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R1 VAAL 1200m
 10:55 | (GMT09:55) | ZAR95,000 | F M PLATE
 4 RACING WELCOMES YOU MAIDEN PLATE
 FLAT **TURF** Participants #17

Big field and plenty of first timers but sticking with QUEEN OF PEARLS (11). Raced on speed on debut and was no match for the winner but stuck on well and finished runner-up. Fitter and better for the experience. Looks hard to beat again. SAVARA'S PRINCESS (3) was safely held over a mile two back but dropped back to the six furlongs here last time and ran a much better race when runner-up. Overdue and will be strong to the line. BOSPHORUS STRAIT (6) is on debut. By Gimmethegreenlight and is out of the Mark Khan stable. From a good family of winners and expecting a bold run. DUCHESS DI (8) is a three-year-old filly on debut from the stable of A P Peter. By William Longsword from I Ain't Trippin. Profiles well and worth watching for a betting push.

1 CHILLI MARMALADE BP: 5
 60.0kg
 76857 Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
 Trainer: C I JONKER
 Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
 Career: 34 : 0-2-3 (7 days)

Beaten 2.75 lengths when fifth at this track two runs ago then was comfortably held last time over 1000m at this track. Looks out of her depth.

2 DONDOYAKI BP: 3
 59.0kg
 26330 Jockey: S MOODLEY
 Trainer: F BRONKHORST
 Owner: Messrs F Bronkhorst & T J
 Career: 7 : 0-1-2 (56 days)

Beaten 3.5 lengths into third at Turffontein Standside two starts ago then appeared at this track last time and finished 13 lengths from the winner in tenth. Hard to beat on her best form.

3 SAVARA'S PRINCESS BP: 15
 59.0kg
 x6262 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
 Trainer: B WEBBER
 Owner: Mr F Swart
 Career: 7 : 0-2-0 (14 days)

Was below her best two back at this track then ran a much better race last start when second over 1200m at this track. Regular rider M K Katjedi back aboard. Hard to beat on that latest effort.

4 EREBUS BP: 11
 59.0kg
 87558 Jockey: J R SYSTER
 Trainer: F BRONKHORST
 Owner: Messrs F Bronkhorst, M S
 Career: 5 : 0-0-0 (11 days)

Didn't inspire again last start, beaten 8 lengths over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Well placed and can do much better.

5 BLOOMING LOVELY BP: 13
 59.0kg
 Jockey: K A BREWER
 Trainer: R SAGE ★
 Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
 Career: First Start

Canford Cliffs filly who makes her debut. Capable of a cheeky run.

6 BOSPHORUS STRAIT BP: 14
 59.0kg
 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
 Trainer: MARK KHAN
 Owner: Mr E Khan
 Career: First Start

Three-year-old filly out of Group 3 winning dam Close The Gap. From a good family of winners. Key runner likely to measure up.

7 COME TOGETHER BP: 8
 59.0kg
 7 Jockey: J PENNY
 Trainer: P MATCHETT
 Owner: Messrs J A Maroun, D Anth
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (21 days)

Made her debut over 1200m at this track last start and was well in the market but could only finish seventh, beaten 6 lengths. J Penny is aboard again. Can feature with that run under her belt.

8 DUCHESS DI BP: 16
 59.0kg
 Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO
 Trainer: A P PETER
 Owner: Adv A P Joubert
 Career: First Start

Filly by William Longsword out of I Ain't Trippin on debut. Looks set to run well.

9 LOVE ON THE HORIZON BP: 2
 59.0kg
 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
 Trainer: MARK KHAN
 Owner: Messrs J A Maroun, D Anth
 Career: First Start

Filly by Horizon at the races for the first time. Can measure up.

10 MY QUEEN AMANAT BP: 7
 59.0kg
 Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
 Trainer: S TARRY
 Owner: Messrs Steven Chetty & S
 Career: First Start

Daughter of Horizon from Freudiana making her debut. Half to Grade 1 winner Son Of Raj. Will pay to keep an eye on betting moves.

11 QUEEN OF PEARLS BP: 12
 59.0kg
 2 Jockey: C MURRAY
 Trainer: M & M DE KOCK ★
 Owner: Wilgerbosdrift (Pty) Ltd
 Career: 1 : 0-1-0 (33 days)

Faced the starter for the first time last start and did a good job to finish second over 1200m at Turffontein Inside. In the market that day so the effort came as no surprise.

12 RED ENCHANTRESS BP: 6
 59.0kg
 9x Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★
 Trainer: P P LABUSCHAGNE
 Owner: Messrs E Blome, J J Matth
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (89 days)

Was uninspiring on debut when she was beaten 12 lengths into ninth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside on July 12. Watch for sharp improvement this time in work.

13 RISSIEPIT BP: 10
 59.0kg
 7 Jockey: P MXOLI
 Trainer: ALSON NDZILANA
 Owner: Mr Sandhiran Govender & M
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (53 days)

Made little impression on debut over 1200m Turffontein Inside when seventh, beaten 13 lengths. Others look better prospects.

14 THE REASON BP: 4
 59.0kg
 Jockey: RICHARD FOURIE ★
 Trainer: S TARRY
 Owner: Mr L M Michael & Sean Tar
 Career: First Start

Filly by Skitt Skizzle at the races for the first time. Should run a bold race.

