














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Betfred Midlands Grand National (Listed Handicap Chase) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		2/81-05U	SILSOL (GER) 28 b g Soldier Hollow - Silveria	9 11 - 12bt	Bryony Frost (3) P F Nicholls	144
<p>Jockey Colours: Purple, white disc, yellow sleeves, purple diamonds, purple and yellow quartered cap Timeform says: <i>Classy hurdler, including Wetherby Grade 2 win in autumn 2016. Yet to reach the same heights over fences but certainly wasn't disgraced back chasing when fifth in Welsh National. Unseated last time. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 19.00)</i></p>						
2		P-63U15	MILANSBAR (IRE) 21 C b g Milan - Ardenbar	11 11 - 10b	Mr J Andrews (7) N B King	142
<p>Jockey Colours: Yellow, black cross of lorraine, dark green sleeves, yellow cap, black star Timeform says: <i>Took advantage of a lenient mark when winning Classic Chase at Warwick in January, making most in first-time blinkers. Shaped as if still in good form when fifth in Eider, ridden too aggressively. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 17.00)</i></p>						
3		8-66112	GET ON THE YAGER 40 b g Tamure - Florentino	8 11 - 8	Henry Brooke D Skelton	140
<p>Jockey Colours: Royal blue, white triple diamond, striped sleeves Timeform says: <i>Proved game at the finish to land 8-runner Rowland Meyrick Chase at Wetherby in December (form worked out). Ran a cracker in defeat last time and potential for better still over this sort of trip. ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.50)</i></p>						
4		35-P134	HAINAN (FR) 21 gr g Laveron - Honor Smytzer	7 11 - 7	Danny Cook Mrs S J Smith	139
<p>Jockey Colours: Red and white (quartered), red sleeves Timeform says: <i>Signs of temperament but is doing nothing at present, value for extra when fourth of 17 in Betfred Eider at Newcastle last time, faring best of those ridden prominently. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 15.00)</i></p>						
5		34-7419	BENBENS (IRE) 70 ch g Beneficial - Millicent Bridge	13 11 - 6	Mr Z Baker (5) N A Twiston-Davies	138
<p>Jockey Colours: Red, white star, red sleeves, black stars, white cap, red star Timeform says: <i>Veteran who seemed to benefit from a change of tactics when making all in Betfair London National at Sandown in December. However, wasn't in the same form in a deeper race back there last time. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 26.00)</i></p>						
6		3/3P114	WESTERN CLIMATE (IRE) 63 b g Westerner - Jo Peeks	9 11 - 5	James Bowen (3) T H Weston	137
<p>Jockey Colours: Emerald green, white hoop, emerald green sleeves, red stars, emerald green cap, red star Timeform says: <i>Already better over fences, won novice at Ludlow in December and followed up in handicap at Exeter next time. Found out in better company latest and will need to find improvement to defy this mark. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)</i></p>						
7		2-39121	REGAL FLOW (EX6) 5 b g Erhaab - Flow	11 11 - 3	Sean Houlihan (5) R H Buckler	135
<p>Jockey Colours: Brown, orange epaulets and star on cap Timeform says: <i>Having a good season and produced a career best to resume winning ways in good style at Taunton (28.4f, heavy) last week, jumping soundly and travelling smoothly throughout. Carries penalty. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)</i></p>						

8		149-P22	ALFIE SPINNER (IRE) 70 b g Alflora - Little Red Spider	13 11 - 1tp	Richard Patrick (5) Miss Kerry Lee	133
<p>Jockey Colours: White and black stripes, royal blue sleeves, white cap Timeform says: <i>Enthusiastic sort who has shown all his powers remain firmly intact. Second of 20 to Raz de Maree in Welsh Grand National at Chepstow last time, always prominent and clear of rest. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 17.00)</i></p>						
9		71-3722	WEST OF THE EDGE (IRE) 21 b g Westerner - Bermuda Bay	10 10 - 13p	W T Kennedy Dr R D P Newland	131
<p>Jockey Colours: White, black epaulets, maroon and white diabolo on sleeves, black and maroon quartered cap Timeform says: <i>Took form up a notch this season despite not winning, bumping into the progressive Baywing in the Betfred Eider at Newcastle last time (pair clear of remainder). No surprise to see him go well again. ★★★★★ (Forecast 8.00)</i></p>						
10		5-13P3F	BALLYMALIN (IRE) 42 b g Presenting - Murrurundi	8 10 - 12	Thomas Bellamy N A Twiston-Davies	130
<p>Jockey Colours: Maroon and light blue diabolo, light blue sleeves, quartered cap Timeform says: <i>Made a successful debut over fences in 23f Worcester event in September. Back on track at Cheltenham in January and shaped as if still in good form until departing last time. Has stamina to prove. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)</i></p>						
11		P4P-15F	BOB FORD (IRE) 98 b g Vinnie Roe - Polar Lamb	11 10 - 12h	Sean Bowen Dr R D P Newland	130
<p>Jockey Colours: Purple, emerald green and white hooped sleeves, emerald green cap Timeform says: <i>First run since leaving Rebecca Curtis when winning over 3m at Chepstow in October. Looked a big danger to Wild West Wind when falling heavily 4 out in Welsh National back there last time. ★★★★★ (Forecast 17.00)</i></p>						
12		9-F231F	BACK TO THE THATCH (IRE) 21 b g Westerner - Melville Rose	6 10 - 11	T J O'Brien H D Daly	129
<p>Jockey Colours: Orange, dark blue epaulets and armllets, hooped cap Timeform says: <i>Young, lightly raced stayer who off the mark over fences at the fourth attempt at Chepstow (23.6f) in January. Still going well when fell sixteenth in Eider last time and remains unexposed. ★★★★★ (Forecast 8.00)</i></p>						
13		PP211P	THEMANFROM MINELLA (IRE) 21 b g Shantou - Bobomy	9 10 - 10bt	Max Kendrick (5) B I Case	128
<p>Jockey Colours: Dark green, red cross belts and armllets, quartered cap Timeform says: <i>Revitalised by the application of blinkers, winning at Warwick in December and Wincanton in January. However, didn't get home when pulled up in Eider last time. ★★★★★ (Forecast 67.00)</i></p>						
14		211-161	PLUS JAMAIS (FR) 21 b g Caballo Raptor - Branceilles	11 10 - 9	Ross Chapman (3) I Jardine	127
<p>Jockey Colours: Red, grey epaulets, chevrons on sleeves, red cap, grey star Timeform says: <i>Produced another career best as he made it 3 successive wins in this sphere at Newcastle (20.1f, soft) last month, jumping soundly. This mark may prove too much, though. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 34.00)</i></p>						
15		1-21284	KRACKATOA KING 27 C BF b g Kayf Tara - Firecracker Lady	10 10 - 8v	L P Aspell Miss Kerry Lee	126
<p>Jockey Colours: Dark blue, red chevrons, red and grey chevrons on sleeves, dark blue cap Timeform says: <i>Opened his account for the season here in November. Disappointed in Grade 3 at Warwick in January, but soon back to form when fourth of 11 in handicap at Ffos Las last time. Up in trip. ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)</i></p>						

