

Tuesday 29th October

CHEPSTOW

1.00	COLOURFENCE NEWPORT LONG LIFE GARDEN RAILINGS MAIDEN HURDLE (4) (D.I) 2m3f100y (3910 Metres)
RACE 1	(11) THE NEW LION (2) BELLIANO (6) KAYF DANCER
1.30	COLOURFENCE NEWPORT LONG LIFE GARDEN RAILINGS MAIDEN HURDLE (4) (D.II) 2m3f100y (3910 Metres)
RACE 2	(6) QUEBECOIS (3) JUVENTUS DE BRION (5) MURPHY'S MILAN
2.00	CAMBRIA CONSULTING - CIVIL AND STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 2m11y (3230 Metres)
RACE 3	(11) LOVERDOSE (13) PILLAR ROCK (4) COME ON NIA
2.35	COLOURFENCE NEWPORT FENCING GUARANTEED FOR 25YRS HANDICAP CHASE (4) 3¼m54y (5280 Metres)
RACE 4	(14) MUMFORD'S MAGIC (1) MAGICAL ESCAPE (3) KING TURGEON
3.10	COLOURFENCE NEWPORT LOW MAINTENANCE FENCING HANDICAP CHASE (3) 2m3f98y (3910 Metres)
RACE 5	(14) THEFORMISMIGHTY (4) CAN YOU CALL (3) HITITI
3.45	COLOURFENCE NEWPORT FREE NO OBLIGATION QUOTE HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 2m3f100y (3910 Metres)
RACE 6	(9) WOT YOU WEARING (3) SIAM PARK (7) SOLAR SYSTEM
4.20	COLOURFENCE NEWPORT FOR GATES AND SHEDS OPEN NATIONAL HUNT FLAT (5) 2m11y (3230 Metres)
RACE 7	(4) A PAI DE NOM (9) SOBER GLORY (2) THE FINAL WORD

KEY TO SYMBOLS

Top Rated: The horse with the best chance based solely on past form, specially tailored to a 0-100 scale.

Horses For Courses: A suitable track for the horse, compared to its lifetime record on similar courses as defined by Timeform's course data.

Jockey Uplift: The engaged rider has a notably higher Timeform Jockey Ranking than those who've ridden the horse on its most recent starts

Trainer Form: A hot trainer to follow, based on Timeform ratings-related measurements looking at the recent performance of runners.

1.00
RACE 1

COLOURFENCE NEWPORT LONG LIFE GARDEN RAILINGS MAIDEN HURDLE (4) (D.I) 4yo+ £7,700 2m3f100y (3910 Metres)



Going: **Chase: Good to Soft; Hurdles: Soft**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1 BALLYVANGO (IRE) (327) 88
5/73- 5 11-4 | 71.7kg
Martin Keighley *Daire McConville (71b/3kg)*
Fair form in bumpers, third of 5 at Market Rasen (16.6f, heavy) 21 days ago. Should have a future over hurdles.

2 BELLIANO 100
5 11-4 | 71.7kg
Paul Nicholls *Harry Cobden*
Black Sam Bellamy gelding who was purchased for £255,000 after easily winning his sole outing in Irish points. Has joined a top yard and is a most interesting Rules debutant.

3 D'JO DELA BARRIERE (FR) (173) 92
563-4 5 11-4 | 71.7kg
Evan Williams *Adam Wedge*
Displayed ability in a brace of bumpers and a maiden hurdle at Punchestown in 2023. Fit from points when a modest fourth on chase debut in May and has since left S. Curling. Market may guide on this return to hurdling.

4 DISH OF THE DAY (IRE) (25) 87
6/5P-F 6 11-4 | 71.7kg
Nicky Martin *Paul O'Brien*
Hinted at ability sole outing in bumpers and again offered something to work on when fifth of 8 on his Lingfield hurdling debut, but laboured effort at Ludlow next time and took a nasty fall at the fourth on his return at Fontwell. Can only be watched at present.

5 JUMBLE JURY (FR) (211) 87
45- 6 11-4 | 71.7kg
Neil King *Jack Quinlan*
Point winner at second attempt and better effort in bumpers when fourth of 8 on Rules debut here in February. Much more needed now going hurdling, however.

6 KAYF DANCER (332) 91
3/5- 6 11-4 | 71.7kg
Philip Hobbs & Johnson White *Micheal Nolan*
Has a good pedigree and has made an encouraging start to his career, finishing third in an Exeter bumper and fifth in a strong Newbury novice hurdle (20.5f). Off 11 months but surely has more to offer.

7 LAW OF THE SEA (23) 88
7 6 11-4 | 71.7kg
Ian Williams *Robert Dunne*
Fairly useful staying handicapper on the Flat who was given a considerable introduction to hurdling when seventh of 13 at Uttoxeter (15.8f) 23 days ago, not knocked about. Open to improvement but could be more one for handicaps a bit further down the line.

8 PROPHESEA (IRE) (165) 88
1-5 5 11-4 | 71.7kg
Chris Down *Bryan Carver*
Successful pointer who made a winning debut under Rules in an Exeter bumper in April. Found it tougher under a penalty at Aintree the following month and has since switched yards (left L. Jefford).

9 SEA SHED 88
6 11-4 | 71.7kg
John & Rhys Flint *Lorcan Williams*
Clovis Du Berlais gelding. Half-brother to fair 2½m hurdle winner Marty Byrde and bumper winner/fair hurdler Iontach Cheval. Dam (h97) bumper winner (stayed 21f). Bred to have a future.

10 SEA WARRIOR (IRE) (162) 89
4 5 11-4 | 71.7kg
Joe Tizzard *Brendan Powell*
Given a considerable introduction when fourth of 12 in novice hurdle (17/2) at Newton Abbot (16.8f, good to firm) on debut in May, not knocked about. May well do better, especially now upped in trip.

