



# Monday 27th September HAMILTON

1.10	EBF MAIDEN STAKES (4) 5f7y (1010 Metres)
RACE 1	(3) MANILA SCOUSE (5) HI MEH DARLING (IRE) (7) POETIKEL PIECE
1.40	TURNKEY TROTTERS HANDICAP (5) 5f7y (1010 Metres)
RACE 2	(4) THRILLA IN MANILA (3) GLORIOUS RIO (IRE) (1) GLOBAL HUMOR (USA)
2.15	EQUI'S EXQUISITELY IRRESISTIBLE ICE-CREAM FILLIES' HANDICAP (3) 6f6y (1210 Metres)
RACE 3	(1) EY UP IT'S MAGGIE   (2) PEARL OF QATAR   (3) LADY CELIA
2.45	BARDYKES FARM NURSERY SCHOOL HANDICAP (3) 1m1f35y (1840 Metres)
RACE 4	(6) TARROOB (7) TILSITT (FR) (2) BASHOSH (IRE)
3.20	BARBARA ANN LETHAM AND SON JONATHAN MEMORIAL HANDICAP (5) (D.I) 1m68y (1670 Metres)
RACE 5	(9) FLYING MOON (GER) (4) GAINSBOURG (7) ENGLES ROCK (IRE)
3.50	BARBARA ANN LETHAM AND SON JONATHAN MEMORIAL HANDICAP (5) (D.II) 1m68y (1670 Metres)
RACE 6	(6) TEMPER TRAP (7) AONE ALLY (1) ESPRESSO FREDDO (IRE)
4.20	HAMPTON BY HILTON HAMILTON PARK HANDICAP (5) 1½m15y (2430 Metres)
RACE 7	(4) FIREWATER   (10) DE MAZZARO (IRE)   (1) BLISTERING BARNEY (IRE)
4.50	ST ANDREWS AMBULANCE AMATEUR JOCKEYS' HANDICAP (6) 6f6y (1210 Metres)

# **KEY TO SYMBOLS**



RACE 8

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

(6) MUATADEL | (1) NEARLY A GONNA | (4) STRONSAY (IRE)



**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.

# EBF MAIDEN STAKES (4) 2yo £10,000 5f7y (1010 Metres)



# Going: Good to Soft

Right handed, sharp, undulating. There are steep gradients into and out of a pronounced hollow just over three furlongs from the winning post, with a severe hill up to the finish. Runners are soon on the turn over a mile/nine furlongs with those ridden prominently generally outperforming those coming from a bit further back. When the ground becomes testing, runners generally stick to the far rail.

Draw: N/A Pace Information: Insufficient Data

# HELLO JUMBO (96)

60

2 9-5 59.4kg

days with lots to find on form.

**2** 9-5 | 59.4kg

**Kevin Stott** 



Twice-raced gelding. Sixth of 7 in maiden (6/1) at Carlisle (5f, good to firm). Off 96

**HOLLIS BROWN** 

Alan Berry

James Sullivan



Foaled March 6. 6,000 gns foal, Bobby's Kitten colt. Dam unraced out of smart winner up to 11/4m Akdarena. Others are preferred.

MANILA SCOUSE (12)

88

**2** 9-5 | 59.4kg Tim Easterby

David Allan

12/1, didn't enjoy a clear run when promising fifth of 9 in maiden at Beverley (5f, good to soft) on debut 12 days ago. Sure to do better, and rates a player here.

THE GAY BLADE

2 9-5 59.4kg



Mazameer colt. Half-brother to 6f-7f winner Goninodaethat and 5f/6f winner Blue Sonic. Dam 7f winner. Bred to be no back number, but yard also have Hi Meh Darling. Market can prove a good indicator.

HI MEH DARLING (IRE) (15)

100

**2** 9-0 | 57.2kg lain Jardine

**Andrew Mullen** 



Fair filly but she remains a maiden after 8 runs. 6/1, good second of 4 in minor event at Musselburgh (5f, good to soft) 15 days ago, no match for winner. The form pick.

NIKKI'S GIRL (IRE) (15)

**2** 9-0 | 57.2kg

92



**Paul Mulrennan** 

Thrice-raced filly and modest form shown thus far. Last of 5 in minor event at Chelmsford City (5f, 6/1) 15 days ago. Respected.