16		5-4U4PP	RUSSE BLANC (FR) 6 C wh g Machiavellian Tsar - Fleur De Mad	11 10 - 5b	D R Fox Miss Kerry Lee	123
Jockey Colours: White, pink diamond, diamonds on sleeves, white cap, pink diamond Timeform says: <i>Won Classic Chase at Warwick in 2016, but out of sorts at present and questions to answer. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 51.00)</i>			Notes:			
17		214-342	BILLY BRONCO 65 ch g Central Park - Nan	7 10 - 4	Adam Wedge Evan Williams	122
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, pink hoop Timeform says: <i>Winning hurdler who bettered previous efforts in this sphere when runner-up in handicap at Catterick (30f, soft) in January. More needed to get involved here, but does have time on his side. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)</i>			Notes:			
18		3P-3111	THE ARTFUL COBBLER 26 gr g Saint Des Saints - Serhaaphim	7 10 - 3	A Tinkler H D Daly	121
Jockey Colours: Light blue and white diabolo, white sleeves, light blue cap, white diamonds Timeform says: <i>Has really come of age over fences, completed the hat-trick in 9-runner handicap at Lingfield (28.8f) last time, finding plenty. This asks for more, but he's a progressive and likeable sort. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 11.00)</i>			Notes:			
TIMEFORM VIEW: GET ON THE YAGER's Rowland Meyrick win is working out well, and with the potential for better still over this sort of trip, he receives the vote, particularly as several of his rivals are arriving from hard races in the Eider. Others to consider include Back To The Thatch and the Dr Richard Newland-trained pair West of The Edge and Bob Ford.						
Timeform 1-2-3: 1: GET ON THE YAGER (3) 2: BACK TO THE THATCH (12) 3: WEST OF THE EDGE (9)						
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CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0			Jumps: 24 - 8 - 5 - 2		All Weather: 2 - 0 - 2 - 0			
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
17 Feb 18	Hdo 28f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 57K	Hy	10-9bt	U/8	N D Fehily	5/1	1st Yala Enki, 2nd Blaktion, 3rd Mysteree chased leaders, blundered and unseated rider 1st	144
06 Jan 18	Chp 29.5f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 85K	Hy	11-3bt	5/20 16¼ len	Bryony Frost (5)	28/1	1st Raz De Maree, 2nd ALFIE SPINNER, 3rd Final Nudge held up towards rear, headway approaching 10th, outpaced 4 out, went left and bumped 2 out, kept on flat, no impression	147
25 Nov 17	Hdo 23f Hcp Hdl Gd3 Cls1 57K	Hy	11-5bt	13/16 62 len	Henry Morshead (7)	25/1	1st Sam Spinner, 2nd The Dutchman, 3rd Theo's Charm chased leaders, pushed along 7th, last place 4 out, soon behind, tailed off	156
29 Oct 16	Wth 24f Hdl Gd2 Cls1 23K	Gd	11-1bt	1/6 2¾ len	Jack Sherwood	13/2	1st SILSOL, 2nd Native River, 3rd Lil Rockerfeller always prominent, on outside, driven 3 out, ridden to lead narrowly before last, kept on under pressure flat, going away towards finish	158
12 Jun 16	Aut 25f Hdl Gd1 233K	Gd	10-10v1	8/12 18¾ len	J Sherwood	33/1	1st Pit Zig, 2nd Alex De Larredya, 3rd Blue Dragon	158
23 Apr 16	San 21.5f Hdl List Cls1 28K	Gd	11-0bt	2/6 1¾ len	Jack Sherwood	9/2	1st Pit Zig, 2nd SILSOL, 3rd Vaniteux led and disputed, headed approaching 2 out, stayed challenging, every chance last, driven and went 2nd towards finish, not pace of winner	158

2		P-63U15	MILANSBAR (IRE) 21 C b g Milan - Ardenbar	11 11 - 10b	Mr J Andrews (7) N B King	142		
Jockey Colours: Yellow, black cross of Lorraine, dark green sleeves, yellow cap, black star Timeform says: <i>Took advantage of a lenient mark when winning Classic Chase at Warwick in January, making most in first-time blinkers. Shaped as if still in good form when fifth in Eider, ridden too aggressively. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 17.00)</i>			Notes:					
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 2 - 0 - 0 - 0			Jumps: 24 - 6 - 4 - 3		All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0			
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
24 Feb 18	Ncs 33f Hcp Ch Cls2 50K	Sft	11-6b	5/17 33 len	J E Moore	11/1	1st Baywing, 2nd WEST OF THE EDGE, 3rd Portrait King led, headed before 4 out, soon outpaced	143
13 Jan 18	War 29f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 43K	Sft	11-2b1	1/13 11 len	Bryony Frost (5)	12/1	1st MILANSBAR, 2nd Cogny, 3rd Missed Approach led until after 2nd, prominent, led 4th, headed before 6th, led 9th, clear last, stayed on well	134
06 Jan 18	Chp 29.5f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 85K	Hy	10-9p1	U/20	T E Whelan	14/1	1st Raz De Maree, 2nd ALFIE SPINNER, 3rd Final Nudge soon pushed along towards rear, last after 9th, hampered and unseated rider 12th	134
09 Dec 17	Chp 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 13K	Hy	10-12	3/10 2¾ len	T E Whelan	10/1	1st Wild West Wind, 2nd ALFIE SPINNER, 3rd MILANSBAR tracked leader, reminders before 11 out, pushed along 8 out, kept on to take 3rd towards finish	134
24 Nov 17	ctt 25f Hcp Ch Cls3 8K	Gd-Sft	11-8	6/9 6½ len	Harry Teal (7)	10/1	1st Delusionofgrandeur, 2nd Thumb Stone Blues, 3rd Strongly Suggested prominent, weakened from 12th	137
25 Feb 17	Ncs 33f Hcp Ch Cls2 50K	Sft	11-11	PU/18	T E Whelan	20/1	1st Mysteree, 2nd Knockanrawley, 3rd Shotgun Paddy towards rear, reminders after 5th, weakened from 14th, tailed off 16th, pulled up	138

