

*** TAB TOP 7 MEETING!

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VAAL CLASSIC (SA) - 28 MAY 2024

RACECOURSE: Turf. 2800m oval track. Races up to 1000m straight course; beyond 1000m clockwise round turn with 1000m run-in. **TOP JOCKEYS AT TRACK:** G Lerena 135-31 (22.96%)-44, M Yeni 146-17 (11.64%)-67, P Mxoli 119-16 (13.45%)-50, C Zackey 114-16 (14.04%)-46 **TOP TRAINERS AT TRACK:** P F Matchett 122-17 (13.93%)-48, A P Peter 93-16 (17.20%)-37, J J van Vuuren 79-16 (20.25%)-35, R R Magner 83-15 (18.07%)-24 **DRAW:** High-number draws favoured over 1000m; low-number draws best 1200m and 1450m. **APPRENTICES (ALLOWANCES):** A R Al-Mansouri (4.0), J Botes (4.0), D B Geerthsen (1.5), S Hlengwa, M K Katjedi, K J Lihaba, B Plaatjies (4.0), S Sosibo, I Taka.

TAB BETS for this meeting = ALL RACES: Win, Place, Swinger, Exacta, Trifecta, Quartet, Rolling Double (Races 1-2; 2-3; 3-4 etc) and Pick 3 (Races 1-3; 2-4; 3-5 etc) AND Bipot (RACES 2-7), Place Accumulator (RACES 3-9), Pick 6 (RACES 4-9), Jackpot (RACES 5-8; 6-9). All bets R1 unit; minimum bet in TABs R6 except SWINGER minimum bet R2. EACHWAY bet of R3 Win and R3 Place, as well as 3-horse EXACTA or TRIFECTA Box or 4-horse SWINGER Box for R6 total cost can be taken. Minimum bet online R1. **TAB PICK 6 Rule:** If first-timer wins, first horse to finish of those to have run before also qualifies. **TAB PLACE Rules:** Less than 6 runners no Place betting; 6-7 runners payouts FIRST, SECOND; 8-15 runners FIRST, SECOND, THIRD; 16 or more runners FIRST, SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH. Fractional betting: Trifecta, Quartet, Bipot, PA, Pick 6, Jackpot. ALL TO COME (WIN or PLACE) any 2 or more races. **4Racing TAB betting form:** mark VAAL oval. **TAB Gold:** mark GTG oval. **TV:** Races 1-9 RACING 240 (ch 240 Dstv); Races 1-9 GLOBAL RACING 1 (in TABs & live stream www.4racing.tv)

RACE 1: 12:00 - 4RACING WELCOMES YOU MAIDEN HANDICAP (For Maidens with 3 or more runs.R15000 Win bonus ROA Members) Turf Right-Hand Turn Stake: R75,000 2400m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	CALLABURN*	3Bg 0-9-17 14-2000m S: 0-2-3 Earn: R95,500	F Bronkhorst	2	G Lerena	60	3B20 (5.00)	4T16 (3.25)	7N17 (12.40) 15May24
2	JAPANESE MAPLE	3Bg 0-2-6 18-2000m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R10,375	W C Marwing	*3	P Mxoli	59.5	4V18 (8.50)	5B18 (1.95)	4T20 (7.00) 18May24
3	TEO TORRIATTE	3Chf 0-5-11 12-2000m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R71,875	C I Jonker	*1	S Khumalo	59.5	5B20 (3.40)	4B20 (6.50)	2T20 (1.00) 18May24
4	POMO CLAPPER	3Bg 0-2-17 17-1800m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R15,125	J A Visser	*4	Wes Marwing	58	3V17 (0.40)	7V18 (11.75)	6B15 (6.50) 07May24
5	ANGEL OF MY HEART%	3Bf 0-1-5 1700m Earn: R10,750	C J Lensley	*7	M Yeni	57	6B18 (9.45)	4V17 (2.50)	5T20 (7.25) 18May24
6	PLUM BLOSSOM§	3Chf 0-0-4 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil	J A Visser	*5	*B Plaatjies	52	9J14 (9.35)	8V16 (35.00)	7T20 (33.50) 18May24
7	KAMALA HILL	3Bg 0-0-4 0m Earn: Nil	T Zackey	*6	*S Sosibo	52	8T20 (18.00)	9J20 (50.00)	9J16 (19.10) 12May24

Same Trainer: (4 & 6).

FORECAST BETTING: 2-1 TEO TORRIATTE; 28-10 CALLABURN; 4-1 ANGEL OF MY HEART; 9-2 JAPANESE MAPLE; 6-1 POMO CLAPPER; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: CALLABURN. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** CHEEK PIECES ON: PLUM BLOSSOM.

TIPS: 3 TEO TORRIATTE 1 CALLABURN 5 ANGEL OF MY HEART 2 JAPANESE MAPLE

PREVIEW: This won't take much winning. CALLABURN fluffed her lines on the Greyville Polytrack last time but, on the strength and consistency of his earlier form, has every chance in this lineup. JAPANESE MAPLE is open to improvement over this distance so has to be respected, while ANGEL OF MY HEART is 2.5kg better off with TEO TORRIATTE and should get closer as a result. The latter has improved stepped up to 2000m and could have more to offer over this extended trip.