**POETIKEL PIECE (15)** 

**77** 





Daughter of Mayson really caught the eye when debut sixth of 8 in maiden at Haydock (6f, firm, 10/1) 15 days ago, travelling strongly long way. Open to lots of improvement.

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

5-2 Hi Meh Darling, 9-2 Nikki's Girl, 9-2 Manila Scouse, 11-2 The Gay Blade, 9-1 Poetikel Piece, 12-1 Hello Jumbo, 25-1 Hollis Brown

# **TIMEFORM VIEW:**

MANILA SCOUSE made a promising start when fifth in a Beverley maiden earlier in the month, especially given he suffered a poor run, so he gets the nod at the chief expense of Hi Meh Darling, who has the best form on offer but lacks the scope of Tim Easterby's colt. Poetikel Piece shouldn't be underestimated either after her highly promising Haydock debut sixth.

# TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. MANILA SCOUSE 2. HI MEH DARLING (IRE) 3. POETIKEL PIECE

# **WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2020 West Way Never 2-9-0 5-2 K. R. Burke Ben Curtis 2019 Ventura Flame 2-9-5 11-4 Keith Dalgleish Callum Rodriguez

# **SMART STATS:**

# TURNKEY TROTTERS HANDICAP (5) 3yo+ (Rated 0-70) £6,500 5f7y (1010 Metres)

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RACE 2

# Going: Good to Soft

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Draw: N/A Pace Information: Very Weak

GLOBAL HUMOR (USA) (5lb/2kg ex) (7) (CD) Ø 26134461 **6** 10-0 63.5kg

Jim Goldie

**Paul Mulrennan** Already a four-time winner this year who arrives on back of 4-runner handicap

success over C&D 7 days ago, suited by way race developed. Not taken lightly under a 5 lb penalty.

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**OUR LITTLE PONY (14)** (D) **6** 9-10 61.7kg

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96

Lawrence Mullaney

Faye McManoman (3lb/1kg)

Winless since 2019, and only tenth of 12 in handicap at Thirsk (7f, good to firm) 14 days ago. Back down in trip with others preferred.

GLORIOUS RIO (IRE) (5) (CD) b 99

31311127 **4** 9-9 61.2kg

Stella Barclay

Jonny Peate (7lb/3kg)

C&D winner this summer who has also bagged three more successes. Creditable seventh of 16 in handicap at Redcar (5f, good to firm) 5 days ago, so he can't be discounted.

THRILLA IN MANILA (11) (CD)  $\star$ 100 32198621 **5** 9-9 61.2kg

Paul Midgley

C&D winner who got back to winning ways in 5f handicap at Ayr 11 days ago. Has to be taken seriously despite 5 lb rise.

AFANDEM (IRE) (11) (D) 94 **7** 9-2 58.1kg

David Allan Tim Easterby

It's now twenty six runs since last win in 2019, and last of 15 to Thrilla In Manila in handicap at Ayr (5f, good to firm) 11 days ago. Easy to look elsewhere.

125-25873 **5** 8-10 | 55.3kg

Michael Mullineaux 3-time C&D winner in 2020. Yet to score this term, but posted creditable third of

9 in handicap over C&D 8 days ago. Considered.

# **6 DECLARED RUNNERS**

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

SHESADABBER (8) (CD)

9-4 Global Humor, 5-2 Thrilla In Manila, 7-2 Glorious Rio, 8-1 Shesadabber, 20-1 Afandem, 22-1 Our Little Ponv

# TIMEFORM VIEW:

THRILLA IN MANILA took his form up a notch when scoring at Ayr last week so this C&D winner is fancied to defy a 5 lb rise in the weights at the chief expense of Glorious Rio, who can also boast a C&D victory and rates a serious threat. Global Humor is another with winning form here who warrants plenty of respect under his 5 lb penalty.

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

1. THRILLA IN MANILA 2. GLORIOUS RIO (IRE) 3. GLOBAL HUMOR (USA)

# **WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2020 Ventura Flame 3-9-12 9-1 Keith Dalgleish Shane Grav 2019 **Autumn Flight** 3-9-5 evsf Tim Easterby David Allan

# **SMART STATS:**



# EQUI'S EXQUISITELY IRRESISTIBLE ICE-CREAM FILLIES' HANDICAP (3) 3yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-90) £20,000 6f6y (1210 Metres)



## Going: Good to Soft

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

1	1	EY UP IT'S	MAGGIE (22)	S
		8-5413356	3 9-7 60 3kg	

#### Kevin Stott

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Tony Coyle

Latest win at Carlisle in May. 12/1, creditable sixth of 12 in handicap at York (6f, good) 22 days ago. Big player in this less competitive affair.