3		8-66112	GET ON THE YAGER 40 b g Tamure - Florentino	8 11 - 8	Henry Brooke D Skelton	140
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Jockey Colours: Royal blue, white triple diamond, striped sleeves
Timeform says: *Proved game at the finish to land 8-runner Rowland Meyrick Chase at Wetherby in December (form worked out). Ran a cracker in defeat last time and potential for better still over this sort of trip.* ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.50)

CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 Jumps: 12 - 5 - 2 - 0 All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
05 Feb 18	Sth 20f Nov Ch Cls4 5K	Sft	11-10	2/5 2½ len	Harry Skelton	6/4f2	1st Two Swallows, 2nd GET ON THE YAGER, 3rd Real Warrior tracked leaders in 4th jumped right and went 3rd 11th, pushed along before 3 out, 2nd before 2 out, ridden approaching last, stayed on same pace run-in	133
26 Dec 17	Wth 24f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 23K	Sft	10-7	1/8 hd	Henry Brooke	10/3f	1st GET ON THE YAGER, 2nd Wakanda, 3rd Delusionofgrandeur in touch, headway and hit 15th, ridden 3 out, stayed on under pressure to lead close home	133
11 Dec 17	Fon 26f Hcp Ch Cls3 6K	Hy	11-6	1/6 7 len	Harry Skelton	10/3	1st GET ON THE YAGER, 2nd Ramses De Teillee, 3rd Leo Luna tracked leaders, went 2nd when mistake 4 out, effort when mistake next, soon ridden, led approaching last, clear flat, kept on well	128
18 Nov 17	Wth 19f Hcp Ch Cls3 8K	Gd-Sft	11-8	6/8 21 len	Harry Skelton	7/4f	1st Wolf Sword, 2nd Poker School, 3rd Cushenee Bridge in rear, effort 4 out, never dangerous	131
19 Oct 17	Utt 22.5f Nov Hcp Ch Cls3 6K	Sft	11-8	6/11 25 len	Harry Skelton	5/2f	1st Sir Ivan, 2nd Robin Of Locksley, 3rd Court King in touch, tracked leader from 3rd, lost place 4 out, weakened 2 out	135
07 Apr 17	Ain 25f Nov Hdl Gd1 Cls1 56K	Gd	11-4	8/11 37 len	Harry Skelton	10/1	1st The Worlds End, 2nd Beyond Conceit, 3rd Debeco prominent, not always fluent, led after 4 out, headed next, weakened from 2 out	135

4  **35-P134** **HAINAN (FR) 21** **7 11 - 7** **Danny Cook** **139**
 gr g Laveron - Honor Smytzer


Jockey Colours: Red and white (quartered), red sleeves
Timeform says: *Signs of temperament but is doing nothing at present, value for extra when fourth of 17 in Befred Eider at Newcastle last time, faring best of those ridden prominently.* ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 15.00)

CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 Jumps: 21 - 4 - 2 - 3 All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
24 Feb 18	Ncs 33f Hcp Ch Cls2 50K	Sft	11-3	4/17 20 len	Danny Cook	11/2f2	1st Baywing, 2nd WEST OF THE EDGE, 3rd Portrait King tracked leaders, went 2nd before 17th, led before 4 out, headed before 2 out, one pace in 3rd	140
20 Jan 18	Hdo 26f Hcp Ch Gd2 Cls1 43K	Hy	10-11	3/13 13¾ len	Danny Cook	6/1f2	1st The Dutchman, 2nd Captain Redbeard, 3rd HAINAN tracked leaders, ridden after 4 out, soon outpaced, mistake 3 out, kept on to take 3rd towards finish	140
25 Nov 17	Hdo 28f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Hy	11-11	1/8 12 len	Danny Cook	13/2	1st HAINAN, 2nd Courtown Oscar, 3rd Emperor's Choice always prominent, led narrowly after 4th, made most after, drew clear after 5 out, unchallenged from next, stayed on well	132
04 Nov 17	Ayr 24f Hcp Hdl Cls3 12K	Hy	11-3	PU/11	Henry Brooke	22/1	1st Kris Spin, 2nd Hello George, 3rd Isaacstown Lad led, reminders after 6th, headed before 6 out, soon weakened, tailed off 4 out, pulled up before 3 out	127
18 Mar 17	Utt 24f Nov Hcp Ch Cls2 19K	Sft	10-11	5/9 36 len	Danny Cook	10/1	1st American, 2nd Rock The Kasbah, 3rd Crosspark prominent, led 3rd, headed 6th, not fluent next or 10th, given reminders, lost place before 14th, behind 4 out	133
04 Feb 17	Wth 19f Hcp Ch Cls2 12K	Sft	11-2	3/9 4½ len	Danny Cook	11/2	1st Oldgrangewood, 2nd Dresden, 3rd HAINAN led to 3rd, pressed leader, led again after 7th, headed 11th, ridden to regain lead 4 out, headed approaching last, no chance with winner flat, lost 2nd towards finish	133

5  **34-7419** **BENBENS (IRE) 70** **13 11 - 6** **Mr Z Baker (5)** **138**
 ch g Beneficial - Millicent Bridge


Jockey Colours: Red, white star, red sleeves, black stars, white cap, red star
Timeform says: *Veteran who seemed to benefit from a change of tactics when making all in Belfair London National at Sandown in December. However, wasn't in the same form in a deeper race back there last time.* ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 26.00)

CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 2 - 0 - 1 - 0 Jumps: 31 - 6 - 6 - 2 All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
06 Jan 18	San 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 62K	Hy	10-5	9/14 28 len	Jamie Bargary (3)	10/1	1st Buuywise, 2nd Pete The Feat, 3rd Gas Line Boy chased leaders, pushed along and lost place before 12th, weakened next	138
09 Dec 17	San 29f Hcp Ch Cls2 31K	Gd-Sft	10-8	1/10 nk	Mr Z Baker (5)	14/1	1st BENBENS, 2nd Sugar Baron, 3rd Cresswell Breeze made all, strongly challenged from 2 out, hard ridden after last, held on gamely towards finish (3 fences omitted)	135
18 Nov 17	Che 27f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 28K	Sft	9-11	4/8 18¾ len	Jamie Bargary (3)	16/1	1st Perfect Candidate, 2nd Vicente, 3rd Three Faces West behind, headway when hit 17th, went 4th 4 out, driven to chase leaders before next, soon ridden and outpaced, kept on from last, never on terms	140
29 Oct 17	Ain 25f Hcp Ch Cls2 19K	Gd-Sft	10-13	7/16 30 len	Mr Z Baker (5)	6/12f	1st The Romford Pele, 2nd Bob Tucker, 3rd Astracard blundered 3rd, always towards	137
29 Apr 17	San 29f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 84K	Gd	10-9	4/13 ¾ len	Sam Twiston-Davies	14/1	1st Henlan Harri, 2nd Vyta Du Roc, 3rd Theatre Guide held up behind, headway on outer after 4 out, driven to chase leaders next, ridden after last, kept on	135
22 Apr 17	Ayr 32f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 122K	Gd	10-8 (ow2)	3/30 2½ len	Mr Z Baker (7)	50/1	1st Vicente, 2nd Cogry, 3rd BENBENS mid-division, headway 3 out, ridden after next, stayed on to take narrow 3rd from last, not reach front pair	135

6  **3/3P114** **WESTERN CLIMATE (IRE) 63** **9 11 - 5** **James Bowen (3)** **137**
 b g Westerner - Jo Peeks


Jockey Colours: Emerald green, white hoop, emerald green sleeves, red stars, emerald green cap, red star
Timeform says: *Already better over fences, won novice at Ludlow in December and followed up in handicap at Exeter next time. Found out in better company latest and will need to find improvement to defy this mark.* ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)

CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 Jumps: 6 - 2 - 0 - 1 All Weather: 6 - 0 - 1 - 1

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
13 Jan 18	War 24f Nov Ch List Cls1 14K	Sft	11-0	4/5 11¼ len	C Poste	9/1	1st Ms Parfois, 2nd Duel At Dawn, 3rd Big River not always fluent, tracked leaders, no extra and hanging left 2 out	125
01 Jan 18	Exe 24f Hcp Ch Cls3 11K	Hy	11-7	1/9 28 len	Sean Bowen	6/1	1st WESTERN CLIMATE, 2nd Solomn Grundy, 3rd Lower Hope Dandy held up in touch, went left 1st, mistake and lost place 5th, rallied before 3 out (normal 4 out), led 2 out, clear before last, stayed on well	125
06 Dec 17	Lud 24f Nov Ch Cls3 9K	Gd	10-12	1/3 1¾ len	C Poste	8/1	1st WESTERN CLIMATE, 2nd Resolution Bay led to 5th, led 6th, blundered 7th, headed 9th, outpaced and lost place before 12th, headway before 3 out, soon ridden, kept on to lead run-in	125
08 Nov 17	Chp 24f Hcp Hdl Cls3 6K	Sft	11-12	PU/11	R Johnson	11/1	1st Steely Addition, 2nd Waterloo Warrior, 3rd Red Rising led to 6th, weakened from 5 out, tailed off, pulled up	125
08 Oct 17	Utt 23f Hcp Hdl Cls3 5K	Gd-Sft	11-8	3/6 6 len	Sean Bowen	9/2	1st Beneficial Joe, 2nd Sporting Boy, 3rd WESTERN CLIMATE prominent, led after 2nd, headed 4th, effort 2 out, stayed on same pace approaching last	125
22 Nov 15	Int 24f Mdn		11-5	3/17 14 len	Mr J A Kinsella (5)	7/1	1st San Pietro, 2nd Whole Nine Yards, 3rd WESTERN CLIMATE mid div, rdn in 6th 4out, mistk 3out, went 4th 2out, not qckn in mod 4th apr str, no ex last	-

7  **2-39121** **REGAL FLOW (EX6) 5** **11 11 - 3** **Sean Houlihan (5)** **135**
 b g Erhaab - Flow

Jockey Colours: Brown, orange epaulets and star on cap
Timeform says: *Having a good season and produced a career best to resume winning ways in good style at Taunton (28.4f, heavy) last week, jumping soundly and travelling smoothly throughout. Carries penalty.* ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)


CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 2 - 0 - 0 - 0 Jumps: 33 - 7 - 6 - 4 All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
12 Mar 18	Tau 28f Hcp Ch Cls3 9K	Hy	10-10	1/7 3 len	Sean Houlihan (5)	4/1f	1st REGAL FLOW, 2nd Theatrical Star, 3rd Bells Of Ailsworth chased leaders, closed 12th, led after 15th, clear from 3 out, eased close home	129

29 Jan 18	Hfo 25f Hcp Ch Cls3 14K	Sft	10-12	2/8 1½ len	Sean Houlihan (7)	15/2	1st Another Venture, 2nd REGAL FLOW, 3rd Houbton Des Obeaux chased leaders, went 2nd 12th, led before 4 out, headed 2 out, soon hampered, held flat, stayed on	126
26 Dec 17	Wcn 25f Hcp Ch Cls3 13K	Hy	11-3	1/11 hd	Sean Houlihan (7)	7/1	1st REGAL FLOW, 2nd KRACKATOA KING, 3rd Captain Buck's chased leaders, led after 8th, headed 11th, outpaced 3 out, rallied last, stayed on strongly to lead again post (2 fences omitted)	123
17 Nov 17	Che 25f Am Hcp Ch Cls3 13K	Gd-Sft	10-13	9/15 25 len	Mr Joshua Newman (3)	14/1	1st What A Moment, 2nd Sugar Baron, 3rd Pickamix chased leaders to 7th, mid-division, reminders before 4 out, weakened next, tailed off	124
27 Oct 17	Che 25f Am Hcp Ch Cls3 7K	Gd	11-9	3/17 9½ len	Mr Joshua Newman (3)	16/1	1st What Happens Now, 2nd Indian Castle, 3rd REGAL FLOW tracked leaders, ridden after 3 out, stayed on to dispute 2nd before last, kept on same pace, no chance with winner	124
15 Apr 17	Hdo 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 31K	Gd	10-3	2/14 nk	Sean Houlihan (7)	9/1	1st Willoughby Hedge, 2nd REGAL FLOW, 3rd Muckle Roe mid-division, went 4th from 9th, went 2nd from 12th, led 4 out, headed before 2 out, mistake and every chance last, upsides winner run-in, just held close home	118

8		149-P22	ALFIE SPINNER (IRE) 70	13 11 - 1tp	Richard Patrick (5) Miss Kerry Lee	133
b g Alfora - Little Red Spider						

Jockey Colours: White and black stripes, royal blue sleeves, white cap
Timeform says: *Enthusiastic sort who has shown all his powers remain firmly intact. Second of 20 to Raz de Maree in Welsh Grand National at Chepstow last time, always prominent and clear of rest.* ★★★★★ (Forecast 17.00)

CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 3 - 0 - 1 - 0 **Jumps:** 42 - 5 - 8 - 6 **All Weather:** 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
06 Jan 18	Chp 29.5f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 85K	Hy	10-2tp	2/20 6 len	Richard Patrick (5)	33/1	1st Raz De Maree, 2nd ALFIE SPINNER, 3rd Final Nudge tracked leaders, led 13th, headed 2 out, no impression on winner flat, stayed on	132
09 Dec 17	Chp 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 13K	Hy	10-10tp	2/10 1¼ len	R Johnson	14/1	1st Wild West Wind, 2nd ALFIE SPINNER, 3rd MILANSBAR led to 10 out, ridden and lost 2nd place from 5 out, left in 2nd next, ridden before 2 out, kept on and held towards finish	132
11 Nov 17	Wcn 25f Hcp Ch List Cls1 34K	Sft	10-7tp	PU/16	J E Moore	33/1	1st Present Man, 2nd Final Nudge, 3rd Theatre Guide chased leaders, weakened 5 out, behind when pulled up after next	135
18 Mar 17	Ult 33f Hcp Ch List Cls1 70K	Sft	11-3tp	9/20 23 len	J E Moore	25/1	1st Chase The Spud, 2nd Mysteree, 3rd Warrantor jumped right at times, led, headed 3 out, weakened next	135
08 Feb 17	Car 26f Hcp Ch Cls3 6K	Sft	11-12tp	4/10 10 len	J E Moore	9/2f	1st Blakemout, 2nd RUSSE BLANC, 3rd Bigirononship handy until before 2nd, mid-division, headway approaching 11th, stayed on one pace from 4 out	135
19 Jan 17	Wcn 27f Hcp Ch Cls3 14K	Sft	11-12tp	1/10 3 len	J E Moore	9/1	1st ALFIE SPINNER, 2nd Abracadabra Sivola, 3rd Saroque prominent, led 2nd, headed 7th, led next, 4 lengths clear when a little slow 3 out, stayed on gamely	128

9		71-3722	WEST OF THE EDGE (IRE) 21	10 10 - 13p	W T Kennedy Dr R D P Newland	131
b g Westerner - Bermuda Bay						

Jockey Colours: White, black epaulets, maroon and white diabolo on sleeves, black and maroon quartered cap
Timeform says: *Took form up a notch this season despite not winning, bumping into the progressive Baywing in the Belfred Eider at Newcastle last time (pair clear of remainder). No surprise to see him go well again.* ★★★★★ (Forecast 8.00)


CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 **Jumps:** 44 - 7 - 5 - 4 **All Weather:** 1 - 1 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
24 Feb 18	Ncs 33f Hcp Ch Cls2 50K	Sft	10-5p	2/17 4 len	W T Kennedy	11/1	1st Baywing, 2nd WEST OF THE EDGE, 3rd Portrait King mid-division, headway before 11 out, led before 2 out, headed last, no extra	128
30 Dec 17	Hdo 27f Hcp Ch Cls2 14K	Hy	11-8p	2/9 3½ len	B Hughes	8/1	1st Emperor's Choice, 2nd WEST OF THE EDGE, 3rd Harry The Viking chased leaders on inside, went 2nd before 4 out, closed and only 2 lengths down last, no impression flat	128
19 Dec 17	ctt 25f Hcp Hdl Cls4 3K	Gd-Sft	11-4	7/11 63 len	Charlie Hammond (7)	13/2	1st Buckle Street, 2nd Tanarpino, 3rd Pokora Du Lys tracked leaders, pushed along before 5 out, soon weakened	119
02 Nov 17	Sdg 27f Hcp Hdl Cls3 5K	Gd	10-10	3/7 3¼ len	Charlie Hammond (7)	7/2f	1st Sun Cloud, 2nd Beneficial Joe, 3rd WEST OF THE EDGE prominent, chased winner before 2 out until last, kept on run-in	118

12 Mar 17	War 29f Hcp Ch Cls3 11K	Sft	11-8p	1/11 8 len	Sam Twiston-Davies	8/1	1st WEST OF THE EDGE, 2nd Talk Of The South, 3rd Yanmare mid-division, headway before 6th, 2nd 3 out, led next, clear flat, stayed on well	119
24 Feb 17	Exe 31f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Gd-Sft	10-12	7/14 19¼ len	Sam Twiston-Davies	9/2f	1st Kingswell Theatre, 2nd Millicent Silver, 3rd Spookydooky held up towards rear, steady headway 12th, ridden and weakened before 4 out	119

10		5-13P3F	BALLYMALIN (IRE) 42	8 10 - 12	Thomas Bellamy N A Twiston-Davies	130
b g Presenting - Murrurundi						


Jockey Colours: Maroon and light blue diabolo, light blue sleeves, quartered cap
Timeform says: *Made a successful debut over fences in 23f Worcester event in September. Back on track at Cheltenham in January and shaped as if still in good form until departing last time. Has stamina to prove.* ★★★★★ (Forecast 23.00)

CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 4 - 1 - 1 - 1 **Jumps:** 14 - 5 - 0 - 5 **All Weather:** 2 - 1 - 0 - 1

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
03 Feb 18	mus 33f Hcp Ch Cls2 25K	Sft	10-9v1	F/12	Sam Coltherd (5)	11/2f	1st Full Jack, 2nd Missed Approach, 3rd Relentless Dreamer mid-division on outside, headway before 17th, 4th lengths 3rd 4 out, weakened 3 out, fell 2 out	132
01 Jan 18	Che 26f Hcp Ch Cls2 16K	Hy	10-12	3/5 28 len	James Bowen (5)	5/2f	1st Vyla Du Roc, 2nd Lamb Or Cod, 3rd BALLYMALIN chased leaders, jumped slowly at several fences until closed 10th, hit 15th, went 2nd 17th, mistake next, no impression on winner when losing 2nd after 2 out, weakened	135
25 Nov 17	Hdo 26f Hcp Ch Cls2 31K	Hy	11-3	PU/8	Jamie Bargary (3)	5/1f	1st Chase The Spud, 2nd Robinsfirth, 3rd Cloudy Too not fluent, chased leaders, reminders after 9th, ridden after 5 out, weakened and pulled up approaching next	138
27 Oct 17	Che 24f Nov Ch Cls2 16K	Gd	11-5	3/5 16 len	Sam Twiston-Davies	11/2	1st Black Corton, 2nd Fagan, 3rd BALLYMALIN tracked leaders on outer, pushed along in 4th after 4 out, ridden and no chance with front trio after next, left modest 3rd 2 out	138
29 Sep 17	wor 23f Nov Ch Cls4 4K	Gd-Sft	10-12	1/7 ½ len	Sam Twiston-Davies	7/4f	1st BALLYMALIN, 2nd Knight Of Noir, 3rd Thumb Stone Blues tracked leaders, went 2nd after 5 out, challenged on outside 3 out, ridden to lead narrowly flat, all out, just held on	138
07 Apr 17	Ain 25f Nov Hdl Gd1 Cls1 56K	Gd	11-4	5/11 10¼ len	Sam Twiston-Davies	16/1	1st The Worlds End, 2nd Beyond Conceit, 3rd Debeco mid-division, closed on inside from 5th, outpaced after 4 out, well held 3 out, plugged on flat, no impression	138

