

R1 SCOTTSVILLE 1600m
 11:25 | (GMT10:25) | ZARR110,000 | MPLATE
 AUSTEN SMITH MAIDEN PLATE
 FLAT **TURF** Participants #14

WHITE SEAHORSE (2) showed very good improvement when second in his local debut over 1800m on the polytrack last start. Things didn't go his way in the early stages which didn't help his chances. He jumps from a good draw of two and with a bit of luck in the running, he can go one better. O SPACE O (9) showed massive improvement in his local debut over this course and better. He set the pace after a slow start before getting caught late. If confirming his recent improvement, he should be hard to peg back. VENCEDOR (3) ran a good race when third over 1400m on this course last time. It must be noted that the horse that finished second that day has come out and won since. Rates well as an each-way chance. PRINCE FLORIAN (7) is better than his recent runs would suggest and is worth another chance.

1 CUZZIE

09 Jockey: D SCHWARZ
 Trainer: L GOOSEN
 Owner: Mr M J A Ferreira
 Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (15 days)

BP: 1
 60.0kg



Hasn't shown a great deal in two career runs, the most recent a ninth over 1400m at this track. Cannot enthuse.

2 WHITE SEAHORSE

87762 Jockey: C F DICKEN
 Trainer: G KOTZEN
 Owner: Messrs B D Abrahams, C De
 Career: 9 : 0-1-1 (26 days)

BP: 2
 60.0kg



Went down by just a long neck when second at Greyville All Weather over 1800m last time out. Leading prospect.

3 VENCEDOR

38433 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
 Trainer: M ROBERTS
 Owner: Messrs C J P Correia, R G
 Career: 9 : 0-0-3 (36 days)

BP: 3
 60.0kg



Was in the money two runs back at Greyville All Weather and then finished third again at this track last start over 1400m. Up in trip and is worth some thought.

4 PARLIAMENT SQUARE

0x47 Jockey: SHLENGWA
 Trainer: G PULLER
 Owner: Messrs G B Puller & Natha
 Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (22 days)

BP: 4
 60.0kg



Lightly raced galloper who has been well held at both runs this time in work. Could only manage seventh last start over 1600m at this track, beaten 9 lengths. Rock hard fit now and is a decent chance to break through.

5 TICKALOX

26x83 Jockey: N PATEL
 Trainer: M J ODENDAAL
 Owner: Mjo Racing Stables (Pty)
 Career: 16 : 0-2-2 (15 days)

BP: 5
 60.0kg



Strips fitter after two runs this campaign. Finished third last start over 1400m at this track, an improvement in the first-up effort. Capable and should go well.

6 DEPUTY CHIEF

280x3 Jockey: MUZIYENI
 Trainer: M J ODENDAAL
 Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
 Career: 5 : 0-1-1 (24 days)

BP: 6
 60.0kg



Encouraging first-up run when third at Greyville All Weather over 1400m on January 31. Fitter and is a leading contender.

7 PRINCE FLORIAN

53249 Jockey: C ZACKEY ★
 Trainer: D KANNEMEYER ★
 Owner: Alac (Pty) Ltd
 Career: 6 : 0-1-1 (22 days)

BP: 7
 60.0kg



Was thereabouts two starts back but didn't impress last start when ninth over 1600m at this track. Willing to give him another chance.

8 CLAYMORE

8088x Jockey: DERRYL DANIELS
 Trainer: D CAMPBELL
 Owner: Sir George Albu & Mr Doug
 Career: 6 : 0-0-0 (66 days)

BP: 8
 60.0kg



Has not raced since finishing 9 lengths away in eighth over 1600m at Greyville on December 20. Looking to others for the winner.

9 O SPACE O

0x0x2 Jockey: SEAN VEALE
 Trainer: M J ODENDAAL
 Owner: Hollywood Racing (formerl
 Career: 3 : 0-1-0 (22 days)

BP: 9
 60.0kg



Returned in good order last start, beaten only 0.8 lengths when second at this track over 1600m. Winning chance with that run under the belt.

10 MIND HOW YOU GO

0 Jockey: J BOTES
 Trainer: P LAFFERTY
 Owner: Messrs P V Lafferty & D J
 Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (43 days)

BP: 10
 60.0kg



Made little impression on debut over 1200m this track when 13th, beaten 18 lengths. Don't think he will trouble this field.

11 TWOCANTANGO

74x6 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
 Trainer: F ROBINSON ★
 Owner: Mr Sid Moodley
 Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (36 days)

BP: 11
 60.0kg



Resumed at this track over 1400m last time out and finished sixth, beaten 5.5 lengths. Strips fitter and should be in the mix.

12 LIMELIGHT LEGEND

77 Jockey: J JACOBS
 Trainer: T RIVALLAND
 Owner: Mrs M D J Liley
 Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (36 days)

BP: 12
 60.0kg



Yet to fill a placing in two runs, the latest when seventh over 1400m at this track. Has plenty of upside and can sneak into the frame.

13 OFF THE CHARTS

87644 Jockey: B PLAATJIES
 Trainer: P LAFFERTY
 Owner: Mr J E Finlayson
 Career: 7 : 0-0-0 (22 days)

BP: 13
 60.0kg



Unplaced at all seven runs to date, the latest when beaten 7 lengths over 1600m at this track. Finds a suitable race and can do much better.

14 SAMUEL LONGSWORD

77570 Jockey: ATHANDIWE MGUDLWA
 Trainer: D CAMPBELL
 Owner: Messrs Bb & Douglas Campb
 Career: 11 : 0-0-2 (26 days)

BP: 14
 60.0kg



Has been beaten by some wide margins of late, most recently when tenth over 1800m at Greyville All Weather. Outclassed.

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

Favorite: O SPACE O

Possible alternative: WHITE SEAHORSE

The cover: VENCEDOR

R2 SCOTTSVILLE

1600m

12:00 | (GMT11:00) | ZARR100,000 | FM MPLATE
 KEY PIETERMARITZBURG MAIDEN PLATE

FLAT **TURF** Participants #11

GOT THE FEVER (2) ran a fair race over this distance at Greyville last time out when finishing fifth of eight. Resumes from a spell and if fit, she should find herself in the winner's enclosure. LA VIDA LOCA (3) has fair consistent form lines to her credit. She has finished second once and third once from as many starts on this course. Rates well as one of the leading contenders. GLORIOUS BUTTERFLY (9) has solid each-way claims following a last start fifth of 11 over 1800m at Greyville. She is likely to be settled near the rear of the field from her awkward draw of nine and should be storming home late. DEE DAY (7) is better than her last start run would suggest as she was reported to be not striding out. She is back against her own sex and on previous form, she can finish in the money.

1 PRINCESS CHARMER

7966x Jockey: S MOODLEY
 Trainer: W WHITEHEAD
 Owner: Miss C S Muthusami
 Career: 7 : 0-0-0 (92 days)

BP: 1
 60.0kg



Resumes after a spell of three months. Did little in her maiden campaign, culminating in a sixth over 1400m at this track. Likely to need this hitout.

2 GOT THE FEVERBP: 2
60.0kgx245x Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: P LAFFERTY
Owner: Mr J E Finlayson
Career: 5 : 0-1-0 (99 days)

Has not raced since finishing fifth over 1600m at Greyville on November 17. Looks a key runner.

9 GLORIOUS BUTTERFLYBP: 9
60.0kg0465 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: D BOSCH
Owner: Miss S Bhana
Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (26 days)

Maiden galloper in first campaign. Has been out of the money recently including last start when fifth over 1800m at Greyville All Weather three-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 3 lengths. Can turn things around.

1 MEXICAN PETEBP: 1
59.5kgx5500 Jockey: C ZACKY ★
Trainer: F ROBINSON ★
Owner: Mr Sid Moodley
D Career: 13 : 3-1-0 (36 days)

Has been below his best for a long time and is now without a win in 490 days. Safely held last time out when 12th over 1400m at this track five weeks ago. Struggling to find form and has the job ahead.

3 LA VIDA LOCABP: 3
60.0kg45233 Jockey: DERRYL DANIELS
Trainer: G KOTZEN
Owner: Paardeberg Stud (Nom: Sal
Career: 5 : 0-1-2 (17 days)

Going well at the moment, most recently finishing third over 1600m at Greyville All Weather. Another big run is on the cards.

10 SEATTLE RAINBP: 10
60.0kg070x0 Jockey: J JACOBS
Trainer: G PULLER
Owner: Mr G B Puller
Career: 5 : 0-0-0 (22 days)

Unwanted in the market when resuming last start at this track over 1200m and finished 14th. That run was a bit plain so prefer her later on.

2 SUNDANCE KIDBP: 2
60.0kg45654 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: W WHITEHEAD
Owner: Itssa It & Business Solut
CD Career: 26 : 4-2-3 (24 days)

Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fourth over 1600m at Greyville All Weather three-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 8 lengths. Terrific chance to return to form.

4 SHEEZAROCKETBP: 4
60.0kg9376x Jockey: ATHANDIWE MGUDLWA
Trainer: D CAMPBELL
Owner: Mr J F Desjardins & Rajin
Career: 5 : 0-0-1 (66 days)

Last appeared nine weeks ago when she finished 11 lengths from the winner in sixth over 1800m at Greyville. Top hope if back in good order.

11 PROMISE OF FIREBP: 11
60.0kg56x Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: D HOWELLS
Owner: Mrs H Kuhn
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (71 days)

Resumes after a break of ten weeks. Nice run on debut then failed to threaten when sixth over 1200m at this track at the last outing prior to a spell. Big chance with some natural improvement likely.

3 FAMOUS WARRIORBP: 3
55.0kg5x471 Jockey: R A VENNIKER +
Trainer: M ROBERTS
Owner: Messrs H F Schwegmann & J
CD Career: 8 : 2-0-0 (36 days)

Tends to mix his form but improved last start to score over 1600m at this track. Can play a big role again.