15 TRULY MAGICAL BP: 9
 59.0kg
 7x Jockey: MARCO VAN RENSBURG
 Trainer: JAMES CRAWFORD
 Owner: Tkp Racing (Nom: Trevelen
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (271 days)

Has only raced once, back on 11/01/2025, when a well-beaten seventh over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. Looks tested at this stage.

16 WINTER WEDDING BP: 1
 59.0kg
 86x Jockey: K J LIHABA
 Trainer: A P PETER
 Owner: Mrs E Du Preez
 Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (84 days)

Resumes after a spell of 12 weeks. Did little in her maiden campaign, culminating in a sixth over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Maybe later.

17 GREEN STREET BP: 17
 60.0kg
 x676x Jockey: NOT DECLARED
 Trainer: S TARRY
 Owner: Kestorm Investments (Nom:
 Career: 6 : 0-2-0 (116 days)

Has not raced since finishing sixth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside on June 15. Not keen.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
12		1, 2, 16	3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	11				8	11	
2nd	17	-	-	-	16	14	-
3rd	2				11	15	

Favorite: QUEEN OF PEARLS
 Possible alternative: DONDOYAKI
 The cover: SAVARA'S PRINCESS

R2 VAAL 1200m
 11:30 | (GMT10:30) | ZAR R105,000 | MPLATE
 RACING TODAY MAIDEN PLATE
 FLAT **TURF** Participants #12

The racers haven't done a lot so sticking with the first starters. **GEOSTORM** (6) is a beautifully bred three-year-old gelding on debut. By Buffalo Bill Cody from Musical Romance and is a full brother to Grade 1 winner Buffalo Storm Cody. Expected to measure up. **STONEWOOD** (12) is a three-year-old colt on debut by William Longsword from Beshaayir who has been a fine producer including Grade 1 winner Dyce. Top rider engaged and should be primed to run well. **RUSSEL SQUARE** (10) is another debutante. By Admiral Kitten and is out of the Mark Khan stable. Watch for a betting push. **SPACE MISSION** (11) had one start in first campaign then was put away again. That was over 1160m at Turffontein Standside when a solid third and should run very well.

1 MILAN'S WORLD BP: 4
 60.0kg
 44x5x Jockey: C HABIB
 Trainer: STARRY
 Owner: Sean Tarry Racing (Pty) L
 Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (355 days)

Last appeared a year ago when he finished 6 lengths from the winner in fifth over 1600m at Turffontein Inside. Yet to place in four runs but better than the record suggests. In the mix on best form.

2 COPPER CLIFF BP: 5
 60.0kg
 4x78x Jockey: R A VENNIKER
 Trainer: P MATCHETT
 Owner: Messrs B S Tobias & G Bar
 Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (264 days)

Last appeared nine months ago when he finished 17 lengths from the winner in eighth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside. Should be right in the mix.

3 RINGHO BP: 1
 60.0kg
 63344 Jockey: N KLINK
 Trainer: C I JONKER
 Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
 Career: 31 : 0-2-5 (7 days)

Has collected a few midfield finishes of late including last time out when fourth over 1000m at this track. Thereabouts without winning and in the mix on best.

4 ANONYMOUS BP: 7
 60.0kg
 Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO
 Trainer: F ROUX
 Owner: Mr P J Louwrens
 Career: First Start

Act Of War entire who makes his debut. Likely to be better for this outing.

5 STORM BURST BP: 3
 59.0kg
 78364 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
 Trainer: P P LABUSCHAGNE
 Owner: Mr E Blome
 Career: 6 : 0-0-1 (14 days)

Maiden galloper in first campaign. Has been out of the money recently including last start when fourth over 1200m at this track two weeks ago, beaten 6 lengths. Thereabouts without winning and worth keeping safe.

6 GEOSTORM BP: 11
 59.0kg
 Jockey: K J LIHABA
 Trainer: A P PETER
 Owner: Kestorm Investments (Nom)
 Career: First Start

Three-year-old gelding who was purchased for ZAR R 280,000 (Bloodstock South Africa 2024 Cape Yearling Sale). Full brother to Grade 1 winner Buffalo Storm Cody. Profiles nicely for this and expected to measure up.

7 ICE DRAGON BP: 9
 59.0kg
 Jockey: P MXOLI
 Trainer: S GRAY
 Owner: Mr St John D Gray
 Career: First Start

Gelding by Lance out of Shivering Sea on debut. Should kick off on the right note.

8 MILLENNIUM WARRIOR BP: 6
 59.0kg
 8x Jockey: T TRENT MAYHEW
 Trainer: S STARRY
 Owner: Sa Punters Forum Syndicat
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (82 days)

Has only raced once, back on 19/07/2025, when a well-beaten eighth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Can do much better this time in work.

9 PLATINUM HILL BP: 10
 59.0kg
 Jockey: MARCO VAN RENSBURG
 Trainer: ALSON NDZILANA
 Owner: Mr Q J Manoko
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (9 days)

Started at a big price on debut last start and reflected that lack of market confidence when 19 lengths back in tenth over 1200m at this track. Won't find this any easier so he must improve sharply.

10 RUSSEL SQUARE BP: 12
 59.0kg
 Jockey: J PENNY
 Trainer: MARK KHAN
 Owner: Messrs J A Maroun, D Anth
 Career: First Start

Admiral Kitten gelding who makes his debut. Expected to run well.