11		P4P-15F	BOB FORD (IRE) 98	11 10 - 12h	Sean Bowen Dr R D P Newland	130
b g Vinnie Roe - Polar Lamb						


Jockey Colours: Purple, emerald green and white hooped sleeves, emerald green cap
Timeform says: *First run since leaving Rebecca Curtis when winning over 3m at Chepstow in October. Looked a big danger to Wild West Wind when falling heavily 4 out in Welsh National back there last time.* ★★★★★ (Forecast 17.00)


CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 1 - 0 - 0 - 1 **Jumps:** 32 - 7 - 3 - 1 **All Weather:** 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY


Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
09 Dec 17	Chp 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 13K	Hy	10-8h	F/10	Brendan Powell	5/1f	1st Wild West Wind, 2nd ALFIE SPINNER, 3rd MILANSBAR in touch, chased winner from 5 out until about 3 lengths down in second place when fell 4 out	130
18 Nov 17	Ult 26f Hcp Ch Cls3 6K	Gd-Sft	11-12h	5/9 16 len	Sean Bowen	11/8f	1st Jennys Surprise, 2nd Smooth Stepper, 3rd Shanroe Santos chased leaders, went left 5th, outpaced 16th, plugged on into modest 5th 2 out	130
15 Oct 17	Chp 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 19K	Gd	10-0h	1/14 4 len	Sean Bowen	5/1	1st BOB FORD, 2nd Fox Appeal, 3rd It's A Gimme chased leaders, pushed along before 3 out, led approaching last, driven clear run-in	122
19 Mar 17	flf 24f Hcp Ch Cls3 8K	Sft	10-13p1	PU/9	Jonathan Moore (3)	4/1f	1st Wuff, 2nd Henlan Harri, 3rd Waldorf Salad chased leaders, lost place 4th, behind 6th, detached 8th, soon pulled up	125
19 Feb 17	flf 24f Hcp Ch Cls3 10K	Sft	11-7	4/8 10¼ len	Jonathan Moore (3)	9/2f	1st Pearl Swan, 2nd Abbeygrey, 3rd Horatio Hornblower tracked leaders, pushed along 11th, behind from next, plugged on to take 4th final strides, no impression	128
14 Jan 17	War 29f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 34K	Sft	10-7	PU/20	Adam Wedge	25/1	1st One For Arthur, 2nd Goodtknow, 3rd Shotgun Paddy held up in mid-division, mistake 3rd, well beaten 18th, pulled up after	133


12		9-F231F	BACK TO THE THATCH (IRE) 21	6 10 - 11	T J O'Brien H D Daly	129		
b g Westerner - Melville Rose								
Jockey Colours: Orange, dark blue epaulets and armllets, hooped cap								
Timeform says: <i>Young, lightly raced stayer who off the mark over fences at the fourth attempt at Chepstow (23.6f) in January. Still going well when fell sixteenth in Eider last time and remains unexposed. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 8.00)</i>								
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0		Jumps: 12 - 2 - 2 - 1		All Weather: 2 - 0 - 1 - 1				
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
24 Feb 18	Ncs 33f Hcp Ch Cls2 50K	Sft	10-6	F/17	R Johnson	6/1	1st Baywing, 2nd WEST OF THE EDGE, 3rd Portrait King towards rear, tracked leaders halfway, fell 16th	129
19 Jan 18	Chp 24f Hcp Ch Cls4 5K	Hy	11-12	1/10 11 len	R Johnson	11/4f	1st BACK TO THE THATCH , 2nd Catching On, 3rd Paddy The Oscar chased leaders, went 2nd 6th until after next, handy 3rd, 2nd again 5 out, led 4 out, clear when hit 2 out, easily	120
31 Dec 17	Utt 20f Nov Hcp Ch Cls3 6K	Hy	10-11	3/5 9½ len	A Tinkler	4/1	1st Town Parks, 2nd Arctic Gold, 3rd BACK TO THE THATCH held up, headway when not fluent 9th, lost place next, closed 11th, ridden before 4 out, 3rd and well held from 3 out	120
06 Dec 17	Hdo 23f Hcp Ch Cls4 6K	Hy	11-12	2/8 3½ len	R Johnson	13/2	1st Whiskey Chaser, 2nd BACK TO THE THATCH , 3rd Morney Wing not always fluent, held up in rear, headway after 12th, hanging left from before 4 out, went 2nd last, no impression on winner final 100 yards	120
12 Nov 17	ffl 24f Nov Ch Cls3 6K	Sft	11-3	F/6	A Tinkler	16/1	1st Solighoster, 2nd Joe Farrell, 3rd BILLY BRONCO chased leaders, went 2nd from 2nd until hit 5th, mistake and lost place 11th, mistake 13th, weakened after next, fell 4 out	125
20 Apr 17	Che 24f Hcp Hdl Cls2 13K	Gd	11-5	9/11 37 len	A P Heskin	25/1	1st Two Swallows, 2nd Rolling Maul, 3rd Duke Street tracked leaders on inside, not fluent 7th, lost place before 2 out, soon weakened	128

