

Wednesday 30th October

# NOTTINGHAM



<b>1.05</b>	EBF STALLIONS GOLDEN HORN MAIDEN STAKES (4) 1m75y (1680 Metres)
RACE 1	<b>(5) OPPORTUNITY   (2) EL MATADOR   (4) LOVE BEACH</b>
<b>1.35</b>	2025 FIXTURES ON SALE NOW HANDICAP (4) 1m75y (1680 Metres)
RACE 2	<b>(1) DASHING ROGER   (3) ASTEVERDI   (5) SHALADAR</b>
<b>2.08</b>	ROBIN HOOD STAKES (Listed) (1) 1m75y (1680 Metres)
RACE 3	<b>(2) GREY'S MONUMENT   (4) QIRAT   (3) SPARKS FLY</b>
<b>2.38</b>	EXPERIENCE HOSPITALITY AT NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE NOVICE STAKES (4) 1¾m (2820 Metres)
RACE 4	<b>(1) FIREBLADE   (4) FAIFA   (7) VOLAKES</b>
<b>3.08</b>	ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS AT NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE HANDICAP (3) 5f8y (1010 Metres)
RACE 5	<b>(1) MAKANAH   (4) BLIND BEGGAR   (6) FANTASY MASTER</b>
<b>3.38</b>	COME RACING 6th NOVEMBER HANDICAP (5) 5f8y (1010 Metres)
RACE 6	<b>(7) COLLUSION   (1) SMOOTH SILESIE   (2) ALBEGONE</b>
<b>4.08</b>	AJA AMATEUR JOCKEYS' HANDICAP (6) 1¼m50y (2060 Metres)
RACE 7	<b>(2) ISLE OF WOLVES   (5) FRENCH MARTINI   (8) DOGGED</b>

## KEY TO SYMBOLS

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

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

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

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

**1.05**

RACE 1

**EBF STALLIONS GOLDEN HORN MAIDEN STAKES (4) 2yo colts and geldings £8,000 1m75y (1680 Metres)**



Going: **Soft (Heavy in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

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

**1 6 BLUE TEMPUS (FR) (27) 79**  
56 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



Alan King  
Looks one for handicaps after this run.

*Rossa Ryan*

**2 3 EL MATADOR (IRE) 93**  
**2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



Ralph Beckett  
Foaled May 25. 140,000 gns yearling, Lope De Vega colt. Half-brother to several winners, including smart/ungenuine winner up to 7f Snazzy Jazzy, useful 5.5f-7f winner Ross Castle. Dam unraced. Yard going extremely well with its 2-y-os.

*Hector Crouch*

**3 8 FALCONER 87**  
**2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



Andrew Balding  
Foaled March 12. New Bay colt. Closely related to 1¼m winner Lyric and half-brother to 9.5f winner Queen Charlotte and 11f winner Pretending, also winning hurdler. Dam 1½m winner.

*Callum Hutchinson*

**4 2 LOVE BEACH (IRE) (21) 90**  
4 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



James Fanshawe  
New Bay colt who offered something to work on when fourth of 8 in a C&D novice (heavy) on debut 21 days ago, nearest finish. Open to improvement.

*Ross Coakley*

**5 1 OPPORTUNITY 100**  
**2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



William Haggas  
Foaled April 14. 475,000 gns yearling, Frankel colt. Brother to useful 1m-1½m winner Zagato and half-brother to several winners, including winner up to 7f Dreamfield. Dam 9f-10.5f winner. Lots to like on paper.

*Clifford Lee*

**6 9 RIDGEMASTER (IRE) (20) 83**  
5 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



Hugo Palmer  
Offered little when fifth of 7 in novice at Ayr (8f, good) on debut 20 days ago, merely passing beaten rivals.

*Paul Mulrennan*

**7 5 ROMAN BAR 79**  
**2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



Lisa Williamson  
Foaled May 4. Massaat gelding. Dam 2-y-o 6f winner.

