











## 16:00 AYR, 2m

### Dr John Cleland Retirement Handicap Chase (Class 3) (5YO plus)

**PLACEPOT** **QUADPOT**

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		9771F8	<b>CARRIETAU</b> 50 D b g Key Of Luck - Carreamia	9 11 - 12t	Henry Brooke (3) F P Murtagh	119
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Green, gold sash, hooped sleeves, quartered cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Bold jumping front-runner who often finishes weakly. Did respond well to take 2m Musselburgh handicap in November, but has highlighted that he's not one to trust in 2 runs since. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 34.00)				Notes:		
2		0P4-361	<b>NELSON DU RONCERAY</b> (FR) 40 CD b g Lute Antique - Trieste	11 11 - 8p	Callum Whillans (7) I Jardine	115
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Royal blue, white cross belts, striped cap <b>Timeform says:</b> These conditions bring out best in him and returned to winning ways in handicap hurdle here last time, albeit a fortuitous winner. 7 lb higher back over fences but should make bold bid to follow up. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 7.50)				Notes:		
3		5-P3515	<b>PRIMROSE TIME</b> 53 D gr m Alfira - The Whirlie Weevil	9 11 - 8	A L Voy (5) Mrs L B Normile	115
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Pink, dark blue diamond, striped sleeves <b>Timeform says:</b> Got back to winning ways when landing 17f handicap chase at Kelso in December. Handicapper took action, but longer trip equally to blame for lesser effort last time. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 11.00)				Notes:		
4		6214PU	<b>STORM SURGE</b> (IRE) 11 CD gr g Great Palm - Ashfield Rosie	9 11 - 5p	J Reveley M Todhunter	112
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Royal blue, white seams, white sleeves, royal blue seams, white cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Picked up a pair of handicaps from the front this season, the latest coming in cheekpieces at Haydock in December. Unseated early at Catterick recently, but interesting that headgear returns here. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 8.00)				Notes:		
5		6/046-14	<b>SOPHONIE</b> (FR) 24 D b m Kapparde - Kore Des Obeaux	6 11 - 4	Lucy Alexander (5) Ferdy Murphy	111
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Light blue, royal blue star, white and royal blue check sleeves and cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Fairly useful form over hurdles/fences in France and off mark in Britain when landing Uttoxeter handicap hurdle in January. Creditable fourth latest, but higher mark to contend with over fences. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 8.00)				Notes:		
6		61-3243	<b>POLAR GUNNER</b> 7 CD b g Gunner B - Polar Belle	15 11 - 3	Harry Haynes (3) J M Jefferson	110
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> White, purple hoops, armlets and cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Admirable veteran who was last successful at Kelso 12 months ago. Proven he retains most of his ability this season and likely to be thereabouts, but may find a couple too strong once more. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 9.00)				Notes:		
7		P6-P225	<b>MALLUSK</b> (IRE) 51 D b g Exit To Nowhere - Saucy Nun	7 11 - 3p1	Charles Greene (7) K C Bailey	110
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Black, green hoop and armlets, green cap, black spots <b>Timeform says:</b> Made successful chase debut last season, and back-to-form when runner-up twice at the turn of the year. Not at best upped in trip last time, but not discounted in first-time cheekpieces. ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.00)				Notes:		

8		352534	<b>PROSECCO</b> (IRE) 19 CD b g Perpendicular - Bay Gale	10 11 - 3	P Buchanan Miss Lucinda V Russell	110
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Emerald green, yellow epaulets, striped sleeves, yellow cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Mostly respectable efforts this season, placed again in handicap hurdle here in January. Another fair effort returned to fences last time but assessor looks in charge at present.★★★★☆ (Forecast 11.00)					Notes:	
9		P1/6-2F1	<b>THE THIRSTY BRICKY</b> (IRE) (EX7) 6 D b g Saddlers' Hall - Splendid Choice	10 10 - 12	C I Gillies D Thompson	105
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Black and orange (quartered), striped sleeves <b>Timeform says:</b> Won 2m handicap chase at Towcester in February 2010. Showed he retains all his ability when winning at Sedgfield last week and although that was a weak race, he can't be ignored under a penalty.★★★★☆ (Forecast 6.00)					Notes:	
10		31-685P	<b>DUKE OF MALFI</b> 53 CD b g Alfira - Princess Maxine	9 10 - 4p	Gary Rutherford (5) Mrs H O Graham	97
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Light blue, brown epaulets, hooped sleeves <b>Timeform says:</b> Better than ever when winning a 17f Kelso handicap for Lucinda Russell in April, but operating below best since returning for this yard in November. Will at least appreciate return to this trip.★★★★☆ (Forecast 34.00)					Notes:	
<b>TIMEFORM VIEW:</b> An unappealing betting event but Mallusk ran well in a couple of 2m handicaps around the turn of the year, will handle the conditions and can prove too strong for Nelson du Ronceray and veteran Polar Gunner.						
<b>Timeform 1-2-3:</b> 1: MALLUSK 2: NELSON DU RONCERAY 3: POLAR GUNNER						
