

Monday 28th October

NEWCASTLE



3.35 FREE BETS WITH BETUK BET CLUB HANDICAP (5) 2m56y (3270 Metres)

RACE 1 **(7) UNIQUE SPIRIT | (6) ZEPHLYN | (8) FLYING SCOTSMAN**

4.10 GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETUK HANDICAP (5) 1½m98y (2500 Metres)

RACE 2 **(6) ANNANDALE | (3) PRINCESS NIYLA | (5) LAUDABLE**

4.40 GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES (4) 7f14y (1420 Metres)

RACE 3 **(1) KISDON FORCE | (2) SPACE TROOPER | (3) RAJAWAIL**

5.15 WEEKLY FREE BETS WITH BETMGM EXTRA NURSERY HANDICAP (5) 6f (1210 Metres)

RACE 4 **(2) MAISSARA | (3) CHUTI MANIKA | (7) IMPARTIALITY**

5.45 WEEKLY £5 FREE BET WITH BETUK HANDICAP (5) (D.I) 5f (1010 Metres)

RACE 5 **(7) DANDY DINMONT | (1) LOVE WARS | (5) WATER OF LEITH**

6.15 WEEKLY £5 FREE BET WITH BETUK HANDICAP (5) (D.II) 5f (1010 Metres)

RACE 6 **(8) GUSTAV GRAVES | (1) SPIRIT OF APPLAUSE | (5) LEODIS DREAM**

6.45 £30 IN FREE BETS WITH BETUK HANDICAP (6) 6f (1210 Metres)

RACE 7 **(4) HAVANA SKY | (5) ARC TESORO | (1) TOOSHA**

7.15 BETMGM: IT'S SHOWTIME HANDICAP (6) 1m5y (1610 Metres)

RACE 8 **(3) POP FAVORITE | (8) RUBELLITE | (9) VOLENTI**

7.45 WIN £1M WITH BETMGM'S GOLDEN GOALS HANDICAP (6) 7f14y (1420 Metres)

RACE 9 **(2) SPARTAN FIGHTER | (5) WINDSOR PASS | (4) JKR COBBLER**

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.

3.35**FREE BETS WITH BETUK BET CLUB HANDICAP (5) 3yo+
(Rated 0-68) £7,100 2m56y (3270 Metres)**

RACE 1

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard to Slow**

Left-handed, oval. Newcastle switched from turf to all-weather during the winter of 2015/16, and like Wolverhampton, the surface it uses is tapeta. It differs from the majority of the all-weather tracks in that as well as a traditional oval, it has a floodlit straight mile course, which is uphill for the final four furlongs, meaning an ability to see out the trip is essential and those who press on too early can prove vulnerable in the later stages.

Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Very Weak****1 5 BULLDOG SPIRIT (IRE) (14) (C, BF) 99**

20562182 4 10-4 | 65.3kg



Rebecca Menzies

Kaiya Fraser (3lb/1kg)

Course winner. Latest win at Haydock in August. Good second of 4 in seller (6/4) at Musselburgh (12.5f, good to soft) 14 days ago. Needs considering.

2 3 LITTLE PETER (39) (D) 95

2-4567 6 10-3 | 64.9kg



John Berry

Gina Mangan

Lightly-raced maiden on Flat and only seventh of 11 in handicap at Pontefract (17.1f, good to firm, 12/1) 39 days ago. A fair winner at 16f in bumpers but he has work to do.

3 9 WEDDELL SEA (IRE) (21) (D) 97

6/6-255225 6 10-1 | 64.0kg



Mike Sowersby

Cam Hardie

Still a maiden on the Flat but in good form until only fifth of 8 in handicap at Pontefract (18f, heavy, 11/1) 21 days ago. Sort to bounce back.

4 1 STAR LEGEND (IRE) (90) 99

5/3936764 5 9-12 | 62.6kg



James Owen

Silvestre De Sousa

Arrives below par, visored for 1st time when fourth of 6 in handicap at Yarmouth (14.1f, good to firm) 90 days ago. Blinkers on 1st time. Others more persuasive.

5 6 SOUND PRESSURE (IRE) (10) 95

157/90006 4 9-10 | 61.7kg



Sam England

Ryan Sexton

Yet to fire this term, sixth of 8 in handicap at this course (12.4f) 10 days ago, slowly away. Significantly up in trip. Others are much preferred.

6 8 ZEPHLYN (IRE) (44) (CD) 97

21752444 5 9-8 | 60.8kg



Ewan Whillans

Clifford Lee

C&D winner who comes here on the back of a good sixth of 10 in novice hurdle at Carlisle (17.2f, soft) on NH debut 11 days ago. Enters calculations.