*Lewis Edmunds*

**8 4 WISH OUT LOUD (IRE) 84**  
**2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



Adrian Wintle  
Foaled March 8. €44,000 foal, €55,000 yearling, Saxon Warrior gelding. Half-brother to several winners, including 7f/1m winner True To Herself and 1¼m-1½m winner Absolute Queen.

*Millie Wonnacott (5lb/2kg)*

**9 7 ZOLDER 86**  
**2 9-2 | 58.1kg**



James Fanshawe  
Foaled February 20. New Bay gelding. Dam, 5.7f/6f winner, closely related to useful winner up to 7f Maxi Boy.

*John Egan*

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**7-4** Opportunity, **7-2** El Matador, **11-2** Love Beach, **9-1** Falconer, **10-1** Zolder, **25-1** Wish Out Loud, **33-1** Ridgester, **50-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

OPPORTUNITY is bred in the purple and gets the nod to make a winning debut before market clues. El Matador is another debutant to note hailing from the thriving Beckett stable, while Love Beach was getting the hangs of things late on his debut over C&D 3 weeks ago and is likely to improve.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. OPPORTUNITY 2. EL MATADOR 3. LOVE BEACH**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2022	<b>Laafi</b> 2-9-2	15-8f	William Haggas	Cieren Fallon	10
2021	<b>Island Falcon</b> 2-9-0	11-4f	Saeed bin Suroor	Pat Cosgrave	16
2020	<b>Adayar</b> 2-9-0	3-1	Charlie Appleby	William Buick	14
2019	<b>Tremor</b> 2-9-0	50-1	Alan King	Tom Queally	10

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

1.35

2025 FIXTURES ON SALE NOW HANDICAP (4) 3yo+ (Rated 0-82) £10,500 1m75y (1680 Metres)

RACE 2



Going: **Soft (Heavy in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

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

**1 3 DASHING ROGER (26) (CD)** **100**  
711-70500 7 10-0 | 63.5kg

William Stone **Kieran Shoemark**  
C&D winner. 28/1, tenth of 11 in minor event at Ascot (8f, good to soft) 26 days ago, slowly away. Came good around this time last year and is on a winning mark.

**2 1 LET'S DREAM (173)** **90**  
7312-40 3 9-9 | 61.2kg

Michael Bell **Hayley Turner**  
20/1, last of 11 in handicap at Ascot (8f, good). Off 173 days. Others have achieved more.

**3 4 ASTEVERDI (17) (D)** s **92**  
6-2710373 3 9-7 | 60.3kg

Alice Haynes **Rossa Ryan**  
Latest win at Sandown in June. 13/2 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, creditable third of 9 in handicap at Goodwood (8f, heavy) 17 days ago. Solid claims.

**4 6 DOUBLE TIME (17) (D)** h **93**  
24188468 6 9-5 | 59.4kg

Sir Mark Todd **Taylor Fisher (3lb/1kg)**  
Quirky sort. Latest win at Goodwood in June. Eighth of 9 in handicap at Goodwood (8f, heavy, 11/1) 17 days ago. Others preferred.

**5 2 SHALADAR (FR) (15) (D)** s **97**  
05744237 5 9-5 | 59.4kg

Kevin Ryan **Tom Eaves**  
Twenty one runs since last win in 2022. Seventh of 9 in handicap at Newcastle (8f, 9/2) 15 days ago, not ideally placed. Should be on the premises having dropped 2 lb.

**6 5 TEMPER TRAP (6) (D, BF)** t **98**  
64222114 7 8-7 | 54.0kg

Tim Easterby **James Sullivan**  
Latest win at Redcar in October. Below form fourth of 12 in handicap (5/2) at this C&D (heavy) 6 days ago. Could get back on track quickly.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

2-1 Asteverdi, 3-1 Shaladar, 5-1 Dashing Roger, 11-2 Temper Trap, 11-1 Double Time, 22-1 Let's Dream

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

DASHING ROGER hasn't been firing but goes well in these conditions and came good around the same time last year, so he's worth a chance to capitalise on a mark that has slipped. Asteverdi and Shaladar should both give their running, so they're obvious dangers.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

