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Racing Uk Maiden Hurdle (Class 5) (4YO plus)

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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		1F-043F	BENEFIT NORTH (IRE) 20 ch g Beneficial - Hayley Cometh	7 11 - 5	A E Lynch C A McBratney	-
Jockey Colours: Royal blue and white stripes, white sleeves, striped cap Timeform says: Fair form in bumpers, best effort when third at Punchestown in November, and back over hurdles, shaped promisingly before departing 3 out (fell) at Down Royal last month. One for the shortlist. ★★★★★ (Forecast 4.50)					Notes:	
2		76-05	BIENNIAL (IRE) 13 ch g Bienamado - Midnight Orchid	6 11 - 5	Henry Brooke I A Duncan	-
Jockey Colours: Grey, red stars, red cap Timeform says: Went backwards in bumpers for Andrew McNamara, but shaped better than the distance beaten suggests on first run for new yard in C&D bumper earlier this month. Switches to hurdles. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)					Notes:	
3		FP-6	CADOUGARDE (FR) 52 br g Kapgarde - Sparkling Elisa	5 11 - 5h1	C O'Farrell S R B Crawford	-
Jockey Colours: Emerald green, purple star, emerald green sleeves, purple stars, purple cap, emerald green stars Timeform says: Failed to complete both starts in points (latest Apr 15) but hinted at ability in a bumper at Catterick in November on Rules debut. Still early days and in good hands. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 17.00)					Notes:	
4		4-466	FOR JIM (IRE) 16 gr g Milan - Dromhale Lady	6 11 - 5	Sean Quinlan J Candlish	-
Jockey Colours: Emerald green, red hoop, hooped sleeves, quartered cap Timeform says: Fourth both starts in Irish maiden points but well held in 2 novice hurdles under Rules and easily opposed. ★☆☆☆☆ (Forecast 101.00)					Notes:	
5		3	GRAND MORNING 66 b g Midnight Legend - Valentines Lady	6 11 - 5	D R Fox Miss Lucinda V Russell	-
Jockey Colours: Emerald green, yellow hoops, white cap Timeform says: Has a good pedigree and was given a considerate introduction when third of 10 in Hexham novice (16.2f) on hurdling/Rules debut in November. He's capable of better. ★★★★★ (Forecast 5.00)					Notes:	
6		4-5	NANDO (GER) 225 BF b g Dai Jin - Natalis	6 11 - 5	A Nicol N G Richards	-
Jockey Colours: Red, black and white striped sleeves, red cap, black diamond Timeform says: Shaped with promise in both bumpers, still green when 8¾ lengths fifth of 11 to Mighty Thunder at Perth in June (latest). Market likely to be informative making hurdles debut. ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.50)					Notes:	
7		27253/4-	PETERS GREY (IRE) 350 gr g Aussie Rules - Aliyshan	8 11 - 5	Dale Irving (3) R Michael Smith	99
Jockey Colours: Yellow, red chevron, diamonds on sleeves and cap Timeform says: Improved when tackling handicaps in 2015, runner-up on 2 occasions. However, only made one appearance since (Jan 2017) and best watched returning from another lengthy absence. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 17.00)					Notes:	

8		726-U	WELL SMITTEN (IRE) 62 b g Gold Well - The Dark One	6 11 - 5	B Hughes W Greatrex	-
Jockey Colours: Yellow, black chevron, white and black striped sleeves, yellow cap, black star Timeform says: <i>Runner-up in bumper last winter. Would have been placed but for unseating 2 out on Lingfield hurdle bow in November. Open to progress. ★★★★★ (Forecast 3.50)</i>					Notes:	
9		6646-64	GREEN TIKKANEN 14 gr m Tikkanen - Think Green	5 10 - 12	Lucy Alexander J P L Ewart	-
Jockey Colours: Emerald green, yellow seams, dark blue sleeves, yellow seams, hooped cap Timeform says: <i>Little impact in bumpers and down the field in mares events over hurdles (maiden and novice). ★☆☆☆☆ (Forecast 67.00)</i>					Notes:	
TIMEFORM VIEW: WELL SMITTEN was in the process of running a sound race on his hurdles debut (would have been placed but for unseating his rider 2 out) at Lingfield in November. He is well worth a chance to build on that initial promise. Grand Morning has a nice pedigree and is open to improvement for his in-form yard, while Benefit North and Nando are others to consider.						
Timeform 1-2-3: 1: WELL SMITTEN (8) 2: GRAND MORNING (5) 3: BENEFIT NORTH (1)						
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