RACE 2: 12:35 - RACING TODAY MR 66 HANDICAP (Open) Turf Right-Hand Turn Stake: R75,000 1600m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	SAFE SPACE	4Bg 2-9-21 16-2400m S: 1-2-8 Earn: R221,125	A P Peter	*4	*J Botes	61.5	1P16 (1.00)	2N19 (3.50)	5J18 (4.65) 20Apr24
2	FIFTH OF JULY	7Bg 3-14-31 16-2400m S: 0-1-7 Earn: R201,225	D Nieuwenhuizen	*5	*D B Geerthsen	60	4J18 (3.25)	6B18 (3.25)	0B20 (9.75) 16Nov23
3	GIMME THE FLAME%	4Bf 2-12-33 10-1600m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R232,375	H E Adamson	*6	*M K Katjedi	59	2B12 (1.00)	7J15 (4.20)	4B14 (4.25) 07May24
4	MARIACHI MADNESS*	3Bg 1-0-11 1450m S: 1-0-2 Earn: R68,250	C Binda	*2	*I Taka	58	0J12 (10.40)	0V14 (14.65)	6B14 (5.75) 07May24
5	CARNELO%	5Bg 2-9-28 14-1800m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R192,375	S M Naidoo	*7	*K J Lihaba	58	7J16 (8.30)	6V16 (8.55)	3B16 (1.70) 23Apr24
6	VAVA VEGAS*	4Chg 2-3-17 10-1600m S: 1-1-5 Earn: R124,125	J Borman	*1	*B Plaatjies	56.5	4B16 (1.90)	7V14 (3.70)	0V14 (5.10) 16May24
7	FULL GO<	5Bg 1-14-40 10-1800m S: 0-1-13 Earn: R186,125	B B Ruiters	*3	*S Sosibo	55	3J18 (3.75)	7B18 (4.20)	6V18 (3.25) 16May24

Same Trainer: None.

FORECAST BETTING: 2-1 SAFE SPACE; 28-10 CARNELO; 9-2 GIMME THE FLAME; 6-1 VAVA VEGAS; 7-1 FIFTH OF JULY; 8-1 FULL GO; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: SAFE SPACE, FIFTH OF JULY, CARNELO, VAVA VEGAS, FULL GO.

TIPS: 5 CARNELO 3 GIMME THE FLAME 1 SAFE SPACE 7 FULL GO

PREVIEW: Tricky. SAFE SPACE made an encouraging stable debut at a slightly higher level over 1800m and will appreciate reverting to this distance, so is high on the shortlist. GIMME THE FLAME was returning from a break when 4th over 1450m last time and should be competitive with improved fitness on her side. CARNELO benefited with this headgear fitted to finish 3rd in a stronger race last time and need only confirm that improvement to fight out the finish. FULL GO and VAVA VEGAS complete the shortlist.