1. DASHING ROGER 2. ASTEVERDI 3. SHALADAR

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2022	Poet's Dawn 7-9-2	14-1	Tim Easterby	David Allan	9
2021	Rogue Bear 3-9-7	7-4f	Tom Clover	David Egan	11
	Hot Chesnut 3-8-7	12-1	Dean Ivory	David Probert	11
2020	Mustarrid 6-9-7	4-1	Ian Williams	Paul Hanagan	10
2019	Mustarrid 5-9-10	11-4	Ian Williams	Paul Hanagan	7

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**2.08**

**ROBIN HOOD STAKES (Listed) (1) 3yo+ £45,000 1m75y (1680 Metres)**

RACE 3



Going: **Soft (Heavy in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

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

**1 1 AL MUBHIR (18) (D)** t **98**  
6-2631438 5 9-7 | 60.3kg



**William Haggas** *Clifford Lee*  
Consistent type who made the breakthrough at listed level at Sandown (1¼m) in July. Similar form when finishing close-up in pair of Group 3s subsequently but latest Newmarket run disappointing. Bounce back needed.

**2 5 GREY'S MONUMENT (25) (D)** **100**  
231-30311 4 9-7 | 60.3kg



**Ralph Beckett** *Rossa Ryan*  
Smart performer who has been better than ever this autumn, defying a mark of 105 in an Ascot handicap before seeing off Northern Express in a Redcar listed race (both 7f). Has also won a listed event over this trip. Leading claims.

**3 4 SPARKS FLY (26) (D)** **95**  
9116-5571 4 9-2 | 58.1kg



**David Loughnane** *Laura Pearson*  
Won 8 times in a remarkable 2023 campaign and underlined how effective she is on testing ground when making all in a French listed race earlier this month. Ought to give another good account with conditions to suit.

**4 3 QIRAT (25) (BF)** **97**  
312-16512 3 9-1 | 57.6kg



**Ralph Beckett** *Hector Crouch*  
Has landed 2 good prizes over 7f at Goodwood this year. Bumped into another progressive 3-y-o when second of 18 in the Challenge Cup at Ascot (7f, good) 25 days ago. Shapes as if he'll be equally effective at 1m. Can make his presence felt in class.

**5 6 CANOODLED (IRE) (39) (D)** **89**  
9-0700517 6 8-13 | 56.7kg



**Ed Walker** *Ross Coakley*  
Suited by a step up to 1¼m when landing a big-field handicap at York Ebor meeting but was back to her slow-starting ways when only seventh of 9 in handicap at Newbury (1¼m, soft) last month. Has a bit to find at this level.

**6 2 MISS CANTIK (FR) (10) (D)** t **98**  
620-13063 4 8-13 | 56.7kg



**Amy Murphy** *Frederick Larson*  
Ploughed through the mud to land a 1m Leicester handicap in April. Close third of 9 in 1m Longchamp listed race (9f, heavy) 10 days ago. Regular hood not on this time. Ought to be on the premises.

**7 7 TIMES EDITION (12) (D)** **86**  
324-6221d1 3 8-10 | 55.3kg



**Roger Varian** *Jack Mitchell*  
Pretty useful performer who made it ninth time lucky when easily making all in 1m Redcar novice 12 days ago. The switch to forcing tactics looked to really suit her but it'll be a lot harder to dominate this opposition.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**2-1** Grey's Monument, **5-1** Qirat, **6-1** Miss Cantik, **6-1** Al Mubhir, **6-1** Sparks Fly, **12-1** Times Edition, **33-1** Canoodled

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

Ralph Beckett looks to hold the key to this listed race, with GREYS MONUMENT taken to land a third win at this level at the expense of stablemate Qirat. Sparks Fly is another who knows what it takes to win in listed company and should also have a say on ground which suits her so well.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. GREY'S MONUMENT 2. QIRAT 3. SPARKS FLY**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2021 <b>Zakouski</b> 5-9-2	11-8f Charlie Appleby	William Buick	9
2020 <b>Zakouski</b> 4-9-2	10-3f Charlie Appleby	William Buick	8
2019 <b>Roseman</b> 3-9-0	4-1 Roger Varian	Andrea Atzeni	7