5 MAGIC MAVERICKBP: 5
60.0kg57786 Jockey: S SOSIBO
Trainer: G IRICH
Owner: Messrs P & R Gangiah, B B
Career: 11 : 0-0-2 (24 days)

Could only manage sixth over 1400m at Greyville All Weather last start to continue a run of ordinary form. Expect a better run this time around.

6 I WON'T GIVE UPBP: 6
60.0kg7x06x Jockey: C ZACKY ★
Trainer: P LAFFERTY
Owner: Mr J E Finlayson
Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (183 days)

Has not raced since finishing 6 lengths away in sixth over 1750m at this track on August 25. Look for a bold run.

4 TROIS TROIS QUATREBP: 4
59.0kg624x5 Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: MIKE / MATHEW DE KOCK
Owner: Hollywood Racing (formerl
C Career: 27 : 4-5-4 (15 days)

Returned from a spell and was easily accounted for when fifth over 1950m at this track. Fitter but hard to see him featuring.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st					3	6	
2nd	-	-	-	-	10	9	-
3rd					9	1	

Favorite: GOT THE FEVER
Possible alternative: LA VIDA LOCA
The cover: GLORIOUS BUTTERFLY**7 DEE DAY**BP: 7
60.0kgx4338 Jockey: C F DICKEN
Trainer: G IRICH
Owner: Step Aside Syndicate (Nom
Career: 17 : 0-2-2 (24 days)

Has two placings from four runs this campaign but disappointed last start when midfield over 1400m at Greyville All Weather. Rates highly and is among the better chances.

5 KITCHAKALBP: 5
58.5kg21766 Jockey: ATHANDIWE MGUDLWA +
Trainer: D HOWELLS
Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
CD Career: 27 : 3-5-4 (15 days)

Has had a few chances but doesn't win out of turn. Last raced two weeks ago when he finished sixth over 1400m at this track, beaten 4 lengths. Key runner who should run well.

8 SEEKING SPACEBP: 8
60.0kg5x Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: L GOOSEN
Owner: Mr M J A Ferreira
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (78 days)

Was uninspiring on debut when she was beaten 13 lengths into fifth over 1000m at this track on December 8. Might need more time.

6 JOHNNY THE THIEFBP: 6
56.0kg5611x Jockey: T GODDEN ★
Trainer: M J ODENDAAL
Owner: D De Andrade, S Gaskell &
D Career: 16 : 3-4-1 (89 days)

Last appeared three months ago when he won over 2000m at Greyville. Form shown last campaign makes for good reading.

7 DOWN BY THE RIVERBP: 7
53.5kg40x05 Jockey: B PLAATJIES
Trainer: P B MUSCUTT
Owner: Messrs G A R Sturlese, Est
CD Career: 21 : 2-1-2 (36 days)

Hasn't struck a blow in two runs since a spell, the latest when beaten 1.1 lengths into fifth over 1600m at this track. Capable enough and is worth serious consideration.

R3 SCOTTSVILLE 1600m

12:35 |(GMT+11:35)| ZARR135,000| C3

SLCNG CLASS 3

FLAT **TURF**

Participants #11

KITCHAKAL (5) had to overcome a wide draw in his last start over 1400m on this course. The manner in which he stayed on at the finish that day was encouraging. He has won twice and finished third once from as many starts over this course and distance. He jumps from a handy draw of five and should prove hard to beat. CAPSAICIN (11) won a good race over this course and distance last time. Sean Veale is likely to take him to the front once again and he may be hard to peg back. LAST ONE STANDING (9) is better than his last start run on the polytrack looks on paper. He has won once and finished second three times from as many starts on this course. With a bit of luck in the running should be figuring in the finish. SUNDANCE KID (2) was unplaced two runs back then again missed the frame last start over 1600m at Greyville All Weather when finishing fourth of nine. Ge was well supported in that last run and jumping from an inside draw is worth another chance.

8 I SALUTE YOU

BP: 8
56.5kg



141x7 Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: P B MUSCUTT
Owner: Messrs Tony Zackey, E C A
CD Career: 6 : 2-0-1 (15 days)

Resumed over 1400m at this track last start and finished 4 lengths away in seventh. Strips fitter and expected to figure prominently.

9 LAST ONE STANDING

BP: 9
57.0kg



26x29 Jockey: DERRYL DANIELS +
Trainer: G KOTZEN
Owner: Messrs Anthony Attieh, P
CD Career: 11 : 1-5-0 (24 days)

In the money at this track when resuming two runs back then could only manage ninth at Greyville All Weather over 1600m three-and-a-half weeks ago. Can do much better this time.

10 BRISTOL HERCULES

BP: 10
58.0kg



318x3 Jockey: NOT DECLARED
Trainer: P B MUSCUTT
Owner: Mr P M Murugasa
CD Career: 12 : 2-1-4 (43 days)

Finished a respectable third behind Capsaicin when resuming over 1600m at this track last time out. Tipping he will need to do more than that today to be competitive.

11 CAPSAICIN

BP: 11
60.0kg



8x721 Jockey: SEAN VEALE +
Trainer: S H FERRIE ★
Owner: Hollywood Racing (formerl)
CD Career: 9 : 3-1-0 (43 days)

Improving with each run this campaign. Saluted at his latest appearance over 1600m at this track, scoring by 0.9 lengths. Sure to prove hard to beat.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st		8	8	11	7	11	5
2nd	-	11	11	3	8	1	-
3rd		6	1	4	11	6	-

Favorite: JOHNNY THE THIEF
Possible alternative: CAPSAICIN
The cover: SUNDANCE KID

R4 SCOTTSVILLE

2400m

13:15 | (GMT12:15) | ZARR110,000 | OPEN

JS AUTOMOTIVE BOSCH C STAKES

FLAT **TURF**

Participants #12

FLYINGCOOL (9) stayed on well when fourth over 1950m on this course last time. He won a game race in his penultimate outing over this course and distance. The blinkers have been removed once again and with a bit of luck in the running can notch up his third- career victory. CAPTAIN OLIVER (12) is lightly raced with good form lines to his credit. He finished second to the top selection two back and rates well in this line-up. ALLAROUNDTHEWORLD (10) is better than his last start run for fifth of nine over 2000m on the polytrack would suggest. He has won once, finished second once and third once from four starts on this course. With luck in the running after jumping from a wide draw should be hard to peg back over the extra distance. THE MIKADO (7) ran a fair race on the polytrack last time. He won a good race over 2300m at Greyville in his penultimate run. Has solid each-way claims.

1 FIRE FORCE

BP: 1
53.0kg



96654 Jockey: J BOTES
Trainer: G PULLER
Owner: Messrs G C Kalil, Greg De
Career: 18 : 0-1-0 (26 days)

Still a maiden after 18 runs and has only placed on one occasions. Has been far from disgraced in last two starts but others look to have his measure.

2 RICHARDTHEFEARLESS

BP: 2
57.0kg



x621x Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: F ROBINSON ★
Owner: Mr Sid Moodley
Career: 5 : 1-1-0 (73 days)

Resumes. Finished off last campaign with a maiden win by 1.2 lengths over 1800m at Greyville on December 13. Can figure in the finish.

3 BASIE RAAKVAT

BP: 3
55.5kg



606x9 Jockey: N PATEL
Trainer: M J ODENDAAL
Owner: Mjo Racing Stables (Pty)
Career: 23 : 1-3-1 (15 days)

Returned from a spell and was safely held when ninth over 1600m at this track. Fitter but looks a forlorn hope.

4 MOUNTAINSOFTHEMOON

BP: 4
59.0kg



65639 Jockey: T GODDEN ★
Trainer: R A HILL
Owner: Messrs R A Hill, C Khan &
C Career: 16 : 2-1-1 (36 days)

Not the most reliable conveyance. Moderate effort last time when 6 lengths from the winner in ninth over 1600m at this track. Rates highly on best efforts and can do better this time.

5 WOODLAND GLADE

BP: 5
61.5kg



50269 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: MIKE / MATHEW DE KOCK
Owner: Messrs M F De Kock, C S H
C Career: 24 : 3-5-2 (43 days)

Well held of late including last start when ninth over 1950m at this track. Prefer in something easier.

6 BANZAI PIPELINE

BP: 6
58.5kg



52768 Jockey: S HLENGWA
Trainer: G PULLER
Owner: Messrs R C M Caris, G C K
C Career: 51 : 6-6-8 (24 days)

Has been out of the money recently including last time out when eighth over 2000m at Greyville All Weather three-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 11 lengths. Prefer to see him back in form.

7 THE MIKADO

BP: 7
60.0kg



62413 Jockey: C ZACKY ★
Trainer: F ROBINSON ★
Owner: Mr Sid Moodley
C Career: 15 : 2-2-2 (24 days)

Scored at Greyville two starts ago. Last time out found a couple better over 2000m at Greyville All Weather, 6 lengths from the winner. Hard to beat on his best form.

8 UZWANO

BP: 8
58.5kg



82271 Jockey: SEAN VEALE +
Trainer: D KANNEMEYER ★
Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
C Career: 5 : 1-2-0 (22 days)

Good effort last start to win his maiden over 1950m at this track by a nose. Fitter and is worth following up.

9 FLYINGCOOL

BP: 9
60.0kg



99414 Jockey: C F DICKEN +
Trainer: G IRICH
Owner: Messrs A D Mellor, A L De
CD Career: 10 : 2-0-3 (43 days)

Lightly raced gelding who was beaten 4.5 lengths into fourth last start over 1950m at this track. Sure to go close.

10 ALLAROUNDTHEWORLD

BP: 10
60.0kg



45145 Jockey: ATHANDIWE MGUDLWA +
Trainer: G IRICH
Owner: Hollywood Racing (formerl)
C Career: 37 : 4-5-5 (24 days)

Was below his best last time, finishing fifth and beaten 7 lengths over 2000m at Greyville All Weather. Better than last start so he deserves another chance.