11 THE NEW LION (202) 95
1- 5 11-4 | 71.7kg
Dan Skelton *Harry Skelton*
Is bred to stay well but showed no shortage of speed when making a winning start in a modestly-run bumper at Market Rasen (16.6f) 6 months ago. Good hurdling prospect.

12 TAMARIND BAY (IRE) (16) (BF) 88
27-3 4 11-2 | 70.8kg
Peter & Michael Bowen *Gavin Sheehan*
Showed fair form on 2 of his 3 outings in bumpers, including when on first run since leaving Victor Dartnall when third at Ffos Las (15.8f, soft) 16 days ago. Makes hurdles debut up in trip.

13 ORINOCO FLOW (IRE) (544) 79
5- 6 10-11 | 68.5kg
David Pipe *David Noonan*
Unpromising in points and ran to only a poor level in a Tipperary bumper on sole outing for Gordon Elliott 18 months ago. Hooded for hurdling/stable debut.

14 FORMEL PARK (15) 70
0-3U7 4 10-9 | 67.6kg
Evan Williams *Conor Ring*
Related to 4 winners and better effort in bumpers when third at Southwell in May. Unseated rider early on hurdle debut and well held at Hereford completed start since.

14 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Belliano, 9-2 The New Lion, 7-1 D'jo Dela Barriere, 8-1 Kayf Dancer, 16-1 Sea Warrior, 18-1 Prophesea, 20-1 Ballyvango, 22-1 Law of The Sea, 25-1 Tamarind Bay, 25-1 Sea Shed, 28-1 Dish of The Day, 33-1 Jumble Jury, 66-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

THE NEW LION impressed when coming readily clear in a modestly-run bumper on his Market Rasen debut in April and is sure to have been well prepared ahead of this switch to hurdling, so he makes plenty of appeal representing an in-form yard. Belliano is a fascinating Rules debutant having been bought for big money following an Irish point success and strong market support for him would put a slightly different slant on matters. Kayf Dancer is another to consider.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. THE NEW LION 2. BELLIANO 3. KAYF DANCER

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023 ^{II} Masaccio 6-11-4	3-1 Alan King	Tom Cannon	16
2023 ^{II} Minella Missile 5-11-4	20-1 Evan Williams	Adam Wedge	15
2022 ^I Chianti Classico 5-11-4	15-8 Kim Bailey	David Bass	16
2022 ^{II} Makin'yourmindup 5-11-4	11-2 Paul Nicholls	Harry Cobden	14
2021 ^I Mr Glass 5-11-4	4-6f Paul Nicholls	Harry Cobden	14
2021 ^{II} Stage Star 5-11-4	2-7f Paul Nicholls	Harry Cobden	14
2020 ^I Grand Mogul 6-11-0	9-4 Nicky Henderson	Nico de Boinville	12
2020 ^{II} Star Gate 4-11-0	5-1 Evan Williams	Adam Wedge	15
2019 Sevarano 6-11-0	7-4f Oliver Sherwood	Leighton Aspell	16

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

1.30

RACE 2

**COLOURFENCE NEWPORT LONG LIFE GARDEN RAILINGS
MAIDEN HURDLE (4) (D.II) 4yo+ £7,700 2m3f100y (3910
Metres)****GBI RACING**Going: **Chase: Good to Soft; Hurdles: Soft**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1 CAPTAINS ROAD (IRE) (188) 75
PP- 7 11-4 | 71.7kg



Charlie Longsdon *Lilly Pinchin*
Winning pointer but pulled up in 2 maiden hurdles, looking far from straightforward.

2 CATCH CATCHFIRE (198) 78
05- 5 11-4 | 71.7kg



Ian Williams *Charlie Todd*
Well held in a brace of maiden hurdles. Needs this run for a handicap mark.

3 JUVENTUS DE BRION (FR) (18) 100
33-F 5 11-4 | 71.7kg



Dan Skelton *Harry Skelton*
Promise when third on both starts last winter, latterly when third in a useful novice at Ascot (19f, good to soft). Fell at the first in the Persian War here on return. Sets the standard.

4 MAXIMUM EFFORT (218) 79
9/0453P- 5 11-4 | 71.7kg



Noel Williams *James Davies*
Took a step forward when third of 7 in a C&D maiden in February. Ran badly switched to a handicap at Exeter the following month, however.

5 MURPHY'S MILAN (IRE) (193) 80
3- 5 11-4 | 71.7kg



Philip Hobbs & Johnson White *Micheal Nolan*
Bred to stay well and shaped accordingly when third of 8 in a bumper at Exeter (16.7f, good) on NH debut, not knocked about. Off 6 months. Makes hurdle bow.

6 QUEBECOIS (FR) (230) 95
10- 5 11-4 | 71.7kg



Paul Nicholls *Harry Cobden*
Expensive purchase after finishing second in a point and made no mistake first time under Rules, recording a facile success at Exeter in December. Well held in Champion Bumper at Cheltenham 3 months on but still appeals as the type to do well as a novice hurdler.

7 OUTER BANKS (IRE) (23) 79
8 4 11-2 | 70.8kg



Stuart Edmunds *Ciaran Gethings*
From the family of fairly useful hurdlers Lisheen Prince (2½m winner) and Jumping Susie (stayed 23f). Made frame both starts in Irish points and possibly needed the run when eighth of 13 on recent hurdling debut at Uttoxeter (15.8f). Up in trip.

