

Saturday 23rd October

LEOPARDSTOWN

1.40	IRISH STALLION FARMS EUROPEAN BREEDERS FUND FILLIES MAIDEN 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 1	(10) PERFECT THUNDER (13) WEST COAST (IRE) (3) ESCULENTA (IRE)
2.15	IRISH STALLION FARMS EUROPEAN BREEDERS FUND (C & G) MAIDEN 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 2	(12) STAR OF INDIA (IRE) (11) SIR ANTONINO (IRE) (1) BEAUTY AMAZED (USA)
2.50	IRISH STALLION FARMS EUROPEAN BREEDERS FUND FILLIES NURSERY HANDICAP 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 3	(1) TUT TUT (IRE) (2) NECTARIS (3) NECTARINE (IRE)
3.25	KNOCKAIRE STAKES (Listed) 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 4	(10) MASEN (7) NJORD (IRE) (5) CURRENT OPTION (IRE)
4.00	TREO EILE, RETRAINING IRELAND'S RACEHORSES HANDICAP 7f (1410 Metres)
RACE 5	(14) COINS CROSS (IRE) (16) YOUNG ANGEL (IRE) (17) AVAGARDNER
4.35	LEOPARDSTOWN AUTUMNFEST HANDICAP 1m (1610 Metres)
RACE 6	(11) ROSMANA (FR) (2) HE KNOWS NO FEAR (IRE) (7) PLUME NOIRE (IRE)
5.10	EYREFIELD STAKES (Group 3) 1m1f (1810 Metres)
RACE 7	(4) DUKE DE SESSA (IRE) (9) PIZ BADILE (IRE) (2) ANCHORAGE (IRE)
5.40	ARDILEA HANDICAP 1¼m (2010 Metres)
RACE 8	(11) DUBLIN JOURNAL (IRE) (9) PACHMENA (IRE) (18) JO MARCH (IRE)

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.

1.40**IRISH STALLION FARMS EUROPEAN BREEDERS FUND
FILLIES MAIDEN 2yo fillies €16,500 7f (1410 Metres)**

RACE 1


Racing TViGoing: **Good to Yielding**

Leopardstown is a wide, left-handed oval track of around a mile and three quarters in extent. The course is fairly level except for a slight rise from the last bend and the turns are easy. It is essentially galloping in character and there is little evidence of a draw bias.


Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Insufficient Data****1 11 CORKY (IRE) 95**

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **Declan McDonogh**
Foaled January 17. €115,000 foal, £62,000 yearling, Fastnet Rock filly. Dam, 7f-1¼m winner, half-sister to very smart 11f winner (stayed 14.6f) Romsdal.


2 8 DYLANGER (IRE) (7) 70

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
Shane Crawley, Ireland **N. G. McCullagh**
100/1, last of 15 in maiden at this course (8f, good to soft) on debut 7 days ago.

3 1 ESCULENTA (IRE) (39) 99

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland **Ben Martin Coen**
Promising sort. Second of 14 in maiden at Punchestown (7f, good, 7/1) 39 days ago. May well do better so she's one to take seriously.


4 9 ETHERNAL GOLD (IRE) (17) 93

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg** b
M. D. O'Callaghan, Ireland **L. F. Roche**
Lightly-raced filly. 8/1, below form tenth of 20 in maiden at Navan (5.8f, soft) 17 days ago. Up in trip.


5 12 FAIRY STONE (IRE) (28) 92

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
Noel Meade, Ireland **C. D. Hayes**
Seventh of 9 in minor event at the Curragh (6f, good, 25/1) on debut 28 days ago.


6 4 GEORGETA 96

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
G. M. Lyons, Ireland **C. T. Keane**
Foaled March 26. 75,000 gns foal, Night of Thunder filly. Half-sister to several winners, including useful winner up to 1m Gypsy Spirit and 6f-7f winner Gypsy Major.

7 10 KARRATHA (IRE) (9) 70

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg** t
K. J. Condon, Ireland **William James Lee**
33/1 and tongue strap on, eleventh of 13 in maiden at the Curragh (9f, good to soft) on debut 9 days ago. Down in trip. Yard in good form.

8 14 PALAIS D'ELYSEE (91) 95

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland **S. B. Kelly**
Twice-raced filly. Fifth of 14 in maiden at Gowran (7f, good, 33/1). Off 91 days. Open to progress.


9 7 PANTELLERIA (USA) (97) 92

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland **N. M. Crosse (3lb/1kg)**
Twice-raced filly. 40/1, eighth of 10 in maiden at the Curragh (7f, good). Off 97 days.


10 2 PERFECT THUNDER (39) (BF) 98

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **S. M. Crosse**
10/3, fifth of 14 in maiden at Punchestown (7f, good) on debut 39 days ago. Green that day and open to improvement.

11 3 SIERRA NEVADA (USA) 94

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland **Shane Foley**
Foaled February 13. American Pharoah filly. Half-sister to several winners, including 2-y-o 7f winner Pathfork, Preakness Stakes winner War of Will and 1¼m winner Tacticus, all smart.

12 5 TERM OF ENDEARMENT 79

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
J. D. Motherway, Ireland **G. F. Carroll**
Foaled March 4. 50,000 gns yearling, Sea The Moon filly. Closely related to 7f winner Aas de Faust and half-sister to 1¼m winners Te Koop and Balzac.

13 13 WEST COAST (IRE) (29) (BF) 100

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg** ★
Aidan O'Brien, Ireland **Seamie Heffernan**
Promising type. 2/1, third of 14 in maiden at Dundalk (7f) 29 days ago. Should improve given pedigree and yard she represents.

14 6 ZASHA 96

 **2 9-2 | 58.1kg**
D. K. Weld, Ireland **D. B. McMonagle (3lb/1kg)**
Foaled March 23. Camelot filly. Half-sister to winner up to 9f Vividly. Dam, 9.5f-1¼m winner, sister to very smart 1¼m-1½m winner Zambezi Sun.