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**2.38**

**EXPERIENCE HOSPITALITY AT NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE  
NOVICE STAKES (4) 3yo+ £8,500 1¾m (2820 Metres)**

RACE 4



Going: **Soft (Heavy in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

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

**1 3 FIREBLADE (26) 88**  
52 3 9-7 | 60.3kg



John & Thady Gosden **Kieran Shoemark**  
Twice-raced maiden. Improved when second of 6 in novice at Ascot (12f, soft, 9/4) 26 days ago. Potential there to make a useful stayer in time and he seems sure to go well up in trip.

**2 7 MR HAMPSTEAD (USA) (133) 97**  
2-4300 3 9-7 | 60.3kg



Raphael Freire **Rossa Ryan**  
Lightly-raced maiden. Well-beaten tenth of 11 to Illinois in Queen's Vase at Royal Ascot (14.2f, good to firm, 125/1) 133 days ago. Down markedly in class on return.

**3 1 RAINED OFF (49) 18**  
00 3 9-7 | 60.3kg



Mark Walford **David Allan**  
Twice-raced maiden. Last of 14 in maiden at Carlisle (11.2f, good to soft, 200/1) 49 days ago. Up in trip.

**4 2 FAIFA (IRE) (28) 100**  
4934 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



John & Thady Gosden **Benoit de la Sayette**  
Lightly-raced maiden. 7/2, respectable fourth of 14 in maiden at Kempton (11f) 28 days ago. Up in trip. Shortlist material.

**5 6 GAMES PEOPLE PLAY (IRE) (31) 91**  
34-36925 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Ralph Beckett **Hector Crouch**  
Fair filly. 9/4 and blinkered for 1st time, fifth of 7 in novice at Epsom (10.1f, soft) 31 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Significantly back up in trip. Visor on 1st time.

**6 5 ROSE COLOURED GIRL (34) 36**  
8 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



Eve Johnson Houghton **Ross Coakley**  
Once-raced maiden. 22/1, eighth of 10 in maiden at Southwell (11.1f) on debut 34 days ago. Up in trip.

**7 4 VOLAKES (28) 81**  
7 3 9-2 | 58.1kg



William Haggas **Clifford Lee**  
Once-raced maiden. 12/1, seventh of 14 in maiden at Kempton (11f) on debut 28 days ago, not knocked about. Up in trip. Should have more to offer and is worthy of interest.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**9-4** Fireblade, **11-4** Faifa, **9-2** Games People Play, **5-1** Mr Hampstead, **10-1** Volakes, **100-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

FIREBLADE bettered his debut form when runner-up at Ascot and, with further progress on the cards, he's fancied to get the better of stablemate Faifa, who has achieved a bit more to this point. Volakes is also of interest with improvement expected.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. FIREBLADE 2. FAIFA 3. VOLAKES**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2022	<b>Self Inflicted Sid</b> 3-9-4	13-8f	Ralph Beckett	Rob Hornby	9
2021	<b>Mount Olympus</b> 3-9-0	33-1	Eve Johnson Houghton	Tom Marquand	10
2020	<b>Tao Te Ching</b> 3-8-9	11-2	John Gosden	Robert Havlin	8
2019	<b>Lovely Lou Lou</b> 3-8-9	5-2	John Ryan	Darragh Keenan (3)	5

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**3.08**

RACE 5

**ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS AT NOTTINGHAM RACECOURSE  
HANDICAP (3) 3yo+ (Rated 0-95) £18,000 5f8y (1010  
Metres)**



Going: **Soft (Heavy in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

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

**1 6 MAKANAH (22)** (D, BF) **96**  
00951292 **9** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Julie Camacho **T. Kiely-Marshall (5lb/2kg)**  
Latest win at Redcar in August. 10/3, creditable second of 8 in handicap at Leicester (5f, heavy) 22 days ago. Looks the one to beat.