11 FORTUNE HUNTER

BP: 11
54.5kg



47634 Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: P LAFFERTY
Owner: Mr J E Finlayson
Career: 5 : 0-0-1 (22 days)

Stepping up in trip after finishing fourth over 1950m at this track last time out. In the right race this time and is definitely worth including.

12 CAPTAIN OLIVER

BP: 12
58.5kg



3123 Jockey: SMOODLEY
Trainer: FRIKKIE GREYLING
Owner: Gericke Family Trust (Nom)
Career: 4 : 1-1-2 (43 days)

Finished second at this track two runs back then turned in a handy run again when third over 1950m at this track last start. Up in trip and is worth some thought.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st		2	9	8	2	8	6
2nd	-	12	-	9	7	12	-
3rd		8	-	5	8	7	-

Favorite: CAPTAIN OLIVER
Possible alternative: THE MIKADO
The cover: FLYINGCOOL

3 SWEEPER KEEPER

BP: 3
55.5kg



3551x Jockey: SMOODLEY +
Trainer: W WHITEHEAD
Owner: Mrs A H Bernstein, Messrs
D Career: 17 : 2-1-2 (66 days)

Scored at his most recent appearance over 1400m at Greyville on December 20. Can run a bold race.

4 SLYTHERIN

BP: 4
57.5kg



1x Jockey: ATHANDIWE MGUDLWA +
Trainer: A WRIGHT
Owner: Mr R M Sewgoolam
Career: 1 : 1-0-0 (89 days)

Won on debut three months ago despite a lack of market confidence, getting the verdict by half a length at Greyville over 1200m at his only appearance. Promising type who can get the job done again.

10 IBUTHO

BP: 10
60.5kg



55898 Jockey: SEAN VEALE
Trainer: A WRIGHT
Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
CD Career: 49 : 7-4-7 (24 days)

Not firing at all recently, the latest effort a 11 length eighth over 1400m at Greyville All Weather on January 31. Making up the numbers.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st		4	2	10	5	10	
2nd	-	7	7	6	7	2	-
3rd		2	3	-	8	8	

Favorite: PALERMO
Possible alternative: SLYTHERIN
The cover: PLAZA ACCORD

R5 SCOTTSVILLE

1400m

13:50 | (GMT12:50) | ZAR R120,000 | C4

KONICA MINOLTA CLASS 4

FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

PLAZA ACCORD (5) returns from a spell which may have done him the world of good. He takes a drop in class and gets the services of Muzi Yeni. If not in need of this outing, he can return to winning form. PALERMO (1) ran a fair race over this distance on the polytrack last time when finishing third of 11 in his second run this prep. He has finished second once and third once from as many starts over this distance. He is having his peak run today and from pole position should be involved at the finish. SWEEPER KEEPER (3) fought hard for his last victory over this distance at Greyville. He is in a good space and merits healthy respect. PHAKA IMALI (9) ran home strongly when winning his last start over this distance at Greyville when sent out at long odds. It must be noted that the horse that finished fourth that day has come out and won since. He is likely to be settled near the rear of the field and will be storming home strongly from the turn.

1 PALERMO

BP: 1
57.5kg



x2x03 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: T PRINSLOO
Owner: Mr Rakesh Singh
BF Career: 11 : 1-2-2 (17 days)

Strips fitter after two runs this campaign. Finished third last start over 1400m at Greyville All Weather, an improvement in the first-up effort. Sure to give a great sight. Looks ready to win.

2 ONE SCOTCH

BP: 2
59.5kg



2317x Jockey: C ZACKY ★
Trainer: P LAFFERTY
Owner: Mr J E Finlayson
D Career: 5 : 1-2-1 (92 days)

Last appeared three months ago when he finished 10 lengths from the winner in seventh over 1500m at this track. Worth noting he filled a minor placing first-up last prep at Greyville over 1200m. Don't underestimate.

5 PLAZA ACCORD

BP: 5
58.0kg



5565x Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: P B MUSCUTT
Owner: Mr P M Murugasa & Eyn Leg
Career: 13 : 1-2-1 (99 days)

Fresh from a spell of three-and-a-half months. Yet to miss a minor placing in two first-up runs. Draws ideally and is ready to run well.

6 UNCLE LUCKY

BP: 6
52.0kg



35410 Jockey: B PLAATJIES
Trainer: D CAMPBELL
Owner: Messrs Douglas Campbell &
C Career: 41 : 1-1-3 (26 days)

Won his maiden two back at this track then could only manage 11th last start over 1400m at Greyville All Weather. Has ability but might struggle again.

7 COMEDY CLUB

BP: 7
59.5kg



9146x Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: G VAN ZYL (JNR)
Owner: Lucky Vest 12 Cc (Nom: Mr
D Career: 4 : 1-0-0 (73 days)

Returns after a spell of ten weeks. Closed the last campaign in lukewarm fashion, with a sixth over 1400m at Greyville the latest offering. Wait and see how he comes up.

8 ROLLO THE VIKING

BP: 8
59.5kg



32319 Jockey: T GODDEN ★
Trainer: F ROBINSON ★
Owner: Mr Sid Moodley
Career: 8 : 1-2-2 (60 days)

Won his maiden two back at Greyville All Weather then could only manage ninth last start over 1600m at Greyville. Disappointing last time and needs to do more.

9 PHAKA IMALI

BP: 9
55.5kg



75571 Jockey: C F DICKEN
Trainer: G IRICH
Owner: Hollywood Racing (former)
D Career: 36 : 5-4-5 (54 days)

Scored last time at long odds over 1400m at Greyville. Genuine hope on best form.

R6 SCOTTSVILLE

1400m

14:25 | (GMT13:25) | ZAR R120,000 | C4

VALVERITE CLASS 4

FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

MAGMA MAGIC (1) is better than his last start run looks on paper as there were excuses at the starting stalls. He has won once, finished second once and third once from as many starts over this course and distance. He jumps from pole position and rates highly in this line-up. STARS IN HEAVEN (6) is a winner of his last two starts, the latest of which was over this course and distance. He returns from a spell and if not in need of the run, he can bring up the hat-trick. NUMZAAN (3) fought hard when second of 11 as the favourite over this distance on the polytrack last time out in what was his second run this prep. He takes on stronger rivals here but in a fitter state can atone. BLACKBERRY BREEZE (5) returns from a spell and is having his first start from a new stable. If not in need of this run he should give a good account of himself.

1 MAGMA MAGIC

BP: 1
58.5kg



36128 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: T RIVALLAND
Owner: Mr Sadha Naidoo
CD Career: 13 : 1-2-3 (15 days)

Finished midfield last start at this track over 1200m, 7 lengths from the winner. Jumps up in journey today. Rates highly and should be in the mix.

2 ROOSTER BRADSHAW

BP: 2
56.0kg



834x1 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE +
Trainer: D HOWELLS
Owner: Mrs H Kuhn
CD Career: 4 : 1-0-1 (36 days)

Scored his maiden success last time when resuming from a spell over 1400m at this track. Freshened up since that outing. Has ability and another bold showing is expected.

3 NUMZAAN

BP: 3
52.0kg



80x32 Jockey: S MOODLEY
Trainer: FRIKKIE GREYLING
Owner: Itssa It & Business Solut
D Career: 16 : 1-1-3 (17 days)

Just one career win from 16 starts. Last start finished a neck away in second over 1400m at Greyville All Weather. Capable on his day and looks well placed.

10 APEX PREDATOR

BP: 10
58.0kg



1x020 Jockey: T GODDEN ★
Trainer: G PULLER
Owner: Messrs L R Whiteford, G C
Career: 9 : 1-4-1 (22 days)

In the money two starts back at this track but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 1000m at this track last time. Hard to have this tough line-up.

4 IBHELE

BP: 4
64.0kg



06053 Jockey: B MARX-JACOBSON
Trainer: L GOOSEN
Owner: Messrs P M Chetty, R Chet
C Career: 9 : 1-1-1 (43 days)

Yet to break through this campaign but hasn't been far away including a last start third over 1000m at this track. Rates highly and should be right in the mix again.

4 MY BOY LOLLIPOP

BP: 4
59.0kg



28x15 Jockey: C ZACKY ★
Trainer: F ROBINSON ★
Owner: Mr Sid Moodley
C BF Career: 10 : 1-4-0 (24 days)

Well beaten when fifth most recently over 1400m at Greyville All Weather after a win at this track two starts ago. Should get the perfect run from barrier 4. Has tasted success at this venue and is one of the main contenders.

5 BLACKBERRY BREEZE

BP: 5
56.5kg



6436x Jockey: ATHANDIWE MGUDLWA
Trainer: A WRIGHT
Owner: The Playgate Sa (Nom: Mr
Career: 10 : 1-0-1 (188 days)

Last start was back on August 20 when sixth over 1800m at Vaal. Has since gone to a new yard. Solid top-three prospects.

6 STARS IN HEAVEN

BP: 6
60.5kg



5411x Jockey: SEAN VEALE
Trainer: G VAN ZYL (JNR)
Owner: Hollywood Racing (formerl
CD Career: 13 : 3-1-1 (78 days)

Back from a brief spell. Finished his last campaign impressively, scoring by 1.5 lengths over 1400m at this track. Looks the testing material.

7 IMMAH

BP: 7
60.0kg



x820x Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: P LAFFERTY
Owner: Mr J E Finlayson
C Career: 5 : 1-1-1 (71 days)

Has not raced for ten weeks. Has performed well when fresh in the past but wait and see how he has returned.

8 ROTOTO

BP: 8
56.0kg



6710x Jockey: NOT DECLARED
Trainer: P B MUSCUTT
Owner: Mr P M Murugasa
D Career: 10 : 1-1-0 (78 days)

Resumes today. Last appeared at this track over 1400m when 11th 11 weeks ago. Looking to others.