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RACE 3: 13:10 - TAKE A BET WINA NUMBA NUMBA MAIDEN HANDICAP (For Maidens with 3 or more runs.R15000 Win bonus ROA Members) **Turf Right-Hand Turn**
Stake: R75,000 **1600m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *-App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	AMERICAN REBEL	3Bg 0-2-4 1600m Earn: R31,500 White, red hoops, blue sleeves, white stars, blue cap, white stars, red peak	W C Marwing	*4	P Mxoli	60	6J14 (16.75)	2J16 (0.10)	4J16 (2.35) 12May24
2	PATH OF POWER	3Bg 0-1-6 1160m Earn: R9,000 Red, white sleeves, blue armbands and cuffs, white and blue quartered cap	P F Matchett	*3	*S Sosibo	57.5	6T16 (11.75)	7J20 (20.50)	5J16 (4.10) 12May24
3	ROLL OF THE DICE	3Bg 0-1-6 1400m Earn: R4,500 Dayglo yellow, purple spots	C Spies	+11	M V'Rensburg	56.5	0K14 (12.90)	8J14 (8.85)	4V14 (5.25) 09May24
4	OKLAHOMA TWISTER	% 3Chg 0-5-10 12-1500m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R39,125 Bright blue, white braces, collar and cuffs, bright blue sleeves, white stars, bright blue c	H van der Westhuizen	+14	Wes Marwing	56	3V12 (6.50)	4J15 (4.50)	5B15 (6.00) 07May24
5	VILLA SEMAYA	3Bf 0-11-20 14-1600m S: 0-2-2 Earn: R94,625 Dayglo yellow and bright blue quartered, bright orange and black halved sleeves, bright orange	P P Labuschagne	*9	K A Brewer	55	2B14 (0.25)	0V14 (8.85)	7J14 (5.75) 02May24
6	GAMER	3Bc 0-3-11 16-1700m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R32,875 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*1	J Penny	54	0V16 (12.00)	4V16 (4.75)	8B14 (6.75) 07May24
7	MO MENT§	3Bc 0-0-3 0m Earn: Nil Green, blue spot, hooped sleeves and cap	B Webber	*6	J R Syster	54	9K12 (11.30)	0K16 (8.90)	0K16 (8.65) 24Apr24
8	SPIRIT IN THE WIND	3Chf 0-0-6 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil Turquoise, yellow, pink, orange and purple variable stripes	C I Jonker	+10	S Khumalo	54	7T16 (17.00)	8V14 (3.10)	7J16 (4.00) 12May24
9	CHICAGO LASS	5Bm 0-1-6 1600m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R8,000 Dark blue, yellow hoop, yellow and dark blue hooped sleeves, yellow and black striped cap, b	L Karriem	+13	N Klink	54	6N16 (5.00)	6J16 (10.50)	3V16 (3.50) 11Apr24
10	HAT FURIOUS%	3Bc 0-1-6 1600m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R5,250 White, black sleeves, white armbands, striped cap	D Nieuwenhuizen	*2	*K J Lihaba	53.5	7V16 (13.25)	6B18 (2.45)	7T20 (27.75) 18May24
11	PERFORM	4Bf 0-5-18 16-2000m S: 0-1-4 Earn: R59,500 White, black spot, yellow sleeves and cap	D Nieuwenhuizen	+15	*B Blaattjies	52.5	4V16 (5.75)	8B18 (3.15)	4T20 (6.00) 18May24
12	ULTIMISSIMO	2Bf 0-5-8 8-1600m S: 0-2-3 Earn: R36,500 White, black sleeves, white armbands, striped cap	J S Roux	+12	M Yeni	52	4V12 (12.00)	6V12 (6.75)	4V16 (3.20) 09May24
13	GOLD DE GRACE	3Chg 0-0-3 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	*5	K Matsunyane	52	0V10 (15.50)	8V16 (14.25)	6V14 (12.05) 09May24
14	PATH FAIRY	5Bm 0-1-5 1600m Earn: R11,500 Black and red stripes, quartered cap	D Cason	*8	*M K Katjedi	52	0B16 (11.25)	5V12 (5.30)	3V16 (10.50) 28Mar24
15	JUSTCRUISINALONG	4Bg 0-0-6 0m Earn: R4,125 Yellow, black seams, black cap, yellow spots	P P Labuschagne	*7	J Gates	52	0T18 (28.30)	8V16 (9.75)	7T16 (19.50) 04May24

Same Trainer: (5 & 15); (8 & 13); (10 & 11).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-2 AMERICAN REBEL; 4-1 ULTIMISSIMO; 6-1 PERFORM; 7-1 CHICAGO LASS; 8-1 OKLAHOMA TWISTER; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 1 AMERICAN REBEL 9 CHICAGO LASS 12 ULTIMISSIMO 2 PATH OF POWER

PREVIEW: AMERICAN REBEL was heavily supported when only 4th from a wide draw earlier this month but could repay his followers with a better starting stall on this occasion. PATH OF POWER and ROLL OF THE DICE could get into the picture if building on recent improvement, although a bigger threat is likely to come from CHICAGO LASS and youngster ULTIMISSIMO.

RACE 4: 13:45 - BOOK FOR JULY DAY IN JOZI 0116811796 MAIDEN HANDICAP (For Maidens with 3 or more runs.R15000 Win bonus ROA Members) **Turf Straight**
Stake: R75,000 **1000m**