7 2 UNIQUE SPIRIT (IRE) (10) (CD) 97

89473212 3 9-6 | 59.9kg



David O'Meara

David Nolan

Got off the mark over C&D in October and backed it up with a very good second of 6 in handicap here 10 days ago. Player nudged up 1 lb.

8 7 FLYING SCOTSMAN (IRE) (13) (D) 93

600-75464 7 9-6 | 59.9kg



Ben Haslam

Paul Mulrennan

It's now 11 runs since his last win in 2022 but he posted a respectable fourth of 12 in handicap at this course (12.4f) 13 days ago. Significantly up in trip. Not taken lightly off an easing mark.

9 4 CATALAN KING (10) (BF) 100

58825 3 9-4 | 59.0kg



Edward Bethell

Rowan Scott

Lightly-raced maiden who failed to build on earlier promise in first-time blinkers when fifth of 6 in handicap at this C&D 10 days ago. Well worth another chance.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:**7-2** Unique Spirit, **5-1** Bulldog Spirit, **11-2** Catalan King, **15-2** Star Legend, **17-2** Zephlyn, **11-1** Weddell Sea, **11-1** Little Peter, **11-1** Flying Scotsman, **50-1** bar**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

A few with chances but David O'Meara's UNIQUE SPIRIT comes here at the top of his game and is taken to quickly resume winning ways on the back of an excellent C&D second. Fellow C&D scorer Zephlyn is feared most returned to this sphere, with Flying Scotsman and Catalan King also well in the mix.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. UNIQUE SPIRIT 2. ZEPHLYN 3. FLYING SCOTSMAN****SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

4.10**GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETUK HANDICAP (5) 4yo+
(Rated 0-70) £7,100 1½m98y (2500 Metres)**

RACE 2

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard to Slow**

Left-handed, oval. Newcastle switched from turf to all-weather during the winter of 2015/16, and like Wolverhampton, the surface it uses is tapeta. It differs from the majority of the all-weather tracks in that as well as a traditional oval, it has a floodlit straight mile course, which is uphill for the final four furlongs, meaning an ability to see out the trip is essential and those who press on too early can prove vulnerable in the later stages.

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

1 6 SHARP DISTINCTION (11) s+t **98**
8-4465624 5 9-9 | 61.2kg



Amy Murphy

Silvestre De Sousa

Respectable fourth of 9 in handicap (15/2) at Southwell (14.1f) 11 days ago, not ideally placed. Ought to be in the shake-up in his bid for a first success of 2024 off an easing mark.

2 2 PERCY WILLIS (121) (CD) s **98**
31325370 6 9-8 | 60.8kg



Jedd O'Keeffe

Cam Hardie

A 3-time C&D winner but he came in only thirteenth of 14 in handicap at this C&D 121 days ago. Possibilities after a break.

3 1 PRINCESS NIYLA (10) s **100**
21268052 4 9-5 | 59.4kg



Alan Brown

Tom Eaves

Scored at Beverley in July and largely in good form since, second of 8 in handicap over C&D 10 days ago. Expected to be bang there off the same mark.

4 5 MOLINARI (IRE) (9) **99**
59-748723 7 9-3 | 58.5kg



Martin Todhunter

David Nolan

Seventeen runs since his last win in 2022 but he recorded a solid third of 10 in handicap (12/1) at Catterick (13.9f, heavy) 9 days ago. One for the shortlist.

5 4 LAUDABLE (13) (D) s **95**
31112422 4 9-2 | 58.1kg



Tristan Davidson

Kaiya Fraser (3lb/1kg)

3 wins from 13 runs this year, latest at Catterick in September. 2/1, good second of 12 in handicap at this C&D 13 days ago so he's not taken lightly.

6 3 ANNANDALE (IRE) (18) (C) **96**
89-747481 6 9-0 | 57.2kg



Jim Goldie

Paul Mulrennan

Capitalised on a reduced mark to readily land 10-runner handicap at Ayr (13.1f, good, 4/1) 18 days ago by 1½ lengths from Laudable. Back up 5 lb but this course winner is a big player.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

2-1 Laudable, **3-1** Annandale, **9-2** Princess Niyala, **7-1** Sharp Distinction, **9-1** Molinari, **22-1** Percy Willis

TIMEFORM VIEW:

A case can be made for all of these but Jim Goldie's ANNANDALE scored in taking style at Ayr last time and remains well threatened on past form despite taking a 5 lb rise here. Princess Niyala heads the list of dangers on the back of her good recent C&D second, with Laudable, Molinari and Sharp Distinction also firmly in the picture.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. ANNANDALE 2. PRINCESS NIYLA 3. LAUDABLE

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

4.40**GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES (4) 3, 4 and 5yo £10,500 7f14y (1420 Metres)**

RACE 3

Going: **Standard to Slow**

Left-handed, oval. Newcastle switched from turf to all-weather during the winter of 2015/16, and like Wolverhampton, the surface it uses is tapeta. It differs from the majority of the all-weather tracks in that as well as a traditional oval, it has a floodlit straight mile course, which is uphill for the final four furlongs, meaning an ability to see out the trip is essential and those who press on too early can prove vulnerable in the later stages.