11 SPACE MISSION BP: 8
 59.0kg
 3x Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
 Trainer: S STARRY
 Owner: Messrs G G Anthony, A Lah
 Career: 1 : 0-0-1 (123 days)

Did a bit wrong on debut back on June 8 however still finished third over 1160m at Turffontein Standside. Solid debut then put away again. Makes plenty of appeal.

12 STONEYWOOD BP: 2
 59.0kg
 Jockey: RICHARD FOURIE ★
 Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
 Owner: Mr D Shawe
 Career: First Start

Colt by William Longsword out of Beshaayir on debut. Full brother to Grade 1 winner Dyce. Leading rider engaged and sure to be well fancied.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
9	5	3	1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	11	-	-	-	6	12	-
2nd	3	-	-	-	12	9	-
3rd	1	-	-	-	7	1	-

Favorite: **GEOSTORM**
 Possible alternative: **STONEWOOD**
 The cover: **MILAN'S WORLD**

R3 VAAL 1200m
 12:05 | (GMT11:05) | ZAR R100,000 | FM RBH72
 PLAY SOCCER 6, 10 AND 13 FM 72 APPR...
 FLAT **TURF** Participants #8

Wide open race. **GIMMEFORSURE** (1) was a debut winner over 1000m then wasn't far away at only other run when sixth and put away again. Resuming in easier grade and aided by the claim. Expected to go close. **BLINDFIRE** (4) is building to a win placing at last two and looks a serious threat. The latest was here when runner-up and beaten a length and will be tough to beat again. **MICKE'S BOMB** (8) is another working up to a win and put the writing on the wall last time finishing almost alongside Blindfire in the same race. Has a nice weight after the claim and gets chance. **TIME FOR CHARITY** (5) was a winner five back then has placed in all four since. Hard to knock the consistency and is right in the mix again.

1 GIMMEFORSURE BP: 6
 60.0kg
 16x Jockey: D D LOUW
 Trainer: M & M DE KOCK ★
 Owner: Mr P M Murugasa
 BF Career: 2 : 1-0-0 (105 days)

Returns from a spell after finishing sixth at her last appearance over 1000m at Turffontein Inside on June 26. Expected to measure up.

2 OPERA FAN BP: 8
 58.5kg
 5321x Jockey: K J LIHABA
 Trainer: P MATCHETT
 Owner: Mr K R C Kemsley
 Career: 7 : 1-2-2 (92 days)

Back from a spell of three months. Closed last prep with a maiden win by a neck over 1600m at Scottsville. Anticipating a bright start to the campaign.

3 MISTY METAL BP: 3
 58.5kg
 66416 Jockey: S VALJALO
 Trainer: A P PETER
 Owner: Mr G G Palmer & Mrs D Pal
 D Career: 11 : 2-0-1 (21 days)

Winner two back but couldn't go on with it last start when sixth over 1200m at this track. Better than last start and aided with the claim.

4 BLINDFIRE

BP: 1
57.5kg



17532 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Hyperpaint Syndicate (Nom)
C BF Career: 8 : 1-1-2 (21 days)

Three-year-old filly who has a poor winning strike rate but rarely away, the latest when placed over 1200m at this course. Has the ability and on best figures gets chance.

5 TIME FOR CHARITY

BP: 5
57.5kg



13223 Jockey: N NASTILI
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mr D V & Mrs R Woolley &
CD Career: 36 : 4-4-3 (14 days)

Going well recently including a last start third beaten 1.5 lengths over 1100m at this track. Placed all four since a win and looks one of the chances.

6 GOLDEN ASPEN

BP: 7
56.5kg



83624 Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: C SPIES
Owner: Messrs G W Jooste, X Spie
CD Career: 88 : 9-7-15 (25 days)

Finished second over 1600m at this track two back then missed the frame last time out over 1200m at Scottsville. Can atone.

7 SHE'S ALL MINE

BP: 2
55.5kg



6761 Jockey: G DOOKHIT
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mr F Swart
CD Career: 4 : 1-0-0 (14 days)

Broke her maiden status two weeks ago at this track over 1200m, getting home by 2.25 lengths. This looks far tougher.

8 MICKE'S BOMB

BP: 4
55.0kg



74473 Jockey: J BOTES
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mr C J Potgieter & Dr M T
D Career: 47 : 3-3-4 (21 days)

Is not a prolific winner with just three victories from 47 starts. Last start finished third over 1200m at this track. Finds a suitable race and should play a big role.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
	1, 6, 7	5, 8	3, 4				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1	1	7	7	3	3	6
2nd	2	7	3	4	4	4	-
3rd	4	3	6	5	1	2	-

Favorite: GIMMEFORSURE
Possible alternative: BLINDFIRE
The cover: MICKE'S BOMB

R4 VAAL

1200m

12:40 | (GMT11:40) | ZAR R110,000 | FM RBH93

RACING240 FM 93 DIVIDED HANDICAP

FLAT **TURF**

Participants #10

FRANCILIEN (2) is long overdue for a win. Has placed both runs this campaign and boasts a great record this course and distance, with two wins and two placings from five tries. Ready to win and is the one to beat. KOMATI RIVER (4) is a last start winner here and will carry the same weight with the same apprentice aboard again. Back in form and should go close if runs to latest figures. LIMERICK LACE (7) resumes and is worth another chance. Was a debut winner then stepped straight up in class and distance and was heavily bet but ran well below best. Immediately tipped out and returns here off a good break. Can bounce back fresh. FLIGHT OF A CONDOR (6) returns after a spell of three months. Speedy type with a low draw and a light weight. Will give a big sight.