**2 5 CHANGEOFMIND (IRE) (11)** (D) **99**  
98-862069 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg



Declan Carroll **Paul Mulrennan**  
7/1, ninth of 10 in handicap at Catterick (5f, heavy) 11 days ago. In a lull and needs to bounce back.

**3 4 HYPERFOCUS (IRE) (12)** (D) **100**  
11092866 **10** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Tim Easterby **David Allan**  
11/1, sixth of 8 in handicap at Haydock (6f, heavy) 12 days ago. Others are more persuasive.

**4 1 BLIND BEGGAR (IRE) (14)** (D) **97**  
60710692 **6** 9-6 | 59.9kg



Michael Appleby **Alistair Rawlinson**  
8/1, respectable second of 9 in handicap at this C&D (heavy) 14 days ago. On a good mark and likely to be involved.

**5 3 MOULIN BOOJ (IRE) (8)** (D) **95**  
48432194 **4** 9-6 | 59.9kg



George Scott **Rossa Ryan**  
Latest win at Windsor in August. Fourth of 6 in handicap (17/2) at Yarmouth (5.2f, soft) 8 days ago. Not dismissed.

**6 2 FANTASY MASTER (5)** (CD) **97**  
37351436 **6** 9-0 | 57.2kg



Darryll Holland **Hector Crouch**  
C&D winner. Latest win at Doncaster in September. Sixth of 8 in handicap (5/1) at Doncaster (6f, soft) 5 days ago. Has had a busy spell recently but always deserves respect at this track.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**5-2** Makanah, **3-1** Blind Beggar, **7-2** Fantasy Master, **8-1** Moulin Booj, **12-1** Hyperfocus, **14-1** Changeofmind

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

MAKANAH has been in good form and handled tough conditions well once again when second at Leicester last time, so he's marginally preferred to Blind Beggar. Fantasy Master has a solid course record, so he's worthy of consideration, too.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. MAKANAH 2. BLIND BEGGAR 3. FANTASY MASTER**

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race

**3.38**

**COME RACING 6th NOVEMBER HANDICAP (5) 3yo+ (Rated 0-68) £8,000 5f8y (1010 Metres)**

RACE 6




Going: **Soft (Heavy in places)**

Left handed, oval track around a mile and a half in extent, with a run in of over four furlongs. Despite the lengthy straight, the bends are relatively sharp, and the track favours the more nimble, athletic sorts. Five and six furlong races are contested over a straight course with minor undulations and speedy, handy types are favoured.

Draw: **Against High** Pace Information: **Very Weak**


**1 9 SMOOTH SILESIE (IRE) (13) (CD) b 98**  
41311622 3 9-11 | 62.1kg

 Lisa Williamson *Jack Mitchell*  
C&D winner. 5 wins from 21 runs this year. Latest win at Bath in September. 5/1, good second of 7 in handicap at Chelmsford City (5f) 13 days ago. Standing up really well to a busy campaign.



**2 3 ALBEGONE (16) (D) s 99**  
62522426 6 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Tim Easterby *David Allan*  
5/1, bit below form sixth of 11 in handicap at Musselburgh (5f, good to soft) 16 days ago, though was trapped widest of all and no extra only late.


**3 5 WRESTLING REVENUE (IRE) (56) (D) 93**  
41541322 3 9-9 | 61.2kg

 Tony Carroll *William Carson*  
Latest win at Brighton in June. 5/2, short-head second of 4 to Smooth Silesie in handicap at Bath (5f, good to firm) 56 days ago.


**4 7 STONE CIRCLE (IRE) (22) (CD) 99**  
96830295 7 9-7 | 60.3kg

 Michael Bell  *Hector Crouch*  
C&D winner. Eleven runs since last win in 2023. Fifth of 8 in handicap (10/1) at Leicester (5f, heavy) 22 days ago, never nearer.



**5 1 BURABACK (IRE) (124) (D) 89**  
13110540 5 9-4 | 59.0kg

 Derek Shaw *Lewis Edmunds*  
Four wins from 14 runs this year, most recently at Leicester in April. Tenth of 14 in handicap at Newcastle (5f, 25/1). Off 124 days but below that last successful mark if fully tuned for this.