# 2 PEARL OF QATAR (10) (CD)

15563460 **5** 8-13 56.7kg **Tristan Davidson** 

Phil Dennis

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Three wins this year, including over C&D. Recent runs only respectable but she is back below her last winning mark if a change of headgear sparks her.

# 4 **LADY CELIA (11)** (C, D)

53222574 **4** 8-6 | 53.5kg

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Richard Fahey

Paul Hanagan

Course winner. Eleven runs since last win in 2020. 9/1, creditable fourth from out of the handicap at Pontefract (6f, good) 11 days ago. Goes off her proper mark this time and unlikely to be far away.

# 3 ROSE BANDIT (IRE) (7) (C, D)

18219203 **4** 8-5(8-1) | 53.1kg (51.3kg)

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in Jardine

Andrew Mullen

Three wins from 14 runs this year, including one over 5f here. Creditable third of 6 over C&D (good to soft) 7 days ago but she is 4 lb out of the handicap on this occasion.

# 4 DECLARED RUNNERS

# BETTING FORECAST:

2-1 Ey Up It's Maggie, 11-4 Lady Celia, 3-1 Pearl of Qatar, 9-2 Rose Bandit

# TIMEFORM VIEW:

EY UP IT'S MAGGIE has held her own in some deeper races than this at York on her last 2 starts and can return to winning ways back in calmer waters. Pearl of Qatar is starting to look nicely treated again and can chase Tony Coyle's filly home.

# TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. EY UP IT'S MAGGIE 2. PEARL OF QATAR 3. LADY CELIA

# WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

	2020	Mina Velour 4-8-11	2-1	Julie Camacho	Graham Lee	5
-	2018	Beauty Filly 3-9-7	5-2	William Haggas	Daniel Tudhope	7
-	2017	Clon Coulis 3-9-7	11-10f	David Barron	Ben Curtis	9
-	2016	Courier 4-9-4	4-1	Marjorie Fife	Hollie Doyle (5)	9

# **SMART STATS:**

# BARDYKES FARM NURSERY SCHOOL HANDICAP (3) 3yo+ (Rated 0-90) £20,000 1m1f35y (1840 Metres)



RACE 4

# Going: Good to Soft

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Draw: N/A Pace Information: Strong

HOWZER BLACK (IRE) (11) (C, D) 52946217 **5** 9-12 62.6kg

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Keith Dalgleish

Callum Rodriauez

Course winner. Latest win at Ripon (9.7f) in August. Below form seventh of 12 in handicap at Ayr (10f), racing closer to the pace than ideal. Better showing not ruled out but career high mark to defy.

BASHOSH (IRE) (23) (BF)

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Roger Varian Jack Mitchell Lightly-raced winner. Latest win at Doncaster (1m) in June. 6/5, fourth of 7 in handicap at Wolverhampton (12.2f) 23 days ago. Remains early days with him and that may not prove his limit.

GLASSES UP (USA) (9) 6 9-9 61.2kg

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R. Mike Smith

Bounced back to form when second of 8 in handicap at Ayr (13.1f, good) 9 days ago. Return to shorter will hold no fears if he can back that up now.

POET'S DAWN (24) (D)

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15204437 **6** 9-7 | 60.3kg



Seventh of 10 in handicap at Pontefract (8f, good, 6/1) 24 days ago. Has been given more of a break since so a better showing not ruled out.

JUMP THE GUN (IRE) (9) (C) 43619365 4 9-5 59.4kg

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lain Jardine **Andrew Mullen** 

Course winner. Latest win here in June. 9/1, respectable fifth of 10 in handicap at Ayr (8f, good) 9 days ago, albeit never looking the likely winner. Handicapper slowly relinguishing his grip.

TARROOB (69) (BF)

4 9-4 59.0kg

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William Haggas Adam Farragher (5lb/2kg) Lightly-raced winner. 7/4, good second of 8 in handicap at Wolverhampton (8.6f)



in July, headed on the line. Undergone wind surgery since and possible she can do better again back on turf.