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *-App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	SMASHING	3Bf 0-3-8 1000m Earn: R27,750 Yellow, purple stars, yellow cap, purple star	C Binda	+11	C Habib	60	5V10 (2.50)	6T10 (12.25)	6V10 (5.50) 16May24
2	COMMANDER OF ALL%	3Bg 0-2-12 12-1400m Earn: R22,875 Dark blue, shocking pink stars, black sleeves, black cap, shocking pink stars	F P Habib	+12	K Matsunyane	59	0V10 (9.25)	5V14 (6.75)	3B12 (2.50) 07May24
3	SOMEDAY MAYBE*	4Bf 0-11-26 10-1200m S: 0-1-4 Earn: R113,625 Black, white maltese cross, yellow sleeves and cap	J S Roux	*9	C Maujean	58.5	6T11 (19.00)	0V14 (7.85)	9B12 (15.50) 07May24
4	STATE OF PLAY	3Bf 0-0-5 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil Orange, blue star, orange sleeves, blue stars, orange cap, blue star	C Binda	*1	K A Brewer	56	8J10 (21.70)	6B10 (9.45)	8V10 (5.75) 16May24
5	SICILY	2Bg 0-1-4 1200m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R5,000 Emerald green, white stripe and sleeves, emerald green cuffs and cap	M F De Kock	*8	D De Gouveia	55.5	4B12 (8.50)	9J14 (13.60)	8J16 (14.60) 12May24
6	CENTREFOLD	3Bf 0-0-7 0m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R2,000 Dark blue, grey sleeves and collar, dark blue cap, black peak	B Webber	*7	*M K Katjedi	55	5V10 (2.85)	8J12 (24.00)	0V10 (10.00) 16May24
7	EVE'S APPLE%	3Bf 0-0-4 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R2,000 Dark blue, shocking pink stars, black sleeves, black cap, shocking pink stars	F P Habib	+13	J Gates	54.5	5V10 (8.50)	8V12 (6.80)	0J14 (50.00) 02May24
8	PACIFIC*	3Bc 0-1-6 1160m Earn: R5,250 Green, white rings, quartered cap	S J Gray	*6	P Mxoli	54	9V12 (13.95)	0B14 (10.50)	6T14 (13.50) 18May24
9	MAGICAL STONES	4Bf 0-1-11 1000m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R9,375 Orange, blue star, orange sleeves, blue stars, orange cap, blue star	C Binda	*3	N Klink	54	8B10 (10.75)	8T11 (11.25)	0V14 (17.55) 09May24
10	CHOC LATE%	3Bf 0-0-7 0m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R2,375 Dark blue, shocking pink stars, black sleeves, black cap, shocking pink stars	F P Habib	*4	J R Syster	52	5T14 (12.50)	9V12 (8.55)	9T11 (14.30) 18May24
11	RINGHO	3Bg 0-0-4 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	+10	*K J Lihaba	52	0V12 (33.25)	0V12 (30.25)	8B12 (11.00) 07May24
12	SILVER SEVEN*	3Bg 0-0-5 0m S: 0-0-2 Earn: Nil White, red chevrons, striped sleeves, white cap	C I Jonker	*2	J Penny	52	9V18 (50.00)	8B15 (27.50)	8V10 (16.00) 16May24
13	THE REAL DEAL	3Bg 0-0-4 0m S: 0-0-1 Earn: Nil Black and gold quartered, gold sleeves black stars, quartered cap	S M Naidoo	*5	*B Blaattjies	52	0V10 (15.25)	0V12 (31.50)	7J10 (10.00) 02May24

Same Trainer: (1 & 4 & 9); (2 & 7 & 10); (11 & 12).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-2 SMASHING; 28-10 COMMANDER OF ALL; 3-1 SOMEDAY MAYBE; 5-1 SICILY; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 3 SOMEDAY MAYBE 2 COMMANDER OF ALL 1 SMASHING 4 STATE OF PLAY

PREVIEW: Weak race. SMASHING has acquitted herself well in stronger maidens and needn't improve to play a leading role. COMMANDER OF ALL has shown signs of progress in this headgear and ought to have a say in the finish with a repeat of her improved latest performance. SOMEDAY MAYBE had legitimate excuses for a disappointing last start but will be suited to a return to this trip if she has overcome her recent issue.

RACE 5: 14:20 - TREVOR LANGE MEMORIAL MR 66 HANDICAP (Open) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R75,000 2400m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	IN A BLUE MOON	3Chg 1-8-12 15-2000m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R111,500	M N Houdalakis	*8	R Danielson	60.5	3V18 (5.75)	3J15 (2.75)	1B18 (0.50) 07May24
2	KAKIEBOS	3Chf 1-2-9 14-2000m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R78,312	M N Houdalakis	*4	C Zackey	59.5	4B20 (2.50)	8B18 (4.70)	5V24 (3.25) 16May24
3	FLAG BEARER*	5Bg 3-16-42 14-2600m S: 0-3-9 Earn: R299,500	F Bronkhorst	*5	C Habib	59.5	6B18 (2.25)	0N19 (9.10)	2V18 (0.50) 16May24
4	NUCLEAR FORCE*	4Bg 2-7-19 20-2600m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R157,500	E Verdonese	*9	G Lerena	58.5	1J26 (2.10)	5B24 (6.75)	4V24 (2.70) 16May24
5	MARTINIQUE	3Bf 1-4-12 18-2600m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R77,375	R R Magner	*3	M Yeni	58	9J20 (16.35)	4J26 (3.10)	4J26 (7.75) 20Apr24
6	GUY ALEXANDER>	5Bh 2-7-28 16-2400m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R164,188	C J Lensley	*1	K Matsunyane	57.5	2B16 (1.50)	0B18 (8.70)	3V18 (1.25) 16May24
7	FIERY CLIFFS*	4Bf 1-3-18 14-1900m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R76,500	A Ndzilana	*10	P Mxoli	57	5T24 (6.00)	9T24 (26.00)	9B18 (5.20) 07May24
8	COROMANDEL*	6Bh 3-13-49 14-2400m S: 1-1-3 Earn: R286,500	J S Roux	*7	S Khumalo	56.5	7V24 (9.55)	6B24 (12.00)	2B18 (1.25) 07May24
9	ZOOMBOMBER%	3Bg 1-5-22 11-1900m S: 1-0-3 Earn: R133,625	C Spies	6	M V'Rensburg	56	5V16 (8.50)	2N16 (0.30)	2N16 (1.20) 10Apr24
10	GO DREAM MACHINE	5Bm 2-14-43 14-3000m S: 1-4-9 Earn: R210,500	D Nieuwenhuizen	*2	*B Plaatjies	52.5	6J26 (8.20)	3J26 (4.50)	0V24 (7.25) 16May24

Same Trainer: (1 & 2).