**6 8 SOUND REASON (12) (D) s 95**  
52623689 6 9-3 | 58.5kg

 David O'Meara *Ben Robinson*  
Twenty runs since last win in 2023. Ninth of 12 in handicap at Redcar (5f, soft, 12/1) 12 days ago, merely passing beaten rivals. Cheekpieces back on and he needs everything to fall right.


**7 4 COLLUSION (IRE) (8) 100**  
8-472 3 9-1 | 57.6kg

 James Tate  *Rossa Ryan*  
Much improved when excellent second of 11 in handicap at Yarmouth (6f, soft, 10/1) 8 days ago. Has to be taken very seriously from the same mark.

**8 2 MEHMO (IRE) (6) (CD) v 92**  
55671648 6 9-0 | 57.2kg

 Michael Appleby *Frederick Larson (3lb/1kg)*  
C&D winner. Latest win here in April. 17/2, eighth of 9 in handicap at Southwell (5f) 6 days ago. Bit to prove at present.

**9 6 ENCHANTED NIGHT (8) (D) s 89**  
63739083 6 8-4(8-0) | 52.6kg (50.8kg)

 Christine Dunnett *Mia Nicholls (5lb/2kg)*  
Unreliable sort. One win from 55 Flat runs. 11/2, creditable third of 11 in handicap at Yarmouth (6f, soft) 8 days ago. Not easy to make a case for from 4 lb out of the weights.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**11-4** Collusion, **11-2** Smooth Silesie, **6-1** Albegone, **13-2** Wrestling Revenue, **10-1** Stone Circle, **12-1** Sound Reason, **16-1** Buraback, **16-1** Enchanted Night, **16-1** Mehmo

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

COLLUSION left his qualifying form trailing in his wake when runner-up on handicap debut at Yarmouth a week ago and from the same mark, he's hard to get away from. Smooth Silesie has been kept busy this season but regularly gives her running, with Albegone another to consider.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. COLLUSION 2. SMOOTH SILESIE 3. ALBEGONE**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2022 <sup>I</sup> <b>Dream By Day</b> 3-9-6	11-1	Kevin Philippart de Foy	Andrea Atzeni	8
2022 <sup>II</sup> <b>High Opinion</b> 3-8-9	9-2	Bryan Smart	Harrison Shaw	8
2021 <sup>I</sup> <b>Mehmo</b> 3-8-8	9-1	Michael Appleby	Frederick Larson (7)	11
2021 <sup>II</sup> <b>Lordsbridge Boy</b> 5-8-13	9-2	William Knight	Robert Winston	11
2020 <b>Saras Hope</b> 3-9-1	11-2	John Gallagher	Ben Curtis	8
2019 <b>Bellevarde</b> 5-9-5	4-1	Richard Price	Ben Curtis	9

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race



**4.08**

**AJA AMATEUR JOCKEYS' HANDICAP (6) 3yo+ (Rated 0-65)  
£6,500 1¼m50y (2060 Metres)**

RACE 7



Going: **Soft (Heavy in places)**

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

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

**1 6 TORTURED SOUL (16) 99**  
11156396 4 11-4 | 71.7kg



Tony Carroll *Miss Sarah Bowen*  
Six wins from 19 Flat runs. 5 wins from 11 runs this year. Below form sixth of 11 in handicap (66/1) at Windsor (8.1f, heavy) 16 days ago. Back up in trip.

**2 3 ISLE OF WOLVES (12) (D) 98**  
45222171 8 11-4 | 71.7kg



Harriet Bethell *Miss Hannah Dring (5lb/2kg)*  
Didn't need to improve to win 14-runner handicap at Redcar (10f, soft, 5/1) 12 days ago. Enters calculations.

**3 4 CONTRAST (IRE) (30) (CD) 94**  
7220-2165 10 11-3 | 71.2kg



Michael & David Easterby *Miss Serena Brotherton*  
C&D winner. Latest win at Ripon in May. 50/1, creditable fifth of 11 in handicap at Hamilton (8.3f, good to soft) 30 days ago, slowly away. Back up in trip.