TILSITT (FR) (10) **4** 9-2 58.1kg



R. Mike Smith S. B. Kirrane (5lb/2kg) 3 wins from 13 runs this year. Career best when winning 13-runner handicap at Ayr (8f, good to firm, 7/4) 10 days ago. Tongue strap back on, cheekpieces back

on. Looks competitive on form.



KRAKEN POWER (IRE) (15) (C) 23383305 **3** 8-10 55.3kg

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lain Jardine Course winner. Thirteen runs since last win in 2020. 25/1, last of 5 in handicap at Musselburgh (16f, good to soft) 15 days ago. Drops back down markedly in trip

now but others make more appeal.

**8 DECLARED RUNNERS** 

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

11-4 Tarroob, 4-1 Tilsitt, 11-2 Bashosh, 7-1 Glasses Up, 9-1 Poet's Dawn, 10-1 Jump The Gun, 10-1 Howzer Black, 25-1 Kraken Power

TARROOB boasts a positive profile, twice finding only one too good in all-weather handicaps earlier this year, and, on the back of a wind op, she's fancied to be a lead player given her low-mileage profile on turf. Tilsitt is in excellent form and feared, along with Roger Varian's Bashosh

# TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. TARROOB 2. TILSITT (FR) 3. BASHOSH (IRE)

# WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

**2020 Striding Edge** 3-9-2 Mark Johnston Ben Curtis

# **SMART STATS:**

# BARBARA ANN LETHAM AND SON JONATHAN MEMORIAL HANDICAP (5) (D.I) 3yo+ (Rated 0-70) £6,500 1m68y (1670 Metres)



#### Going: Good to Soft

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Draw: Against High Pace Information: Weak

cheekpieces fitted too. Respected.

#### **END ZONE** (11) **4** 10-0 63.5kg 61773047

Roger Fell

Jane Elliott Failed to build on previous promise when only seventh of 10 in handicap at Ayr (8f, good to firm, 8/1) 11 days ago. More is needed now.

JACKHAMMER (IRE) (15) (D) 1/42-22775 **7** 9-10 61.7kg

James Sullivan

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Dianne Sayer

Winless since 2019, but not disgraced when fifth of 8 in handicap (14/1) at Musselburgh (8f, good to soft) 15 days ago. Tongue strap back on now and

AL ERAYG (IRE) (10) (D) s+t

8 9-9 61.2ka Tim Easterby

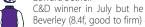
David Allan

Thirteen runs since last win in 2020, but he posted respectable fifth of 13 in handicap at Ayr (8f, good to firm, 15/2) 10 days ago. No forlorn hope.

GAINSBOURG (46) (CD, BF) 938316



**3** 9-8 | 60.8kg



C&D winner in July but he beat only one on handicap bow when sixth at Beverley (8.4f, good to firm) 46 days ago. Has good chance at these weights if shrugging off latest effort.

93 **MIKMAK (6)** (D)

8 9-6 59.9kg Tim Easterby

**Phil Dennis** 



Latest win at Beverley in August. 9/1, only tenth of 13 in handicap at Beverley

(8.4f, good to firm) 6 days ago, so needs to get back on track.

CABALLERO (IRE) (8) v 96 **5** 9-2 58.1kg

Keith Dalgleish



Twenty four runs since last win in 2018, but he recorded good second of 9 in seller here (9.2f, good to soft) 8 days ago. Not dismissed back in handicap company.

ENGLES ROCK (IRE) (15) 98

**5** 9-1 57.6kg Lucinda Russell

S. B. Kirrane (5lb/2kg)



Twenty runs since her last win in 2019. 10/1, good fourth of 8 in handicap at Musselburgh (8f, good to soft) 15 days ago, so she's in the shake-up with cheekpieces back on.

WOTS THE WIFI CODE (32) (D. BF) 96

Winner at Ripon in August but he arrives on back of modest fifth of 6 in handicap at Carlisle (7.8f, good to firm) 32 days ago. Needs to step forward.

0739-8125 4 9-0 57.2kg Tony Coyle **Kevin Stott** 

FLYING MOON (GER) (7) (CD) 96

Landed this contest 12 months ago and he took a big step back in the right direction when third of 6 in 9f handicap here 7 days ago. Weighted to have a

big say eased 2 lb now.