1 MISS LIA

BP: 7
61.0kg



30x6x Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: World Sports Betting (Nom)
CD BF Career: 8 : 2-2-2 (70 days)

Hasn't raced since finishing sixth over 1450m at this track ten weeks ago. Can play a major role.

2 FRANCILIEN

BP: 9
60.5kg



44x22 Jockey: RICHARD FOURIE ★
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Wilgerbosdrift (Pty) Ltd
CD BF Career: 8 : 2-3-0 (21 days)

Honest type who has filled the minors money on both runs this time in. Last start finished second beaten a long neck over 1200m at this track. Fitter and is among the winning hopes.

3 KINDRED HEART

BP: 10
59.5kg



3130x Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: JAMES CRAWFORD
Owner: Assm Racing Syndicate (No)
CD Career: 18 : 2-3-5 (128 days)

Has not raced since finishing tenth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside on June 3. Placed 2/3 fresh but prefer the place.

4 KOMATI RIVER

BP: 5
58.0kg



85851 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★★
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Adv A P Joubert
CD Career: 12 : 3-2-0 (21 days)

Handy filly who is racing well, including a win last start over 1200m at this track. Likely to feature.

5 BOSUM BUDDY

BP: 6
56.5kg



33783 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Bella Blu Holdings (Pty)
CD Career: 16 : 1-2-7 (21 days)

In the placings nine times from 16 starts but has just the one win to her name. Made nice progress last time out when third over 1200m at this track. Can feature in the finish.

6 FLIGHT OF A CONDOR

BP: 1
56.0kg



1812x Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW +
Trainer: D STENGER
Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
CD Career: 10 : 3-3-0 (89 days)

Has not raced since finishing second over 1160m at Turffontein Standside on July 12. Very strong performer at this stage of the prep. Has to be respected.

7 LIMERICK LACE

BP: 8
53.0kg



16x Jockey: J R SYSTER
Trainer: M & M DE KOCK ★
Owner: Messrs G Ragunan & M F De
D Career: 2 : 1-0-0 (123 days)

Returns from a spell after finishing sixth at her last appearance over 1400m at Turffontein Standside on June 8. Resuming in easier and gets chance to bounce back.

8 LETS GO LOLA

BP: 3
52.5kg



1330x Jockey: P MXOLI +
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr H P N Pretorius
Career: 5 : 1-0-3 (74 days)

Has not raced since finishing 8 lengths away in tenth over 1200m at Greyville on July 27. Managed to fill a minor placing first-up last prep at Turffontein Standside over 1160m. Looking to others for the winner.

9 WAY TO BURN

BP: 2
52.0kg



53897 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mind Gym Cc (Nom: G K Rei
Career: 23 : 2-1-2 (11 days)

Finished seventh last start over 1450m at Turffontein Inside and is now 330 days without a win. Won't find this easy.

10 TAKE YOUR PLACE

BP: 4
52.0kg



230x4 Jockey: J GATES
Trainer: B B RUITERS
Owner: Mr M G Bothma & Mrs A M B
Career: 21 : 1-6-3 (53 days)

Reasonable effort first up last start, finishing fourth and beaten 2.75 lengths over 1200m at Turffontein Inside. Will need this run.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
		4, 5, 8, 9	1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1	7	7	1	4	3	-
2nd	4	4	6	6	2	2	-
3rd	7	1	1	2	7	1	-

Favorite: FRANCILIEN
Possible alternative: KOMATI RIVER
The cover: LIMERICK LACE

R5 VAAL 1000m
 13:15 | (GMT12:15) | ZAR R150,000 | OPEN
 #YOU CAN BET ON US! PINNACLE STAKES
 FLAT **TURF** Participants #12

Good race but sticking with the class of DYCE (1). Already a Grade 1 winner who goes very well here and has won 2/4 when fresh. Big weight but leading rider aboard and should go close if anywhere near best. MOUNT PINATUBO (5) is a progressive type with four wins and four minors from just 10 tries. Has a good record fresh and loves the trip. Expected to feature. TRUTH (2) is also resuming. Started last campaign with a minor placing over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Grade 3 winner over 1100m. Goes well fresh and over this trip will give a start but rattle home. KARATE KID (12) is going well with four minor placings from four starts this time in work. Deserves a win and can feature in the finish again.

1 DYCE BP: 8 62.0kg
 1124x Jockey: RICHARD FOURIE ★
 Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
 Owner: Mr D Shawe
CD Career: 22 : 10-4-0 (257 days)

Returns to racing after a nine months break. Last appeared when he finished fourth over 1000m at Kenilworth. Has won multiple races when fresh from a spell and he goes well over this journey. Grade 1 winner who will go close.

2 TRUTH BP: 4 58.0kg
 3405x Jockey: S MOODLEY
 Trainer: C DAWSON
 Owner: Messrs L M Nestadt, Gary
BF Career: 14 : 4-1-2 (68 days)

Last appeared ten weeks ago when he finished 5.5 lengths from the winner in fifth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at Turffontein Standside over 1400m. Definite winning hope.

