third on Exeter hurdle debut last November and can only watch on return.

**REELY DELIGHTFUL (214)** 70 h

5 11-0 69.9kg

Venetia Williams Miss Lucy Turner (5lb/2kg) Last in bumper/2 mares' maiden hurdles. A first-time hood needs to spark major

improvement.

SHAKIYRA (85) 79 5 11-0 69.9kg

Fergal O'Brien

In good hands but only modest form in bumpers ahead of this switch to hurdles.

**BRIERY BEE** (198) 81 t

4 10-13 69.4ka

Dartmouth filly who reached the frame in a pair of bumpers in the spring. Fitted with a first-time tongue tie now hurdling after 6 months off.

EILEEN'S ORDERS (IRE) (34) 75

4 10-13 69.4kg Henrietta C Knight

Modest form when sixth in bumpers 5 months apart. Best watched on hurdle

11 **IRONED OUT (IRE)** (15)

4 10-13 | 69.4kg Evan Williams

Has more than hinted at ability but probably won't come into her own until handicapping.

12 **JEWEL EYED JUDY (212)** 70

4 10-13 69.4kg Nigel Twiston-Davies James Turner (7lb/3kg)

No show in a bumper and 2 hurdles earlier in the year.

13 **MOLLY MASON (IRE)** (14) 79 4 10-13 69.4kg

Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill Jonio O'Neill Jr.

Related to winners but didn't offer any short-term encouragement on her Ludlow debut 2 weeks ago.

14 PRINCESS KERI (IRE) (11) **75 4** 10-13 69.4kg

Evan Williams **Conor Rina** From the family of Welsh Grand National winner Potters Corner. Runner-up on

last of 3 starts in Irish points but never involved in novice hurdles at Ludlow and Ffos Las in recent weeks.

THAT'S NICE (IRE) 91 15 4 10-13 69.4ka

Nicky Henderson Won her only outing in Irish points in February and has switched to a top stable

for her hurdle career. Interesting runner, particularly if backed.

## 15 DECLARED RUNNERS

## **BETTING FORECAST:**

11-8 Honky Tonk Highway, 3-1 That's Nice, 11-2 Definite Dream, 20-1 Hit For Sixty, 25-1 Briery Bee. 50-1 bar

#### **TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Although HONKY TONK HIGHWAY failed to fire in a Grade 2 bumper at Aintree in the spring her Sandown listed success prior to that marks her down as a good hurdle prospect for her top stable. Nicky Henderson Irish point winner That's Nice would rate a possible threat if the betting vibes are strong. Definite Dream will be suited by the return to a longer trip and looks best of the remainder.

## **TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

1. HONKY TONK HIGHWAY 2. THAT'S NICE 3. DEFINITE DREAM

#### **SMART STATS:**

RACE 4

# BRITISH NH STALLIONS SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES' HANDICAP HURDLE (Qualifier) (3) 4yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-125) £12,000 2m5f (4220 Metres)



#### Going: Good to Soft

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#### Pace Information: Very Weak

THE LORD MAID (IRE) (212) 92 5311-6 12-0 76.2kg

Tom Lacey

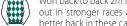


Made a successful hurdle debut in maiden at Clonmel in February (for Josh Halley) and followed up for new yard in 20.5f Southwell novice in Ápril. While an opening mark of 125 isn't obviously generous she has obvious unexposed potential.

**GEORGI GIRL (IRE)** (217) 98

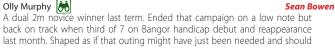
**5** 11-13 75.7kg

Philip Hobbs & Johnson White **Ben Jones** 



Won back to back 2m handicaps at Sandown and Kempton to start 2024. Found out in stronger races at Sandown and Cheltenham in the spring but may do better back in these calmer waters for a stable going quite well.

LITTLE MISS DANTE (23) (BF) 98 21/113PP-3 **6** 11-9 73.9kg



be spot on now.

MASKED DANCE (FR) (188) 99

> Mel Rowley Nico de Boinville Second handicap success when seeing off 13 rivals at Aintree (2½m) in May. Did that guite readily and should be very competitive off 7 lb higher assuming she's

fully primed after 6 months off.