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

1 3 KISDON FORCE (10)  **100**
32 3 9-7 | 60.3kg



Grant Tuer  **Oliver Stammers**
Son of Land Force built on his debut promise when an excellent second of 8 in maiden at this C&D 10 days ago. The clear form pick.

2 2 SPACE TROOPER (14) (BF) **85**
33 4 9-7 | 60.3kg



P. Charalambous & J. Clutterbuck **Paul Mulrennan**
Twice-raced maiden. 13/8, last of 3 in novice at Windsor (5.1f, heavy) 14 days ago. Significantly back up in trip and needs considering.

3 4 RAJAWAIL (298) b+t **72**
6758652-7 4 9-0 | 57.2kg



Brian Rothwell **Alex Jary (5lb/2kg)**
Poor filly. Seventh of 8 in handicap at this course (8f, 66/1). Off 9 months with her fitness to prove.

4 1 THREE SIXTY (10) **45**
9-8 3 8-12 | 56.2kg



Rebecca Menzies **Andrew Mullen**
Twice-raced maiden. Last of 8 in maiden (66/1) at this C&D 10 days ago. Significantly more is required.

4 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

40-85 Kisdon Force, 9-4 Space Trooper, 66-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Grant Tuer's Land Force gelding KISDON FORCE has gone with promise on both his runs to date and looks to have been found an excellent opportunity to go one better than his excellent recent C&D second. Space Trooper appeals as the one to chase him home ahead of Rajawail.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. KISDON FORCE 2. SPACE TROOPER 3. RAJAWAIL

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.15**WEEKLY FREE BETS WITH BETMGM EXTRA NURSERY
HANDICAP (5) 2yo (Rated 0-75) £7,100 6f (1210 Metres)**

RACE 4

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard to Slow**

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Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Even**

1 9 ZIGGY'S ARIEL (IRE) (54) (D) 96
4175 2 9-11 | 62.1kg



Alice Haynes

Kieran O'Neill

Winner at Hamilton on second start in July. 9/2, fifth of 7 in nursery at Hamilton (6f, soft) 54 days ago. Makes tapeta debut, which may suit better than last time.

2 7 MAISSARA (17) h ★ 100
443 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Roger Varian

Silvestre De Sousa

Expensive purchase who again proved too free when third of 10 in novice at Kempton (6f) 17 days ago. Makes handicap debut. Shortlist material given pedigree and connections.

3 2 CHUTI MANIKA (IRE) (24) 95
2175 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Charlie Johnston

Oliver Stammers

Made second start a winning one at Catterick in July. 11/2, fifth of 7 in nursery at this course (7.1f) 24 days ago. Way he shaped there suggests drop to 6f will suit.

4 5 CRACKING MAN (IRE) (67) 98
92700 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



K. R. Burke

Clifford Lee

Set a stiff task and made little impression when fourteenth of 20 in sales event at York (6f, good to firm) 67 days ago. Makes tapeta debut and this a more suitable assignment.

5 1 ARABIAN COBRA (IRE) (15) v 99
6250685 2 9-6 | 59.9kg



Hugo Palmer

Paul Mulrennan

Fifth of 7 in novice at Goodwood (6f, heavy, 9/1) 15 days ago. Makes tapeta debut and visor needs to sharpen him up back in a nursery.

6 4 HUNDRED CAPS (51) 95
035 2 9-5 | 59.4kg



Julie Camacho

Non Runner

Thrice-raced maiden. Fifth of 17 in novice at Thirsk (6f, good to firm, 25/1) 51 days ago. Makes handicap debut. NON RUNNER.

7 6 IMPARTIALITY (30) 98
3647 2 9-3 | 58.5kg



Phillip Makin

Rowan Scott

Hooded for first time when seventh of 9 in nursery (9/1) at Haydock (7.2f, heavy) 30 days ago, unable to sustain effort. On that evidence, 6f will suit.