3 MOUNT PILATUS BP: 7 56.0kg
 6150x Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★
 Trainer: F BRONKHORST
 Owner: Bryan & Taryn Spong & Mr
C Career: 21 : 5-3-4 (131 days)

Has not raced since finishing tenth over 1200m in the G2 Golden Horse Sprint at Scottsville on May 31. Not keen.

4 MOVER AND SHAKER BP: 11 56.0kg
 30x92 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
 Trainer: F P HABIB
 Owner: Messrs J Nassif, G J Nass
CD Career: 35 : 6-5-3 (50 days)

Strips fitter after two runs this campaign. Finished second last start over 1000m at Scottsville, an improvement in the first-up effort. May need one more.

5 MOUNT PINATUBO BP: 10 56.0kg
 21x3x Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
 Trainer: J A J V VUUREN ★
 Owner: Wernars Family, D C Stone
D Career: 10 : 4-2-2 (68 days)

Fresh from a spell of ten weeks. Yet to miss a minor placing in three first-up runs. Expected to make a bright return.

6 TAXI TO THE MOON BP: 12 56.0kg
 07x8x Jockey: K J LIHABA
 Trainer: A P PETER
 Owner: Kestorm Investments (Nom:
CD Career: 14 : 4-1-2 (95 days)

Sent for a let up after a disappointing eighth over 1100m at Turffontein Standside three-and-a-half months ago. Likely to need this run.

7 ANFIELDS ROCKET BP: 3 54.0kg
 8850x Jockey: J R SYSTER
 Trainer: G MAROUN
 Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
CD BF Career: 27 : 6-2-2 (131 days)

Hasn't raced since finishing 11th over 1200m in the G2 Golden Horse Sprint at Scottsville four-and-a-half months ago. See how he returns.

8 CHYAVANA BP: 9 54.0kg
 38015 Jockey: C HABIB +
 Trainer: J A J V VUUREN ★
 Owner: Wernars Family, H Willson
CD Career: 27 : 9-3-4 (40 days)

Finished 5 lengths back when a disappointing fifth last time over 1200m at this track. Better than the last start suggests.

9 DREAMLAND BP: 5 54.0kg
 4457x Jockey: D D LOUW
 Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
 Owner: Wernars Family
D Career: 26 : 6-4-2 (68 days)

Last appeared ten weeks ago when he finished 12 lengths from the winner in seventh over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. Likely to be up for this.

10 SHELDON BP: 6 54.0kg
 66821 Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO +
 Trainer: J A J V VUUREN ★
 Owner: Wernars Family
CD Career: 35 : 7-5-6 (47 days)

Broke through for an overdue win last time over 1000m at Turffontein Inside. This tougher but is a six time winner at the trip and drops hugely in the weights for this.

11 CHROME TOURMALINE BP: 2 52.0kg
 1340x Jockey: J GATES
 Trainer: F P HABIB
 Owner: Messrs D Chinsammy & J Na
CD Career: 16 : 4-2-2 (131 days)

Hasn't raced since finishing 14th over 1200m in the G1 SA Fillies Sprint at Scottsville four-and-a-half months ago. Can return with a bold run.

12 KARATE KID BP: 1 52.0kg
 x3232 Jockey: P MXOLI +
 Trainer: P MATCHETT
 Owner: Miss E L Maguire, Messrs
CD BF Career: 12 : 3-3-3 (19 days)

Handy gelding who is racing well, including a solid second last start over 1000m at Turffontein Inside. Long overdue and worth following up.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
	3, 7, 8, 11, 12	2, 6, 10	1, 4, 5, 9

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1	3	5	6	6	1	10
2nd	3	1	7	7	5	8	-
3rd	2	5	11	12	8	2	-

Favorite: DYCE
 Possible alternative: MOUNT PINATUBO
 The cover: TRUTH

R6 VAAL 1600m
 13:55 | (GMT12:55) | ZAR R130,000 | RBH96
 ALLIED STEELRODE CHARITY MILE 1 NOV...
 FLAT **TURF** Participants #12

PALACE PRINCE (11) is a colt who continues to race well and is having his first try at the mile. Huge win over 1200m two back here then runner-up here last time. Huge weight drop for this race and expected to measure up. MOUNT DARWIN (8) just missed here at the trip two back then fourth in one class over further latest. Yet to win at the mile but has placed 3/5. Ready to win and should go close. BIRTHRIGHT (7) has been going well, winning over a mile two back then dropped back to 1400m latest and missed the frame. Best form is back up at this trip and gets chance to atone. MASTERSHIP (5) is fitter for two runs back and put the writing on the wall latest when placed here at the same trip. Can feature again.

1 INFINITE WONDER BP: 1 60.0kg
 500x4 Jockey: K A BREWER
 Trainer: MANO PANDARAM
 Owner: Mr M Pandaram
D Career: 16 : 3-2-0 (19 days)

Wasn't expected to do much when fresh from a spell last start at Turffontein Inside over 1800m and wound up in fourth, beaten 2.5 lengths. Didn't do enough first up to raise hopes.