LOOKING AS YOU ARE (236) (D) 100  $\bigstar$ 2/2203113-**5** 11-3 71.2kg Alex Hales **Harry Bannister** 

Runner-up 3 times in bumpers and struck in maiden/novice hurdles around 21f in the spring. Switches to handicap company for the first time on return. The stable has been doing quite well in similar races so market support would look

**SEDGE WREN** (23) 90

6 10-12 68.9kg 11/4-6

Stuart Edmunds Charlie Hammond Landed novices at Huntingdon and Southwell in 2022/23 but comfortably held in just 2 handicap starts since, latterly at Bangor 3 weeks ago. Can only watch for now

**FOR GINA (195)** (BF) 98

2141P23-4 6 10-11 68.5kg Lucy Wadham

Three handicap wins around 3m last season. In good form when last seen in the spring but got to be a chance she'll need this comeback run over a trip shorter

## 7 DECLARED RUNNERS

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

11-4 Little Miss Dante, 9-2 Masked Dance, 9-2 The Lord Maid, 13-2 Looking As You Are, 7-1 Georgi Girl, 9-1 For Gina, 25-1 Sedge Wren

# **TIMEFORM VIEW:**

The Alex Hales stable has had a couple of handicap hurdle winners in recent weeks so it might be worth chancing the returning LOOKING AS YOU ARE. Little Miss Dante shaped as if needing the run more than the betting suggested on her Bangor reappearance and is second choice ahead of Georgi Girl.

## TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LOOKING AS YOU ARE 2. LITTLE MISS DANTE 3. GEORGI GIRL

#### SMART STATS:

# **JOHN SUMNER MEMORIAL VETERANS' HANDICAP CHASE (2)** 10yo+ (Rated 0-150) £30,000 3m (4830 Metres)



RACE 5

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Pace Information: Weak

ELDOKADO AI	L <b>LEN (FR)</b> (222)	t	99
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Joe Tizzard

Freddie Gingell (3lb/1kg)

Capable of smart form on his day over fences, proving as much when fourth in Coral Gold Cup at Newbury in December. Well beaten having rare start over hurdles at Plumpton in January and struggled in Ultima at Cheltenham and Grand National since. This much easier on return.

**EMPIRE STEEL (IRE)** (188) **10** 11-7 73.0kg 97

Sandy Thomson

Ryan Mania

Excuses in Topham at Aintree last season but had returned to winning ways at Kelso (21.6f) previously and was a respectable fourth back at Aintree when last seen in May. Can go well fresh so needs considering.

BENNYS KING (IRE) (224) (D) 12/PP3212-**13** 10-13 69.4kg 94



Dan Skelton

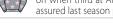
Miss Heidi Palin (7lb/3kg)

Not the force of old but has paid his way in hunters in recent seasons and signed off latest campaign with excellent second in the Foxhunters at Aintree. Record suggests he'll need this after 7 months off.

RAPPER (25) **10** 10-13 69.4kg 98



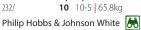
Henry Daly



Three-time winner over fences who shaped as if retaining ability after 6 months off when third at Aintree, but predicting his good days even when fitness was assured last season proved a thankless task.

**SMARTY WILD** (677)

100



Ben Jones 🔼



Useful handicap chaser, placed all 3 starts in 2022/23. Absent since but has been given chance by the handicapper and yard going well at present.

TORN AND FRAYED (FR) (25) (BF) 98

**10** 10-3 64.9kg Nigel Twiston-Davies

Sam Twiston-Davies

Winless last season but he signed off with a solid fourth of 12 in handicap chase at Cheltenham (20.6f, good). However, started this season with a performance so clumsy at Aintree last month.

DIOL KER (FR) (25)

86



10 10-2(10-1) 64.4kg (64.0kg)

A useful chaser for Gordon Elliott but well held both starts for this yard last month. Needs to take a big step forward.

FIRST LORD DE CUET (FR) (227) s+t**10** 10-2(9-13) | 64.4kg (63.0kg) 3/IJP24433-



David Pipe

**Jack Tudor** 

96



Produced one of his best efforts in this sphere when second to Anglers Crag at Market Rasen (23.8f, good to soft) in January. However, he didn't quite match that level in 4 subsequent starts and record over fences now stands at 0-14. 3 lb out of the handicap.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

#### **BETTING FORECAST:**

5-2 Eldorado Allen, 5-1 Torn And Fraved, 11-2 Empire Steel, 7-1 First Lord De Cuet, 17-2 Rapper, 10-1 Smarty Wild, 16-1 Bennys King, 33-1 Diol Kei

#### **TIMEFORM VIEW:**

It could be worth chancing the reliable SMARTY WILD, who has been off for almost 2  $\,$ years but has been given a chance by the handicapper and is from a stable that is in good form. Eldorado Allen often keeps much better company than this and is the obvious threat ahead of Empire Steel.

#### TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SMARTY WILD 2. ELDORADO ALLEN 3. EMPIRE STEEL

## **WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2023	Thomas Darby 10-11-11	7-2	Olly Murphy	Sean Bowen	6
2022	Ramses de Teillee 10-11-1	5-1	David Pipe	Tom Scudamore	10
2021	Final Nudge 12-10-12	9-2f	Fergal O'Brien	Paddy Brennan	11
2020	Potters Legend 10-10-8	16-5f	Lucy Wadham	Jack Quinlan	7
2019	King's Odyssey 10-11-12	9-4f	Evan Williams	Adam Wedge	6

#### **SMART STATS:**



# **BRITISH NH AGENTS SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES'** HANDICAP CHASE (Qualifier) (4) 4yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-120) £10,250 2½m (4020 Metres)



#### Going: Good to Soft

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Pace Information: Very Weak

**REGAL RENAISSANCE** (28) **6** 11-13 75.7kg 97

Henry Daly

Sam Twiston-Davies Resumed winning ways over hurdles at Chepstow in March and backed it up

with 2 good efforts, just touched off at Ludlow on chase debut in May. Shaped as if in decent heart after 6 months off when fourth there 4 weeks ago, a mixed round of jumping seemingly taking its toll late on. Can build on that.

LADY JAGO (IRE) (18) (C, BF) **5** 11-13 75.7kg

100

Dan Skelton

**Harry Skelton** 

Won only start in Irish points. Promise in 3 bumpers and bright start over hurdles this autumn, landing mares' maiden here (21f) before good second under a penalty next 2 starts. Of interest on handicap/chase bow.

**SO SAID I (28)** (D, BF) 42371B4-5

98

8 11-12 75.3kg

Joe Tizzard 💏

Freddie Gingell (3lb/1kg)

Opened his account in this sphere at Lingfield in February. Signed off with a creditable fourth from out of the weights at Cheltenham and made a respectable return at Ludlow last month. In the mix.

**JEUNE BELLE (IRE)** (22)

93

4/121PP3-P **6** 11-11 74.8kg



Useful bumper winner who landed short odds on her 2m Lingfield hurdle debut in December. Failed to kick on after, however, and pulled up at Fakenham on chase bow/return.

FANCY STUFF (IRE) (29) (D)



P3666-115 **7** 11-5 72.1kg Tom Gretton

Sean Bowen



Bumper winner who failed to progress over jumps for Dan Skelton. However, she's come good over fences this season, impressing greatly with the way she moved into contention when scoring at Bangor in June. Was notably easy to back after 5 months off when always behind at Southwell 4 weeks ago.

CLUAIN AODHA (IRE) (20) (C)

99



11-3 71.2kg

**Jack Quinlan** 



Neil King Fair handicap hurdler who belied unflattering odds sent chasing after 15 months off when third at Uttoxeter 20 days ago. Big shout off same mark if this doesn't

come too soon.

**LADY PRETENDER (FR) (246)** 556/22257-**5** 11-2 70.8kg



Venetia Williams Ned Fox (5lb/2kg) Fairly useful hurdler/chaser in France. Changed hands for €130,000 but well held over hurdles both starts for this yard. Off 8 months. Switches from hurdles to

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

#### BETTING FORECAST:

7-2 Lady Jago, 4-1 Cluain Aodha, 9-2 So Said I, 5-1 Regal Renaissance, 8-1 Lady Pretender, 11-1 Jeune Belle, 16-1 Fancy Stuff

## **TIMEFORM VIEW:**

CLUAIN AODHA made a promising start over fences after an absence when third at Uttoxeter and looks the one to beat off the same mark, Irish point winner/progressive hurdler Lady Jago is an interesting recruit to chasing and is feared most.

#### **TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

1. CLUAIN AODHA 2. LADY JAGO 3. REGAL RENAISSANCE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:						
2023	Marsh Wren 7-12-2	12-1	Stuart Edmunds	Ciaran Gethings	9	
2022	Swincombe Fleat 6-11-13	6-4f	Anthony Honeyball	Aidan Coleman	3	
2021	Fontaine Collonges 6-11-9	5-4f	Venetia Williams	Charlie Deutsch	7	
2020	Arian 8-11-11	11-4	Philip Hobbs	Richard Johnson	10	
2019	Evidence de Thaix 5-11-11	3-1	Philip Hobbs	Richard Johnson	5	

#### **SMART STATS:**

Non Runner

92

93

96

RACE 7

# THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION SUPPORTING BREEDERS' DAY MARES' OPEN NATIONAL HUNT FLAT (5) 4 and 5yo £4,000 2m (3220 Metres)



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Going: Good to Soft

Left handed, and flat with the exception of a fairly steep climb soon after the winning line which descends in gradual fashion to the turn into the back straight. Essentially a sharp track by virtue of the tight bends, notwithstanding a long back straight. Widely regarded as a tricky jumping track on account of five fences coming in quick succession in the back straight, but the casualty rate is one of the lowest in Britain. The tight nature of the course results in front runners/those ridden prominently tending to do well on both courses.

Pace Information: Even

CHARISMA CAT (170) (D)

4 11-9 73.9kg Alan King

Out of a Group 1-winning hurdler in France and landed a gamble in good style in Southwell bumper 170 days ago. Penalty in deeper race makes life tougher but she's entitled to improve

ANNIE HATHAWAY

5 11-2 70.8kg

Alan King

Getaway mare. Sister to fair hurdler Forget The Way, stays 21/4m, and half-sister to 2 winners, including fairly useful hurdler/useful chaser Midnightreferendum.