8 3 FALLEN SOLDIER (IRE) (42) s 98
85842 2 9-1 | 57.6kg



John & Sean Quinn

Oisin James Orr

A little too free again but displayed improved form when second of 10 in nursery (6/1) at Thirsk (6f, good) 42 days ago. Cheekpieces on first time.

9 8 AUNTIE JO (40) 78
5447 2 9-1 | 57.6kg



David O'Meara

Mark Winn

Lightly-raced maiden. 66/1, seventh of 11 in novice at Beverley (5f, good to firm) 40 days ago, slowly away. Makes tapeta/Makes nursery debut and limited appeal from this mark.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Maissara, **4-1** Fallen Soldier, **13-2** Chuti Manika, **8-1** Arabian Cobra, **9-1** Impartiality, **9-1** Ziggys Ariel, **16-1** Cracking Man, **20-1** Auntie Jo

TIMEFORM VIEW:

MAISSARA has progressed quietly in her qualifying runs but this well-bred filly surely has more to offer for her top stable now contesting a nursery. She gets the vote in favour of Chuti Manika and Impartiality, both of whom are expected to benefit from the drop to 6f.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. MAISSARA 2. CHUTI MANIKA 3. IMPARTIALITY****SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.45**WEEKLY £5 FREE BET WITH BETUK HANDICAP (5) (D.I) 3yo+
(Rated 0-72) £10,000 5f (1010 Metres)**

RACE 5

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard to Slow**


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Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Even**


1 7 LOVE WARS (IRE) (52) (D)  **100**
1-52760 **3** 9-11 | 62.1kg

 John & Sean Quinn **Oisin James Orr**
18/1, twelfth of 13 in handicap at Haydock (5f, good) 52 days ago, though that run can be excused given she was bumped at the start. Makes tapeta debut. Has good chance on pick of form eased in class.


2 10 BRIAN THE SNAIL (IRE) (43) (C, D) **84**
54219540 **10** 9-10 | 61.7kg

 Patrick Morris **Ryan Kavanagh (7lb/3kg)**
Course winner. Latest win at Thirsk in July. 20/1, twelfth of 16 in handicap at Bath (5.7f, good to firm) 43 days ago. 12 lb higher returned to the AW.

3 3 DARK KESTREL (IRE) (18) (D) **95**
29109043 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Antony Brittain **Cam Hardie**
Latest win at Wolverhampton in May. 16/1, creditable third of 12 in handicap at Southwell (5f) 18 days ago. This track probably more suitable.


4 1 A GIRL NAMED IVY (IRE) (35) **92**
9-10104 **3** 9-8 | 60.8kg

 Michael Dods **S. B. Kirrane**
Two wins from 5 runs this year, latterly at Pontefract in August. Respectable fourth of 8 in handicap (16/1) at Hamilton (6f, good) 35 days ago. Makes tapeta debut.


5 9 WATER OF LEITH (IRE) (39) (C, D) **97**
32541931 **6** 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Jim Goldie  **Paul Mulrennan**
Course winner. Didn't need to improve to win 9-runner handicap at Ayr (5f, good to firm, 11/4) 39 days ago. 4 lb ruse asks for more but he's clearly in good order.


6 2 NELSON GAY (IRE) (58) (CD) **99**
77305526 **6** 9-6 | 59.9kg

 Michael Dods **Silvestre De Sousa**
C&D winner. Fourteen runs since last win in 2023. Bit below form sixth of 10 in handicap at Beverley (5f, good to firm, 10/1) 58 days ago, though a wide draw didn't help his cause. One to consider for all usual cheekpieces are left off.


7 4 DANDY DINMONT (IRE) (23) (CD) **98**
67146686 **5** 9-5 | 59.4kg

 Nigel Tinkler **Alex Jary (5lb/2kg)**
C&D winner. Latest win at Doncaster in July. 14/1, below form sixth of 10 in handicap at Southwell (6.1f) 23 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Well-run 5f looks up his street.


8 8 CASTAN (33) (CD) **97**
99780500 **4** 9-3 | 58.5kg

 Bryan Smart **Dougje Costello**
C&D winner. 33/1, tenth of 11 in handicap at Redcar (5f, good) 33 days ago. Others more persuasive.

9 6 HERAKLES (IRE) (25) (CD) **92**
33166965 **4** 9-2 | 58.1kg

 Paul Midgley **Mark Winn**
C&D winner. Latest win at Ripon in June. 9/2, respectable fifth of 10 in handicap at this C&D 25 days ago.