**4 9 DIFFIDENT SPIRIT (15) 82**  
9/1202-957 6 11-0 | 69.9kg



T. J. Kent *Mr Lewis Kent (5lb/2kg)*  
5/1, seventh of 10 in handicap at Leicester (8.2f, heavy) 15 days ago, slowly away. Up in trip.

**5 1 FRENCH MARTINI (FR) (5lb/2kg ex) (9) h+t ★ 100**  
0-0003241 4 10-13 | 69.4kg



Gary & Josh Moore *Mr David Dunsdon*  
Won 11-runner handicap at Bath (17.1f, heavy, 13/2) 9 days ago. Carries penalty. Significantly down in trip. Has to be taken seriously.

**6 11 STAR START (IRE) (12) (D) b 98**  
52896136 4 10-12 | 68.9kg



Ruth Carr *Miss Charli Parker (5lb/2kg)*  
Latest win at Ripon in August. Below form 12½ lengths sixth of 14 to Isle of Wolves in handicap at Redcar (10f, soft, 15/2) 12 days ago, doing too much too soon.

**7 10 GREY D'ARS (FR) (131) (D) 97**  
1080-0165 8 10-11 | 68.5kg



Nick Littmoden *Miss Grace Littmoden (7lb/3kg)*  
19/1, creditable fifth of 15 in handicap at Saint-Cloud (10.4f, soft) 131 days ago. Others more persuasive.

**8 5 DOGGED (16) (CD) s 98**  
79335023 7 10-11 | 68.5kg



Rebecca Menzies *Miss Becky Smith*  
13/2, creditable third of 8 in handicap at Musselburgh (8f, good to soft) 16 days ago, better placed than most. Back up in trip. Can give a good account.

**9 2 ORANGE MARTINI (168) s 99**  
3450-6870 4 10-10 | 68.0kg



Simon Hodgson *Mr Archie Burgess (7lb/3kg)*  
50/1, twelfth of 13 in handicap at Bath (10.2f, good). Off 168 days. Cheekpieces on for 1st time.

**10 7 ALDBOURNE (IRE) (30) (CD) b 89**  
8/69673-07 5 10-8 | 67.1kg



Lucinda Russell *Miss Margot Scudamore (5lb/2kg)*  
C&D winner. Blinkered for 1st time, last of 7 in handicap (50/1) at Hamilton (12.1f, good to soft) 30 days ago.

**11 8 STAR OF ST JAMES (GER) (12) (CD) 95**  
22114607 7 10-6 | 66.2kg



Ivan Furtado *Miss Stephanie Dorey (5lb/2kg)*  
C&D winner. Latest win here in August. 16¼ lengths seventh of 14 to Isle of Wolves in handicap (15/2) at Redcar (10f, soft) 12 days ago.

**BETTING FORECAST:**

**4-1** French Martini, **9-2** Isle of Wolves, **6-1** Dogged, **8-1** Diffident Spirit, **11-1** Grey D'ars, **12-1** Star Start, **12-1** Star of St James, **12-1** Contrast, **22-1** Tortured Soul, **40-1** bar

**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

ISLE OF WOLVES seems well suited by very testing ground so shades the vote over penalised-winner French Martini, who's significantly down in trip. Dogged looks best of the others.

**TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**

**1. ISLE OF WOLVES 2. FRENCH MARTINI 3. DOGGED**

**WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2022	<b>Contrast</b> 8-11-1	40-1	Michael & David Easterby	Mr Jason Dixon	14
2021	<b>Ghostly</b> 3-10-12	33-1	Stella Barclay	Mr Eireann Cagney (5)	14
2020 <sup>l</sup>	<b>Bigbadboy</b> 7-10-0	7-1	Clive Mulhall	Miss Charlotte Mulhall (7)	10
2020 <sup>ll</sup>	<b>Born To Please</b> 6-10-9	13-2	Mark Usher	Harriet Tucker (5)	12

**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race