8 TOM TAGGLE (IRE) (220) 79
0- 4 11-2 | 70.8kg



Evan Williams *Adam Wedge*
£25,000 3-y-o, Soldier of Fortune gelding. Showed a bit when twelfth of 20 in Goffs UK Spring Sales Bumper at Newbury on debut and should have a future over hurdles.

9 BANNY HILL LASS (187) 60
959- 4 10-9 | 67.6kg



Neil King *Jack Quinlan*
Down the field in a trio of bumpers so easily passed over.

10 DIAMOND DUSTY (39) 65
8-8P 4 10-9 | 67.6kg



Linda Blackford *Bryan Carver*
Little encouragement in a brace of bumpers/novice hurdle.

11 HOT GODDESS (IRE) (168) 78
73-5 4 10-9 | 67.6kg



Martin Keighley *Daire McConville (71lb/3kg)*
Just modest form at best in a trio of bumpers and needs a big step forward now sent hurdling.

12 IRONED OUT (IRE) (10) 70
40 4 10-9 | 67.6kg



Evan Williams *Conor Ring*
Showed a bit from a less-than-ideal position when fourth of 9 in a Southwell bumper on debut in June but was held back by her jumping when well held at Stratford on recent hurdling bow.

13 LYLE VIEW (IRE) (23) 79
4 4 10-9 | 67.6kg



Neil Mulholland *Richie McLernon*
Runner-up on the last of 3 outings in points and showed a bit on Rules debut at Kelso earlier in the month but is probably one for a bit further down the line.

14 SCARLET (8) 70
7 4 10-9 | 67.6kg



Peter & Michael Bowen *Gavin Sheehan*
Little form on Flat and finished tailed off on last week's Ludlow hurdling bow. Up in trip.

14 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

6-5 Juventus De Brion, **15-8** Quebecois, **16-1** Murphy's Milan, **22-1** Maximum Effort, **25-1** Tom Taggle, **28-1** Outer Banks, **33-1** Lyle View, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

QUEBECOIS was possibly amiss when weakening quickly in the Champion Bumper at Cheltenham when last seen and remains a good prospect for jumping judged on his impressive debut success at Exeter. He's narrowly preferred to Juventus de Brion, who has already shown fairly useful form over hurdles and is sure to be opening his account before long.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. QUEBECOIS 2. JUVENTUS DE BRION 3. MURPHY'S MILAN

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 3

CAMBRIA CONSULTING - CIVIL AND STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 3yo+ (Rated 0-100) £6,150 2m11y (3230 Metres)**GBI RACING**Going: **Chase: Good to Soft; Hurdles: Soft**

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Pace Information: **Strong**

1 AFTA PARTY (IRE) (39) (D) b+t **97**
 178-67195 **6** 12-0 | 76.2kg
 Mark Gillard **Fergus Gillard**
 Returned to winning ways at Worcester (2m) in July. However, below form since in both codes and others make more appeal for all that the tongue strap is back on.



2 GLIMPSE OF GLORY (125) **99**
 32-27 **4** 11-13 | 75.7kg
 Jonjo & A.J. O'Neill **Jonjo O'Neill Jr.**
 Shaped with promise when placed in juvenile events at Wetherby and Market Rasen this spring. No match for the upwardly-mobile Mostly Sunny on handicap debut at Southwell (15.8f, soft) but that was a sound effort. Unable to back it up over 20f at Worcester last time and he's back in trip.



3 TIMEFORARUM (107) **96**
 4/777-6642 **6** 11-8 | 73.5kg
 Brian Eckley **Conor Ring**
 Fair form on first of three outings in bumpers. Looked a work in progress in his qualifying runs and while he failed to make much of a splash in a brace of handicaps, he seemed to excel himself when second back in maiden company in July.



4 COME ON NIA (133) (D) **95**
 06668-11 **5** 11-8 | 73.5kg
 Andrew Martin **James Martin (5lb/2kg)**
 Telescope mare who displayed improved form away from the mud when winning a brace of handicap in May/June. Off since but could easily resume her progress.




5 KAUTO KAWAI (FR) (164) h **85**
 29756-0 **4** 11-7 | 73.0kg
 Michael Blake **Harry Reed**
 Runner-up in a juvenile hurdle on debut/sole start for previous connections in France but failed to perform to that level in 5 runs for David Pipe.



6 IMPERIAL JADE (IRE) (193) (CD) **98**
 321/57607- **5** 11-7 | 73.0kg
 Charlie Longsdon **Lilly Pinchin**
 Progressed with each start over hurdles in 2022/23, ending the campaign with victory in a junior event at Chepstow (16.1f, good to soft). Last season was disappointing, however. Tongue tie removed having had a wind op.



7 DICKENS (IRE) (530) h **96**
 4853/4- **6** 11-3 | 71.2kg
 Alan King  **Tom Cannon**
 Fairly useful dual Flat winner. Yet to get near that level over hurdles, often proving too free. Off since May 2023 but he represents a successful stable.



8 BAIKAL (19) (D) s+t **96**
 781P-6839 **5** 11-3 | 71.2kg
 Grace Harris **Gavin Sheehan**
 Dual winner over hurdles for Adam West in 2023 but yet to get his head in front this year and low-key start for current stable.



9 VENTARA (341) (BF) **96**
 F54/24- **6** 11-3 | 71.2kg
 Joe Tizzard **Brendan Powell**
 Lightly-raced maiden who has made the frame in both handicap starts, latest when creditable fourth of 13 at Wincanton in November. Off since but yard going well ahead of return.




10 COTONEASTER (53) t **90**
 85/09F-2P **6** 11-2 | 70.8kg
 Ryan Potter **Robert Dunne**
 No show in 3 qualifying runs for Noel Williams but left that form behind on handicap bow for new connections at Uttoxeter (15.8f, good to firm) where she found just one too good in a 10-runner contest. Reportedly had irregular heartbeat when pulled up at Bangor.