10 5 COOL RUN (IRE) (103) **91**
3322-5066 **3** 8-13 | 56.7kg

 Julie Camacho **Ryan Sexton**
28/1 and hooded for first time, sixth of 8 in handicap at Thirsk (5f, good). Off 103 days and blinkers now the headgear of choice on the back of a breathing operation.

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 Water of Leith, **5-1** Herakles, **6-1** Nelson Gay, **6-1** Dark Kestrel, **8-1** Love Wars, **11-1** Dandy Dinmont, **14-1** A Girl Named Ivy, **22-1** Brian The Snail, **25-1** Castan, **28-1** Cool Run

TIMEFORM VIEW:

A stiff 5f looks just the ticket for DANDY DINMONT so he's worth risking at likely rewarding odds. Love Wars eases in class so he's dangerous, with last-time-out winner Water of Leith likely to give it another good go.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. DANDY DINMONT 2. LOVE WARS 3. WATER OF LEITH

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.15**WEEKLY £5 FREE BET WITH BETUK HANDICAP (5) (D.II)**
3yo+ (Rated 0-72) £10,000 5f (1010 Metres)

RACE 6

GBI RACINGGoing: **Standard to Slow**

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Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Strong**

1 7 SPIRIT OF APPLAUSE (11) (D, BF) s 98
05841032 **4** 9-11 | 62.1kg



Tim Easterby

S. B. Kirrane

Latest win at Beverley in August. 3/1, ran well when second of 12 in handicap at Southwell (6.1f) 11 days ago, headed final strides. Likely to continue in form.

2 8 GANESHA (18) (CD) h 98
1-8555906 **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Phillip Makin

Rowan Scott

C&D winner. 14/1 and hooded for 1st time, not seen to best effect when sixth of 12 in handicap at Southwell (5f) 18 days ago, keeping on when short of room late on. Mark slides further and could build on that effort.

3 2 COTAI VISION (IRE) (86) 94
41722-227 **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Paul Attwater

William Cox

Hooded for 1st time, ran too badly to be true on first outing since leaving David Loughnane for 36,000 gns when last of 7 in handicap at Windsor (6f, firm, 10/1) 86 days ago. Hood discarded and will need to leave that well behind.

4 9 MASTER OF MY FATE (IRE) (128) (D) 91
126-056 **3** 9-8 | 60.8kg



John & Sean Quinn

Harry Russell

6/1, sixth of 8 in handicap at Redcar (5f, good to firm) 4 months ago. Has underachieved relative to his 2-y-o form so best watched (has had a wind op).

5 3 LEODIS DREAM (IRE) (25) (CD) 97
29706541 **8** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Paul Midgley

David Nolan

Got back to winning ways returned to all-weather in 10-runner handicap at this C&D (11/1) 25 days ago, kept away from the main pack on the near side and able to dominate from the front. 6 lb higher here but can go well again.

6 6 LADY CELIA (28) (CD) 99
9-1414466 **7** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Alan Brown

Archie Young (5lb/2kg)

C&D winner. Latest win at Hamilton in July. Followed a below-par effort with an even worse one when sixth of 7 in handicap (15/2) at Hamilton (6f, good to soft) 4 weeks ago. Down 2 lb and could fare better returned to all-weather.

7 4 ZUFFOLO (IRE) (41) (CD) b 95
98931441 **4** 9-5 | 59.4kg



Michael Dods

Clifford Lee

C&D winner. Notched his second win of the season in narrow fashion in 9-runner handicap at Redcar (5f, good to firm, 3/1) 41 days ago, just clinging on having been well positioned on the far rail. 3 lb higher and should make another bold bid.

8 1 GUSTAV GRAVES (7) (CD) ★ 100
17765593 **6** 9-2 | 58.1kg



Derek Shaw

Tom Eaves

C&D winner. 4 wins from 14 runs this year. Shaped well despite being easy to back when third of 9 in handicap at Wolverhampton (5.1f, 33/1) 7 days ago. One to keep an eye on from a reduced mark.

9 5 CANON'S HOUSE (10) 97
33377 **3** 9-2 | 58.1kg



Michael & David Easterby

Paul Mulrennan

15/2, again failed to impress with his head carriage when seventh of 12 in handicap at Redcar (5f, soft) 10 days ago. This is just his second all-weather start but others more appealing.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

3-1 Spirit of Applause, **9-2** Leodis Dream, **5-1** Zuffolo, **10-1** Master of My Fate, **12-1** Lady Celia, **14-1** Gustav Graves, **14-1** Cotai Vision, **16-1** Ganesha, **16-1** Canon's House

TIMEFORM VIEW:

An open-looking sprint and it could be worth chancing GUSTAV GRAVES, who shaped well despite being easy to back when third at Wolverhampton last week and Derek Shaw's 6-y-o is well drawn to attack. Spirit of Applause, Leodis Dream and Zuffolo look the main dangers in that order.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. GUSTAV GRAVES 2. SPIRIT OF APPLAUSE 3. LEODIS DREAM

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.45

£30 IN FREE BETS WITH BETUK HANDICAP (6) 3yo (Rated 0-52) £5,700 6f (1210 Metres)

RACE 7




Going: **Standard to Slow**


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Draw: **Against Mid** Pace Information: **Weak**


1 1 TOOSHA (IRE) (74) 88
26097-567 **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg

 John Butler *Oisin James Orr*
Last of 7 in handicap at Chepstow (6.1f, good to firm) back with this yard 74 days ago. Looks a limited maiden but interesting if the betting speaks in her favour.


2 12 PASEA GRANDE (103) s 79
809 **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Hilal Kobeissi *Kaiya Fraser (3lb/1kg)*
Ninth of 11 in maiden at Yarmouth (7f, good, 200/1) 103 days ago. Cheekpieces on 1st time. Gelded. Needs to up his game on handicap debut.


3 5 BADOSA (IRE) (21) (CD) 90
14670008 **3** 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Patrick Morris *David Nolan*
C&D winner. Eighth of 12 in handicap (125/1) at Wolverhampton (7.2f) 21 days ago.

4 2 HAVANA SKY (38) (D) v 99
89-899143 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Ed Dunlop *Clifford Lee*
Winner at Thirsk in August. Third of 10 in handicap at Kempton (6f, 15/2) 38 days ago. Visor on 1st time. Respected in a thin handicap.


5 3 ARC TESORO (32) t 39
608 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Ivan Furtado *Silvestre De Sousa*
Thrice-raced maiden. 150/1, last of 8 in novice at Southwell (8.1f) 32 days ago. Down in trip. Tongue strap on for 1st time. Makes handicap debut with De Sousa up and may do better.

6 6 ORIENTAL PRINCE (150) 85
6755 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Jim Goldie *Paul Mulrennan*
Lightly-raced maiden. Good fifth of 9 in handicap at Carlisle (5.8f, good to soft, 22/1) 150 days ago.


7 11 YIENGAA (27) (D) 91
44217806 **3** 9-6 | 59.9kg

 Nigel Tinkler *Rowan Scott*
Winner at Brighton in June. Below form sixth of 12 in handicap at this course (5f, 28/1) 27 days ago, merely passing beaten rivals.

8 4 TOMORROW DAY (11) (CD) v+t 96
95453313 **3** 9-5 | 59.4kg

 Mark Usher *T. Kiely-Marshall (5lb/2kg)*
C&D winner. 15/2, respectable third of 7 in handicap at Brighton (6f, heavy) 11 days ago, inadequate test.

9 10 THUNDERSTORM KATIE (59) 84
04749 **3** 9-5 | 59.4kg

 Jim Goldie *Amie Waugh (3lb/1kg)*
18/1 and tongue strap on for 1st time, well-beaten last of 9 to Havana Sky in minor event at Thirsk (6f, good to firm) 59 days ago. From very good family but has looked limited. Has left Brian Toomey and had breathing operation.


10 9 STONEACRE GIRL (20) ★ 100
666-69258 **3** 9-4 | 59.0kg

 Jessica Macey *Oliver Stammers*
20/1, eighth of 12 in handicap at Southwell (5f) 20 days ago. Back up in trip. On a good mark with a repeat of her best form.

11 8 ISHE WORTH AGAMBLE (26) t 96
99-576985 **3** 9-4 | 59.0kg

 Tim Easterby *S. B. Kirrane*
22/1, fifth of 10 in handicap at Catterick (6f, soft) 26 days ago. Makes tapeta debut.

12 7 HYRCANIAN (IRE) (34) s 89
89-346098 **3** 9-3(9-2) | 58.5kg (58.1kg)

 Ron Barr *Harry Russell*
125/1, eighth of 11 in handicap at this course (7.1f) 34 days ago.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

10-3 Havana Sky, **9-2** Tomorrow Day, **8-1** Toosha, **9-1** Arc Tesoro, **11-1** Stoneacre Girl, **12-1** Ishe Worth Agamble, **14-1** Oriental Prince, **14-1** Yiengaa, **18-1** Pasea Grande, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Not a strong handicap and HAVANA SKY looks to have the most solid claims on the back of a run of good efforts. Arc Tesoro is interesting on his handicap debut, while market support for Toosha would need taking seriously.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. HAVANA SKY 2. ARC TESORO 3. TOOSHA

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.15

BETMGM: IT'S SHOWTIME HANDICAP (6) 3yo+ (Rated 0-52) £5,700 1m5y (1610 Metres)


RACE 8






Going: **Standard to Slow**

Left-handed, oval. Newcastle switched from turf to all-weather during the winter of 2015/16, and like Wolverhampton, the surface it uses is tapeta. It differs from the majority of the all-weather tracks in that as well as a traditional oval, it has a floodlit straight mile course, which is uphill for the final four furlongs, meaning an ability to see out the trip is essential and those who press on too early can prove vulnerable in the later stages.