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 NUCLEAR FORCE; 4-1 KAKIEBOS; 5-1 ZOOMBOMBER; 6-1 COROMANDEL; 7-1 MARTINIQUE; 8-1 IN A BLUE MOON; 10-1 FLAG BEARER; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.**DOWN IN CLASS:** KAKIEBOS, FLAG BEARER, NUCLEAR FORCE, GUY ALEXANDER, ZOOMBOMBER, GO DREAM MACHINE.**TIPS:** 4 NUCLEAR FORCE 2 KAKIEBOS 8 COROMANDEL 5 MARTINIQUE**PREVIEW:** Consistent last-start maiden winner IN A BLUE MOON concedes weight to all on her handicap debut but should remain competitive in this lineup. KAKIEBOS finished behind NUCLEAR FORCE last time and is worse off at the weights, so unlikely to turn the tables. FLAG BEARER and GUY ALEXANDER are dangerous to discount after encouraging recent efforts, while COROMANDEL need only confirm the improvement of his last start to make his presence felt. ZOOMBOMBER has been in good form on the Polytrack recently so shouldn't be underestimated either.**RACE 6: 14:55 - PLAY SOCCER 6, 10 AND 13 FM 68 HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) Turf Right-Hand Turn**

Stake: R75,000 2000m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	BE REAL*	3Bf 2-4-15 12-2000m S: 0-0-2 Earn: R149,125	H E Adamson	*1	P Strydom	61.5	7T24 (11.00)	7B20 (6.20)	3J18 (0.35) 12May24
2	PLAY WITH FIRE*	3Bf 1-8-18 14-2000m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R167,875	F Bronkhorst	10	C Maujean	61	1N18 (1.30)	8J16 (7.90)	0N19 (13.35) 15May24
3	RED KNOT	3Bf 1-2-7 16-2000m S: 1-0-2 Earn: R62,250	A Ndzilana	*3	G Lerena	60.5	6J20 (8.25)	1V16 (3.25)	3B18 (1.75) 07May24
4	ONE RELIGION	3Bf 1-4-11 12-2000m Earn: R97,375	R R Magner	*12	C Habib	59.5	6T20 (2.75)	2T18 (1.75)	7V24 (4.80) 16May24
5	DYNAMIC LASS	6Bm 0-1-4 1600m Earn: R9,500	L Karriem	*8	R Danielson	59.5	5T16 (5.50)	0T11 (15.50)	3B16 (1.75) 23Jan24
6	IDEAL FUTURE	5Bm 3-13-26 14-2600m S: 0-5-8 Earn: R290,500	L Kruger	*11	M V'Rensburg	59	2B20 (0.75)	0B18 (5.45)	9V24 (6.00) 16May24
7	ANGEL'S WISH*	5Bm 3-13-35 14-2600m S: 1-0-6 Earn: R286,375	W H Marwing	*2	K Matsunyane	57	7V16 (9.80)	2J26 (0.30)	2V24 (0.20) 16May24
8	GILDA GRAY	5Bm 4-20-55 14-2000m S: 0-3-8 Earn: R408,375	F Bronkhorst	*5	S Khumalo	57	5J26 (8.75)	6B20 (4.50)	5B18 (3.50) 07May24
9	DAMOVA*	5Bm 1-5-14 16-2600m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R89,875	J A Soma	*6	M Yeni	56	0J14 (13.50)	3J18 (1.60)	4J18 (2.85) 12May24
10	SUMMERLAND%	4Bf 2-9-39 12-2000m S: 0-1-6 Earn: R174,500	C Spies	*4	*S Sosibo	55.5	3B20 (2.00)	4B18 (2.25)	7J18 (18.10) 12May24
11	ANGELOFTHEMORNING§	5Bm 1-2-12 14-1700m S: 0-2-4 Earn: R60,250	H van der Westhuizen	*9	J R Syster	52	8J26 (14.30)	6J26 (14.25)	8B16 (4.15) 07May24
12	BEGUILING	4Bf 1-1-18 1600m S: 0-0-4 Earn: R68,000	P P Labuschagne	*7	K A Brewer	52	6V14 (9.00)	5V16 (4.25)	5B16 (3.20) 07May24

Same Trainer: (2 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 9-2 RED KNOT; 5-1 ANGEL'S WISH; 6-1 BE REAL; 7-1 ONE RELIGION; 8-1 IDEAL FUTURE; 10-1 DYNAMIC LASS, GILDA GRAY; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.**DOWN IN CLASS:** PLAY WITH FIRE, ONE RELIGION, IDEAL FUTURE, ANGEL'S WISH.**TIPS:** 3 RED KNOT 7 ANGEL'S WISH 1 BE REAL 8 GILDA GRAY**PREVIEW:** BE REAL bounced back to form last time with blinkers refitted and Piere Strydom in the irons, so is likely to acquit himself competitively with both headgear and rider retained. Maturing RED KNOT will appreciate this step up in trip and could return to winning ways with any improvement. DYNAMIC LASS is still a maiden but warrants serious respect on the strength of her form before a layoff. IDEAL FUTURE, ANGEL'S WISH and ONE RELIGION are also capable of making their presence felt.