2 ALADDIN'S LAMP BP: 7 58.5kg
 2111x Jockey: C MURRAY +
 Trainer: JAMES CRAWFORD
 Owner: Mr P M Murugasa
C Career: 16 : 5-2-0 (82 days)

Last appeared 12 weeks ago when he won over 2400m at Turffontein Standside. Form shown last campaign makes for good reading.

3 SILENT WAR

BP: 11
58.5kg

55793 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Messrs A Lang, D Yutar, I
CD Career: 44 : 7-8-5 (19 days)



Seasoned galloper who hasn't broken through for 16 months. Wasn't far away last time when third over 1800m at Turffontein Inside. Bold showing expected.

10 TO THE RESCUE

BP: 8
53.0kg

2305x Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Mr A R & Mrs A B L Beck
C Career: 26 : 3-3-5 (68 days)



Has not raced since finishing 7 lengths away in fifth over 2850m at Turffontein Standside on August 2. Unlikely to trouble the top few.

1 FOLLOW THE MASTER

BP: 5
60.5kg

22216 Jockey: J GATES +
Trainer: F P HABIB
Owner: Messrs M G Bothma, G J Na
D Career: 11 : 1-3-1 (7 days)



Scored over 1800m at Turffontein Inside two back then missed the frame last time out over 1800m at this track. Trip suits and will take running down.

4 FLASHY APACHE

BP: 2
58.0kg

0208x Jockey: N NASTILI
Trainer: T ZACKKEY *
Owner: Mr K P & Mrs N M Backos
CD Career: 41 : 4-9-6 (154 days)



Handy galloper resuming. Has never won when fresh from a spell but has recorded two wins at 1600m. Has ability but will be better for the run.

11 PALACE PRINCE

BP: 9
52.0kg

25412 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
C BF Career: 7 : 2-2-1 (14 days)



Went down narrowly last start when well in the market, finishing second at this track over 1200m, beaten only half a length. First try at the trip but going well and has the weight to feature.

2 PAGE BOY

BP: 8
59.5kg

699x4 Jockey: S MOODLEY
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Wernars Family
Career: 8 : 1-0-0 (21 days)



Beaten 5 lengths into fourth when resuming last start over 1400m at this track. Fitter for that run and expected to be in the finish this time.

5 MASTERSHIP

BP: 4
57.5kg

x6x63 Jockey: MARCO VAN RENSBURG
Trainer: D STENGER
Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
D Career: 16 : 3-2-4 (56 days)



Found a couple better last time out over 1600m at this track, beaten just third. Ready to win and in the mix again.

12 UNSOLVED RIDDLE

BP: 10
52.0kg

51334 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: G MAROUN
Owner: Mr G J Maroun
CD BF Career: 27 : 4-3-5 (37 days)



Won two times earlier on in his prep, most recently finished fourth beaten 3.5 lengths at this track over 1800m. Goes well course and distance and has a huge weight drop for this.

3 MIZZEN SWORD

BP: 3
57.5kg

41973 Jockey: J PENNY +
Trainer: MARK KHAN
Owner: Mark Khan Racing (Pty) Lt
D Career: 19 : 1-3-2 (28 days)



Ran a better race last start to finish third at this track over 1600m. Nicely placed and rates highly off that run. Expected in the finish.

6 IMPERIAL MASTER

BP: 12
57.0kg

48x6x Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: SPETTIGREW *
Owner: Messrs I Snyman & R Petti
CD Career: 44 : 6-7-12 (82 days)



Resuming. Only had the one run last prep and didn't make an impact, beaten 4 lengths into sixth over 1800m at Turffontein Standside. Won't threaten at this stage of the prep.

4 PEACE TREATY

BP: 2
57.0kg

66902 Jockey: D D LOUW
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Messdames H Kuhn & B M A L
Career: 16 : 1-2-1 (7 days)



Has a poor strike rate and hasn't won a race in more than a year. Did a good job last time out when second over 1800m at this track but suspect he must improve further to feature here.

7 BIRTHRIGHT

BP: 6
56.0kg

62414 Jockey: C HABIB +
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Messrs G C Cornwall, L Cl
D Career: 22 : 3-4-5 (61 days)



Won two starts ago then back to earth last time when fourth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Best form is at this trip and gets chance to bounce back.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
	4	1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 10, 12	5, 6, 9, 11				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	11	11	5	3	3	5	4
2nd	9	12	1	9	10	7	1
3rd	12	7	7	10	6	12	3

Favorite: ALADDIN'S LAMP
Possible alternative: PALACE PRINCE
The cover: BIRTHRIGHT

5 ZOOBOMBER

BP: 1
55.5kg

x4007 Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: C SPIES
Owner: Green Lightning Racing (P
Career: 34 : 2-3-3 (7 days)



Is not a regular in the winner's stall and continued the trend last start when seventh over 1700m at this track. Not keen.

8 MOUNT DARWIN

BP: 5
56.0kg

2x724 Jockey: J R SYSTER
Trainer: SPETTIGREW *
Owner: Messrs M K Wittstock, I S
C Career: 16 : 2-4-1 (37 days)



Five-year-old gelding who drops in journey from the last start when fourth over 2000m at this track, finishing 3 lengths off the winner. Going well and should be prominent again.

6 FLAG BEARER

BP: 6
55.0kg

02969 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA *+
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mr F Bronkhorst
CD Career: 70 : 5-13-12 (7 days)



Genuine gelding. Course and distance winner whose latest effort was a ninth over 1800m at this track. Well weighted with the claim and drops in class for this.