9 RED MOUNTAIN

BP: 9
56.0kg



3154x Jockey: M THACKERAY
Trainer: R A HILL
Owner: Messrs C Khan, G C Kalil,
CD BF Career: 11 : 1-1-3 (73 days)

First-up today. Usually needs a run or two to find his best form. Maybe later.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st		6	2	2	6	6	
2nd	-	2	9	6	4	4	-
3rd		7	1	7	10	10	

Favorite: NUMZAAN

Possible alternative: STARS IN HEAVEN

The cover: MY BOY LOLLIPOP

R7 SCOTTSVILLE

1000m

15:00 | (GMT14:00) | ZARR110,000 | OPEN

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FLAT **TURF**

Participants #10

LADY OF VIX (2) showed some signs of needing her last start over 1100m on this course when finishing fifth of 14. Her first three runs over this distance were good. She will strip much fitter and may be hard to peg back. VISION TO ACHIEVE (3) has won over this distance previously. Finished a close-up fourth of 14 at this track last start and rates well as an each-way chance. AYUWI YUWI (6) ran below expectations last start, finishing seventh of 14 at this track over 1100m. Has started three times at this course and distance and is yet to miss the placings. Well placed to finish in the money. IBHELE (4) stayed on well when third of 12 over this course and distance last time. He gets the services of 4kgs claiming apprentice Blaine Marx-Jacobson which will assist his cause. With a bit of luck in the running is well in the mix.

1 RAFA'S BOY

BP: 1
58.5kg



30488 Jockey: C ZACKY ★
Trainer: G VAN ZYL (JNR)
Owner: Hollywood Racing (formerl
Career: 15 : 1-2-2 (36 days)

Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when eighth over 1200m at this track five weeks ago, beaten 4.5 lengths. Might struggle again.

2 LADY OF VIX

BP: 2
59.0kg



x12x5 Jockey: M THACKERAY +
Trainer: T RIVALLAND
Owner: Mrs M D J Liley
D Career: 4 : 1-1-1 (22 days)

Resumed with a respectable fifth over 1100m at this track, beaten just 2.5 lengths. Is a definite threat in this line-up.

3 VISION TO ACHIEVE

BP: 3
57.5kg



28554 Jockey: T GODDEN ★
Trainer: P M GADSBY
Owner: Mrs B M Gadsby, Messrs B
D BF Career: 26 : 2-4-4 (22 days)

Hasn't won in 14 months. Finished fourth, beaten 2 lengths, last start over 1100m at this track. Has ability and is expected to run well.

5 MUSIC IS LIFE

BP: 5
57.0kg



3075x Jockey: N PATEL
Trainer: G VAN ZYL (JNR)
Owner: Messrs K P Naidoo, P Gove
Career: 25 : 1-4-6 (92 days)

Resumes from a break of three months. Finished fifth at his most recent appearance over 1200m at this track. Not keen.

6 AYUWI YUWI

BP: 6
59.0kg



51627 Jockey: SEAN VEALE
Trainer: G PULLER
Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
CD Career: 10 : 2-2-1 (22 days)

In the money two starts back at Greyville but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 1100m at this track last time. Strong contender on best form.

7 TRAFALGAR SQUARE

BP: 7
58.5kg



69860 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: D BOSCH
Owner: Messrs D S Bosch & Kuben
CD Career: 56 : 7-5-7 (24 days)

Has been a long time between drinks, with 13 months since the last win. Last raced when 11th over 1000m at Greyville All Weather, beaten 7 lengths. Unlikely to turn it around here.

8 B FIFTYTWO

BP: 8
61.5kg



50646 Jockey: S BUNGANE
Trainer: P B MUSCUTT
Owner: Messrs G C Cornwall, J M
D Career: 19 : 2-0-0 (24 days)

Has been out of the money recently including last start when sixth over 1000m at Greyville All Weather three-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 4.5 lengths. Worth following up.

9 RUGGER LOVER

BP: 9
59.0kg



93703 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: T PRINSLOO
Owner: Mr Rakesh Singh
CD Career: 22 : 3-3-5 (24 days)

Course and distance winner who last start finished third, beaten 2.5 lengths, over 1000m at Greyville All Weather. Well-placed and can sneak into the finish.

10 ULTRA QUICK

BP: 10
58.5kg



66648 Jockey: ATHANDIWE MGUDLWA
Trainer: A WRIGHT
Owner: Mr R M Sewgoolam
Career: 27 : 3-4-3 (24 days)

Battled last start to finish eighth over 1000m at Greyville All Weather, adding to a sequence of plain results. Needs to improve sharply.

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

Favorite: IBHELE

Possible alternative: LADY OF VIX

The cover: VISION TO ACHIEVE

5 GLAMORZ

BP: 5
55.0kg

10x85 Jockey: MUZIYENI +
Trainer: P LAFFERTY
Owner: Messrs P V Lafferty, R T
D Career: 13 : 1-4-0 (17 days)



Yet to find the frame in two runs since resuming from a spell, the latest effort a fifth over 1200m at Greyville All Weather two-and-a-half weeks ago. Looking to others.

6 COLORADO CREEK

BP: 6
56.5kg

5x124 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE +
Trainer: S S NGCOBO
Owner: Kalunga Racing (Pty) Ltd
D Career: 15 : 2-2-1 (15 days)



Drops in distance from the latest effort when fourth over 1600m at this track, finishing 3.5 lengths off the winner. Key runner.

7 UBUKHWEBEZANA

BP: 7
59.5kg

18875 Jockey: SEAN VEALE +
Trainer: M J ODENDAAL
Owner: Hollywood Racing (formerl
D Career: 13 : 2-0-1 (36 days)



Ran a better race last start to finish fifth over 1200m at this track. Likely to measure up.

8 AMAFORT

BP: 8
56.5kg

6210 Jockey: S HLENGWA
Trainer: M ROBERTS
Owner: Mr E W Buhr
D Career: 4 : 1-1-0 (36 days)



Won her maiden two back at Greyville then could only manage 11th last start over 1200m at this track. Disappointing last time and will need to lift.

9 LITTLEBLACKGEM

BP: 9
55.5kg

x3160 Jockey: R A VENNIKER +
Trainer: M ROBERTS
Owner: Mr H F Schwegmann
C Career: 8 : 1-1-1 (22 days)



Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when tenth over 1100m at this track three weeks ago, beaten 5 lengths. Certainly worth another chance.

10 TARA STAR

BP: 10
61.5kg

20496 Jockey: M MBUTO
Trainer: D W MOORE
Owner: Messrs L R Whiteford, G M
CD Career: 10 : 2-2-0 (57 days)



Promising filly who last start finished 7 lengths away in sixth over 1200m at this track. This looks a stern test.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st		7	10	1	2	7	
2nd	-	8	7	3	8	4	-
3rd		1	8	4	9	2	

Favorite: ONE SMART COOKIE

Possible alternative: EMERALD GREEN

The cover: COLORADO CREEK

R8 SCOTTSVILLE

1200m

15:35 | (GMT14:35) | ZARR110,000 | FM C4

HOLLYWOODBETS BRIGHT FUTURE CLASS 4

FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

ONE SMART COOKIE (4) was running on well when second of 14 over 1100m on this course last time. She has won twice, finished second twice and third twice from eight starts over this course and distance. If not too far out of her ground at the halfway mark can notch up her third-career victory. EMERALD GREEN (1) has recorded three of her four career victories over this course and distance. If jumping on level terms with her rivals should be involved at the finish. COLORADO CREEK (6) was prominent from the outset when fourth of 10 over 1600m at this track last time out. K Matsunyane has won when aboard in the past and gets the ride again. Dropping back in distance will suit. Well worth considering. LITTLEBLACKGEM (9) missed the placings two runs back then didn't fire last start over 1100m at this track. Looks well placed in this line-up and is worth another chance.

1 EMERALD GREEN

BP: 1
60.5kg

96118 Jockey: D SCHWARZ +
Trainer: L GOOSEN
Owner: Mr M J A Ferreira
CD Career: 22 : 4-2-4 (22 days)



Back to earth last time out when eighth over 1100m at this track. Big chance to bounce straight back.

2 RAFAEF'S CHOICE

BP: 2
57.0kg

3410x Jockey: S MOODLEY +
Trainer: W A NEL
Owner: Mrs S Plattner
D BF Career: 22 : 2-6-3 (78 days)



Has not raced since finishing 9 lengths away in tenth over 1200m at this track on December 8. Looks tested without a run under the belt.

3 MISS LADYATERIX

BP: 3
60.0kg

40x0x Jockey: B PLAATJIES
Trainer: YOGAS GOVENDER
Owner: Al Khayl Breeders (Pty) L
C Career: 5 : 1-0-0 (78 days)



Last appeared 11 weeks ago when she finished 31 lengths from the winner in 13th over 1200m at this track. Looking to others.

4 ONE SMART COOKIE

BP: 4
59.0kg

43432 Jockey: T GODDEN +
Trainer: T PRINSLOO
Owner: Messrs M N Prinsloo & T P
CD BF Career: 16 : 2-3-4 (22 days)



Did well to fill a minor placing two runs back at this track before finishing second over 1100m at this track last start. Steps out over an extra 100m and must be considered.

R1

TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE

1160m

10:35 | (GMT09:35) | ZAR R130,000 | 2 PLATE
4 RACING WELCOMES YOU MAIDEN JUVENIL...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #9

ARASHI (7) has produced two good runs to date. She showed good speed over 800m on this course last time, before getting outrun late. Resumes from a spell during which time she would have strengthened up. She should love the rise to 1160m and should find herself in the winner's enclosure. BACK FROM WAR (8) was in need of her debut effort over 1000m on this course last start when finishing fourth of eight. She would have gained from the experience and should make the natural improvement needed. BLIZZARD QUEST (1) is an unraced son of Querari from the Sean Tarry stable with Craig Zackey in the saddle. He is related to four-time winner The Mauritian. If not in need of the experience, he should start his career on a positive note. The betting market will be the best guide with regards to his winning chances. GOLDEN WARRIOR (2) is a son of Heavenly Blue from the Alson Ndzilana stable with Muzi Yeni in the saddle. If not too green in the running he should give a good account of himself.