**BEAUTY IN THE PARK (IRE)** 

4 11-2 70.8kg

Paul Nicholls

Freddie Gingell (3lb/1kg)

€95,000 3-y-o, Walk In The Park filly. Half-sister to useful hurdler Thirtyfourstitches and fair hurdler Kelly's Birr. Clearly a very interesting newcomer for leading yard.

CINDERELLO (29)

4 11-2 70.8kg

Half-sister to a point winner from the family of fairly useful hurdler/useful chaser

(stayed 4m) Cogry. 14/1, well held in Southwell bumper on debut 4 weeks ago.

**DARTMOUTH ROSE** (182)

4 11-2 70.8kg

Pam Sly

Better effort in bumpers in May when third at Market Rasen, albeit possibly flattered after being well positioned. Bred to stay well.

**DIAMONDS GALORE** 

4 11-2 70.8kg

Nico de Boinville €50,000 3-y-o, Diamond Boy filly. Half-sister to bumper winner/useful 2m hurdle winner Willmount. Appealing newcomer.

FEELING FRISKY (FR) Keiran Burke

hurdle winner

4 11-2 70.8kg

Miss Roisin Leech (7lb/3kg)

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**FLAMINGO GROVE (IRE)** 

Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill

Jonjo O'Neill Jr. €38,000 3-y-o, £150,000 4-y-o, Blue Bresil filly. Half-sister to fairly useful hurdler/ smart chaser Pistol Whipped and fair hurdler Rock The House. Wears tongue strap. Expensive point winner got to be worth a look.

Battle of Marengo filly. Half-sister to a point winner. Dam (c105/h107) 17f-3m

**GOOD BUY DOLLY (FR)** 

4 11-2 70.8kg

£8,000 3-y-o, Battle of Marengo filly. Half-sister to fairly useful hurdler Tintintin

and fair hurdler/chaser Gipsy Lee Rose. Dam modest French chase winner around 21/4m. Wears tongue strap.

HORNICA (IRE) 93

4 11-2 70.8kg

Ben Pauling Ben Jones

€70,000 3-y-o, Affinisea filly. Dam, ran twice in bumpers, half-sister to Champion Hurdle winner Annie Power. Plenty of appeal on paper.

11 LYNESS DANCER

**5** 11-2 | 70.8kg

**Dominic Ffrench Davis** Ben Ffrench Davis (5lb/2kg)

Half-sister to fairly useful 2½m hurdle winner Bertie Blue (by Blue Bresil). Dam bumper/25f hurdle winner. Behind both starts in point bumpers in spring 2024.

12 **MUSTANG BETTY (IRE) (365)** 

5 11-2 70.8kg

**Toby Lawes** 

NON RUNNER

13 **SECRET PASS** 

95

93

97

Jack Ouinlan

98

100

93

Philip Armson (3lb/1kg)

**4** 11-2 | 70.8kg

Miss Gina Andrews

Passing Glance filly. Dam, maiden pointer, half-sister to fairly useful chaser (stayed 2¾m) Twenty Eight Guns.

14 **SWEETLIKECHOCOLATE** 

**5** 11-2 70.8kg

Nigel Twiston-Davies Sam Twiston-Davies £16,000 3-y-o, Yeats mare. Half-sister to useful 5f/6f winner Militia. Wears tongue strap. Third in a point in May 2023.

15 TWISTTHENIGHTAWAY (IRE)

4 11-2 70.8kg

€85,000 3-y-o, Walk In The Park filly. Sister to fair hurdler Lovely Reaction. Dam 2½m-3m hurdle/chase winner, from family of Stayers Hurdle winner Shuil Ar

15 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:** 

4-1 Flamingo Grove, 11-2 Diamonds Galore, 6-1 Beauty In The Park, 8-1 Twistthenightaway, 10-1 Charisma Cat, 14-1 Good Buy Dolly, 14-1 Hornica, 16-1 Annie Hathaway, 18-1 Sweetlikechocolate, 28-1 Secret Pass, 50-1 bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:** 

This will probably go a newcomer and the betting will be revealing. BEAUTY IN THE PARK, Diamonds Galore and Flamingo Grove are three of the more appealing ones as things stand. The penalised Charisma Cat looks to have work to do if she's to follow up in a deep bumper.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. BEAUTY IN THE PARK 2. DIAMONDS GALORE 3. FLAMINGO GROVE

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:** 

**Rula Bula** 4-11-2 Jonjo O'Neill Jr. Jonjo O'Neill Walk of No Shame 5-11-0 Jonjo O'Neill Jonjo O'Neill Jr. 18 2022 6-1

**SMART STATS:**