9 DOUGLAS DRAGON

BP: 3
53.5kg

x432x Jockey: J PENNY +
Trainer: MARK KHAN
Owner: Messrs J A Maroun, D Anth
C BF Career: 16 : 2-6-1 (126 days)



Has had a few chances but doesn't win out of tum. Looks close to a win, the latest effort a solid second over 2600m at Turffontein Inside. Cannot be left out of calculations.

7 BLURRED VISION

BP: 7
54.5kg

85788 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
C Career: 23 : 1-1-1 (7 days)



Has been out of the money recently including last start when eighth over 1700m at this track a week ago, beaten 4 lengths. Best form stacks up nicely so worth another chance.

R7 VAAL 1800m

14:30 | (GMT13:30) | ZARR85,000 | RBH74

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FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

Weak race where PAGE BOY (2) gets the chance to score an overdue win. Was a huge maiden winner earlier in the year and has tackled some tougher races since but yet to feature. Fitter and suited by the extra ground after a solid return. Won't get a better chance to find some winning form. Likewise MIZZEN SWORD (3) is after a long overdue second success. Sole career win was over this journey and did run well last time when placed over a mile. Drawn to feature. BLURRED VISION (7) has been out of the frame for a while but is going better than form suggests. Nice weight and can turn it around. FULL GO (9) was in the money two back here but disappointing last time over 2000m. Suitably placed so anticipating a better run this time.

8 VAVA VEGAS

BP: 9
52.5kg



75066 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: J BORMAN
Owner: Mr G R Sadleir
C Career: 43 : 4-2-2 (14 days)

Form has been poor, the latest effort a well-beaten sixth over 2000m at this track two weeks ago. Well-placed today and is open to plenty of improvement.

1 THE MIGHTIEST

BP: 9
60.0kg



75850 Jockey: K J LIHABA +
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr Q H A Koekemoer
Career: 15 : 1-3-0 (9 days)

Not disgraced when fifth two starts back but finished well off the pace last start over 1400m at this track when 13th, beaten 14 lengths. Capable of much better performance.

8 POMOZELOUS

BP: 3
56.5kg



02783 Jockey: D PILLAY
Trainer: J SOMA ★
Owner: Messrs J A Soma, D Chinsa
CD Career: 14 : 1-3-2 (37 days)

Finds it hard to win with just the one career success which came quite a while back. Last start was third over 2000m at this track on September 2. Looks tested in this line-up.

9 FULL GO

BP: 4
52.0kg



03520 Jockey: J R SYSTER
Trainer: B B RUITERS
Owner: Mr N J W Deetlefs
CD Career: 62 : 3-6-8 (14 days)

Is not a prolific winner with just three victories from 62 starts. Last start finished 11th over 2000m at this track. In a suitable race and should be in the mix.

2 ARTIC SILVER

BP: 4
59.5kg



35x77 Jockey: D D LOUW
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Kestrom Investments (Nom:
CD BF Career: 12 : 1-0-2 (11 days)

Yet to find the frame in two runs since resuming from a spell, the latest effort a seventh over 2000m at Turffontein Inside a week-and-a-half ago. Well held last time but fitter and won only try course and distance.

9 COUNT YOUR CHANCES

BP: 6
52.0kg



58900 Jockey: B MARX-JACOBSON
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
C Career: 51 : 2-4-7 (9 days)

Offered little last start when friendless in betting over 1400m at this track. Has the task ahead.

10 CREPUSCOLO

BP: 10
52.0kg



94603 Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO
Trainer: F P HABIB
Owner: Messrs M G Bothma, G J Na
C Career: 21 : 1-0-3 (7 days)

Just one career win from 21 starts. Last start finished 3 lengths away in third over 1700m at this track. Confidence low and others rate better.

3 KISS OF FIRE

BP: 2
58.5kg



79112 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★ +
Trainer: P P LABUSCHAGNE
Owner: Mr E Blome
CD Career: 13 : 3-2-1 (14 days)

Six-year-old mare who drops in journey from the last start when second over 2000m at this track, finishing one length off the winner. Key runner.

4 BOLD ACTION

BP: 8
58.0kg



431x8 Jockey: J BOTES
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Messrs C J Potgieter & F
Career: 7 : 1-1-1 (28 days)

Beaten 8 lengths into eighth when resuming last start over 1600m at this track. Rates highly and should improve.

5 HOLLYWOOD MADAM

BP: 1
58.0kg



x4317 Jockey: S VALJALO
Trainer: J SOMA ★
Owner: Ms S Wilson & Mr J A Soma
C Career: 6 : 1-0-1 (28 days)

Promising mare who last start finished 6 lengths away in seventh over 1600m at this track. Well placed and sure to be in the finish.

6 HOPSCOTCH

BP: 5
56.5kg



231x8 Jockey: N NASTILI
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Messrs C J Potgieter & F
D Career: 8 : 1-2-1 (14 days)

Resumed with a lacklustre performance over 1600m at this track when eighth, beaten 22 lengths. Better placed this time so should run a bold race.

7 INSTANT ATTRACTION

BP: 7
56.5kg



24674 Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: C MAYHEW
Owner: Messrs S Govender, R D Du
C Career: 15 : 1-3-4 (61 days)

In the placings seven times from 15 starts but has just the one win to her name. Made nice progress last time out when fourth over 1800m at Turffontein Standside. Can feature in the finish.