14 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 West Coast, **5-1** Esculenta, **6-1** Perfect Thunder, **15-2** Georgeta, **10-1** Zasha, **12-1** Corky, **12-1** Palais D'elysee, **14-1** Sierra Nevada, **22-1** Eternal Gold, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

PERFECT THUNDER showed plenty to work on amidst greenness when fifth starting out at Punchestown last month and granted normal progress, she looks the way to go. West Coast and Esculenta are also open to improvement, while Georgeta and Zasha are interesting newcomers.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. PERFECT THUNDER 2. WEST COAST (IRE) 3. ESCULENTA (IRE)

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2020	Eylara 2-9-2	4-5f	D. K. Weld	Oisín James Orr	11
2019	Celestial Object 2-9-0	13-8f	Mrs J. Harrington	Shane Foley	13
2018	Happen 2-9-0	5-1	Aidan O'Brien	S. M. Crosse (7)	16
2017	Sarrocchi 2-9-0	7-2f	Aidan O'Brien	M. C. Hussey	16
2016	Tempera 2-9-0	2-1f	D. K. Weld	Pat Smullen	18

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race


2.15

RACE 2

IRISH STALLION FARMS EUROPEAN BREEDERS FUND (C & G) MAIDEN 2yo colts and geldings €16,500 7f (1410 Metres)**Racing TVi**Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Insufficient Data****1 3 BEAUTY AMAZED (USA) 90**

2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **G. M. Lyons, Ireland** **C. T. Keane**
 Foaled February 25. £70,000 2-y-o, More Than Ready colt. Dam once-raced sister to US Grade 2 6f/7f winner Stonetastic and half-sister to US Grade 1 1¼m winner Gift Box. Interesting newcomer.

2 11 DUDLEY'S BAR (IRE) (9) 86

8 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland** **S. B. Kelly**
 Once-raced colt. 50/1, eighth of 16 in maiden at the Curragh (7f, good to soft) on debut 9 days ago. Needs to step forward now.


3 7 GREEN FORCE (IRE) (9) 75

0 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **Luke Comer, Ireland** **C. D. Hayes**
 Once-raced colt. Tenth of 13 in maiden (66/1) at the Curragh (9f, good to soft) on debut 9 days ago. Down in trip with lots to find on form.


4 10 HIGHLAND KING (IRE) (9) 86

9 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland** **Ben Martin Coen**
 Once-raced colt. 33/1, ninth of 16 in maiden at the Curragh (7f, good to soft) on debut 9 days ago, not knocked about. May do better, but he needs to here.


5 4 HOTROCKET (IRE) 85

2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **John Joseph Murphy, Ireland** **R. C. Colgan**
 Foaled February 12. 68,000 gns yearling, Starspangledbanner colt. Half-brother to 2-y-o 6f winner Special Secret. Appeals on paper, so a respected debutant.


6 1 LOCH NESS (IRE) 90

2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **Aidan O'Brien, Ireland** **Emmet McNamara**
 Foaled February 19. Churchill colt. Closely related to smart winner up to 9f Mohawk. Dam 6f/7f winner. Lots to like on breeding. Newcomer to note from top yard.

7 13 LOOM LARGE (IRE) 85

2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **Andrew Oliver, Ireland** **R. P. Whelan**
 28,000 gns yearling, Acclamation colt. Half-brother to useful 2-y-o 7f winner Messidor. Dam unraced half-sister to useful 7f-9.4f winner Duchess Andorra. Yard having good spell. Market can guide.

8 9 NATIONAL GENERAUX (IRE) 86

2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **K. J. Condon, Ireland** **William James Lee**
 National Defense gelding. Half-brother to several winners, including smart 7f/1m winner Best Dating and useful winner up to 9f Jalingo. Dam 7f winner. Yard having good spell, so he can't be dismissed.


9 5 RENE ARTOIS (IRE) (9) 86

57 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **M. D. O'Callaghan, Ireland** **L. F. Roche**
 Twice-raced colt. Seventh of 13 in maiden (18/1) at the Curragh (9f, good to soft) 9 days ago. Down in trip with more needed.


10 2 RUN SILVER RUN (IRE) (17) 70

60 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **Denis W. Cullen, Ireland** **M. A. Gallagher**
 Twice-raced colt. Seventeenth of 20 in maiden at Navan (5.8f, soft, 66/1) 17 days ago. Up in tri with plenty on his plate.


11 6 SIR ANTONINO (IRE) (27) 100

2 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland** **Declan McDonogh**
 Galileo colt made a promising start when second of 15 in maiden at the Curragh (7f, good to soft, 5/1) 27 days ago. The clear form pick.

12 8 STAR OF INDIA (IRE) 90

2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **Aidan O'Brien, Ireland** **Seamie Heffernan**
 Galileo colt. Brother to smart 1m winner Roman Empire and half-brother to several winners, including smart 6f winner Sudirman. Eye-catching pedigree from leading yard. Likely player on his debut.

13 12 ZONIK (IRE) (60) 60

0 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 **John McConnell, Ireland** **D. W. O'Connor**
 Once-raced colt. Last of 11 in maiden at Bellewstown (7.8f, good, 200/1) on debut 60 days ago. Tongue strap on for 1st time with work to do. Engaged Dundalk 7.45 Friday.

13 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

3-1 Sir Antonino, **3-1** Star of India, **6-1** Beauty Amazed, **15-2** Loch Ness, **18-1** Dudley's Bar, **20-1** Highland King, **22-1** Loom Large, **22-1** Rene Artois, **25-1** National Generaux, **28-1** Hotrocket, **100-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Lots of potential on show here, and the market will reveal plenty. Aidan O'Brien holds a good record in this contest and his well-related newcomer Star of India is fancied to go in at the first time of asking. Sir Antonino made a promising start when runner-up at the Curragh and is feared most, although other debutants Beauty Amazed and Loch Ness figure high on the shortlist too.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. STAR OF INDIA (IRE) 2. SIR ANTONINO (IRE) 3. BEAUTY AMAZED (USA)

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2020	Sword Zorro 2-9-5	13-8	Mrs J. Harrington	Shane Foley	6
2019	San Pedro 2-9-5	5-2f	Aidan O'Brien	Donnacha O'Brien	16
2018	Manjeer 2-9-5	20-1	John M. Oxx	Ross Coakley (3)	15
2017	Flavius 2-9-5	evsf	D. K. Weld	L. F. Roche	9
2016	Cliffs of Moher 2-9-5	7-2	Aidan O'Brien	Seamie Heffernan	17

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 3

**IRISH STALLION FARMS EUROPEAN BREEDERS FUND
FILLIES NURSERY HANDICAP 2yo fillies €20,500 7f (1410
Metres)**

Going: **Good to Yielding**

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Weak**
1 4 TUT TUT (IRE) (6) (CD) 100

201610 2 9-10 | 61.7kg



Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland

Shane Foley

C&D winner. 2 wins from 6 runs this year. Latest win at Listowel in September.

Saddle slipped in minor event (11/2) at Naas (7f, soft) 6 days ago. Solid claims.

2 6 NECTARIS (6) (D) 99

23148 2 9-7 | 60.3kg



Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland

C. T. Keane

Lightly-raced winner. Winner at Galway in July. 18/1, good eighth of 19 in minor

event at Naas (7f, soft) 6 days ago. Makes nursery debut. Opening mark looks fair.

3 3 NECTARINE (IRE) (7) (C) 98

60973331 2 9-3 | 58.5kg



J. S. Bolger, Ireland

K. J. Manning

16/5, career best when winning 8-runner nursery at this course (8f, good to soft)

7 days ago, slowly away. Should go well again.