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


1 11 CLOCH NUA (114) (CD) 87
 2506-8766 5 9-9 | 61.2kg
 **Stella Barclay** *Alex Jary (5lb/2kg)*
 C&D winner. Fourteen runs since last win in 2022. Respectable sixth of 10 in handicap (10/1) at Carlisle (9f, good). Off 114 days. Regular slow starts remain a concern and others are preferred.


2 2 END ZONE (13) (D) s 97
 30069546 7 9-8 | 60.8kg
 **Roger Fell** *Rowan Scott*
 Twelve runs since last win in 2023. 4/1, bit below form sixth of 10 in handicap at this C&D 13 days ago. Cheekpieces back on. Frame claims if able to bounce back.


3 1 POP FAVORITE (10) (CD) 97
 75074551 6 9-8 | 60.8kg
 **Scott Dixon**  *Kieran O'Neill*
 Six-time C&D winner. 14/1, improved on recent efforts to win 11-runner handicap at this C&D 10 days ago, keeping on well. Can make presence felt.


4 9 TASEVER (14) s 93
 00578836 4 9-7 | 60.3kg
 **Patrick Morris** *Ryan Kavanagh (7lb/3kg)*
 Remains a maiden after 22 Flat runs. Never threatened when sixth of 9 in handicap (15/2) at Wolverhampton (8.6f) 14 days ago. Others preferred.


5 12 ELETTARIA (IRE) (4) (C) s 94
 55337335 5 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **John Wainwright** *Paul Mulrennan*
 Course winner. 22/1, respectable fifth of 12 in handicap at Southwell (7.1f) 4 days ago, never nearer. Can give a good account without posing serious threat to principals.


6 4 MR STANLEY (IRE) (6) s 90
 69065036 5 9-3 | 58.5kg
 **Philip Kirby** *Kaiya Fraser (3lb/1kg)*
 Remains a maiden after 23 Flat runs. 8/1, sixth of 8 in handicap at this course (7.1f) 6 days ago. Others make greater appeal.


7 3 FOREVER PROUD (14) (BF) 99
 10524376 4 9-3 | 58.5kg
 **James Owen** *Silvestre De Sousa*
 Respectable sixth of 12 in handicap at Wolverhampton (8.6f, 7/5) 14 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Slipping down the weights but yet to build on a promising yard debut.

8 10 RUBELLITE (IRE) (14) ★ 100
 48300823 4 9-3 | 58.5kg
 **Stella Barclay** *Andrew Elliott*
 6/1, good third of 12 in handicap at Wolverhampton (8.6f) 14 days ago, finishing well after being left with plenty to do. Shortlist material.

9 8 VOLENTI (IRE) (27) 97
 88759-932 5 9-3(9-2) | 58.5kg (58.1kg)
 **Ben Haslam** *Andrew Mullen*
 Thirteen runs since last win in 2022. 8/1, good second of 12 in handicap at this course (10.2f) 27 days ago. Back down in trip. Arrives after a couple of decent efforts and place claims are sound.

10 7 FOSHAN (IRE) (41) b 90
 3/083070-9 5 9-3(9-2) | 58.5kg (58.1kg)
 **Adam Nicol** *Cam Hardie*
 200/1, seventh of 10 in novice hurdle at Sedgefield (16.8f, soft) 19 days ago. Back down in trip. Blinkers back on. Modest on the Flat, poor on last Flat outing. Not easy to make a case for.

11 5 FILEY BEACH (IRE) (24) 94
 080-05422 3 9-1 | 57.6kg
 **Jason Ward** *John Egan*
 7/1, good second of 10 in handicap at this course (7.1f) 24 days ago, well positioned. Respected.