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

5-1 Gainsbourg, 5-1 Caballero, 6-1 Flying Moon, 13-2 Al Erayg, 17-2 End Zone, 9-1 Engles Rock, 12-1 Wots The Wifi Code, 14-1 Mikmak, 18-1 Jackhammer

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

# TIMEFORM VIEW:

FLYING MOON hinted strongly at a revival when third here last week so is taken to capitalise on a reduced mark and follow up his victory in this contest 12 months ago. Gainsbourg wasn't at his best at Beverley last time but is weighted to go well if back on song after a break and Engles Rock needs considering too despite arriving on a long losina run.

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

1. FLYING MOON (GER) 2. GAINSBOURG 3. ENGLES ROCK (IRE)

#### **WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2020 Flying Moon 4-8-12 Paddy Mathers

#### **SMART STATS:**



# BARBARA ANN LETHAM AND SON JONATHAN MEMORIAL HANDICAP (5) (D.II) 3yo+ (Rated 0-70) £6,500 1m68y (1670 Metres)



# Going: Good to Soft

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Draw: Against High Pace Information: Weak

ESPRESSO FREDDO (IRE) (17) (D) 2-3454549

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**Robert Stephens** 

**7** 9-12 62.6kg

**Dougie Costello** 

Went close over C&D 12 months ago and tasted success twice thereafter at around 1m. Mixed bag on AW during early part of this year but he should be sharper for his return at Chester 17 days ago.

HAVANA PARTY (7) (CD, BF) 003-74144 **3** 9-9 61.2kg

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lain Jardine

**Andrew Mullen** 

C&D winner in June. Fourth of 5 in handicap at this C&D (good to soft, 2/1) 7 days ago, carrying head awkwardly and not landing a blow. However, still lightly raced and visor may help now.

CLAY REGAZZONI (10) (CD) 14163133 4 9-8 60.8kg

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Keith Dalgleish

**Callum Rodriguez** 

C&D winner. Latest win at Musselburgh in August. 5/1, creditable third of 13 in handicap at Ayr (8f, good to firm) 10 days ago, better placed than most. Should give another good account.

**NORTH OF AMAZING (10)** 

98

96

2-3454052 **3** 9-7 60.3kg



11/1, good second of 13 in handicap at Ayr (8f, good to firm) 10 days ago. That effort was with the aid of a good position on the front end but his mark is workable if he can replicate that here.

WALKONBY (79) (D)

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3694-P485 4 9-2 58.1kg Micky Hammond

Paul Hanaaan



Fifth of 7 in a C&D handicap in July, carrying head awkwardly and never dangerous. Given a break since and mark has eased further but others make more appeal.

TEMPER TRAP (7) (C, BF)

5-8417182

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Tim Easterby

Dual 9f winner here this summer. 2/1, good second of 6 in handicap over that trip back here 7 days ago and he rates one of the likelier types once more.

**AONE ALLY (124)** 

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3 9-0 57.2kg

**4** 9-2 | 58.1kg



Promising sort. Good fifth of 10 in handicap at this course (9.2f) in May, notably travelling well but seemingly finding the test too much. Absent since but he may

do better dropping back in trip. MIND THAT JET (IRE) (11)

96



685-03460 **3** 8-13 56.7kg R. Mike Smith



40/1, last of 13 in handicap at Ayr (13.1f) 11 days ago, failing to get home over the longest trip he's tackled. This rates more suitable and better showing anticipated in refitted blinkers.

CHINESE SPIRIT (IRE) (7) (CD)

98

C&D winner. 15/2, respectable fifth of 9 in handicap at this C&D (good to soft) 7 days ago, denied a run 3f out but keeping on. Each-way possibilities.

# 9 DECLARED RUNNERS

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

10-3 Temper Trap, 5-1 North of Amazing, 6-1 Clay Regazzoni, 7-1 Havana Party, 8-1 Aone Ally, 11-1 Espresso Freddo, 11-1 Mind That Jet, 14-1 Chinese Spirit, 16-1

# **TIMEFORM VIEW:**

TEMPER TRAP is building up a solid record around this venue, headed only late on over 9f here 7 days ago. He looks sure to go well again back down in trip and shades the vote to come out on top. Aone Ally remains with potential coming back from a break and is feared, along with Espresso Freddo and North of Amazing.