1 BLIZZARD QUEST

BP: 1
60.0kg

Jockey: C ZACKEY ★
Trainer: STARRY
Owner: Messrs J F & L M F Wernar
Career: First Start



Son of Querari from the Listed winning mare Blizzard Belle on debut. Should play a role in the finish.

2 GOLDEN WARRIOR

BP: 5
60.0kg

Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: ALSON NDZILANA
Owner: Ms J Motaung
Career: First Start



Colt by Heavenly Blue out of Forsythia who makes debut.

3 IDEAL SUMMER

BP: 7
60.0kg

Jockey: D D GOUVEIA
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Messrs G A Basel, L Clark
Career: First Start



Two-year-old colt out of Group 2 winning dam Spring Break.

4 SECRET WARRIOR

BP: 9
60.0kg

Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: C LENSLEY
Owner: Mr G G Palmer & Mrs D Pal
Career: First Start



Debutant son of Captain Of All from Hero's Daughter who was purchased for ZAR R 160,000 (Bloodstock South Africa 2024 August Two Year Old Sale). But watch for any market moves.

5 SYLVAN WARRIOR

BP: 2
60.0kg

66 Jockey: W MARWING
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Swiss Guard Racing Syndic
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (29 days)



Yet to fill a placing in two runs, the latest when sixth over 1000m at this track. Looks tested again.

6 TIME WILL TELL

BP: 3
60.0kg

Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mr T J Shawe
Career: First Start



Debutant son of William Longsword from Star Of Silver who was purchased for ZAR R 60,000 (Cape Thoroughbred Sales 2024 WINTER YEARLING SALE). But prefer to see unless there's a strong move.

7 ARASHI

BP: 8
57.5kg

32x Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Mr M Greene
Career: 1 : 0-1-1 (70 days)



Progressive filly resuming today after two runs in her maiden campaign, the latest effort a second over 800m at this track on December 16. Has ability and is sure to have come on over the break.

8 BACK FROM WAR

BP: 4
57.5kg

4 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr K R C Kemsley
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (16 days)



Was safely held on debut last start when fourth and beaten 7 lengths over 1000m at this track. Better for that run. Likely to feature.

9 RED QUEEN

BP: 6
57.5kg

Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr Q H A Koekemoer
Career: First Start



Filly by Red Ray out of In The Shade who makes debut.

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

Favorite: ARASHI

Possible alternative: BACK FROM WAR
The cover: BLIZZARD QUEST

R2

TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE

1160m

11:10 | (GMT10:10) | ZAR R120,000 | 2 PLATE
RACING TODAY MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE

FLAT **TURF** Participants #11

EMERALD FORGE (3) is a daughter of Gimmethgreenlight from the Mike and Mathew de Kock stable. Gavin Lerena is booked to ride and if not in need of the outing, she should start her career on a positive note. CRYSTAL GROVE (1) is a daughter of The United States from the Sean Tarry yard with Craig Zackey in the saddle. If not too green in the running, she should produce a promising showing. VEGAS GIRL (11) was in need of her debut effort over 1000m on this course. She would have gained from the experience and should make the natural improvement with Ryan Munger retaining the ride. OPERA FAN (6) finished midfield last start when on debut over 1000m at this track. Better for that run and jumping from the inside draw can place.

1 CRYSTAL GROVE

BP: 3
60.0kg

Jockey: C ZACKEY ★
Trainer: STARRY
Owner: Asm Racing Syndicate (No
Career: First Start



First-starter by The United States out of Elysian Gem.

2 DONDOYAKI

BP: 8
60.0kg

Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Messrs F Bronkhorst & T J
Career: First Start



Debutant daughter of Danon Platina from Up In Smoke who was purchased for ZAR R 175,000 (Cape Thoroughbred Sales 2024 PREMIER YEARLING SALE POWERED BY TATTERSALLS). But prefer to see without a strong push.

3 EMERALD FORGE

BP: 11
60.0kg

Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★
Trainer: MIKE / MATHEW DE KOCK
Owner: Messrs J F & L M F Wernar
Career: First Start



Two-year-old filly out of Group 2 winning dam Winter's Forge.

4 LADY NOIR

BP: 10
60.0kg

Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr Q H A Koekemoer
Career: First Start



Filly by Capetown Noir out of Aroosah who makes debut.

5 MRS DLADLA

BP: 2
60.0kg

0x Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: ALSON NDZILANA
Owner: Mr Q J Manoko
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (86 days)



Has not raced since her debut 12 weeks ago when beaten 22 lengths into 13th over 800m at this track. Likely to need the run.

6 OPERA FAN

5 Jockey: W MARWING
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr K R C Kemsley
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (16 days)

BP: 1
60.0kg



Was beaten a fair way on debut last time out when fifth over 1000m at this track. Wesley Marwing is aboard again. Better for that run and can go on with it.

7 PRINCESS PUNTANO

7 Jockey: J PENNY
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr H P N Pretorius
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (16 days)

BP: 9
60.0kg



Started at a big quote on debut last start and ran accordingly when 13 lengths back in seventh over 1000m at this track. Won't find this any easier so she is likely to struggle again.

8 RED CAMEL

Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: P P LABUSCHAGNE
Owner: Mr E Blome
Career: First Start

BP: 6
60.0kg



First-starter by Danon Platina out of Red Enchantment.

9 REJUVENATE

8 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs Trevelen Pillay, S
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (16 days)

BP: 4
60.0kg



Did very little on debut last start, beaten by a big margin over 1000m at this track. Hard to see her featuring.

10 SCARLETT HEART

Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Messrs F Bronkhorst & Joh
Career: First Start

BP: 7
60.0kg



Two-year-old filly having first race start. Inclined to look elsewhere barring a strong market push. By leading sire Querari so may be worth following later on.

11 VEGAS GIRL

5 Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: R MAGNER ★
Owner: Messrs M J Kapnias & A M
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (29 days)

BP: 5
60.0kg



Started at \$41 on debut last time out when fifth and beaten 8 lengths over 1000m at this track. Ryan Munger is aboard again. Open to improvement and expected to feature.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st					1	3	
2nd	-	-	-	-	11	1	
3rd					4	9	

Favorite: EMERALD FORGE

Possible alternative: CRYSTAL GROVE

The cover: OPERA FAN

R3

TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE

1160m

11:45 |(GMT10:45)| ZARR120,000| MPLATE

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FLAT **TURF**

Participants #9

CRONUS (6) was disappointing in his last start over 1200m at the Vaal. His debut effort when third over this course and distance catches the eye. He has plenty of scope and if putting his best foot forward should be the one to beat. KALEESH CYBORG (1) is better than his last two starts with the blinkers fitted. He has finished second over this course and distance previously. On best form shown, he should be fighting out the finish. FUTURENAIRE (7) is better than his last start run as he was reported to have raced with his tongue over the bit. It must be noted that the horse that finished second that day has come out and won since. His debut effort when fourth over 1000m on this course was fair. He has scope and can show improvement. MIZZEN SWORD (2) was well-beaten into fourth over this course and distance last time. It is encouraging that Gavin Lerena is booked to ride and he can finish in the money.

1 KALEESH CYBORG

42286 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs V Namchunder, Sand
Career: 6 : 0-3-0 (34 days)

BP: 6
60.0kg



Maiden galloper in first campaign. Has been out of the money recently including last start when sixth over 1800m at Vaal a month ago, beaten 14 lengths. Certainly worth another chance.

2 MIZZEN SWORD

04744 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★
Trainer: MARK KHAN
Owner: Mark Khan Racing (Pty) Lt
Career: 9 : 0-0-1 (9 days)

BP: 8
60.0kg



Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fourth over 1160m at this track eight days ago, beaten 11 lengths. Major player.

3 LIVEBYTHESWORD

9x0x6 Jockey: V JODHEE
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Mr C J Augustin
Career: 7 : 0-0-1 (25 days)

BP: 5
60.0kg



Form either side of a break has been pretty average. Resumed last start and was beaten 6 lengths over 1500m at Vaal. Not keen on his chances.

4 TRIP TO STATES

434x4 Jockey: N KLINK
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
Career: 17 : 0-0-4 (23 days)

BP: 9
60.0kg



Unwanted in the market when resuming last start at this track over 1160m and finished fourth. Expecting him to kick on with that first run out of the way.

5 SOMMERSILBER

05x96 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: C BINDA ★
Owner: Dreamstar Racing (Nom: Mr
Career: 5 : 0-0-0 (37 days)

BP: 3
60.0kg



Finished 11 lengths from the winner in sixth last time out over 1160m at this track, adding to a long list of plain performances. No threat this time either.

6 CRONUS

38x Jockey: D D GOUVEIA
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Mr D Dasrath & Mrs C Dasr
Career: 2 : 0-0-1 (65 days)

BP: 4
60.0kg



Has not raced since December 21. Was not far away when third on debut then gave a lacklustre effort to finish 8 lengths away in eighth over 1200m at Vaal at the most recent outing. Likely to be primed for a big first-run.

7 FUTURENAIRE

49 Jockey: C ZACKAY ★
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Mrs H Kuhn
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (49 days)

BP: 7
60.0kg



Unplaced on debut then again missed the frame last start over 1200m at Vaal, finishing ninth. Best figures measure up and looks sure to run well.

8 MIRROR FLECTION

Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: R SAGE
Owner: Messrs W J Coates & P Z O
Career: First Start

BP: 1
60.0kg



Skitt Skizzle colt from the stakes-winner Mirabelle on debut.

9 EMPRESS WU

45454 Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: F ROUX
Owner: Messrs P J Louwrens & Tra
Career: 6 : 0-0-0 (34 days)

BP: 2
57.5kg



Unplaced at all six runs to date, the latest when beaten 6 lengths over 1800m at Vaal. Finds a suitable race and can do much better.