4 1 PAST TIME (3) (BF) 97

732294 2 9-0 | 57.2kg



M. D. O'Callaghan, Ireland

L. F. Roche

Below form fourth of 13 in maiden at Navan (5.8f, soft, 15/8) 3 days ago. Back

up in trip. Yard having good spell. Makes handicap debut. Others make more appeal.

5 2 MARSА (IRE) (15) 98

027 2 8-8 | 54.4kg



Edward Lynam, Ireland

C. D. Hayes

Thrice-raced maiden. Seventh of 13 in maiden at Dundalk (7f, 6/1) 15 days

ago, having to pick way through. Makes handicap debut. Remains with some potential.

6 5 SHANGHAI DRAGON (IRE) (4) 94

804884 2 8-6 | 53.5kg



John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland

D. E. Sheehy (3lb/1kg)

Bit below form fourth of 12 in nursery at Gowran (7f, heavy, 14/1) 4 days ago.

Cheekpieces on 1st time. Others have achieved more.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:
5-2 Tut Tut, 3-1 Nectarine, 4-1 Nectaris, 8-1 Past Time, 10-1 Shanghai Dragon, 11-1 Marsa
TIMEFORM VIEW:

TUT TUT scored comfortably at Listowel on her penultimate outing and has the pedigree to go on improving, so she's narrowly preferred to her stablemate Nectaris, who appears to have been handed a reasonable opening mark. Last-time-out course winner Nectarine is another one to consider.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:
1. TUT TUT (IRE) 2. NECTARIS 3. NECTARINE (IRE)
WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2020	Amber Kite 2-9-1	11-4f	G. M. Lyons	C. T. Keane	9
2019	Feminista 2-8-4	6-1	J. S. Bolger	R. P. Cleary	7
2018	I Remember You 2-8-4	7-1	Aidan O'Brien	C. D. Hayes	11
2017	Damsel fly 2-9-6	10-1	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	A. C. Persse (10)	11
2016	Elizabeth Browning 2-8-12	3-1f	Aidan O'Brien	Seamie Heffernan	11

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

3.25**KNOCKAIRE STAKES (Listed) 3yo+ €37,500 7f (1410 Metres)**

RACE 4

Racing TVGoing: **Good to Yielding**

Leopardstown is a wide, left-handed oval track of around a mile and three quarters in extent. The course is fairly level except for a slight rise from the last bend and the turns are easy. It is essentially galloping in character and there is little evidence of a draw bias.

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

1 16 **LUNAR SPACE (IRE) (19)** (D) **88** b

19986098 **3** 9-10 | 61.7kg

J. S. Bolger, Ireland

K. J. Manning

Useful gelding. 12½ lengths eighth of 11 to Maker of Kings in Concorde Stakes at Tipperary (7.4f, heavy, 33/1) 19 days ago. More is needed.

2 14 **SNAPRAETEREA (IRE) (42)** (D) **95**

41354610 **3** 9-10 | 61.7kg

Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland

Declan McDonogh

Smart colt. 3¼ lengths twelfth of 14 to Real Appeal in Boomerang Stakes at this course (8f, good, 16/1) 42 days ago. Sort to bounce back.

3 9 **CARRYTHEONE (19)** (D) **98** h

421R1-012 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg

John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland

Ben Martin Coen

Smart gelding. 3/1, below form 5½ lengths second of 11 to Maker of Kings in Concorde Stakes at Tipperary (7.4f, heavy) 19 days ago, no match for winner. Not taken lightly if shrugging off latest run.

4 3 **CASANOVA (19)** **91**

30781134 **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg

Adrian McGuinness, Ireland

Emmet McNamara

Useful gelding. Latest win at Punchestown in September. 22/1, respectable 6 lengths fourth of 11 to Maker of Kings in Concorde Stakes at Tipperary (7.4f) 19 days ago, not ideally placed. Claims.

5 10 **CURRENT OPTION (IRE) (20)** (CD) **98**

24471907 **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg

Adrian McGuinness, Ireland

G. M. Ryan

Smart gelding. C&D winner. 63/1, respectable 6 lengths seventh of 15 to Space Blues in Prix de la Foret at Longchamp (7f, soft) 20 days ago. Enters calculations.

6 17 **LAUGHIFUWANT (IRE) (19)** (D) **96**

81220-003 **6** 9-9 | 61.2kg

Gerard Keane, Ireland

Seamie Heffernan

Smart gelding. 15/2, below form 5¾ lengths third of 11 to Maker of Kings in Concorde Stakes at Tipperary (7.4f, heavy) 19 days ago. Needs to step forward.

7 8 **NJORD (IRE) (7)** (D) **99** t

32283406 **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg

Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland

Shane Foley

Smart gelding. Creditable 5½ lengths sixth of 10 to Baaeed in Queen Elizabeth II Stakes (100/1) at Ascot (8f, good to soft) 7 days ago. Can make presence felt.

8 1 **PRETREVILLE (FR) (19)** **97** t

2659-2670 **6** 9-9 | 61.2kg

Adrian McGuinness, Ireland

William James Lee

Smart horse. 16/1, first run since leaving P. Bary when 30 lengths last of 11 to Maker of Kings in Concorde Stakes at Tipperary (7.4f, heavy) on IRE debut 19 days ago, folding tamely. Bit to prove.

9 6 **SAN ANDREAS (IRE) (14)** (D, BF) **94**

49132724 **5** 9-9 | 61.2kg

Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland

S. M. Crosse

Smart gelding. Latest win at Fairyhouse in June. Fourth of 7 in minor event at Limerick (7f, heavy, 11/4) 14 days ago. Others more persuasive.

10 5 **MASEN (42)** (CD) **100** h+t

130-21 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg

G. M. Lyons, Ireland

C. T. Keane

Lightly-raced winner. Hooded for 1st time, career best when winning 16-runner handicap (11/2) at this course (7.2f, good) 42 days ago by ½ length from San Andreas. Merits serious consideration.

11 18 **YERMANTHERE (IRE) (25)** (D) **78**

75521 **3** 9-7 | 60.3kg

Patrick T. Foley, Ireland

C. P. Hoban

Lightly-raced winner. 11/4, career best when winning 15-runner maiden at Cork (7f, soft) 25 days ago, driven out. Uphill task here, though.

12 15 **ELYSIUM (IRE) (6)** (D) **92**

1321-7871 **3** 9-5 | 59.4kg

Noel Meade, Ireland

C. D. Hayes

Useful filly. Career best when winning 17-runner listed race (9/1) at Naas (8f, soft) 6 days ago by ½ length from Emphatic Answer. Getting better with each recent run, so needs considering.