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RACE 7: 15:30 - FOR HOSPITALITY BOOKINGS CALL 011 681 1796 FM 66 HANDICAP (F & M) (For Fillies and Mares) Turf Right-Hand Turn Stake: R70,000 1450m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	SNEAK PREVIEW	3Bf 1-1-3 14-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R75,250 Red and yellow checks, emerald sleeves and cap	M N Houdalakis	*8	C Zackey	61.5	7B14 (4.75)	2V14 (0.25)	1J14 (1.75) 02May24
2	GOLDEN ASPEN	5Bm 7-27-60 11-1500m S: 2-7-13 Earn: R615,375 Royal blue, yellow spots, royal blue sleeves, royal blue cap, yellow spots	C Spies	*2	M V'Rensburg	61.5	3S12 (1.50)	4N14 (2.70)	1B12 (1.25) 07May24
3	BOOM BOOM	3Bf 1-3-14 14-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R93,000 Fluorescent pink,black stars,purple collar,and sleeves,f pink diabolos sleeve	F Bronkhorst	*7	C Maujean	60	0V15 (24.75)	8B12 (7.05)	9T11 (15.50) 04May24
4	LADY ELLIOT	3Chf 1-3-12 11-1450m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R84,000 White, blue star, blue and white halved sleeves, quartered cap	R R Magner	*13	M Yeni	60	6V12 (5.25)	4B12 (2.50)	2B12 (1.25) 07May24
5	GREEN BUBBLES	4Bf 1-7-19 14-1450m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R130,375 Red and white checked diamonds, purple sleeves and cap	S T Pettigrew	*9	*S Sosibo	59	1T14 (1.40)	9V14 (12.25)	8J14 (5.55) 12May24
6	GALLA VANTING*	4Bf 2-0-12 10-1100m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R193,750 Dark blue, yellow hoop, yellow and dark blue hooped sleeves, yellow and black striped cap, b	L Karriem	*12	R Danielson	58	6J10 (3.75)	9J10 (14.75)	0V10 (8.75) 17Apr24
7	SOUTHERN STYLE	4Bf 1-16-33 10-1450m S: 1-3-11 Earn: R182,125 Grey and green halved diagonally, halved cap	C Mayhew	*6	G Lerena	58	0V12 (8.50)	8V10 (5.25)	2B14 (1.25) 07May24
8	HAVE A PARTY	4Bf 1-4-15 12-1800m S: 1-1-3 Earn: R89,375 Baby blue, red crossed sashes, hooped sleeves and cap	P F Matchett	*4	K Matsunyane	55.5	3T16 (2.75)	9N16 (9.05)	5J18 (2.30) 21Mar24
9	TWICE AS WILD*	5Bm 2-13-33 11-1500m S: 1-0-6 Earn: R243,875 Dark blue,old gold chevron,dark blue sleeves,old gold chevron,collar and cuffs quartered cap	G J Maroun	*10	P Mxoli	55.5	1J12 (0.20)	3J12 (3.40)	9B12 (9.95) 07May24
10	CAN'T CATCH ME	4Bf 1-11-25 12-1600m S: 0-3-8 Earn: R136,875 Grey and green halved diagonally, halved cap	B Webber	*11	C Habib	54.5	7B14 (2.85)	9J18 (17.90)	7B16 (3.95) 07May24
11	DELLA'S SWORD	5Bm 1-8-22 10-1800m S: 0-0-3 Earn: R122,875 Mint green, black cross and cuffs, mint green cap, black cross	B Crawford	*3	*M K Katjedi	53.5	5V14 (3.95)	3V10 (2.50)	3B10 (1.50) 07May24
12	LORNA LILLY	4Bf 1-5-28 14-1600m S: 0-0-5 Earn: R126,000 Purple, lime green band of diamonds, purple and lime green checked diamond sleeves and cap	J Borman	*1	N Klink	52.5	0B18 (6.00)	7J16 (6.00)	0B16 (9.15) 07May24
13	PARTY PUNCH	2Bf 0-0-3 0m Earn: Nil Dayglo yellow and bright blue quartered, bright orange and black halved sleeves, bright orange	P P Labuschagne	*5	K A Brewer	52	6V14 (5.45)	0V14 (9.35)	7J14 (12.50) 02May24

Same Trainer: None.

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 SNEAK PREVIEW; 4-1 DELLA'S SWORD; 9-2 GOLDEN ASPEN; 5-1 LADY ELLIOT; 8-1 SOUTHERN STYLE; 10-1 TWICE AS WILD; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: BOOM BOOM, GREEN BUBBLES, GALLA VANTING. **HEADGEAR CHANGE:** BLINKERS ON: GALLA VANTING. BLINKERS OFF: LORNA LILLY.

