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### Matchbook Betting Podcast Handicap Chase (Class 4) (5YO plus)

TRIFECTA PLACEPOT QUADPOT SCOOP 6

| No   | Silk | Form     | Horse Details  | Age/Wt      | Jockey/Trainer                       | OR  |
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| 1  |      | P533PF   | <b>ROYALE DJANGO</b> (IRE) 41 D<br>b g Kayf Tara - Royale Boja       | 9 12 - 3tp  | James Best<br>Tim Vaughan            | 117 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> Light blue, pink star, pink sleeves, light blue armlets, light blue cap, pink star<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> Losing run stretches back to June 2015 but looked sure to be placed when falling 2 out at Musselburgh (26.6f, soft) last time (first run since wind surgery). Of strong interest here off same mark. ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.50)</p> |      |          |  |             |                                      |     |
| 2  |      | 73P/4-25 | <b>RUSSBOROUGH</b> (FR) 37<br>b g Turgeon - Heritage River           | 9 12 - 3p1  | Charlie Deutsch<br>Miss V Williams   | 117 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> White, royal blue epaulets, diamonds on sleeves, white cap, royal blue star<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> By no means disgraced when runner-up over 19f at Ascot in January but, in-keeping with his up-and-down profile, he failed to back that up next time. Cheekpieces refitted and back up in trip now. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 12.00)</p>         |      |          |  |             |                                      |     |
| 3  |      | 0-77332  | <b>ALLEE BLEUE</b> (IRE) 28<br>ch g Mount Nelson - Murrieta          | 8 12 - 3    | R Johnson<br>P J Hobbs               | 117 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> Royal blue, white star, royal blue sleeves, white stars and stars on cap<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> Useful hurdler (4-14 in that sphere) who hasn't looked a natural over fences so far. That said, wasn't beaten far off this mark at Wincanton (20.2f, soft) last time and step up in trip may help. ★★★★★ (Forecast 5.00)</p>             |      |          |  |             |                                      |     |
| 4  |      | 41336P/  | <b>SANDS COVE</b> (IRE) 721 D<br>b g Flemensfirth - Lillies Bordello | 11 12 - 2   | T Dowling (5)<br>H J Evans           | 116 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> Royal blue, white cross belts, hooped sleeves and cap<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> More than capable of this sort of mark, but probably best watched following a 2-year absence. ★☆☆☆☆ (Forecast 67.00)</p>  |      |          |  |             |                                      |     |
| 5  |      | 214-PF7  | <b>SWINCOMBE SCORCHIO</b> 51 D<br>b g Scorpion - Lady felix          | 8 12 - 2t   | Nick Scholfield<br>Miss Polly Gundry | 116 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> White, red and white hooped sleeves, black cap, white star<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> Has struggled since opening chase account at Chepstow 12 months ago, but one to note in the betting on first start following a wind operation. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 17.00)</p>  |      |          |  |             |                                      |     |
| 6  |      | P-82P3P  | <b>GORSKY ISLAND</b> 41<br>b g Turtle Island - Belle Magello         | 10 12 - 2   | C Gethings<br>T R George             | 116 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> Black, white chevron, white sleeves, orange armlets and cap<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> Runner-up off 5 lb higher mark over 27.5f at Stratford last summer, but pulled up on 2 of his 3 starts since returning to action in December and faster ground would be preferable. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 15.00)</p>  |      |          |  |             |                                      |     |
| 7  |      | 708545   | <b>ABRACADABRA SIVOLA</b> (FR) 66<br>br g Le Fou - Pierrebrune       | 8 11 - 12tp | David Noonan<br>D Pipe               | 112 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> White, royal blue sash, white sleeves, red armlets, red cap<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> Hasn't made much of an impact in 5 starts since returning from a summer break. Conversely, he's been given a real chance by the handicapper (now 17 lb below last winning mark), so couldn't rule out. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 6.00)</p>                      |      |          |  |             |                                      |     |
| 8  |      | 561-76P  | <b>KINGSTON</b> (GER) 30<br>br g Dylan Thomas - Katy Carr            | 9 11 - 11   | Lee Edwards<br>A W Carroll           | 111 |

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| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> Yellow, dark blue stripe<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> Backed at long odds when opening account for Tony Carroll over fences at Ffos Las last spring. It's been a struggle since, though, and he remains 7 lb above that winning mark. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 51.00)</p>   |  |        |  |            |                                   |     |
| 9  |  | 7453FU | <b>INVICTA LAKE</b> (IRE) 19<br>b g Dr Massini - Classic Material  | 11 11 - 9p | Jack Sherwood (3)<br>Miss S Smith | 109 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> Royal blue, yellow diamond, yellow sleeves, royal blue armlets, yellow cap<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> On a long losing run, but most unlucky not to buck that trend at Plumpton (25.7f, good to soft) where he had the race at his mercy when unseating 2 out. Obvious claims. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 4.50)</p>   |  |        |  |            |                                   |     |
| 10   |  | 153PP6 | <b>CKALCO DES LOGES</b> (FR) 25 D BF<br>b g Balko - Olla Des Loges | 6 11 - 8t  | Bridget Andrews (3)<br>D Skelton  | 108 |
| <p><b>Jockey Colours:</b> Purple, orange star, hooped sleeves and stars on cap<br/> <b>Timeform says:</b> Shaped fairly well when third on chasing bow at Huntingdon in October, but has proved disappointing since and bit to prove now. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 13.00)</p>   |  |        |  |            |                                   |     |
| <p><b>TIMEFORM VIEW:</b> The vote goes to ROYALE DJANGO, who appears to have benefited from a wind operation judged on his latest effort at Musselburgh where he was still in contention when falling 2 out. He remains on a very attractive mark. Allee Bleue has yet to match his hurdles form in this sphere but may well benefit from this stiffer test, while Invicta Lake, so unlucky at Plumpton recently, also merits respect.</p> |  |        |  |            |                                   |     |
| <p><b>Timeform 1-2-3:</b><br/>           1: ROYALE DJANGO (1)<br/>           2: ALLEE BLEUE (3)<br/>           3: INVICTA LAKE (9)</p>   |  |        |  |            |                                   |     |

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