Race Selections

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

Favorite: CRONUS

Possible alternative: KALEESH CYBORG

The cover: FUTURENAIRE

R4 TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE 1160m

12:20 | (GMT11:20) | ZARR105,000 | MPLATE
FLAT **TURF** Participants #14

DUPONT EMERALD (1) has produced three good runs to date. She showed good speed over this course and distance last time before getting outrun late. She is a progressive type and Muzi Yeni retains the ride. She is back against her own sex and is the horse to beat. SAUDI SWEEP (2) is better than her last start run over 1400m at the Vaal would suggest. She returns from a spell which would have done her the world of good. Has each-way claims. TIPPERARY (3) ran a fair race over 1200m on the Vaal Classic course last time. She finished second over this course and distance under Rachel Venniker three runs ago. Worth considering. WEARINGOFTHEGREEN (14) has run two fair races to date. She returns from a spell during which time she would have strengthened up. Include in exotic bets.

1 DUPONT EMERALD BP: 4 60.0kg

322 Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: MIKE / MATHEW DE KOCK
Owner: Mauritzfontein (Pty) Ltd
Career: 3 : 0-2-1 (23 days)



Went down by just a neck when second at this track over 1160m last time out. Winning chance.

2 SAUDI SWEEP BP: 9 60.0kg

3x20x Jockey: C ZACKY ★
Trainer: STARRY
Owner: Sean Tarry Racing (Pty) L
Career: 5 : 0-1-1 (111 days)



Has not raced since finishing 17 lengths away in 13th over 1400m at Vaal on November 5. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at Vaal over 1450m. Look for a bold run.

3 TIPPERARY BP: 10 60.0kg

47254 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs B I Rajhununan & K
Career: 13 : 0-3-1 (27 days)



Maiden galloper in first campaign. Has been out of the money recently including last start when fourth over 1200m at Vaal three-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 4.5 lengths. Certainly worth another chance.

4 CAPE FLOWER BP: 6 60.0kg

460x6 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
Career: 10 : 0-2-1 (23 days)



Returned at long odds last start and finished 7 lengths adrift in sixth over 1160m at this track. Can do much better this time with the run under her belt.

5 BELLA BOOP BOOP BP: 8 60.0kg

69495 Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO
Trainer: C LENSLEY
Owner: Mr T P Zackey
Career: 15 : 0-1-1 (25 days)



Maiden galloper in first campaign. Has been unable to find the frame for a while, last start finishing fifth over 1500m at Vaal three-and-a-half weeks ago. Prefer to see her back in form.

6 POTATO SALAD BP: 14 60.0kg

6x864 Jockey: J GATES
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
Career: 6 : 0-0-0 (11 days)



Ran a better race last start to finish fourth over 1000m at Turffontein Inside. Among the chances.

7 CHILLI MARMALADE BP: 11 60.0kg

94835 Jockey: N KLINK
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
Career: 20 : 0-1-3 (11 days)



Beaten 4.5 lengths into third at this track two starts ago then appeared at Turffontein Inside last time and finished 7 lengths from the winner in fifth. Hard to fault if at her best.

8 AMBER EYES BP: 2 60.0kg

388x6 Jockey: W MARWING
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs T R Janssen & R P
Career: 7 : 0-0-1 (29 days)



Easily beaten at her last run before spelling and didn't fare any better when resuming over 1400m at this track four weeks ago, beaten 11 lengths into sixth. Can't recommend.

9 LA CHANCE BP: 7 60.0kg

0850x Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: C BINDA ★
Owner: Dreamstar Racing (Nom: Mr
Career: 9 : 0-0-0 (65 days)



Nothing too positive to say about this filly who hasn't looked likely in 9 runs to date. Last time out finished 13th over 1200m at Vaal. Better off investing elsewhere.

10 BLACK HOLE SUN BP: 13 60.0kg

0760x Jockey: J R SYSTER
Trainer: C LENSLEY
Owner: Mr C J Lensley & Mrs E L
Career: 21 : 0-1-0 (65 days)



Has not raced since finishing 9 lengths away in tenth over 1200m at Vaal on December 21. May need the hitout.

11 RED SPARROW BP: 5 60.0kg

067 Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Messrs J F & L M F Wernar
Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (32 days)



Comfortably held last start when friendless in betting over 1600m at this track. Can't have off that run.

12 BLAZING BEAUTY BP: 3 60.0kg

6x9 Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Messrs P Boonzaaier & F P
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (32 days)



Resumed at this track over 1000m last time out and finished ninth, beaten 9 lengths. Rates highly and expected to improve sharply.

13 GENOVEFA BP: 12 60.0kg

Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
Trainer: D STENGER ★
Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
Career: First Start



Filly by Danon Platina out of Skipping Gal who makes debut.

14 WEARINGOFTHEGREEN BP: 1 60.0kg

34x Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: MIKE / MATHEW DE KOCK
Owner: Wilgerbosdrift (Pty) Ltd
Career: 2 : 0-0-1 (135 days)



Resuming from a spell of four-and-a-half months. Last raced when fourth over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Bold showing expected.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st					12	2	
2nd	-	-	-	-	2	3	
3rd					11	14	

Favorite: DUPONT EMERALD
Possible alternative: SAUDI SWEEP
The cover: WEARINGOFTHEGREEN

R5 TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE 1600m

13:00 | (GMT12:00) | ZARR120,000 | MPLATE
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FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

CHIEFTAIN'S SHIELD (5) raced wide around the turn over this course and distance last time and stayed on well to finish fifth. Ryan Munger is booked to ride and he may be able to coax that little bit extra out of him when it matters most. PAGE BOY (6) ran a fair race over 1500m on the Vaal Classic course last time when finishing fifth of seven. It must be noted that the horse that finished second that day has come out and won since. From his good draw of two, he may be one of the leading contenders. MYSTIC VISION (1) resumes from a spell and fresh-up should go a bold race. PROLIFIC STAR (4) finished seventh when resuming from a spell last start over 1600m at this track. Plenty of scope for improvement and has each-way claims.

1 MYSTIC VISION BP: 7 60.0kg

856x Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs M J Kapnias & A M
Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (79 days)



Last appeared 11 weeks ago when he finished 4 lengths from the winner in sixth over 1160m at this track. Expect a bold showing.

2 SOVEREIGN CROWN

BP: 6
60.0kg



x6730 Jockey: W MARWING
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Hyperpaint Syndicate (Nom)
Career: 6 : 0-0-1 (16 days)

Beaten 3.5 lengths when third at Vaal two runs ago then was comfortably held last time over 1600m at this track. Prepared to risk him on current form.

3 BRIGHAM

BP: 4
60.0kg



849 Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Messrs D Chinsammy, G C K
Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (16 days)

Maiden galloper in first campaign. Made it three unplaced runs from as many starts when ninth over 1600m at this track two weeks ago. Hard to fault if at his best.

4 PROLIFIC STAR

BP: 10
60.0kg



484x7 Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Messrs Sterling M Miller
Career: 5 : 0-0-0 (32 days)

Resumed over 1600m at this track last start and finished 7 lengths away in seventh. Fitter for that run and expected to be in the finish this time.

5 CHIEFTAIN'S SHIELD

BP: 9
60.0kg



55265 Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: T ZACKEY
Owner: Mr K P & Mrs N M Backos
Career: 11 : 0-1-1 (16 days)

Has been out of the money of late including last time out when fifth over 1600m at this track two weeks ago, beaten 1.75 lengths. Hard to fault if at his best.

6 PAGE BOY

BP: 2
60.0kg



4x65 Jockey: C ZACKEY ★
Trainer: STARRY
Owner: Messrs J F & L M F Wernar
Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (25 days)

Had to contend with a wide alley at his latest run and finished fifth over 1500m at Vaal. Starts closer in this time. Capable of a big run.

7 KNIGHT'S FIRE

BP: 8
60.0kg



78x70 Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: F ROUX
Owner: Mr P J Louwrens
Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (32 days)

Has been very ordinary in all four career runs to date. Not seeing any improvement this time.

8 RAGAMUFFIN

BP: 1
60.0kg



47897 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr J J Matthee
Career: 11 : 0-0-0 (27 days)

Has been out of the money recently including last start when seventh over 2000m at Vaal three-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 14 lengths. Not keen on his chances.

9 ERATOSTHENES

BP: 5
60.0kg



Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: P P LABUSCHAGNE
Owner: Mr E Blome
Career: First Start

First-starter by Flower Alley out of Tiger Flo. Sure to be well fancied and should be primed to play a major role.

10 KISSING MASTER

BP: 3
60.0kg



0x Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
Trainer: D STENGER ★
Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (81 days)

Was uninspiring on debut when he was beaten 25 lengths into 14th over 1400m at Vaal on December 5. Might need more time.

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

Favorite: PROLIFIC STAR
Possible alternative: PAGE BOY
The cover: ERATOSTHENES

R6

TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE

1000m

13:35 | (GMT12:35) | ZARR150,000 | FM HCP

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FLAT **TURF**

Participants #7

ONE FELL SWOOP (2) has shown good signs of a form return in her last two starts. She cost herself winning last time as she hung over the final 200m. She drops to 1000m and if keeping on a straight line, she should be the one to beat. TROPPO VELOCE (1) is better than her last start run over 1160m on this course looks. She returns from a spell which may have done her the world of good. She has won three times and finished second three times from seven starts over this distance. In the mix. JUST THE TWO OF US (6) produced a strong finish when winning her last start over this course and distance. It must be noted that the horse that finished third that day has come out and won since. She is in a good space and rates highly. SIMPLY MAJESTIC (3) is better than her last start run would suggest. On best form shown, she would not be a shock winner.

1 TROPPO VELOCE

BP: 5
61.5kg



5440x Jockey: C ZACKEY ★
Trainer: STARRY
Owner: Waste Glass Recovery (Pty)
CD Career: 17 : 4-4-0 (86 days)

Hasn't raced since finishing 13th over 1160m in Group 3 grade at this track 12 weeks ago. In the right race and sure to go well.