TIPS: 1 SNEAK PREVIEW 11 DELLA'S SWORD 2 GOLDEN ASPEN 7 SOUTHERN STYLE

PREVIEW: Last-start winner SNEAK PREVIEW has the most scope for improvement of these runners and is good value to make a winning handicap debut. GOLDEN ASPEN is 2.5kg worse off with LADY ELLIOT after a 5-point penalty for her recent success but the latter is drawn widest of all so will have her work cut out to reverse that form. Versatile DELLA'S SWORD and SOUTHERN STYLE, after an improved/encouraging last start, are also likely to have a say in the finish.

RACE 8: 16:10 - WWW.TAB4RACING.COM NOVICE HANDICAP (Maidens & 1 time winners) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R80,000 1450m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *=App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	CARE TAKER	3Bg 1-3-10 12-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R79,625 All vieux rose	M/A Azzie	*10	M Yeni	60	2T14 (0.40)	0T14 (14.50)	9B14 (11.00) 16Jan24
2	BILLY SPELLBOUND*	4Bg 1-5-13 14-1800m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R122,500 Green and black checks, checked sleeves, halved cap	S G Tarry	*4	C Zackey	59.5	9T18 (50.00)	6B14 (10.25)	0J16 (15.40) 12May24
3	KING'S RANSOM	3Bg 1-2-7 12-1450m Earn: R66,625 White, black fleur de lys, red sleeves, black collar and cuffs, black and white striped cap	C Dawson	*7	G Lerena	58.5	6D14 (4.80)	6K11 (4.95)	7T10 (4.00) 04May24
4	AMERICAN BISCUIT*	4Bg 1-9-16 14-1800m S: 0-1-1 Earn: R144,000 White, red hoops, blue sleeves, white stars, blue cap, white stars, red peak	W C Marwing	*8	Wes Marwing	58	7T16 (6.25)	6V20 (2.80)	0J16 (8.40) 12May24
5	GOLDEN PAVILION%	3Grg 1-4-14 14-1600m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R116,750 Black, red maltese cross, white sleeves, white and red striped cap, black peak	A G Laird	*2	D De Gouveia	57.5	5J16 (6.85)	2B16 (1.75)	5J16 (4.65) 12May24
6	APACHE SON	3Bc 1-2-4 12-1450m Earn: R75,375 Turquoise blue, cerise epaulettes and sleeves, turquoise blue armband, cerise cap	T Zackey	*6	P Mxoli	56.5	5J14 (12.50)	3V12 (4.75)	1J14 (0.05) 02May24
7	LITTLE MIZ SWAGGER	3Bf 1-2-9 14-1700m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R67,125 White, navy crossed sashes, shocking pink cap	F Bronkhorst	*5	S Khumalo	56.5	0T16 (16.75)	4V17 (1.75)	8J14 (5.50) 15Feb24
8	KING RAHUL%	3Bg 1-5-16 10-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R112,250 Yellow,dark green sash, black collar,redandblue halved slvs, blackandwhite qtd cap, white peak	C Spies	*3	M V'Rensburg	56	7B14 (7.75)	3J14 (2.60)	0J12 (14.50) 02May24
9	FAST DUTY	4Bg 1-6-15 12-1800m S: 0-1-3 Earn: R113,375 Black, white maltese cross and sleeves, red cap	S T Pettigrew	*1	C Habib	55.5	3J15 (1.00)	4J12 (1.75)	7J12 (2.50) 20Apr24
10	PRINCE OF KILDARE<	3Bg 1-2-15 14-1600m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R81,375 Dayglo yellow, dayglo pink cross and sleeves, white cap	B B Ruiters	*9	*M K Katjedi	54	0J18 (18.75)	9J12 (12.00)	4J16 (4.60) 12May24

Same Trainer: None.

FORECAST BETTING: 3-1 GOLDEN PAVILION; 4-1 APACHE SON; 5-1 AMERICAN BISCUIT; 6-1 FAST DUTY; 10-1 PRINCE OF KILDARE; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

TIPS: 6 APACHE SON 5 GOLDEN PAVILION 9 FAST DUTY 3 KING'S RANSOM

PREVIEW: AMERICAN BISCUIT and GOLDEN PAVILION renew rivalry after disappointing recent performances. Both are capable of better and shouldn't be written off. Preference, however, is for improving APACHE SON given the form of his last-start maiden success has been boosted by subsequent winners from that race. FAST DUTY has dropped to an attractive mark and is ideally positioned in gate No 1, so has to be included in all permutations.

RACE 9: 16:40 - NEXT VAAL RACEMEETING TUESDAY 4 JUNE MR 66 HANDICAP (Open) Turf Right-Hand Turn