1 FREE IN SEATTLE

BP: 4
60.0kg



25414 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
CD BF Career: 26 : 3-7-3 (11 days)

Got home by a nose at this track two starts ago. Disappointed last time at Turffontein Inside when 5.5 lengths from the winner in fourth. Great record course and distance and gets chance to atone.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
	3, 8, 9	6, 10	1, 4, 5

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	5	5	3	8	2	2	5
2nd	2	2	6	6	4	7	8
3rd	3	3	9	9	7	6	-

Favorite: PAGE BOY
Possible alternative: MIZZEN SWORD
The cover: BLURRED VISION

R8 VAAL

1800m

15:05 | (GMT+14:05) | ZARR100,000 | FM RBH71

BETWAY SUMMER CUP 29 NOVEMBER FM 71...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #9

Moderate race where KISS OF FIRE (3) should go close on recent form. Won two on end before a near miss here last time over 2000m. Drawn well and back a furlong go find winning form again. HOPSCOTCH (6) resumed over a mile here and was safely held. Much better than that and fitter again for the longer trip. Expecting big improvement. HOLLYWOOD MADAM (5) turned in a nice effort to score two runs ago at this track. Well below best last time but gets another chance here with the nice weight. BOLD ACTION (4) failed to threaten when fresh from a spell last time out, beaten 8 lengths over 1600m at this track. Did place only try track and trip and fitter again. In the mix.

R9 VAAL

1800m

15:40 | (GMT+14:40) | ZARR110,000 | FM RBH86

NEXT VAAL RACEMEETING TUESDAY 14 OCT...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #9

FUTURE DATE (5) is going well and looks hard to beat. Stepped to to 2000m here latest and boxed on well for third. Both career wins have been here and will take catching off the nice draw. FREE IN SEATTLE (1) ran fifth in the same race as Future Date. Boasts a record here of a win and five minors from seven tries at the course and distance. Should be in the finish. DIMAKO'S JET (2) resumes from a short break. Yet to win fresh but rates well on best and trip suits. PRETTY ANALIA (9) was not far away last time out, finishing fourth over 1600m at this track. Yet to win but has placed at the trip and expected to give a sight at odds with the nice weight.

1 FREE IN SEATTLE

BP: 4
60.0kg



25414 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
CD BF Career: 26 : 3-7-3 (11 days)

Got home by a nose at this track two starts ago. Disappointed last time at Turffontein Inside when 5.5 lengths from the winner in fourth. Great record course and distance and gets chance to atone.

2 DIMAKO'S JET

BP: 6
59.0kg



1327x Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Messrs P T & P Dimakogian
D Career: 15 : 3-4-2 (75 days)

Hasn't raced since finishing seventh over 1800m at Turffontein Standside 11 weeks ago. Trip suits and among the leading players if presented on song.

9 PRETTY ANALIA

BP: 7
54.0kg



48634 Jockey: S MOODLEY
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mr L A Marques
C Career: 38 : 3-7-5 (28 days)

Has just three wins to her name but has been in the minor end of the prize a further 12 times from 38 starts. Last start finished fourth over 1600m at this track, beaten 1.2 lengths. Doesn't win often but well weighted in this.

3 FETCHING FLYER

BP: 2
58.0kg



23690 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs B S Tobias, D G Lu
Career: 17 : 2-2-2 (11 days)

Offered little last start when friendless in betting over 2000m at Turffontein Inside. Makes no appeal.

4 KEY WORKER

BP: 1
57.5kg



56573 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: SPETTIGREW ★
Owner: Varsfontein Stud (Pty) Lt
CD Career: 13 : 2-2-1 (47 days)

Better run last start when 19 lengths adrift in third over 3000m at Turffontein Inside. Capable of a strong showing.

5 FUTURE DATE

BP: 5
56.5kg



34153 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
C Career: 14 : 2-1-3 (11 days)

Drops in journey from the latest effort when third over 2000m at Turffontein Inside, finishing 2.5 lengths off the winner. Winning hope.

6 MOUNT ETNA

BP: 3
56.5kg



89985 Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN +
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Dr M Taljaardt
CD Career: 35 : 4-2-4 (11 days)

Has been safely held at her last few runs, the latest a well-beaten fifth over 2000m at Turffontein Inside. Unreliable and needs to do more.

7 BOOM BOOM

BP: 8
55.5kg



75624 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mesdames M M De Wet, S H
C Career: 40 : 4-5-4 (9 days)

Has just four wins and nine minor placings from 40 starts. Last start finished fourth over 1400m at this track, beaten 6 lengths. Prepared to risk in this line-up.

8 WAGRAM

BP: 9
54.0kg



20367 Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Messrs K P Nagendran & R
Career: 10 : 1-1-3 (42 days)

Lightly raced filly who was beaten 5 lengths into seventh last start over 1800m at this track. One of the chances.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader				
	6, 7, 9	1, 3, 4	2, 5				
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	2	2	4	4	3	2	
2nd	1	3	2	5	4	9	-
3rd	9	9	1	6	8	8	

Favorite: FUTURE DATE
Possible alternative: FREE IN SEATTLE
The cover: DIMAKO'S JET