13 7 **FICTITIOUS LADY (IRE) (24)** **78** v

32725512 **4** 9-4 | 59.0kg

W. McCreery, Ireland

N. M. Crosse

Fairly useful filly. Winner at Bellewstown in August. 10/3, good second of 9 in handicap at Bellewstown (7.8f, good to soft) 24 days ago. Plenty to find on form in this grade, however.

14 13 **GYLDAN (IRE) (13)** **87**

158 **4** 9-4 | 59.0kg

Joseph G. Murphy, Ireland

G. F. Carroll

Thrice-raced winner. Hooded for 1st time, 8½ lengths eighth of 14 to Power Under Me in listed race (12/1) at the Curragh (6f, soft) 13 days ago. Needs to get back on track.

15 4 **SENDMYLOVETOYOU (IRE) (13)** **83** t

561-00067 **5** 9-4 | 59.0kg

M. Halford, Ireland

R. P. Whelan

Fairly useful mare. 50/1, respectable 8¼ lengths seventh of 14 to Power Under Me in listed race at the Curragh (6f, soft) 13 days ago. Tongue strap on for 1st time. Easy to look elsewhere.

16 11 **SH BOOM (28)** (D) **92** s

9-0819261 **5** 9-4 | 59.0kg

G. M. Lyons, Ireland

Sam Ewing

Useful mare. 18/1, won 15-runner handicap at the Curragh (7f, good) 28 days ago, all out. This demands more, though.

17 2 **A MA CHERE (IRE) (13)** **86** b

1376-700 **3** 9-2 | 58.1kg

D. K. Weld, Ireland

L. F. Roche

Fairly useful filly. 28/1 and cheekpieces on for 1st time, 16 lengths thirteenth of 14 to Power Under Me in listed race at the Curragh (6f, soft) 13 days ago. Blinkers on 1st time with work to do.

18 12 **ROYAL BLEND (14)** (D) **78**

952255-21 **3** 9-2 | 58.1kg

Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland

D. B. McMonagle

Fairly useful filly. Evens, career best when winning 14-runner maiden at Limerick (6.7f, heavy) 14 days ago. Difficult ask in this much higher grade.

18 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

7-2 Masen, **6-1** Njord, **9-1** Carrytheone, **9-1** Snapraeterea, **12-1** Current Option, **12-1** Elysium, **16-1** Laughifuwant, **18-1** Sh Boom, **25-1** San Andreas, **25-1** Casanova, **33-1** Pretreville, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

MASEN arrives at the top of his game so is taken to follow up his big-field handicap win here in this higher grade. Njord rates a big threat on the back of his sixth in Group 1 company at Ascot, with Current Option another who needs considering now he is lowered in grade.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. MASEN 2. NJORD (IRE) 3. CURRENT OPTION (IRE)

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2020	Surrounding 7-9-4	5-1	M. Halford	R. P. Whelan	9
2019	Psychedelic Funk 5-9-7	8-1	G. M. Lyons	G. F. Carroll	8
2018	Smash Williams 5-9-7	5-2f	J. S. Bolger	K. J. Manning	8
2017	Making Light 3-9-0	6-1	D. K. Weld	L. F. Roche	15
2016	Sovereign Debt 7-9-7	15-8f	David Nicholls	Declan McDonogh	13

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

4.00**TREO EILE, RETRAINING IRELAND'S RACEHORSES
HANDICAP 3yo+ €12,000 7f (1410 Metres)**

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

1 6 SPANISH TENOR (IRE) (14) (CD) 95
80330035 **7** 10-5 | 65.8kg
Adrian McGuinness, Ireland **Adam Caffrey (10lb/5kg)**
C&D winner. 12/1, below form fifth of 13 in handicap at Limerick (8f, heavy) 14 days ago, ridden too aggressively.



2 15 BIG BABY BULL (IRE) (28) (D) 95
00029235 **5** 10-2 | 64.4kg s+t
Denis Hogan, Ireland **D. King (10lb/5kg)**
Thirteen runs since last win in 2020. 5/1, good fifth of 15 in handicap at the Curragh (7f, good) 28 days ago.



3 1 MAJOR POWER (IRE) (15) (D) 98
22150109 **6** 10-1 | 64.0kg
Edward Lynam, Ireland **Sorcha Woods (7lb/3kg)**
Latest win at the Curragh in July. 13/2, ninth of 10 in handicap at Dundalk (7f) 15 days ago.



4 9 AMAZED BY GRACE (17) (D) 99
100-13805 **3** 9-13 | 63.0kg s
John Patrick Murtagh, Ireland **Ben Martin Coen**
Respectable fifth of 13 in handicap (11/1) at Navan (8f, soft) 17 days ago. Cheekpieces on 1st time. Looks competitive on form.



5 2 DILAWARA (FR) (6) 96
410-78456 **4** 9-13 | 63.0kg
Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **D. B. McMonagle (3lb/1kg)**
9/1, bit below form sixth of 15 in handicap at Naas (5.9f, soft) 6 days ago. N



6 4 IS THAT LOVE (IRE) (23) (D) 97
57074317 **4** 9-13 | 63.0kg
Adrian McGuinness, Ireland **C. J. MacRedmond (5lb/2kg)**
6 wins from 18 runs this year. Latest win at Listowel in September. Below form seventh of 14 in handicap (9/1) at Bellewstown (7.7f, good to soft) 23 days ago. Needs a couple of these to falter.



7 11 BRINGSTY (25) (D) 94
25100 **3** 9-12 | 62.6kg
Adrian McGuinness, Ireland **R. P. Whelan**
Lightly-raced winner. Winner at Haydock in May. 12¾ lengths thirteenth of 15 to Stylistic Approach in handicap at Cork (8.2f, soft, 22/1) 25 days ago. Something to find on form.



8 10 STYLISTIC APPROACH (IRE) (21) (BF) 96
0020-1719 **3** 9-12 | 62.6kg
J. S. Bolger, Ireland **K. J. Manning**
2 wins from 4 runs this year. Latest win at Cork in September. 5/2, last of 9 in handicap at Killarney (8.1f, soft) 21 days ago.



9 18 PUNK POET (IRE) (15) (D) 97
10780743 **4** 9-9 | 61.2kg t
Edward Lynam, Ireland **Declan McDonogh**
12/1, good third of 12 in handicap at Dundalk (8f) 15 days ago.



10 17 MEAN FOMHAIR (IRE) (17) (D, BF) 95
0/23758-10 **6** 9-8 | 60.8kg h
B. Duffy, Ireland **Seamie Heffernan**
1 win from 2 runs this year. Twelfth of 13 in handicap at Navan (8f, soft, 11/2) 17 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Hood on 1st time. Not easy to make a case for.