12 6 GREGORIANNA (IRE) (41) h 88
 753668 3 9-0 | 57.2kg
 **Julie Camacho** *Ryan Sexton*
 Eighth of 10 in handicap (12/1) at this course (10.2f) 41 days ago. Back down in trip. Has work to do.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 Forever Proud, **5-1** Pop Favorite, **7-1** Rubellite, **7-1** Volenti, **9-1** Filey Beach, **11-1** End Zone, **16-1** Elettaria, **18-1** Tasever, **20-1** Mr Stanley, **22-1** Cloch Nua, **28-1** Gregorianna, **100-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

POP FAVORITE came from rear to score for the sixth time over C&D earlier this month and can follow up at the chief expense of Rubellite, who caught the eye from a disadvantageous position at Wolverhampton a fortnight ago. Volenti is narrowly preferred to Filey Beach for third.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. POP FAVORITE 2. RUBELLITE 3. VOLENTI

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023 ^I Ledger 3-9-1	13-2 Lucinda Russell	Oisin James Orr	11
2023 ^{II} Revoquable 4-9-6	7-2 Tim Easterby	David Allan	11
2022 Mintnthat 3-9-3	18-1 Iain Jardine	Andrew Mullen	14
2021 International Lion 4-8-12	20-1 John Wainwright	Andrew Mullen	14
2020 Broctune Red 5-9-3	10-3 Gillian Boanas	Phil Dennis	12
2019 Proceeding 4-9-5	7-5f Tracy Waggott	Joe Fanning	12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.45**WIN £1M WITH BETMGM'S GOLDEN GOALS HANDICAP (6)
4yo+ (Rated 0-60) £5,700 7f14y (1420 Metres)****RACE 9****GBI RACING**Going: **Standard to Slow**

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

1 2 THANKS DAD (9) 96
27550385 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



Scott Dixon **Kieran O'Neill**
Respectable fifth of 10 in handicap at Wolverhampton (7.2f, 9/1) 9 days ago, nearest finish after being left poorly placed. Can give a good account without posing serious threat to principals.

2 5 SPARTAN FIGHTER (6) (CD) v 99
15004271 7 9-8 | 60.8kg



Antony Brittain **Harry Russell**
Seven-time course winner. Won 12-runner handicap at this course (6f, 14/1) 6 days ago, holding on gamely. Looks competitive on form.

3 3 ODD SOCKS HAVANA (126) (CD) t 97
34112728 6 9-8 | 60.8kg



Rebecca Menzies **Paul Mulrennan**
Five-time course winner. Latest win here in April. Last of 8 in handicap (13/2) at Thirsk (8f, good to firm). Off 126 days. Others more persuasive.

4 1 JKR COBBLER (IRE) (6) (C, D) 95
85373752 5 9-6 | 59.9kg



Iain Jardine **Andrew Mullen**
Course winner. Creditable second of 8 in handicap (5/1) at this C&D 6 days ago, finishing with running left. Player again.

5 6 WINDSOR PASS (IRE) (26) (BF) ★ 100
64-964345 6 9-5 | 59.4kg



John Butler **Kaiya Fraser (3lb/1kg)**
Remains a maiden after 25 Flat runs. Bit below form fifth of 12 in handicap at Kempton (8f, 7/4) 26 days ago. Eye-catching fourth here on previous outing and has to be taken seriously again.

6 7 ABSOLUTE DREAM (IRE) (13) (C, D) 95
81259482 8 9-4 | 59.0kg



Richard Fahey **Oisín James Orr**
Course winner. 14/1, excellent second of 12 in handicap at this course (6f) 13 days ago. Solid place claims if able to back that up.

7 4 YAAHOBBY (IRE) (6) (CD) s+t 95
90481164 5 9-1 | 57.6kg



Antony Brittain **Cam Hardie**
C&D winner. Latest win here in October. 9/1, respectable fourth of 8 in handicap at this C&D 6 days ago, running on. Cheekpieces back on. Others preferred.

8 8 PEARLY STAR (41) 90
4-8687357 4 8-9 | 54.9kg



Mike Sowersby **Mark Winn**
Thirteen runs since last win in 2023. Seventh of 9 in handicap at this course (10.2f, 14/1) 41 days ago. Significantly back down in trip. Has work to do.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Windsor Pass, **3-1** Spartan Fighter, **13-2** Absolute Dream, **9-1** Jkr Cobbler, **10-1** Thanks Dad, **12-1** Odd Socks Havana, **14-1** Yaahobby, **33-1** Pearly Star

TIMEFORM VIEW:

SPARTAN FIGHTER added to his fine record here last week and Antony Brittain's gelding makes plenty of appeal bidding to follow up. Windsor Pass didn't immediately build on a promising effort here at Kempton last time but can't be written off, with Jkr Cobbler completing the shortlist.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SPARTAN FIGHTER 2. WINDSOR PASS 3. JKR COBBLER

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race