Stake: R75,000 1200m

No	Horse	Age,Colour,Sex; Wins,Places,Runs	Trainer	Draw	Jockey *App	Wgt	3rd Last Run	2nd Last Run	Last Run and Date
1	ODE TO THE OCEAN	4Bf 1-4-16 8-1600m S: 1-1-6 Earn: R114,750	P F Matchett	+7	*S Sosibo	62	4T14 (4.30)	3V12 (2.25)	0P14 (59.25) 17Mar24
2	AFTER HOURS*	6Bg 7-23-68 10-1600m S: 2-2-13 Earn: R532,750	S J Gray	+6	*A R Al-Mansouri	61	7V10 (3.10)	7J12 (5.50)	9V14 (4.25) 16May24
3	CALIDA*	3Bg 1-2-10 12-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R60,375	W C Marwing	+5	J R Syster	60.5	9T11 (5.00)	0J14 (16.50)	9J12 (3.05) 20Apr24
4	THE NAVY LARK*	3Bf 1-5-15 10-1200m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R82,125	J A Visser	+10	*B Plaatjies	60.5	4J12 (6.30)	4B12 (3.75)	1V10 (2.25) 16May24
5	SUPER AGRA*	6Bg 4-13-41 10-1450m S: 1-1-6 Earn: R343,625	C J Lensley	+12	K A Brewer	59	8V10 (3.30)	5B14 (4.50)	0V14 (10.50) 16May24
6	PEACE OF MIND%	2Bf 1-3-5 10-1200m S: 1-0-1 Earn: R146,875	F P Habib	+2	*I Taka	58	2T10 (2.75)	2J12 (2.50)	1B10 (0.50) 09Apr24
7	RED CARPET GIRL	5Bm 3-13-38 10-1450m S: 1-2-9 Earn: R279,375	F Bronkhorst	+1	*M K Katjedi	58	1T11 (3.50)	3V10 (0.85)	5V10 (3.25) 17Apr24
8	COUNT YOUR CHANCES*	4Bf 2-13-29 10-1600m S: 1-3-6 Earn: R213,625	F Bronkhorst	+9	*J Botes	55	1B14 (0.10)	4V15 (2.25)	6B16 (3.45) 07May24
9	MIRACULOUS MAN*	4Bg 1-8-23 10-1400m S: 0-1-2 Earn: R128,600	G J Maroun	+3	*S Hlengwa	55	8V10 (7.85)	0J12 (6.50)	0B14 (24.00) 07May24
10	SAMTHEWISEMAN%	4Bg 1-7-24 10-1600m S: 1-0-3 Earn: R127,125	S M Naidoo	+4	*D B Geerthsen	54.5	7J12 (4.40)	4J12 (6.50)	0B14 (12.75) 07May24
11	LIFE LESSON*	3Bf 1-3-14 12-1450m S: 0-0-1 Earn: R77,750	S J Gray	+11	N Klink	53	0V12 (14.50)	0V14 (22.75)	0V14 (5.70) 09May24
12	BRIDGE OF SPIES	8Bg 2-16-76 10-1450m S: 0-0-8 Earn: R249,450	D C Pretorius	+8	*K J Lihaba	52	8T11 (13.65)	6V10 (3.75)	0B10 (8.80) 07May24

Same Trainer: (2 & 11); (7 & 8).

FORECAST BETTING: 5-2 PEACE OF MIND; 33-10 COUNT YOUR CHANCES; 5-1 RED CARPET GIRL; 7-1 THE NAVY LARK; 8-1 CALIDA; 10-1 AFTER HOURS; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

DOWN IN CLASS: ODE TO THE OCEAN, AFTER HOURS, CALIDA, SUPER AGRA, PEACE OF MIND, RED CARPET GIRL, LIFE LESSON. HEADGEAR CHANGE: BLINKERS OFF; BRIDGE OF SPIES.

TIPS: 6 PEACE OF MIND 8 COUNT YOUR CHANCES 4 THE NAVY LARK 7 RED CARPET GIRL

PREVIEW: Youngster PEACE OF MIND wasn't winning out of turn last time (having finished 2nd in 3 consecutive outings) and is likely to continue her progress, especially from an inside gate with the hood retained. Hard-knockers COUNT YOUR CHANCES and RED CARPET GIRL have the form and experience to pose a threat. Last-start winner THE NAVY LARK has a wide draw to overcome but benefits from her rider's 4kg allowance, which should stand her in good stead.

HOW TO READ FIELDS: Runner info shown as follows: Number; Horse; Age; colour; sex; Career record: wins-places-runs; Trainer; Draw (position in starting gate); Jockey; Weight to be carried included rider & equipment; Last 3 runs with most recent on right. After horse name: *=Blinkers; § =Cheek Pieces; !=Pacifiers; ‡=Visor; ^=Hood; ?=Compression Hood; %=Blinkers/Compression Hood; >= Cheekpieces/Compression Hood; &=Pacifiers/Compression Hood; \$=Cheekpieces/Pacifiers; ±=Earmuffs; /=Eye Shield; Before the jockey name: *=apprentice. Last three runs are shown in order of finishing position; racecourse; distance; lengths beaten. Thus 3V12 is third at Vaal over 1200m. If underscored 1T12 the race followed a rest of 60 days or more. **RACECOURSE ABBREVIATIONS:** D-Durbanville; E-Fairview Polytrack; F-Fairview Turf; G-Greyville; N-Greyville Polytrack; W-Kenilworth (Winter); K-Kenilworth (Summer); Y-Kimberley; M-Mauritius; R-Randjesfontein; S-Scottsville; P-Scottsville Inside; T-Turffontein Standside; J-Turffontein Inside; B-Vaal Classic; V-Vaal Turf; Z-Zimbabwe; X-Overseas.

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