13		PP211P	THEMANFROM MINELLA (IRE) 21	9 10 - 10bt	Max Kendrick (5) B I Case	128		
b g Shantou - Bobomy								
Jockey Colours: Dark green, red cross belts and armllets, quartered cap								
Timeform says: <i>Revisited by the application of blinkers, winning at Warwick in December and Wincanton in January. However, didn't get home when pulled up in Eider last time. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 67.00)</i>								
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 1 - 0 - 0 - 0		Jumps: 25 - 4 - 5 - 2		All Weather: 1 - 1 - 0 - 0				
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
24 Feb 18	Ncs 33f Hcp Ch Cls2 50K	Sft	10-0bt	PU/17	Max Kendrick (5)	20/1	1st Baywing, 2nd WEST OF THE EDGE, 3rd Portrait King in touch, pushed along and outpaced before 6 out, no impression, pulled up	128
18 Jan 18	Won 27f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Hy	10-10bt	1/9 2½ len	Max Kendrick (7)	9/2f	1st THEMANFROM MINELLA , 2nd Blameitallonmyroots, 3rd Dawson City made all, clear before 2 out, stayed on well	121
31 Dec 17	War 24f Hcp Ch Cls4 6K	Hy	10-13bt	1/7 4½ len	Max Kendrick (7)	6/1	1st THEMANFROM MINELLA , 2nd Paddy The Oscar, 3rd Astigos chased leaders, went 2nd after 3 out, soon ridden to press leader, led next, clear last, eased flat	113
26 Nov 17	Exe 24f Hcp Ch Cls3 9K	Sft	10-7b1t	2/7 6 len	Max Kendrick (7)	9/1	1st You Say What, 2nd THEMANFROM MINELLA , 3rd Umberto D'oliveate led, hit 14th, pushed along before 4 out, headed approaching 2 out, kept on same paces, no chance with winner	113
09 Nov 17	mar 24f Hcp Ch Cls4 6K	Gd-Sft	11-5tp	PU/6	Max Kendrick (7)	7/1	1st Shady Glen, 2nd Kap Jazz, 3rd Ultimatum Du Roy led, headed 8th, tracked leaders, dropped to rear 11th, soon struggling, pulled up 3 out	119
09 May 17	Fkn 29f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Gd-Fm	11-5tp	PU/10	Max Kendrick (7)	10/1	1st Amiral Collonges, 2nd Itoldyou, 3rd Talk Of The South in rear, outpaced 12th, pulled up before next	119


14		211-161	PLUS JAMAIS (FR) 21	11 10 - 9	Ross Chapman (3) I Jardine	127
b g Caballo Raptor - Branceilles						


Jockey Colours: Red, grey epaulets, chevrons on sleeves, red cap, grey star								
Timeform says: <i>Produced another career best as he made it 3 successive wins in this sphere at Newcastle (20.1f, soft) last month, jumping soundly. This mark may prove too much, though. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 34.00)</i>								
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 3 - 0 - 0 - 1	Jumps: 35 - 7 - 5 - 6	All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0						
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
24 Feb 18	Ncs 20f Hcp Ch Cls3 7K	Sft	10-9p	1/8 3¾ len	Mr B Lynn (7)	12/1	1st PLUS JAMAIS , 2nd Takingrisks, 3rd Central Flame tracked leader, led 4 out, clear before 2 out, kept on well from last	122
02 Jan 18	Ayr 21f Hcp Hdl Cls3 9K	Hy	10-4p	6/9 27 len	Ross Chapman (5)	15/2	1st Elusive Theatre, 2nd One For Harry, 3rd Seldom Inn mid-division, weakened from 3 out	123
02 Dec 17	Ncs 20f Hcp Ch Cls4 4K	Sft	11-4p	1/11 1¾ len	Ross Chapman (5)	15/2	1st PLUS JAMAIS , 2nd Ronn The Conn, 3rd Witness finish, driven out	117
07 Mar 17	Ncs 23f Hcp Ch Cls4 4K	Hy	11-12p	1/3 ½ len	B Hughes	5/6f	1st PLUS JAMAIS , 2nd Whiskey Chaser with leader, led 2 out, hard pressed, held on towards finish	116
14 Feb 17	Ayr 24f Hcp Hdl Cls4 4K	Sft	11-6p	1/7 6 len	B Hughes	9/4f	1st PLUS JAMAIS , 2nd Oscar's Prospect, 3rd Another Mattie always prominent, led 3 out, ridden clear after next, kept on well	111
17 Jan 17	Ayr 21.5f Hcp Ch Cls4 4K	Hy	11-7p	2/8 hd	B Hughes	7/2f	1st Rowdy Rocher, 2nd PLUS JAMAIS , 3rd Gold Opera tracked leaders, every chance 2 out, kept on and just held close home	115

15		1-21284	KRACKATOA KING 27 C BF	10 10 - 8v	L P Aspell Miss Kerry Lee	126		
b g Kayf Tara - Firecracker Lady								
Jockey Colours: Dark blue, red chevrons, red and grey chevrons on sleeves, dark blue cap								
Timeform says: <i>Opened his account for the season here in November. Disappointed in Grade 3 at Warwick in January, but soon back to form when fourth of 11 in handicap at Ffos Las last time. Up in trip. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)</i>								
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 3 - 0 - 0 - 0		Jumps: 20 - 3 - 7 - 5		All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0				
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
18 Feb 18	ffl 24f Hcp Ch Cls3 10K	Hy	11-9v	4/11 10¼ len	Richard Patrick (5)	4/1f	1st Jennys Surprise, 2nd Lac Sacre, 3rd Behind Time tracked leaders, pushed along and outpaced from 3 out, plugged on to take 3rd run-in	127
13 Jan 18	War 29f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 43K	Sft	10-9v	8/13 75 len	Richard Patrick (5)	5/1f	1st MILANSBAR, 2nd Cogry, 3rd Missed Approach held up towards rear, pushed along 12th, struggling before 16th, well behind 4 out	127
26 Dec 17	Won 25f Hcp Ch Cls3 13K	Hy	11-7v	2/11 hd	Richard Patrick (5)	7/2f	1st REGAL FLOW, 2nd KRACKATOA KING , 3rd Captain Buck's chased leaders, led 5 out, headed 3 out, rallied next, led just after last, all out, headed post	125
26 Nov 17	Utt 26f Hcp Ch Cls4 4K	Hy	11-12v	1/6 shd	R Johnson	6/4f	1st KRACKATOA KING , 2nd Bears Rails, 3rd Rigadin De Beauchene held up towards rear, headway before 5 out, soon went 2nd place, led 3 out, soon hard pressed, just held on, all out	120
04 Nov 17	Wth 24f Hcp Ch Cls4 4K	Sft	11-12v	2/10 18 len	R Johnson	7/2f	1st Dakondike, 2nd KRACKATOA KING , 3rd Bells Of Ailsworth mid-division on outside, closed 4th, ridden after 15th, no impression on winner before 2 out	120
22 Mar 17	War 24f Nov Hcp Ch Cls4 5K	Hy	11-8v	1/3 99 len	R Johnson	8/11f	1st KRACKATOA KING , 2nd Timon's Tara tracked leader, led after 11th, clear when not fluent 12th, stayed on well to increase margin after	120