11 16 ZEPHRON (17) (BF) 98
41993436 **4** 9-8 | 60.8kg s
Denis W. Cullen, Ireland **Annalise Cullen (7lb/3kg)**
Creditable sixth of 11 in handicap (7/2) at Navan (5.8f, soft) 17 days ago. Back up in trip. Cheekpieces back on.



12 19 NOTFORALONGTIME (30) (D) 89
41/1179-60 **4** 9-7 | 60.3kg
M. Hourigan, Ireland **M. A. Enright**
50/1, first run since leaving Clive Cox when 12 lengths last of 13 to Is That Love in handicap at Listowel (7f, good) 30 days ago.



13 5 NIGHT OF ROMANCE (33) 97
34411165 **3** 9-6 | 59.9kg
Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **S. M. Crosse**
3 wins from 9 runs this year. Latest win at Doncaster in August. Fifth of 7 in handicap at Fairyhouse (6f, good, 9/2) 33 days ago.



14 7 COINS CROSS (IRE) (13) 99
2-4100593 **3** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Eddie & Patrick Harty, Ireland **C. D. Hayes**
Winner at Sligo in May. Good third of 18 in handicap at the Curragh (8f, soft, 20/1) 13 days ago. Can make presence felt.



15 13 WINDSOR PASS (IRE) (15) 98
42724427 **3** 9-5 | 59.4kg
Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland **Shane Foley**
Only seventh on AW last time but had shaped well when narrowly denied at the Curragh prior to that. Respected.



16 3 YOUNG ANGEL (IRE) (62) 95
391352 **3** 9-5 | 59.4kg
D. K. Weld, Ireland **C. T. Keane**
Winner at Listowel in June. 13/2, good second of 12 in handicap at Naas (5.9f, soft) 62 days ago.



17 8 AVAGARDNER (13) (D) 96
681030-01 **3** 9-3 | 58.5kg t
Ms Sheila Lavery, Ireland **R. C. Colgan**
1 win from 2 runs this year. Tongue strap on for 1st time, career best when winning 23-runner handicap at the Curragh (6f, soft, 80/1) 13 days ago.



18 20 BONNYRIGG (IRE) (17) 96
15534777 **3** 9-2 | 58.1kg
Richard John O'Brien, Ireland **William James Lee**
10/1, seventh of 11 in handicap at Navan (5.8f, soft) 17 days ago. Back up in trip.

**RESERVES**

19 21 IMPROVING (IRE) (30) (D) 100
622281-08 **5** 9-4 | 59.0kg
Augustine Leahy, Ireland **Reserve**
33/1, caught the eye when 5¼ lengths eighth of 13 to Is That Love in handicap at Listowel (7f, good) 30 days ago, not clear run. Contender if getting a run. RESERVE.



20 12 GOT THE MOVES (IRE) (15) (D) 97
55045103 **3** 9-2 | 58.1kg h
Andrew Oliver, Ireland **Reserve**
Winner at Fairyhouse in September. Good third of 14 in handicap (15/2) at Dundalk (7f) 15 days ago. Yard having good spell. RESERVE.



21 14 MISS MOLLY T (IRE) (17) (CD) 97
18-245709 **4** 9-3 | 58.5kg
Gerard Keane, Ireland **Reserve**
C&D winner. 20/1, ninth of 13 in handicap at Navan (8f, soft) 17 days ago. RESERVE.



18 DECLARED RUNNERS (3 RESERVES)

BETTING FORECAST:

9-1 Coins Cross, **9-1** Avagardner, **9-1** Young Angel, **10-1** Big Baby Bull, **14-1** Zephron, **14-1** Punk Poet, **16-1** Amazed By Grace, **16-1** Windsor Pass, **16-1** Dilawara, **18-1** Night of Romance, **18-1** Stylistic Approach, **22-1** Major Power, **22-1** Is That Love, **25-1** Bonnyrigg, **25-1** Spanish Tenor, **33-1** Mean Fomhair, **50-1** bar

4.00**TREO EILE, RETRAINING IRELAND'S RACEHORSES
HANDICAP 3yo+ €12,000 7f (1410 Metres)**

RACE 5

Racing TVi**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

In a very open affair COINS CROSS might be worth siding with to build on his good run at the Curragh last time. Young Angel, recent Curragh winner Avagardner and Jessica Harrington's Windsor Pass head the many possible dangers.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. COINS CROSS (IRE) 2. YOUNG ANGEL (IRE) 3. AVAGARDNER****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2020	Silver Service 4-10-0	15-2	Michael Mulvany	D. B. McMonagle (5)	14
2019	Sonaiyla 3-9-6	16-1	M. Halford	R. P. Whelan	13
2018	Curly Girl 4-8-4	33-1	J. J. Feane	M. A. Gallagher	12
2017	Beach Bar 6-9-2	8-1	Richard John O'Brien	S. P. Davis (7)	14

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

4.35**LEOPARDSTOWN AUTUMNFEST HANDICAP 3yo+ €15,500**
1m (1610 Metres)**RACE 6****Racing TVi**Going: **Good to Yielding**

Leopardstown is a wide, left-handed oval track of around a mile and three quarters in extent. The course is fairly level except for a slight rise from the last bend and the turns are easy. It is essentially galloping in character and there is little evidence of a draw bias.

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

1 3 SIRJACK THOMAS (IRE) (25) (D) 98
06114000 6 10-2 | 64.4kg



Adrian McGuinness, Ireland **C. J. MacRedmond (5lb/2kg)**
Back-to-back winner of handicaps at up to 8.5f this summer. Exploits mixed since, no threat when fourteenth of 15 in listed event at Cork (8.2f) last month. Return to handicaps a plus.

2 6 HE KNOWS NO FEAR (IRE) (7) (CD) 97
16778074 4 10-0 | 63.5kg



Luke Comer, Ireland **D. W. O'Connor**
C&D winner. Very good 4¼ lengths fourth of 14 to Georgeville in listed race (125/1) at this course (10f, good to soft) 7 days ago. Return to 1m fine and worth a second look back in a handicap.

3 8 QUIZICAL (IRE) (14) (CD) 97
3-0982050 6 10-0 | 63.5kg



Ms Sheila Lavery, Ireland **J. Coen (7lb/3kg)**
C&D winner. Fifteen runs since last win in 2019. Tenth of 13 in handicap (6/1) at Limerick (8f, heavy) 14 days ago. Needs to bounce back.

4 10 IN FROM THE COLD (IRE) (19) 92
27408087 4 9-12 | 62.6kg



Michael Mulvany, Ireland **Wesley Joyce (7lb/3kg)**
Twelve runs since last win in 2020. Not entirely disgraced when seventh of 13 in handicap at Tipperary (9f, heavy, 12/1) 19 days ago. Others arrive with more pressing claims on balance.