11 LOVERDOSE (FR) (235) (D) s **100**
 9081- **5** 10-13 | 69.4kg
 Robert Walford **Harry Kimber**
 Won over 2m on the level in France in spring 2022. Well held in a trio of novice hurdles since returning from a long absence but landed a gamble fitted with cheekpieces on handicap debut at Exeter in March. Off since but type to progress further this season. Major shout.




12 LORD OF ALL SAINTS (FR) (199) h+t **98**
 4F46- **4** 10-12 | 68.9kg
 Harriet Dickinson **Bradley Harris (3lb/1kg)** 
 Fitted with a tongue tie and showed more despite beating only one home at Chepstow in April. Potential improver on handicap bow.



13 PILLAR ROCK (IRE) (53) (BF) **96**
 0768-4 **5** 10-12 | 68.9kg
 Dan Skelton **Harry Skelton**
 Low-key stuff in a bumper and a trio of novice hurdles to date but this half-brother to 3 winners represents a top yard and showed a bit more when fourth on handicap debut at Bangor last month. More to come.



14 EAGLE COURT (IRE) (22) h **88**
 978 **7** 10-11 | 68.5kg
 Michael Blake **Paul O'Brien** 
 Fair performer on Flat but no real impact over hurdles. Hopes rest on this switch to handicap company.



14 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 Loverdose, **5-1** Pillar Rock, **15-2** Come On Nia, **9-1** Ventara, **14-1** Glimpse of Glory, **16-1** Lord of All Saints, **16-1** Timeforarum, **18-1** Dickens, **20-1** Imperial Jade, **20-1** Cotoneaster, **22-1** Afta Party, **25-1** Eagle Court, **28-1** Baikal, **33-1** Kauto Kawai

TIMEFORM VIEW:

LOVERDOSE landed a punt on handicap debut fitted with cheekpieces at Exeter in the spring and from this low base, it would come as no surprise were he to pick up where he left off. Pillar Rock surely has more to come given the yard he represents so he's second choice, ahead of Come On Nia.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LOVERDOSE 2. PILLAR ROCK 3. COME ON NIA

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Ito Ditto 5-11-12	8-1	Nicky Martin	James Bowen	12
2022	Walkinth Woods 5-11-1	11-2	Evan Williams	Adam Wedge	16

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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COLOURFENCE NEWPORT FENCING GUARANTEED FOR 25YRS HANDICAP CHASE (4) 4yo+ (Rated 0-120) £8,900 3¼m54y (5280 Metres)


RACE 4





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Pace Information: **Even**


1 MAGICAL ESCAPE (IRE) (19) (C) s **98**
 5/02841-12 **6** 12-0 | 76.2kg
 **Kim Bailey** **Tom Bellamy**
 Resumed after a wind op with a promising second of 5 in handicap chase (9/4) at Exeter (24.2f, good) on his debut over fences 19 days ago, sticking to task. Can make his presence felt once more with better to come.


2 BELLS OF PETERBORO (IRE) (23) (C) ✓ **95**
 8441351-3 **9** 11-13 | 75.7kg
 **Tim Vaughan** **Alan Johns**
 Course winner in April who shaped encouragingly after 6 months off when third of 5 in handicap hurdle at Uttoxeter (23.3f, good to soft, 9/2) 23 days ago. Considered back in this sphere.


3 KING TURGEON (FR) (199) s+t ★ **100**
 4/215652B- **6** 11-12 | 75.3kg
 **David Pipe** **Harry Cobden**
 A fairly useful 3m chase winner but bought down 8th in handicap chase here (23.6f, good to soft) final run in April. Since had a wind op and not ruled out with cheekpieces back on for his return.


4 SPORTING ACE (IRE) (249) (C) **97**
 224/71622- **8** 11-11 | 74.8kg
 **Neil King** **Jack Quinlan**
 Course winner in December but off 8 months since a good second of 4 in handicap chase at Exeter (24.2f, heavy). Needs to hit the ground running on his comeback.

5 WELL DICK (IRE) (212) **98**
 2141/PP1P- **7** 11-9 | 73.9kg
 **Emma Lavelle** **Adam Wedge**
 Scored at Warwick in March but pulled up in handicap chase at Ffos Las (28f, heavy) 7 months ago on his final run for Charlie Longsdon. Still merits consideration for his new handler after breathing surgery.

6 AJP KINGDOM (IRE) (19) s **97**
 2PP-P2534 **7** 11-9 | 73.9kg
 **Fergal O'Brien** **Tom Broughton (5lb/2kg)**
 Fairly useful hurdler/chaser. Only fourth of 5 in handicap chase (7/1) at Exeter (24.2f, good) 19 days ago. Cheekpieces are reached for now.


7 SILVER IN DISGUISE (23) (CD) s+t ✓ **98**
 3P5541-35 **10** 11-9 | 73.9kg
 **Tim Vaughan** **Mr Edward Vaughan (7lb/3kg)**
 C&D winner in April. Off 5 months before an encouraging fifth of 10 in handicap chase at Kelso (26.2f, good to soft) 23 days ago. Ought to be thereabouts with that run under his belt.


8 ANIMAL (IRE) (190) **98**
 14/213257- **8** 11-9 | 73.9kg
 **Suzy Smith** **Gavin Sheehan**
 Scored at Sandown in December but ended last season below par, seventh of 9 in handicap chase at Ffos Las (25.3f, good to soft) final run. Needs to bounce back.


