

## 15:00 DONCASTER, 2m 110y

Mirror Punters Club E.b.f. 'national Hunt' Novices' Hurdle (qualifier) (Class 4) (4YO to 7YO)

PLACEPOT QUADPOT

| No | Silk                                                                                | Form         | Horse Details                                                             | Age/Wt     | Jockey/Trainer                | OR  |
|----|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|-----|
| 1  |    | 9-813        | <b>OSCAR NOMINEE</b> (IRE) 32 D<br>b g Old Vic - Native Bid               | 5 11 - 8   | A Tinkler<br>N J Henderson    | -   |
| 2  |    | 21F1         | <b>THE WEATHERMAN</b> (IRE) 62 D<br>b g Definite Article - Stateable Case | 5 11 - 8   | J M Maguire<br>D McCain Jnr   | -   |
| 3  |    | 1            | <b>ABBEY GARTH</b> (IRE) 52 D<br>b g Dr Massini - Elegant Gale            | 5 11 - 2   | D C Costello<br>N G Richards  | -   |
| 4  |    | 90/66        | <b>BOB'S LEGEND</b> (IRE) 72<br>b g Bob's Return - Pepsi Starlet          | 6 11 - 2   | A Thornton<br>M R Bosley      | -   |
| 5  |   | P-286U       | <b>FOXINTHECOTS</b> 31<br>b g Beat All - Ardeal                           | 6 11 - 2b1 | T Messenger<br>C C Bealby     | -   |
| 6  |  | 47-4754      | <b>PRESENTING ACE</b> (IRE) 5<br>b g Presenting - Sesame Squeeze          | 6 11 - 2t  | T Scudamore<br>D Pipe         | 120 |
| 7  |  | 1/3727F<br>- | <b>SHAN BLUE</b> (IRE) 346<br>ch g Anshan - River Runs Blue               | 7 11 - 2   | B Hughes<br>S Gollings        | 110 |
| 8  |  | 3-351        | <b>SPECIAL CATCH</b> (IRE) 71 D<br>b g Catcher In The Rye - Top Quality   | 5 11 - 2   | J Reveley<br>K G Reveley      | -   |
| 9  |  | 374-362      | <b>VICTOR LEUDORUM</b> (IRE) 23<br>b g Wareed - Rock Garden               | 5 11 - 2   | N Fehily<br>C J Mann          | -   |
| 10 |  | 0331/9       | <b>WORDY'S BOY</b> 42 CD<br>b g Kayf Tara - Wordy's Wonder                | 7 11 - 2   | A Pogson<br>C T Pogson        | -   |
| 11 |  | 86           | <b>MIDNIGHT RETURN</b> (IRE) 35<br>b m Midnight Legend - By Return        | 6 10 - 9   | Harry Challoner (7)<br>R Ford | -   |

**ATR VERDICT:** OSCAR NOMINEE found conditions a little slower than ideal in a muddling Grade 2 event at Haydock latest, finishing last of three behind the Cheltenham bound Cinders And Ashes. Granted better ground, compensation could be in the offing for Nicky Henderson's charge here. Special Catch, a bumper winner at Catterick latest, is respected on his hurdles bow while The Weatherman, who scored comfortably in a minor event at Sedgefield latest, cannot be left out of calculations either.

**Top Tip:** OSCAR NOMINEE  
**Watch out for:** THE WEATHERMAN