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

1. TEMPER TRAP 2. AONE ALLY 3. ESPRESSO FREDDO (IRE)

#### **SMART STATS:**

# HAMPTON BY HILTON HAMILTON PARK HANDICAP (5) 3yo+ (Rated 0-70) £6,500 1½m15y (2430 Metres)



RACE 7

#### Going: Good to Soft

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Draw: N/A Pace Information: Even

BLISTERING BARNEY (IRE) (25) (D, BF) 16-156172

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Christopher Kellett

**5** 10-2 64.4kg

**Dougie Costello** 

Resumed progress when adding to his tally at Leicester in July, making all. Back from a lesser run at Musselburgh when headed only late on at Haydock 25 days ago. Player if in same form.

DAAWY (IRE) (7) (CD)

4-2488342 7 10-1 64.0kg Ø 98

Roger Fell

Jane Elliott C&D winner. Eleven runs since last win in 2020. Creditable second of 9 over C&D

(good to soft, 4/1) 7 days ago. Merits consideration.

THE NAVIGATOR (40) 2-7503355

6 9-12 62.6kg

Dianne Saver

James Sullivan

Last of 5 in handicap at Carlisle (134m, good to firm, 11/2) 40 days ago, hanging left early in straight and soon beaten. Needs to leave that effort in his wake to feature here.

FIREWATER (56)

99 7713-2075 **5** 9-9 61.2kg

Richard Fahey Paul Hanagan

Below par since his Haydock reappearance second but he has won a couple of times in the autumn and is well treated if a break sparks him back to life.

FINALLY MINE (USA) (11)

96 4 9-8 60.8kg

Keith Dalgleish

**Graham Lee** 



Not disgraced at Ayr last time but she's still a maiden and it remains to be seen whether this longer trip plays to her strengths

FLOOD DEFENCE (IRE) (7) (D)

562-65073 **7** 9-7 60.3kg t 96

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Unreliable type. Tongue strap on for 1st time in this code, respectable third of 9

in C&D handicap (good to soft, 8/1) 7 days ago.

**TOMMASO (IRE)** (81)

**3** 9-7 60.3kg

Lightly-raced maiden. Fifth of 7 in handicap at Carlisle (9f, good) 81 days ago. Significantly up in trip. First run for yard after leaving Stef Keniry. Unexposed sort

who needs a betting check.

**THREE CASTLES (15)** 96 **5** 9-4 | 59.0kg

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Keith Dalgleish **Callum Rodriguez** Put it all together to resume winning ways at Musselburgh (1¾m) 15 days ago,

beating the reopposing De Mazzaro by ¾ length. Back up 4 lb but he won off

THE BRAVEST (GER) (77) 96

Lightly-raced maiden on Flat. In the frame in a couple of juvenile hurdles last month ahead of this return to the level.

DE MAZZARO (IRE) (4lb/2kg ex) (8) (CD) 98 h

7 9-4 59.0kg 21138121

Tristan Davidson

In fine form on the Flat since joining Tristan Davidson, scoring 4 times. He's effectively 7 lb higher than for last week's C&D win but still can't be ruled out.

CARD HIGH (IRE) (8) (CD)

32149-510 11 9-2 58.1kg

**Kevin Stott** 

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Wilf Storey

Won this race 12 months ago and added to his tally at Carlisle (11f, soft) in May. Possible he needed the run when well behind De Mazzaro here last week but he needs to have come on a lot.

**12** 1 **GO BOB GO (IRE)** (11)

4 9-0 57.2kg

8/659026-0 R. Mike Smith

**Paddy Mathers** 

Off 9 months, twelfth of 13 in handicap at Ayr (13f, good to firm) 11 days ago. Will need to leave that well behind.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

#### **BETTING FORECAST:**

9-2 De Mazzaro, 11-2 Blistering Barney, 11-2 Three Castles, 7-1 Daawy, 12-1 Firewater, 14-1 Flood Defence, 16-1 Card High, 16-1 Tommaso, 18-1 The Navigator, 20-1 Finally Mine, 25-1 The Bravest, 50-1 bar

#### **TIMEFORM VIEW:**

It might be worth chancing FIREWATER who has been given a chance by the handicapper and has come good at this time of year before. De Mazarro has more on his plate off 7 lb higher now but is still unlikely to give up his unbeaten C&D record without a fight. Blistering Barney and Daawy are others to consider.