2 ONE FELL SWOOP

BP: 2
59.5kg



8x043 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Mrs S Viljoen
C Career: 15 : 5-1-1 (23 days)

Broke back into the top-three last start when third at this track over 1160m, beaten 0.6 lengths. Making headway. Likely to measure up again.

3 SIMPLY MAJESTIC

BP: 4
53.5kg



4x654 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE +
Trainer: J A J V VUUREN
Owner: Mr & Mrs C R Stonebridge
CD BF Career: 10 : 3-1-1 (37 days)

Well held of late including last start when fourth over 1160m at this track. Winner will come from elsewhere.

4 NIGHT VIGIL

BP: 7
53.0kg



98x17 Jockey: P MXOLI +
Trainer: SPETTIGREW
Owner: Mr T Kung
D Career: 13 : 3-1-1 (27 days)

Couldn't back up at the second run of the campaign last start over 1000m at Vaal after winning two back at Vaal. Has solid top-three claims.

5 BOSUM BUDDY

BP: 6
52.0kg



62345 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Bella Blu Holdings (Pty)
Career: 10 : 1-2-3 (32 days)

Lightly raced filly who was beaten 5.5 lengths into fifth last start over 1600m at this track. This might be too rich.

6 JUST THE TWO OF US

BP: 1
52.0kg



6x261 Jockey: MUZIYENI +
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Mr A Christoforou
CD Career: 9 : 3-2-0 (44 days)

Hot and cold galloper who improved last start to score over 1000m at this track. Can play a big role again.

7 ARILENA

BP: 3
52.0kg



154x2 Jockey: K A BREWER
Trainer: MANO PANDARAM
Owner: Mr M Pandaram
CD Career: 10 : 3-2-0 (27 days)

Returned from a spell last start and found one better over 1000m at Vaal, beaten a long neck. Facing a tough assignment.

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

Favorite: ONE FELL SWOOP
Possible alternative: TROPPO VELOCE
The cover: JUST THE TWO OF US

R7

TURFFONTEIN
STANDSIDE

1100m

14:10 | (GMT13:10) | ZARR275,000 | OPEN

4RACING NATIONAL CURRENCY SPRINT

FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

PISTOL PETE (2) has won four times, finished second twice and third once from as many starts on this course. Gavin Lerena steps back into the saddle and the combination should be fighting out the finish. TRUTH (3) set the pace over 1400m last time and kept going to hold all challengers at bay. He should have no issues with the drop to 1100m. He is in a good space and should go close. RODEO DRIVE (7) should have finished closer to the winner last time. She is having her peak run today and will be cherry-ripe. Her last victory came under Craig Zackey and she should give the males a decent run for their money. CHOCOLATE SOLDIER (1) has good recent form lines to his credit. He is likely to race on the speed under Ryan Munger and the combination merit healthy respect.

1 CHOCOLATE SOLDIER

BP: 2
60.0kg

23314 Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: C SPIES
Owner: Messrs R P Macnab, I D Be
C Career: 14 : 4-2-2 (23 days)



Was beaten just 0.7 lengths when fourth at his latest appearance at this track over 1000m. Expected to be very competitive.

2 PISTOL PETE

BP: 5
60.0kg

0x221 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Mrs S Viljoen
C Career: 10 : 5-2-1 (58 days)



Made it win number five from 10 starts last time out when he got home by a nose over 1000m at this track. Nicely placed and should be in the finish.

3 TRUTH

BP: 6
58.0kg

7x251 Jockey: MUZI YENI +
Trainer: C DAWSON ★
Owner: Messrs L M Nestadt, G J P
C Career: 8 : 3-1-0 (29 days)



Handy sort with three wins from eight runs, scoring last time over 1400m at this track. Rates highly here and can measure up.

4 DANTONFROMSANDTON

BP: 10
58.0kg

9x739 Jockey: PIERE STRYDOM ★+
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: D R & K A Lahoud, G Anthon
C Career: 12 : 3-1-3 (23 days)



Well held in a Group Two last time when ninth over 1600m at this track. Rates highly in this company and can turn things around.

5 KARATE KID

BP: 1
58.0kg

11713 Jockey: R A VENNIKER +
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Miss E L Maguire, Messrs
C BF Career: 6 : 3-1-1 (58 days)



Won two starts back at this track then finished third last time out over 1000m at this track. Hard to fault if at his best.

6 LEAD THE CHARGE

BP: 8
56.0kg

3x3x8 Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Messrs B G Gardner, L M N
Career: 10 : 2-2-2 (16 days)



Has had one run back from a break and was well held in eighth over 1400m at this track two weeks ago. No easier this time and not likely to threaten.

7 RODEO DRIVE

BP: 4
55.5kg

12x63 Jockey: C ZACKY ★+
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Harakabloodstock (Pty)Ltd
C Career: 8 : 2-4-1 (37 days)



Stripped fitter last start and ran a better race when third at this track over 1160m. Prefer in something a little easier.

8 RONDEBOSCH

BP: 7
52.0kg

2x124 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Mr A R & Mrs A B L Beck
Career: 5 : 1-2-0 (58 days)



Lightly raced gelding who was beaten 5.5 lengths into fourth last start over 1000m at this track. Key chance and expected to run well.

9 ZANTHAR

BP: 3
51.0kg

37334 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Triple A Racing Syndicate
C Career: 12 : 1-2-3 (16 days)



In the money two starts back at this track but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 1160m at this track last time. Looks tested again this line-up.

10 KING OF KILDARE

BP: 9
51.0kg

2642x Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: R MAGNER ★
Owner: Mr J E Finlayson
C Career: 5 : 1-2-0 (247 days)



Fresh from a spell of eight months. Yet to miss a minor placing in two first-up runs. Might find this too tough.

Race Selections

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

Favorite: CHOCOLATE SOLDIER
Possible alternative: PISTOL PETE
The cover: TRUTH

R8

TURFFONTEIN
STANDSIDE

1600m

14:45 | (GMT13:45) | ZARR155,000 | RBH99

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FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

JURY'S OUT (7) tried hard when second over this course and distance last time. He has won once, finished second twice and third once from as many starts over this course and distance. Gavin Lerena retains the ride and he can go one better. ARTIST'S MODEL (8) ran a fair race over 1800m on this course last time. He would have come on from the run and should be involved at the finish. WHAFEEF (5) ran a fair race over this course and distance last time. Ryan Munger is booked to ride and he may be able to coax that little bit extra out of him when it matters most. STORM BRASCO (1) ran a moderate race in his last start over 1800m on this course. The booking of Piere Strydom is a big plus and he can find a form return.

1 STORM BRASCO

BP: 4
60.0kg

9x168 Jockey: PIERE STRYDOM ★
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Kestorm Investments (Nom:
CD Career: 9 : 2-1-1 (29 days)



Has been in the market at his last couple of starts but hasn't made an impression, most recently finishing eighth over 1800m at this track. Worth including.

2 ARGO ALLEY

BP: 9
59.5kg

11570 Jockey: J GATES
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
CD Career: 26 : 6-2-0 (62 days)



Well held last start when friendless in betting over 1475m at Vaal. Makes no appeal.

3 MASTER CHRISTMAS

BP: 3
59.5kg

12827 Jockey: C ZACKY ★+
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS ★
Owner: Mr D Shawe
D BF Career: 19 : 4-5-2 (29 days)



Finished second over 1475m at Vaal two back then missed the frame last time out over 1800m at this track. Hard to beat on his best form.

4 COMMAND PILOT

BP: 5
58.0kg

x3417 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Mr G A Triggol
CD BF Career: 14 : 3-2-1 (44 days)



Last seen when finishing seventh over 1600m at this track last start. K Matsunyane goes on this time. Can bounce back.

5 WHAFEEF

BP: 6
57.5kg

x2424 Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: T ZACKY
Owner: Mr W H Ackerman
CD Career: 36 : 5-8-4 (32 days)



Came from a wide gate and could only manage to finish fourth last time out over 1600m at this track. Major player.

6 ZUZAN

BP: 1
57.5kg

08435 Jockey: J PENNY
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs Estate Late G H No
CD Career: 31 : 8-2-2 (39 days)



Has been below his best for a long time and is now without a win in 402 days. Safely held last time out when fifth over 1500m at Vaal five-and-a-half weeks ago. Struggling to find form and has the job ahead.

7 JURY'S OUT

BP: 2
55.5kg

63442 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★★
Trainer: C DAWSON ★
Owner: Itssa It & Business Solut
CD Career: 20 : 3-4-2 (29 days)



Went down by just a long neck when second at this track over 1600m last time out. Leading prospect.

8 ARTIST'S MODEL

BP: 10
54.5kg

116x3 Jockey: MUZI YENI +
Trainer: MIKE / MATHEW DE KOCK
Owner: Messrs M F De Kock, C S H
D Career: 6 : 2-1-1 (9 days)



Returned from a spell last start with a solid third, beaten 5.5 lengths, at this track over 1800m. Fitter for that run and will be tough to beat.

9 DECEPTION PASS

BP: 7
52.5kg

x8046 Jockey: N NASTILI
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Sunstone Farming (Pty) Lt
BF Career: 12 : 2-3-1 (32 days)



Not doing a lot this campaign including a very underwhelming last start sixth over 1600m at this track, beaten 10 lengths. Looks safely held.

10 PANNING GOLD

BP: 8
52.0kg

3813x Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: ALSON NDZILANA
Owner: Assm Racing Syndicate (No
Career: 10 : 1-3-4 (101 days)



Last appeared three-and-a-half months ago when he finished 3 lengths from the winner in third over 2000m at this track. Worth noting he filled a minor placing first-up last prep at Turffontein Inside over 1600m. Happy to risk.