9 LEISSIERES EXPRESS (222) (C) **95**
 8P/231U31- **7** 11-8 | 73.5kg
 **Jeremy Scott** **Lorcan Williams**
 Ended last season on the up with a stylish success in 6-runner handicap chase here (30.6f, soft) 7 months ago. Much respected on his return despite a 9 lb weights hike.

10 DUBLIN FOUR (IRE) (35) (C) t **97**
 35F/76586 **10** 11-7 | 73.0kg
 **David Killahena & Graeme McPherson** **Nick Slatter (3lb/1kg)**
 Course winner but he arrives well below par, sixth of 8 in handicap hurdle at Warwick (26f, good) 35 days ago. Has it to prove back over fences.


11 BETTERFOREVERYONE (195) v **98**
 5F6/3F219- **7** 11-6 | 72.6kg
 **Alan King** **Tom Cannon**
 Got off the mark over fences at Doncaster in February and failed to stay when ninth of 16 in handicap chase at Cheltenham (28.1f) in April. One to consider on his return with yard going well.


12 ANOTHER MILLION (IRE) (26) **96**
 063081/8-4 **7** 11-5 | 72.1kg
 **Lydia Richards** **Marc Goldstein**
 A fair 21f chase winner for Denis Leahy. Made a promising start for his new yard after 11 months off when fourth of 8 in handicap chase at Warwick (20f, good, 12/1) 26 days ago. Can make his presence felt.

13 KALOOKI (GER) (101) **46**
 P66/P-60 **10** 11-4 | 71.7kg
 **Christian Williams** **Robert Dunne**
 Winless since 2021 and he came in last of 11 in handicap chase at Cartmel (21.2f, good to firm) 101 days ago. Back up in trip with work to do.

14 MUMFORD'S MAGIC (IRE) (22) **99**
 633248-2 **6** 11-4 | 71.7kg
 **Dan Skelton** **Harry Skelton**
 A fair maiden hurdler who advanced his form when second of 5 in handicap chase (2/1) at Stratford (22.6f, good to soft) on his debut over fences 22 days ago. Big shout with more to come.

15 IBERIO (GER) (226) **95**
 214/47R3U- **7** 11-2 | 70.8kg
 **Joe Tizzard** **Brendan Powell**
 A fair 3m winner over hurdles but yet to score in this sphere and running below form when unseated rider 4 out in handicap chase here (23.6f, heavy) on his final run for Philip Hobbs & Johnson White. Still needs considering starting out for a yard among the winners.

16 GINGERBRED (195) **96**
 55641223- **6** 11-0 | 69.9kg
 **Philip Hobbs & Johnson White** **Micheal Nolan**
 Opened his chase account at Ffos Las in February and ended last term with a creditable third of 16 in handicap chase at Cheltenham (28.1f, good) in April. Shortlisted on his reappearance.

17 IN REM (FR) (13) (D) s **97**
 P/25P35-6F **9** 10-13 | 69.4kg
 **Mrs Jane Williams** **David Noonan**
 On a losing run and tried in blinkers when fell 1st in handicap chase at Worcester (23f, heavy) 13 days ago. Cheekpieces back on now with more needed.

17 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-1 Mumford's Magic, **11-2** Magical Escape, **11-1** King Turgeon, **12-1** Leissieres Express, **14-1** Sporting Ace, **14-1** Iberio, **16-1** Bells of Peterboro, **18-1** Another Million, **18-1** Gingerbred, **20-1** Well Dick, **22-1** Betterforeveryone, **25-1** Animal, **25-1** Ajp Kingdom, **33-1** Silver In Disguise, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Lots with chances but Dan Skelton's lightly-raced MUMFORD'S MAGIC is taken to build on his promising Stratford debut chasing second and get off the mark. Kim Bailey's Exeter runner-up Magical Escape also has better days ahead of him and is feared most, although a solid case can be made for King Turgeon, Iberio and Betterforeveryone too in this cracking handicap chase.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. MUMFORD'S MAGIC 2. MAGICAL ESCAPE 3. KING TURGEON

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Eceparti 9-10-5	15-2	Venetia Williams	Ned Fox (5)	11
2022	Manothepeople 7-11-10	5-2jf	Fergal O'Brien	Paddy Brennan	6
2021	Young Offender 6-11-7	15-2	Stuart Edmunds	Charlie Hammond	6
2020	Wayfinder 6-11-3	6-5f	Rebecca Curtis	James Bowen	6
2019	La Causa Nostra 7-11-0	16-1	Neil Mulholland	Robert Dunne	12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 5

COLOURFENCE NEWPORT LOW MAINTENANCE FENCING HANDICAP CHASE (3) 4yo+ (Rated 0-130) £11,700 2m3f98y (3910 Metres)




Going: **Chase: Good to Soft; Hurdles: Soft**


Chepstow is a left-handed, undulating, oval course, nearly two miles around with eleven fences to a circuit, a five-furlong home straight and a run-in of 250 yards. Conditions can be very testing. With five fences in the straight, the first part of which is downhill, front runners - or those leading into the straight - do well here, especially over shorter distances, and the fences don't claim the number of casualties that might be expected.

Pace Information: **Strong**


1 DO YOUR JOB (IRE) (195) (D) t **98**
 5/7891830- **10** 12-0 | 76.2kg

 **Charlie Longsdon** *Lilly Pinchin*
 Grade 2 winner as a novice. Low-key start to last season but back on scoresheet at Wetherby (19.4f, heavy) on Boxing Day. However, just the one decent effort from 3 starts for this yard since and opposable on balance.


2 EATON COLLINA (IRE) (243) (CD) ✓ **99**
 112/P3511- **9** 11-11 | 74.8kg

 **Kerry Lee** *Richard Patrick*
 Likeable sort who ran out a ready winner at Wetherby (19.4f) in February and battled well to edge a tight finish from 7 lb higher mark back at that venue later that month. Handicapper applies a little more pressure but not discounted in hat-trick bid on return.