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

1. FIREWATER 2. DE MAZZARO (IRE) 3. BLISTERING BARNEY (IRE)

# **WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

Kevin Stott

2020 Card High 10-8-11

**SMART STATS:** No Smart Stats available for this race

# ST ANDREWS AMBULANCE AMATEUR JOCKEYS' HANDICAP (6) 4yo+ (Rated 0-65) £5,523 6f6y (1210 Metres)



RACE 8

#### Going: Good to Soft

Right handed, sharp, undulating. There are steep gradients into and out of a pronounced hollow just over three furlongs from the winning post, with a severe hill up to the finish. Runners are soon on the turn over a mile/nine furlongs with those ridden prominently generally outperforming those coming from a bit further back. When the ground becomes testing, runners generally stick to the far rail.

Draw: N/A Pace Information: Strong

NEARLY A GONNA (2) (D) 40-060172 **4** 11-3 71.2kg

Tim Easterby Mr William Easterby Latest win at Nottingham in June. Creditable second of 6 in handicap at Ripon (6f, good, 4/1) 2 days ago. Can go well again if backing that up.

EQUIDAE (7)

32301584 **6** 11-0 69.9kg lain Jardine

Mr Nathan Seery (5lb/2kg) 7/1, fourth of 6 in handicap at this course (9.2f, good to soft) 7 days ago, having

KILCONQUHAR (26) (CD)

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4 10-7 66.7kg 43535001 **Ewan Whillans** 

Mr Luke Scott (5lb/2kg)

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Not the most reliable but cashed in off career-low mark to land a C&D handicap 26 days ago. 5 lb higher now and not an obvious type to follow up.

run of race. Significantly back down in trip and it may prove sharp enough for

STRONSAY (IRE) (26) (CD, BF) 28360558 **5** 10-4 | 65.3kg

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Miss Megan Brookes (7lb/3kg) C&D winner. 10/3, 10¾ lengths last of 8 to Kilconquhar in handicap at this C&D (good to firm) 26 days ago. Cheekpieces back on. Gone well for this pilot this

season and not without a chance.

LETMESTOPYOUTHERE (IRE) (293) (D) **7** 10-2 64.4ka

97



Archie Watson Miss Brodie Hampson Twenty nine runs since last win in 2018. Off 9 months. On a good mark and won't

lack for assistance up top (regularly partnered by this amateur).

MUATADEL (4) (CD) 51373241 8 9-11 62.1kg h 100

John Wainwright Miss Alex Garven (7lb/3kg) C&D winner and also struck in 7-runner apprentice handicap at Pontefract (5f,

good) 4 days ago, readily coming home from off strong pace. Back up in trip and surely has a big part to play.

MANSFIELD (13) (D) 8 9-9 61.2kg

92



Stella Barclay Mr Henry Main (5lb/2ka) Three wins from 64 Flat runs. Fifteen runs since last win in 2020. 18/1, eighth of 11 in handicap at Wolverhampton (5.1f) 13 days ago. Looks vulnerable.

I'LL BE GOOD (20) (CD) 90 06678039

Alan Berry

**12** 9-9 61.2kg Mr James Robottom (7lb/3kg)

C&D winner. Twenty three runs since last win in 2019. Last of 9 in handicap (50/1) at Catterick (6f, good to firm) 20 days ago. Has work to do.

TRULOVE (33) (C) 50 8 9-9 61.2kg

John David Riches

Course winner. One win from 48 Flat runs. Sixteen runs since last win in 2019. 40/1, eighth of 9 in handicap at Catterick (6f, good to firm) 33 days ago. Hard to fancy.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

# **BETTING FORECAST:**

5-2 Muatadel, 11-2 Kilconquhar, 13-2 Nearly A Gonna, 13-2 Letmestopyouthere, 7-1 Stronsay, 10-1 Equidae, 18-1 Mansfield, 33-1 I'll Be Good, 50-1 bar

# TIMEFORM VIEW:

MUATADEL goes unpenalised for Thursday's Pontefract success and has a win and a second to his name from 2 visits to Hamilton this season so his claims are as strong as any. Nearly A Gonna went close at Ripon on Saturday and is feared. Stronsay is also considered under Megan Brookes, who has finished second twice on the 5-v-o.

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

1. MUATADEL 2. NEARLY A GONNA 3. STRONSAY (IRE)

# **WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2020 Hard Solution 4-11-0 Mr Matthew Ennis (7) David O'Meara

### **SMART STATS:**