Race Selections

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

Favorite: ARTIST'S MODEL

Possible alternative: JURY'S OUT

The cover: MASTER CHRISTMAS

R9

TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE

2400m

15:20 |(GMT14:20) | ZARR160,000 | OPEN
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FLAT TURF

Participants #10

VESUVIO (5) should have won his last start over 2000m on this course. He has won over this distance previously. He jumps from a good draw of four and with Ryan Munger retaining the ride he can notch up his eighth-career victory. HAWKBILL (4) ran a better race last start, finishing 5 lengths away in fourth over 2000m at this track. The engagement of Craig Zackey is a positive move. Well placed to return to form. LITTLEMARYSUNSHINE (6) won a good race in her last start over this course and distance. Gavin Lerena is booked to ride and the pair merit healthy respect. UNITED COUNCIL (3) proved too strong two runs back at this track but couldn't follow that up last time out when third over 2400m at this track. Has solid each-way claims.

1 RULE BOOK

BP: 8
60.0kg

x7996 Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Mr G C Cornwall
CD Career: 26 : 7-1-4 (23 days)



Battled last start to finish sixth over 2000m at this track, adding to a sequence of plain results. Better than recent form suggests and he can improve sharply.

2 ARUMUGAM

BP: 3
60.0kg

05645 Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: F ROUX
Owner: Messrs S J Myburgh, W G D
CD Career: 37 : 4-6-6 (16 days)



Not firing at all recently, the latest effort a 6 length fifth over 2400m at this track on February 8. Winner will come from elsewhere.

3 UNITED COUNCIL

BP: 1
59.5kg

42513 Jockey: MUZI YENI +
Trainer: R SAGE
Owner: Mr Colin Bird
CD Career: 21 : 4-1-3 (29 days)



Has good credentials over this distance. Good effort but found a couple better last time out, beaten 3.5 lengths, over 2400m at this track. Well placed here. Great chance to score.

4 HAWKBILL

BP: 9
58.0kg

61184 Jockey: C ZACKEY ★★
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS ★
Owner: Messrs W J Engelbrecht (J
C Career: 22 : 3-3-3 (23 days)



Has been out of the money recently including last time out when fourth over 2000m at this track three weeks ago, beaten 5 lengths. In the mix.

5 VESUVIO

BP: 4
58.0kg

1x632 Jockey: R MUNGER ★★
Trainer: T ZACKEY
Owner: Mr K P & Mrs N M Backos &
CD Career: 37 : 7-2-3 (23 days)



Working towards a win, the latest effort a solid second over 2000m at this track. Has ability and is one of the major players.

6 LITTLEMARYSUNSHINE

BP: 2
57.5kg

20751 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★★
Trainer: MIKE / MATHEW DE KOCK
Owner: Assm Racing Syndicate (No
CD BF Career: 32 : 4-6-3 (29 days)



Broke through for an overdue win last time over 2400m at this track. Back in form and a bold showing is expected.

7 TWENTY DRACHMA'S

BP: 5
56.0kg

32396 Jockey: P MXOLI +
Trainer: SPETTIGREW
Owner: Messrs W D Jackson, A D M
CD BF Career: 18 : 2-4-5 (53 days)



Not firing at all recently, the latest effort a 6 length sixth over 2000m at Vaal on January 2. Making up the numbers.

8 JORDAN

BP: 6
54.0kg

77077 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Haraka Bloodstock (Nom:J
Career: 18 : 2-4-1 (23 days)



Has been out of the money of late including last time out when seventh over 2000m at this track three weeks ago, beaten 6 lengths. Likely to find this out of reach.

9 TO THE RESCUE

BP: 7
52.0kg

31413 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE +
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Mr A R & Mrs A B L Beck
CD Career: 18 : 3-1-4 (18 days)



Won two starts back at Vaal then finished third last time out over 3000m at Turffontein Inside. Major player on best form.

10 TAXHAVEN

BP: 10
52.0kg

018x6 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mind Gym Cc (Nom: G K Rei
D BF Career: 20 : 1-4-1 (16 days)



Easily beaten at his last run before spelling and didn't fare any better when resuming over 1160m at this track two weeks ago, beaten 15 lengths into sixth. Unlikely to be competitive.

Race Selections

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

Favorite: LITTLEMARYSUNSHINE

Possible alternative: UNITED COUNCIL

The cover: VESUVIO

R10 TURFFONTEIN STANDSIDE 2400m

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NEXT TURFFONTEIN RACEMEETING THURSD...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #15

POPLAR PARK (8) followed up her maiden victory with a good third-place finish over 2000m on the Vaal Classic course last start. The manner in which she finished off her race that day suggests that she will like the rise to 2400m. With a bit of luck in the running, may be the one to beat. ROYAL MAZARIN (5) has some good recent form lines to his credit. He has won twice and finished second once from as many starts over this course and distance. He is likely to be settled near the rear of the field from the wide draw and will be storming home late. ROMEO'S MAGIC (4) won his last start over this distance on the Vaal Classic course with ease. He gets the blinkers fitted today and if repeating that effort, he should be figuring in the finish. IDEAL FUTURE (3) ran a fair race over 1800m last time out when finishing fourth. She has finished third in both her efforts over this course and distance. With a bit of luck in the running, can place.

1 COFFEEBERRY

BP: 9
61.0kg



x9679 Jockey: R A VENNIKER
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Miss S J Clarke
Career: 14 : 1-0-1 (25 days)

Battled last start to finish ninth over 1800m at Vaal, adding to a sequence of plain results. Prepared to risk on recent form.

2 GUY ALEXANDER

BP: 8
60.0kg



13848 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE +
Trainer: C LENSLEY
Owner: Mr C J Lensley & Mrs E L
Career: 44 : 5-5-6 (18 days)

Had to contend with a wide alley at his latest run and finished out of the money over 1600m at Turffontein Inside.

3 IDEAL FUTURE

BP: 12
60.0kg



66254 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA
Trainer: L KRUGER
Owner: Mr Dirk Kruger
D Career: 37 : 5-5-6 (25 days)

Has been out of the money recently including last start when fourth over 1800m at Vaal three-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 3.5 lengths. Hard to beat on her best form.

4 ROMEO'S MAGIC

BP: 3
60.0kg



37441 Jockey: C ZACKEY ★
Trainer: B WARREN ★
Owner: Mr Grant Mower & Ms R Van
CD Career: 74 : 8-8-7 (34 days)

Scored a dominant win last time over 2400m at Vaal, getting the verdict by 3 lengths. Great chance to win again.

5 ROYAL MAZARIN

BP: 13
60.0kg



x2414 Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN +
Trainer: J SOMA
Owner: Messrs A C Preddy, S Thor
CD Career: 43 : 5-7-4 (18 days)

Seven-year-old gelding who drops in trip from the latest effort when fourth over 3000m at Turffontein Inside, finishing 2.5 lengths off the winner. Can improve enough to take this out.

6 NUCLEAR FORCE

BP: 15
58.0kg



27845 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★ +
Trainer: E VERDONESE
Owner: Messrs C G Parry & E Verd
CD Career: 28 : 3-3-1 (34 days)

Not doing a lot this campaign including a very underwhelming last start fifth over 2400m at Vaal, beaten 12 lengths. Has ability and is capable of sharp improvement.

7 ONLY A POET

BP: 14
57.5kg



24245 Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr Q H A Koekemoer
D Career: 13 : 1-3-2 (18 days)

Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fifth over 3000m at Turffontein Inside two-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 6 lengths. Best form stacks up nicely so worth another chance.

8 POPLAR PARK

BP: 11
57.0kg



57313 Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: R SAGE
Owner: Messrs M Lieveaux, L M Ne
C Career: 5 : 1-0-2 (34 days)

Scored two starts back at this track before finishing 2.5 lengths from the winner in third last time over 2000m at Vaal. Shapes as a top three prospect.

9 MO MENT

BP: 10
56.5kg



x3416 Jockey: J R SYSTER
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mrs B I D'oliveira
D Career: 16 : 1-1-1 (34 days)

Won his maiden two back at Vaal then could only manage sixth last start over 2400m at Vaal. Disappointing last time and needs to do more.

10 TEO TORRIATTE

BP: 7
55.5kg



6537x Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO
Trainer: C LENSLEY
Owner: Miss M M Van Wyk
D Career: 23 : 1-3-4 (74 days)

Last appeared ten weeks ago when she finished 5.5 lengths from the winner in seventh over 2000m at Vaal. Solid return wouldn't surprise.

11 ULTIMISSIMO

BP: 4
55.0kg



7x093 Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: F ROUX
Owner: Mr W G De Koker & Isabell
Career: 16 : 1-0-3 (34 days)

Has recorded just one win from 16 career starts. Reasonable effort last start when 4.5 lengths away in third over 2400m at Vaal. Capable on her day and can feature without surprising.

12 SPIRIT IN THE WIND

BP: 2
55.0kg



8x621 Jockey: P MXOLI +
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Miss M M Van Wyk
C Career: 13 : 1-1-0 (9 days)

Doesn't win out of turn but last start finally broke through with her maiden success over 1800m at this track. Has found form but others rate better this time.

13 ANGEL'S WSH

BP: 6
55.0kg



47754 Jockey: W MARWING
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr L & Mrs H Potgieter
D Career: 45 : 4-5-5 (25 days)

Capable galloper but has been out of the placings at her last few runs, the latest when fourth over 1800m at Vaal. Rates highly this time so expect sharp improvement.

14 JAPANESE MAPLE

BP: 5
54.5kg



68956 Jockey: R MUNGER ★
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Dr S J Coetzee & Mr W Mar
Career: 16 : 1-3-0 (62 days)

Didn't inspire again last start, beaten 7 lengths over 2400m at Vaal. Tested on recent form.

15 EYE CATCHING

BP: 1
52.0kg



09907 Jockey: J GATES
Trainer: J BORMAN
Owner: Mr G R Sadleir
Career: 49 : 2-1-3 (16 days)

Has been out of the money of late including last time out when seventh over 1600m at this track two weeks ago, beaten 17 lengths. Likely to find this out of reach.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st		8	9	8	5	6	1
2nd	-	6	10	5	8	1	13
3rd		2	4	6	6	4	4

Favorite: ROMEO'S MAGIC
Possible alternative: ROYAL MAZARIN
The cover: IDEAL FUTURE