3 HITITI (FR) (227) (D) s+t **87**
 111/42220- **7** 11-11 | 74.8kg

 **Robert Walford** *Harry Kimber*
 Likeable sort who took a step forward when last seen over fences 22 months ago and open to significant improvement back in this sphere given his subsequent exploits over hurdles. Interesting in first-time headgear.


4 CAN YOU CALL (234) (D) t ★ **100**
 2194/2332- **9** 11-9 | 73.9kg

 **Evan Williams** *Adam Wedge*
 Hurdles/chase scorer who produced 3 good placed efforts on 3 of his 4 starts last term, including when second off this mark in this race on return. Can go well again.


5 CLASSIC KING (IRE) (11) **99**
 2/1222F2-U **6** 11-9 | 73.9kg

 **Emma Lavelle** *Tom Bellamy*
 Made a winning start over hurdles at Wincanton (15.2f) on return last season and even better form when runner-up next 4 of 5 starts. Not the most fluent of jumpers over hurdles so no surprise he failed to get round at Uttoxeter on chase bow.


6 NOCTE VOLATUS (178) (D) t **98**
 42/23346-1 **9** 11-8 | 73.5kg

 **Tom Lacey** *Ned Fox (5lb/2kg)*
 Took advantage of a drop in the weights and the additional benefit of a useful 7 lb claimer to score for the first time in over 2 years at Uttoxeter in May. Warrants respect but will find this harder.


7 STORMY FLIGHT (IRE) (178) (D) s **98**
 U/436131-F **10** 11-8 | 73.5kg

 **Jeremy Scott** *Lorcan Williams*
 Gradually worked his way back to form last season, scoring twice at Exeter. Shaped as if still in form until succumbing to a rare jumping lapse at Uttoxeter next time. May need this after 6 months off.

8 RANGE (IRE) (227) (C, D, BF) **99**
 235/2154- **7** 11-7 | 73.0kg

 **Sam Thomas** *Dylan Johnston (3lb/1kg)*
 Fair form in bumpers last season and got off the mark in 2m3f maiden hurdle here in December. Failed to advance his form in 2 starts since but sent chasing after break for yard typically forward this autumn.


9 OPENING BID (19) (D) s **99**
 724P5351 **9** 11-6 | 72.6kg

 **Chris Down** *Bryan Carver*
 Taken well to cheekpieces of late, justifying good support in 5-runner handicap at Exeter 19 days ago, well on top finish. Not taken lightly.

10 NOTHIN TO ASK (IRE) (121) (CD) t **92**
 2F/9P52-68 **9** 11-6 | 72.6kg

 **Fergal O'Brien** *Liam Harrison*
 Returned to form when close second of 12 in handicap hurdle at Southwell (20.4f, good) in April. Never really involved next 2 starts but back over fences now and he did win this race on his comeback 2 years ago.

11 THOR DE CERISY (FR) (213) (CD) s+t **97**
 4/745F11P- **10** 11-5 | 72.1kg

 **Neil Mulholland** *Richie McLernon*
 Has improved with each run for current yard and gained compensation for a late fall at Uttoxeter in January when bolting up over C&D in February. Left with a simple task when following up there following month but his weak-finishing ways resurfaced in a more demanding race at Haydock since.


12 SAGEBURG COUNTY (IRE) (156) (CD) t **99**
 1P18231-5 **7** 11-5 | 72.1kg

 **Warren Greatrex** *Paul O'Brien*
 Three-time winner over fences last season, including over this C&D in April. Ran poorly at Uttoxeter following month but he's prone to the odd stinker so expected to bounce back.

13 GYENYAME (195) (D) **99**
 14/224350- **6** 11-2 | 70.8kg

 **Joe Tizzard** *Brendan Powell*
 Fairly useful Flat/hurdles winner who posted some good efforts in defeat last season. Has the size to make a chaser but likely to be better for the run.

14 THEFORMISMIGHTY (193) t **99**
 53614- **7** 11-2 | 70.8kg

 **Dan Skelton** *Harry Skelton*
 Expensive point winner who got of the mark at the fourth attempt over hurdles when easily winning 6-runner maiden at Market Rasen (20.6f, soft) in March. Creditable fourth on handicap bow at Ayr following month and is an interesting chasing debutant.

14 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

8-1 Can You Call, **8-1** Theformismighty, **9-1** Hititi, **11-1** Opening Bid, **12-1** Eaton Collina, **12-1** Nothin To Ask, **14-1** Nocte Volatus, **14-1** Range, **16-1** Sageburg County, **16-1** Stormy Flight, **16-1** Thor De Cerisy, **16-1** Classic King, **20-1** Do Your Job, **22-1** Gyenyame

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Plenty to consider but it could be worth chancing expensive point-winner THEFORMISMIGHTY, whose yard won this last year with a chasing debutant. Can You Call pulled clear of the rest when second in this 12 months ago and can go well again, while Hititi is potentially well handicapped back in this sphere given his exploits over hurdles.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. THEFORMISMIGHTY 2. CAN YOU CALL 3. HITITI

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	The King of Ryhope	7-11-13	5-1	Dan Skelton	Harry Skelton	11
2022	Nothin To Ask	7-10-8	10-3	Fergal O'Brien	Paddy Brennan	6

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 6

**COLOURFENCE NEWPORT FREE NO OBLIGATION QUOTE
HANDICAP HURDLE (5) 3yo+ (Rated 0-105) £6,150
2m3f100y (3910 Metres)**



Going: **Chase: Good to Soft; Hurdles: Soft**

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Pace Information: **Strong**