5 1 BUCKY LARSON (IRE) (25) (CD) 97
051-40106 6 9-11 | 62.1kg



G. M. Lyons, Ireland **S. P. Bird (10lb/5kg)**
C&D winner. Latest win at Naas (1m) in July. Creditable sixth of 15 in handicap (25/1) at Cork (8.2f, soft) 25 days ago. No forlorn hope from same mark.

6 13 MAZAGRAN (65) (D) 96
17960108 4 9-9 | 61.2kg



Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **H. J. Horgan (7lb/3kg)**
Dual winner in Jebel Ali in January who bounced back to best to score on yard debut at Limerick (1m) in July. Not disgraced at Killarney last time and mark has eased ahead of this.

7 14 PLUME NOIRE (IRE) (23) (D) 90
21 3 9-5 | 59.4kg



B. Duffy, Ireland **M. A. Enright**
Harzand filly who confirmed debut promise when winning 13-runner maiden (evens) at Bellewstown (7.7f, good to soft) 23 days ago. Rates the type to do better now handicapping.

8 9 COMFORT LINE (IRE) (14) (D) 99
08260370 4 9-4 | 59.0kg



Michael Mulvany, Ireland **J. Kearney (10lb/5kg)**
Thirteen runs since last win in 2020. Twelfth of 13 in handicap (8/1) at Limerick (8f, heavy) 14 days ago, racing on unfavoured inside and eased off. Needs to bounce back.

9 2 STARLIGHT DREAM (IRE) (7) 98
1760-4560 4 9-4 | 59.0kg



Matthew J. Smith, Ireland **R. Whearty (7lb/3kg)**
33/1, fourteenth of 20 in handicap at this course (12f, good to soft) 7 days ago. Significantly down in trip. Cheekpieces on 1st time.

10 5 DREAM TALE (8) (CD) 97
22680344 5 9-3 | 58.5kg



Andrew Oliver, Ireland **C. P. Hoban**
C&D winner. 9/1, creditable fourth of 14 in handicap at Dundalk (10.7f) 8 days ago. Back down in trip. Stable having good spell. Likely to continue in form.

11 7 ROSMANA (FR) (17) (D) 100
3910-8044 4 9-1 | 57.6kg



Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **G. P. Halpin**
Respectable fourth of 13 in handicap at Navan (8f, soft, 6/1) 17 days ago, faring best of those held up. Remains relatively lightly raced for this yard and she may have more to offer.

12 12 ONEIROI (IRE) (30) (C, BF) 98
03422168 5 8-8 | 54.4kg



D. Buckley, Ireland **S. P. Davis**
Course winner. Latest win here in August. 5/1, bit below form eighth of 15 in handicap at Listowel (9f, good) 30 days ago.

13 11 TRESORIER (15) 98
90088185 7 8-6 | 53.5kg



J. J. Feane, Ireland **Siobhan Rutledge (5lb/2kg)**
Latest win at Dundalk in September. 12/1, respectable fifth of 14 in handicap at Dundalk (7f) 15 days ago. Stable in good form.

14 4 MCCABE (IRE) (57) (D) 88
682-00006 4 8-6 | 53.5kg



J. S. Bolger, Ireland **N. G. McCullagh**
16/1, respectable sixth of 24 in handicap at the Curragh (7f, good) 57 days ago, keeping on final 1f. Return to 1m rates a plus and he arrives here fresher than most.

14 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

6-1 Rosmana, **15-2** Dream Tale, **9-1** Plume Noire, **10-1** Bucky Larson, **11-1** Quizical, **11-1** He Knows No Fear, **14-1** Oneiroi, **14-1** Mazagran, **16-1** Comfort Line, **16-1** McCabe, **18-1** Sirjack Thomas, **18-1** Tresorier, **18-1** In From The Cold, **33-1** Starlight Dream

TIMEFORM VIEW:

A wide-open handicap with a chance taken on ROSMANA. Her career is still in its relative infancy with Joseph O'Brien and having fared best of those ridden from off the pace when fourth at Navan 17 days ago she may well be ready to strike here. He Knows No Fear, low-mileage 3-y-o Plume Noire and Bucky Larson head up the dangers.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. ROSMANA (FR) 2. HE KNOWS NO FEAR (IRE) 3. PLUME NOIRE (IRE)

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2020	Theophile 3-8-9	10-1	J. S. Bolger	R. P. Cleary	11
2019	Quizical 4-9-12	10-3f	Ms Sheila Lavery	S. M. Crosse (5)	8
2018	Innamorare 3-8-4	12-1	Gavin Patrick Cromwell	A. J. Slattery (7)	16
2017	Lucky Mistake 3-8-4	11-2	Adrian Keatley	D. E. Sheehy (5)	13
2016	Beau Satchel 6-8-11	16-1	Adrian McGuinness	Oisín James Orr (5)	13

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race


5.10**EYREFIELD STAKES (Group 3) 2yo €50,000 1m1f (1810 Metres)**

RACE 7


Racing TViGoing: **Good to Yielding**

Leopardstown is a wide, left-handed oval track of around a mile and three quarters in extent. The course is fairly level except for a slight rise from the last bend and the turns are easy. It is essentially galloping in character and there is little evidence of a draw bias.


Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Very Strong****1 12 ALLIHIES (IRE) (14) 92**

1 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 Kevin Thomas Coleman, Ireland **Emmet McNamara**
 Anjaal gelding who showed fairly useful form when landing 16-runner Limerick maiden (7f) 2 weeks ago, getting on top inside final 1f. Likely improver for all this is tougher.


2 13 ANCHORAGE (IRE) (16) 99

32521 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 Aidan O'Brien, Ireland **Seamie Heffernan**
 Lightly-raced winner. 11/10, career best when winning 5-runner nursery at Thurles (8.1f, good to soft) 16 days ago, forging clear. Looks a likely player up in grade.


3 9 BOUNDLESS OCEAN (IRE) (7) 97

24 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 J. S. Bolger, Ireland **K. J. Manning**
 Promising second in a Curragh maiden (7f) on debut and unlucky not to finish closer when fourth in 7f Leopardstown Group 3 seven days ago. Another good showing distinctly possible.


4 11 DUKE DE SESSA (IRE) (41) 100

316 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 D. K. Weld, Ireland **C. T. Keane**
 Promising type. 1 win from 3 runs this year. 10¼ lengths sixth of 7 to Native Trail in National Stakes at the Curragh (7f) 41 days ago. Ease back down in class a plus and he remains open to progress.


5 4 FRENCH CLAIM (FR) (30) 91

1 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 P. Twomey, Ireland **William James Lee**
 French Fifteen colt. 11/8, won 15-runner maiden at Listowel (8f, good) on debut 30 days ago, keeping on well. Open to improvement.