1	MANOWEST (IRE) (43)	94
	253 6 12-0 76.2kg Olly Murphy Lewis Saunders (71b/3kg) Point winner who has shown ability all 3 runs in 2m Worcester maiden hurdles, most recently finishing third to an odds-on shot with subsequent winner Ballytechno 3 lengths ahead in second. Opening mark no gift but improvement is certainly possible now upped in trip for this handicap debut.	
2	CHATSHOW TV (IRE) (215)	99
	34449- 6 11-13 75.7kg Warren Greatrex D. P. Davis (71b/3kg) Runner-up sole start in points and encouraging Rules debut when third behind a couple of useful types in 19f Warwick novice (heavy) last November. However, well held both starts since switched to handicaps and he needs to get back on track.	
3	SIAM PARK (IRE) (193)	100
	4368- 5 11-13 75.7kg Joe Tizzard Brendan Powell Plenty of promise in 15f Wincanton maidens on first 2 starts under Rules. Suffered a heavy defeat upped to 19.2f on handicap debut at Fontwell when last seen in April but since undergone a wind op and it's still early days for this 5-y-o.	
4	IMPECUNIOUS (IRE) (162)	94
	85-23 5 11-13 75.7kg Chris Down Bryan Carver Runner-up sole outing in point bumper and while he made a low-key start under Rules, improvement was evident when placed in a Stratford maiden and Newton Abbot novice (both at around 2m on good/good to firm) in May. Possible he'll be seen in a better light now upped in trip for this handicap debut.	
5	HOLLY HARTINGO (IRE) (95)	94
	3/P35PP-55 8 11-12 75.3kg Alastair Ralph Jonathan Burke Stepped up on reappearance when fifth of 14 in handicap hurdle at Uttoxeter (23.3f, good) on latest start in July. Has edged down to an attractive mark and will likely capitalise before long, provided she builds on that effort.	
6	MOURZOUK (IRE) (15) (D)	97
	1/0P-54046 7 11-12 75.3kg Tim Vaughan Alan Johns Now 12 lb below last winning mark but it's been well over 2 years since that latest success and it's been more a case of miss than hit in 5 starts so far this year.	
7	SOLAR SYSTEM (FR) (175) (BF)	98
	7/4431-5 5 11-10 74.4kg Philip Hobbs & Johnson White Micheal Nolan Has improved since switched to handicaps, third at Taunton in March prior to opening his account in good style with a hood enlisted at Fontwell (17.7f, good to firm) a month later. No further progress when fifth of 11 at Southwell when last seen but this lightly-raced 5-y-o remains of interest	
8	DRASH ON RUBY (568)	97
	3232/ 8 11-8 73.5kg Jeremy Scott Lorcan Williams Performed with credit all 4 starts during 2022/23 campaign, signing that season off by finishing second off a 3 lb lower mark over this C&D (good to soft). Missed whole of last term, though, and this maiden (0-10 in thos sphere) is entitled to come on for the run.	
9	WOT YOU WEARING (IRE) (15) (CD)	97
	5311227-2 7 11-8 73.5kg Robert Stephens Ciaran Gethings Back-to-back C&D winner last November and very encouraging start to present campaign when just touched off in a 25.5f Hereford handicap (good) 15 days ago. Couldn't grumble with a 3 lb nudge for that near-miss and he's a key player back down in trip here. Cheekpieces refitted.	
10	LERMOOS LEGEND (13) (D)	96
	62243337 9 11-6 72.6kg Peter & Michael Bowen Gavin Sheehan Six-time winner over fences but he's failed to trouble the judge in half-a-dozen appearances in this sphere and it's probably best to look elsewhere, for all that the handicapper has given him a chance.	

11	WALKINTHEWOODS (IRE) (175) (C)	97
	552248-0 7 11-6 72.6kg Evan Williams Isabel Williams (31b/1kg) Successful over 2m here in October 2022 and runner-up 3 times in handicap chases last season. Badly out of sorts when last seen during the spring but he's on a workable mark and would be danger to all if able to bounce back following a wind op. Yard also saddles Winds of Fire.	
12	AN CAILIN CIUIN (IRE) (26)	89
	6853-44 6 11-6 72.6kg Henrietta C Knight Paul O'Brien Lightly-raced maiden hurdler who posted arguably her best effort yet when fourth in 10-runner mares' maiden at Warwick (21f, good) earlier this month. Improvement by no means out of the question now that she ventures down the handicap route but a significant step forward is certainly needed.	
13	WINDS OF FIRE (USA) (58) (D)	96
	97P27/P17 9 11-2 70.8kg Evan Williams Adam Wedge Took advantage of drop in the weights when narrowly taking a 9-runner handicap hurdle at Uttoxeter (21/2m, soft) in July, holding on gamely. However, he checked out rather tamely at Worcester last time and now tried in blinkers, which he previously sported on one occasion on the Flat.	
14	COMPLETE FANTASY (IRE) (149)	96
	086/50-8 7 11-0 69.9kg Chris Honour Alice Stevens (51b/2kg) Modest maiden hurdler in Ireland and there were very few positives to take from his debut effort for new connections at Fakenham in June. Blinkers refitted.	
15	JESSMAE (IRE) (505)	77
	44- 7 10-7 66.7kg Henry Oliver James Davies Successful just once from 8 starts between the flags and while he showed more than on Rules debut when fourth of 12 in a Southwell maiden back in June 2023, his subsequent absence is naturally a concern ahead of this handicap bow.	

15 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 Wot You Wearing, 7-1 Manowest, 15-2 Solar System, 10-1 Siam Park, 12-1 Impecunious, 14-1 Chatshow Tv, 14-1 Walkinthewoods, 16-1 Holly Hartingo, 18-1 Drash On Ruby, 20-1 Mourzouk, 20-1 An Cailin Ciuin, 22-1 Lermoos Legend, 28-1 Winds of Fire, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

The one who appeals most is WOT YOU WEARING, who is 2-2 over this C&D and he pulled well clear of the rest when going down narrowly to an in-form, race-fit rival on his recent seasonal reappearance at Hereford. Siam Park ended last season on a downer but he has low mileage and remains of interest. Solar System is also shortlisted, along with handicap-debutant Manowest.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. WOT YOU WEARING 2. SIAM PARK 3. SOLAR SYSTEM

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023	Madaket 5-11-7	6-1	Philip Hobbs & Johnson White	Micheal Nolan	12
2022	Olympic Honour 6-11-4	9-2	Evan Williams	Isabel Williams (3)	17
2021	Bourbali 4-11-6	12-1	Colin Tizzard	Brendan Powell	17
2020	Lamanver Bel Ami 6-11-4	10-1	Jack R. Barber	Nick Scholfield	13
2019	Guardia Top 3-10-5	9-4f	Nigel Hawke	Sean Bowen	17

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 7

COLOURFENCE NEWPORT FOR GATES AND SHEDS OPEN NATIONAL HUNT FLAT (5) 4 and 5yo £4,500 2m11y (3230 Metres)




Going: **Chase: Good to Soft; Hurdles: Soft**


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Pace Information: **Insufficient Data**


1 ALLSTITCHEDUP t **93**
5 11-0 | 69.9kg

 David Pipe *David Noonan*
 €36,000 3-y-o, Telescope gelding. Half-brother to 6 winners, including bumper winner/fairly useful hurdler *Finest View* and fairly useful hurdler/chaser *Can You Call*. Awarded race sole outing in points in February. Wears tongue strap.


2 THE FINAL WORD (IRE) ★ **100**
5 11-0 | 69.9kg

 Paul Nicholls *Harry Cobden*
 £70,000 purchase after winning a point in February and transferred to a leading stable, so clearly has to be of interest.


3 UNLEASH THE BEAST (IRE) **95**
5 11-0 | 69.9kg

 Fergal O'Brien *Jonathan Burke*
 €50,000 3-y-o, Malinas gelding. Half-brother to 4 winners, including fairly useful hurdler/very smart chaser *Cloth Cap*, stayed 4m, and useful hurdler *Liosduin Bhearna*. Makes plenty of appeal on paper.


4 A PAI DE NOM **98**
4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Dan Skelton *Harry Skelton*
 €50,000 3-y-o, Passing Glance gelding. Dam (c117/h116), 21f/3m hurdle winner, sister to useful hurdler (stays 2½m) *West Cork*. Stable's first-timers usually supported.


5 ATLANTIC POWER (IRE) **91**
4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Richenda Ford *Richie McLernon*
 €26,000 3-y-o, €25,000 4-y-o. Second foal, dam fair but temperamental 2m chase winner. Placed on last of 3 starts in Irish points (Apr 27).

6 C'EST DIFFERENT (FR) **95**
4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Sam Thomas *Dylan Johnston (31b/1kg)*
 Manatee gelding. Half-brother to 6f-1m winner *Avrilomanoir*. Dam 11.5f-1¾m winner.


7 CINQUENTA (FR) **96**
4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Jamie Snowden *Gavin Sheehan*
 €65,000 3-y-o, Cokoriko gelding. Dam made frame sole start over hurdles in France. One to note on debut.


8 RUPERT'S WISH (IRE) (201) **93**
4- 4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Joe Tizzard *Brendan Powell*
 €40,000 3-y-o, Walk In The Park gelding. Half-brother to bumper winner/fair hurdler *Westerbee*. Dam unraced half-sister to fairly useful hurdler/useful chaser (stayed 3m) *Father Matt*. Bred to stay well and shaped that way when fourth of 8 at Taunton in April. That sets a modest standard.


9 SOBER GLORY (IRE) **96**
4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Philip Hobbs & Johnson White *Micheal Nolan*
 £110,000 4-y-o, third foal, dam, unraced, closely related to very smart hurdler/smart chaser (stayed 3m) *Fingal Bay*. Won sole start in Irish points in May and transferred to an in-form stable.

10 SOUL LIMBO (IRE) **94**
4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Harry Fry *Bryan Carver*
 Wings of Eagles gelding. Dam unraced half-sister to useful hurdler (stayed 21f) *Gerdago*. Stable can boast a good record in bumpers.

11 WILLOW CAUGHT (IRE) (192) **75**
8- 4 10-13 | 69.4kg

 Chris Down *Ben Bromley (51b/2kg)*
 Sent off 33/1 and merely passed beaten rivals when eighth of 12 in bumper at Bangor (16.7f, soft) on debut in April.

12 SUZY WOOD **75**
5 10-7 | 66.7kg

 Andy Irvine *Niall Houlihan*
 First foal of a dual point winner.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 The Final Word, **11-2** A Pai De Nom, **15-2** Sober Glory, **8-1** Cinquenta, **17-2** Unleash The Beast, **9-1** C'est Different, **12-1** Soul Limbo, **14-1** Allstitchedup, **18-1** Rupert's Wish, **33-1** Atlantic Power, **100-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Lots of depth to this bumper given the yards involved. A PAI DE NOM is related to a useful winner for the Skelton team and before market clues, is offered on debut. Sober Glory and The Final Word fetched plenty after point wins and are just a couple of potential dangers.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. A PAI DE NOM 2. SOBER GLORY 3. THE FINAL WORD

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023 **Captain Bellamy** 4-10-13 5-4f Paul Nicholls Harry Cobden 16

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race