6 2 GLORY DAZE (IRE) (17) 87

63 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 Andrew Oliver, Ireland **R. P. Whelan**
 Twice-raced maiden. Stepped up on debut effort when third of 16 in maiden at Navan (8f, soft, 25/1) 17 days ago. However, more needed now stepping up in class.

7 6 GOOD HEAVENS (IRE) (7) (C) 94

7221 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **Declan McDonogh**
 Lightly-raced winner. Career best when winning 11-runner maiden (5/2) at this course (1m) 7 days ago, forging clear. May do better again now tackling this higher grade.

8 10 GRENOBLE (17) 94

21 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 William Haggas **C. D. Hayes**
 5/4, built on debut promise when taking winner of 1m minor event at Nottingham 17 days ago by 1¼l from Approachability, suited by emphasis on stamina. Has more to offer, and rates a useful prospect.


9 1 PIZ BADILE (IRE) (103) 98

1 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 Donnacha Aidan O'Brien, Ireland **G. M. Ryan**
 Ulysses colt who impressed despite narrow margins involved when winning 10-runner maiden at Killarney (1m) in July. Looks sure to progress and he's one to follow.


10 5 WARREN BEACH (IRE) (17) 85

04 2 9-5 | 59.4kg
 K. J. Condon, Ireland **Ben Martin Coen**
 Twice-raced maiden. Fourth of 16 in maiden (50/1) at Navan (8f, soft) 17 days ago. Stable in good form but needs to find further improvement to feature.


11 8 CAROLINE HERSCHEL (IRE) (21) 94

1 2 9-2 | 58.1kg
 Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland **Shane Foley**
 Zoffany colt who showed fairly useful form when landing 13-runner maiden at Killarney (8.1f, soft, 14/1) on debut 21 days ago, driven out. Should have more to offer.

12 7 LULLABY (IRE) (13) 91

468 2 9-2 | 58.1kg
 Aidan O'Brien, Ireland **M. C. Hussey**
 Thrice-raced maiden. 18/1, 13¾ lengths eighth of 11 to Limiti Di Greccio in listed race at the Curragh (8f, soft) 13 days ago, hampered. Others more persuasive.

13 3 VOICE OF ANGELS (16) 94

23U1 2 9-2 | 58.1kg
 Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **S. M. Crosse**
 Lightly-raced winner. 8/15, career best when winning 7-runner maiden at Thurles (8.1f, good to soft) 16 days ago. Likely to improve further.

13 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-2 Anchorage, **11-2** Boundless Ocean, **6-1** Duke De Sessa, **10-1** Piz Badile, **10-1** Grenoble, **11-1** Voice of Angels, **12-1** Caroline Herschel, **12-1** French Claim, **16-1** Good Heavens, **22-1** Allihies, **28-1** Lullaby, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Plenty of potential on show, and whilst never a threat at Group 1 level last time, it may pay to side with DUKE DE SESSA. He looked one to keep firmly on side when landing a Curragh maiden previously and he may well have found his latest assignment aiding his development. Piz Badile, Anchorage, Boundless Ocean and Grenoble are just a handful of others to consider.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. DUKE DE SESSA (IRE) 2. PIZ BADILE (IRE) 3. ANCHORAGE (IRE)****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

2020	Flying Visit 2-9-5	10-3	J. S. Bolger	L. T. McAteer	9
2019	Degraves 2-9-3	7-2	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	S. M. Crosse	5
2018	Guaranteed 2-9-3	9-2	J. S. Bolger	K. J. Manning	8
2017	Flag of Honour 2-9-3	2-1f	Aidan O'Brien	P. B. Beggy	9
2016	Dubai Sand 2-9-3	7-1	J. S. Bolger	K. J. Manning	11

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.40**ARDILEA HANDICAP 3yo+ (Rated 50-80) €11,500 1¼m (2010 Metres)****RACE 8****Racing TVi**Going: **Good to Yielding**

Leopardstown is a wide, left-handed oval track of around a mile and three quarters in extent. The course is fairly level except for a slight rise from the last bend and the turns are easy. It is essentially galloping in character and there is little evidence of a draw bias.

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

1 14 **ESTEPONA SUN (355)** (CD) **94**
51/562100- 4 10-2 | 64.4kg t



Denis Hogan, Ireland **S. D. Bowen (10lb/5kg)**
Fairly useful Flat winner. Proving consistent in maiden hurdles for present stable this summer and not ruled out for each-way purposes returning to the level.

2 22 **OVERHEER (7)** (C) **94**
22116060 5 10-2 | 64.4kg



Joseph G. Murphy, Ireland **G. F. Carroll**
Course winner. Latest win at Gowran in June. 66/1, sixteenth of 20 in handicap at this course (12f, good to soft) 7 days ago. Needs to step up on recent efforts to figure.

3 2 **REBEL TALE (USA) (8)** **96**
92605045 4 10-2 | 64.4kg



A. Slattery, Ireland **Amy Jo Hayes (10lb/5kg)**
One win from 21 Flat runs. Creditable fifth of 14 in handicap at Dundalk (10.7f, 40/1) 8 days ago, tardy start leaving him less than ideally placed. Still, each-way possibilities.

4 13 **TAKEACHANCEJIMMY (IRE) (13)** **97**
09517005 7 10-2 | 64.4kg



Nigel Slevin, Ireland **J. Coen (7lb/3kg)**
Latest win at Ballinrobe in July. Good fifth of 18 in handicap (20/1) at the Curragh (8f, soft) 13 days ago, nearest finish. Can go well again with a repeat back up in trip.

5 10 **PLAY THE GAME (IRE) (98)** (C) **96**
44/0-5 8 10-1 | 64.0kg h+t



John McConnell, Ireland **D. W. O'Connor**
Course winner. 15/2, fifth of 6 in handicap chase at Cartmel (17.3f, good) 54 days ago. Fairly useful on the Flat, respectable on last Flat outing. Others more persuasive.

6 20 **LORD PARK (IRE) (8)** (D) **96**
7-3317608 4 10-0 | 63.5kg



M. Halford, Ireland **Sam Ewing (5lb/2kg)**
Winner at Sligo in June. Creditable close-up eighth of 14 in handicap at Dundalk (10.7f, 10/1) 8 days ago. Not discounted for each-way purposes.

7 17 **MALBAS (21)** **93**
35710561 5 10-0 | 63.5kg t



Denis Hogan, Ireland **D. King (10lb/5kg)**
Career best when winning 15-runner handicap at Killarney (11.2f, soft, 9/1) 21 days ago by ½ length from Prime Chief. 8 lb higher mark to defy back in this more competitive environment, however.

8 16 **SEA TROUT REACH (IRE) (15)** (BF) **98**
35-082063 4 10-0 | 63.5kg s



William Durkan, Ireland **S. B. Kelly**
5/1, creditable third of 14 in handicap at Dundalk (12f) 15 days ago, sticking to task. Effective on turf and mark has eased a little more ahead of this.

9 12 **PACHMENA (IRE) (22)** **97**
42032274 4 9-13 | 63.0kg s



Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland **R. Whearty (7lb/3kg)**
Fourteen runs since last win in 2020. Creditable fourth of 11 in handicap (20/1) at Dundalk (12f) 22 days ago, no extra only late on. Drop back to 10f worth exploring and considered.

10 6 **BIG CHALLENGE (IRE) (7)** **94**
2/6-121290 7 9-12 | 62.6kg



R. Donohoe, Ireland **Shane Foley**
2 wins from 6 runs this year. Latest win at Ballinrobe in July. Last of 20 in handicap at this course (12f, good to soft, 100/1) 7 days ago. Needs to bounce back.

11 5 **DUBLIN JOURNAL (IRE) (131)** (D, BF) **100**
5349-12 3 9-12 | 62.6kg t



J. S. Bolger, Ireland **K. J. Manning**
1 win from 2 runs this year. Winner at Naas in April. Very good second of 5 in handicap behind subsequent Group 3 winner at Gowran (9.5f) in June. One to be interested in on return.

12 7 **PRINCE OF VERONA (USA) (7)** (D) **94**
87412057 3 9-10 | 61.7kg s



Denis Hogan, Ireland **James J. Doyle**
Winner at Naas in July. Respectable seventh of 12 in handicap (16/1) at this course (12f, good to soft) 7 days ago.

13 9 **VERY EXCELLENT (IRE) (13)** **97**
442/09249 5 9-10 | 61.7kg s



Andrew McNamara, Ireland **Emmet McNamara**
11/2, bit below form ninth of 18 in handicap at the Curragh (8f, soft) 13 days ago. Back up in trip.

14 19 **WITHAM RIVER (IRE) (58)** **93**
464220 3 9-9 | 61.2kg



Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **S. M. Crosse**
Eleventh of 12 in handicap at Lingfield (10f, AW, 10/1) 58 days ago, making no impression. Had previously shaped well when second in a Curragh maiden (10f) and he may yet bounce back.

15 15 **STAR IMAGE (7)** **96**
47-043200 3 9-8 | 60.8kg



Thomas Mullins, Ireland **N. G. McCullagh**
Twelve runs since last win in 2020. 20/1, tenth of 12 in handicap at this course (12f, good to soft) 7 days ago. Others more persuasive.

16 1 **TUDOR CITY (IRE) (15)** (D) **99**
0/03-00342 9 9-8 | 60.8kg t



A. J. Martin, Ireland **William James Lee**
Eighteen runs since last win in 2017. Creditable second of 14 in handicap at Dundalk (12f, 25/1) 15 days ago. Not taken lightly.

17 11 **GREAT REALISATION (IRE) (60)** **97**
5-36256 3 9-5 | 59.4kg



Eddie & Patrick Harty, Ireland **Declan McDonogh**
10/3, bit below form sixth of 15 in maiden at Bellewstown (7.8f, good) 60 days ago. Up in trip. Booking of McDonogh a plus. Makes handicap debut. Needs to bounce back.

18 21 **JO MARCH (IRE) (35)** (BF) **94**
4-5079748 3 9-5 | 59.4kg t



Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **D. B. McMonagle (3lb/1kg)**
5/1, below form eighth of 16 in handicap at Gowran (9.4f, good to soft) 35 days ago, slowly away. Looks to be on a workable mark if she can keep the tardy starts at Bay.

19 23 **OLD TOM HIGGINS (IRE) (72)** **88**
9400 3 9-4 | 59.0kg



Luke Comer, Ireland **C. D. Hayes**
Lightly-raced maiden. Thirteenth of 17 in handicap (22/1) at this course (9f, good to soft) 72 days ago. Others more persuasive.

20 4 **RIGHT TURN (IRE) (35)** **98**
07522420 3 9-4 | 59.0kg b+t



G. M. Lyons, Ireland **C. T. Keane**
10/1 and blinkered for 1st time, sixteenth of 17 in maiden at Gowran (9.4f, good to soft) 35 days ago. Likely type to bounce back.

RESERVES

21 18 **STELLAR SPIRIT (IRE) (5)** **94**
65-403237 3 9-3 | 58.5kg t



Jarlath P. Fahey, Ireland **Reserve**
First run since leaving M. Halford when seventh of 9 in handicap (17/2) at Gowran (8f, soft) 5 days ago, unable to sustain effort. Back up in trip. Others more persuasive. Reserve 1.

22 3 **PRIME CHIEF (IRE) (6)** (D) **96**
717-16723 6 9-7 | 60.3kg



Jarlath P. Fahey, Ireland **Reserve**
Latest win at Down Royal in June. Good third of 13 in handicap (8/1) at Naas (10f, soft) 6 days ago, clear of rest. Reserve 2.

5.40**ARDILEA HANDICAP 3yo+ (Rated 50-80) €11,500 1¼m
(2010 Metres)**

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Racing TVi**23 8 NIBIRU (IRE) (8) 97**

904U-8295 6 9-7 | 60.3kg

b+t

97



A. J. Martin, Ireland

Reserve

Unreliable sort. Respectable fifth of 14 in claimer (25/1) at Dundalk (10.7f) 8 days ago. Blinkers back on. Reserve 3.

20 DECLARED RUNNERS (3 RESERVES)

BETTING FORECAST:**11-2** Dublin Journal, **10-1** Malbas, **14-1** Right Turn, **14-1** Sea Trout Reach, **14-1** Jo March, **16-1** Tudor City, **16-1** Takeachancejimmy, **16-1** Pachmena, **18-1** Great Realisation, **18-1** Rebel Tale, **18-1** Witham River, **20-1** Estepona Sun, **22-1** Very Excellent, **22-1** Lord Park, **28-1** Play The Game, **28-1** Prince of Verona, **28-1** Big Challenge, **28-1** Overheer, **40-1** bar**TIMEFORM VIEW:**

DUBLIN JOURNAL hasn't been seen since finishing runner-up at Gowran in June, yet that form has been well and truly boosted since with the winner that day having landed the Gordon Stakes at Goodwood subsequently and he could be the answer operating from a 1 lb lower mark now. Pachmena, dropping in trip, Jo March and Right Turn are others fancied to be in the mix.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. DUBLIN JOURNAL (IRE) 2. PACHMENA (IRE) 3. JO MARCH (IRE)****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**2020 **The Names Jock** 4-10-2 5-1 John E. Kiely M. P. Sheehy (7) 17**SMART STATS:**

No Smart Stats available for this race