16		5-4U4PP	RUSSE BLANC (FR) 6 C	11 10 - 5b	D R Fox Miss Kerry Lee	123
wh g Machiavellian Tsar - Fleur De Mad						
Jockey Colours: White, pink diamond, diamonds on sleeves, white cap, pink diamond						
Timeform says: <i>Won Classic Chase at Warwick in 2016, but out of sorts at present and questions to answer. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 51.00)</i>						
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)						
Flat Turf: 1 - 1 - 0 - 0		Jumps: 37 - 4 - 6 - 4		All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0		

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
11 Mar 18	War 29f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Sft	11-7p	PU/10	Richard Patrick (5)	20/1	1st Talk Of The South, 2nd Muckle Roe, 3rd Capard King mid-division, pushed along and weakened before 5 out, soon pulled up	123
13 Jan 18	War 29f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 43K	Sft	10-12p	PU/13	C Poste	25/1	1st MILANSBAR, 2nd Cogry, 3rd Missed Approach behind, ridden after 12th, mistake 14th, pulled up before next	125
01 Jan 18	Che 26f Hcp Ch Cls2 16K	Hy	10-9p	4/5 41 len	Harry Skelton	10/3	1st Vyta Du Roc, 2nd Lamb Or Cod, 3rd BALLYMALIN chased leaders, mistake and last 16th, mistake next, rallied when mistake 4 out, one pace 3 out, no extra next	127
25 Nov 17	Hdo 28f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Hy	11-6b	U/8	R Johnson	10/3f2	1st HAINAN, 2nd Courtown Oscar, 3rd Emperor's Choice held up behind, hampered 9th, blundered and unseated rider 15th	127
05 Nov 17	Car 26f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Gd-Sft	11-10b	4/15 9½ len	B Hughes	18/1	1st Harry The Viking, 2nd Topper Thornton, 3rd Presented mid-division, headway 5 out, chased winner next, lost place before last, ridden and no impression in 4th flat	128
30 Mar 17	War 24f Hcp Ch Cls3 8K	Sft	11-12b	5/7 40 len	R Johnson	11/2	1st REGAL FLOW, 2nd After Hours, 3rd Saroque led until before 9th, weakened approaching 12th, tailed off	130

17		214-342	BILLY BRONCO 65	7 10 - 4	Adam Wedge Evan Williams	122		
ch g Central Park - Nan								
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, pink hoop								
Timeform says: <i>Winning hurdler who bettered previous efforts in this sphere when runner-up in handicap at Catterick (30f, soft) in January. More needed to get involved here, but does have time on his side. ★★☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)</i>								
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 1 - 1 - 0 - 0		Jumps: 8 - 1 - 2 - 2		All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0				
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
11 Jan 18	ctt 30f Hcp Ch Cls3 16K	Sft	11-1	2/9 15 len	Adam Wedge	11/2	1st I Just Know, 2nd BILLY BRONCO, 3rd Point The Way towards rear, headway 4 out to chase leaders, chased winner from 2 out, kept on and no impression	122
09 Dec 17	Chp 24f Nov Hcp Ch Cls3 6K	Hy	10-12	4/6 13 len	Adam Wedge	7/2j2f	1st Millanisi Boy, 2nd Scotchtown, 3rd Walt in touch, ridden before 3 out, weakened before next	123
12 Nov 17	fff 24f Nov Ch Cls3 6K	Sft	10-12	3/6 17 len	Mitchell Bastyan (5)	11/8f	1st Solighoster, 2nd Joe Farrell, 3rd BILLY BRONCO chased leaders, outpaced in 4th before 4 out, weakened approaching 2 out	123
10 Mar 17	San 21.5f Hcp Hdl Cls3 9K	Sft	11-2	4/9 7 len	Adam Wedge	5/1	1st Goodbye Dancer, 2nd Shaama Grise, 3rd Kayf Adventure tracked leaders, ridden before 2 out, kept on same pace	123
17 Jan 17	Ayr 24f Mdn Hdl Cls5 2K	Hy	11-6	1/7 6 len	Paul Moloney	30/100f	1st BILLY BRONCO, 2nd Sideways, 3rd One Cool Clarkson towards rear, headway 5 out, about 22 lengths down in 2nd when left in lead after being hampered 2 out, kept on, driven out	124
21 Dec 16	fff 22f Nov Hdl Cls4 3K	Sft	10-12	2/7 ¼ len	Adam Wedge	7/2	1st BALLYMALIN, 2nd BILLY BRONCO, 3rd Thegirlfrommilan in touch, tracked leaders before 6 out, every chance from 2 out until held towards finish	-

18		3P-3111	THE ARTFUL COBBLER 26	7 10 - 3	A Tinkler H D Daly	121		
gr g Saint Des Saints - Serhaaphim								
Jockey Colours: Light blue and white diabolo, white sleeves, light blue cap, white diamonds								
Timeform says: <i>Has really come of age over fences, completed the hat-trick in 9-runner handicap at Lingfield (28.8f) last time, finding plenty. This asks for more, but he's a progressive and likeable sort. ★★☆☆ (Forecast 11.00)</i>								
CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 1 - 0 - 0 - 0		Jumps: 17 - 4 - 0 - 2		All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0				
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
19 Feb 18	Lin 29f Hcp Ch Cls3 10K	Hy	11-3	1/9 ½ len	A Tinkler	13/2	1st THE ARTFUL COBBLER, 2nd Petite Power, 3rd The Boss's Dream pressed leader, jumped left 5th and 7th, led 12th, jumped steeply next, joined 3 out, clear when dived last, driven and stayed on gamely run-in	113
25 Jan 18	War 25.5f Hcp Ch Cls4 6K	Sft	11-0	1/7 2 len	P J Brennan	11/4jf	1st THE ARTFUL COBBLER, 2nd Talk Of The South, 3rd Gardiners Hill made all, not fluent 2 out, soon pressed, stayed on well and in command flat	108

27 Nov 17	Lud 24f Nov Hcp Ch Cls4 7K	Gd-Sft	11-8	1/7 1½ len	P J Brennan	7/2jf	1st THE ARTFUL COBBLER, 2nd Good Man Vinnie, 3rd Leg Lock Luke jumped left, led, not fluent 6th, mistake 9th, headed after 11th, not fluent 13th, led 14th until before 4 out, 2nd and looked held when mistake last, stayed on to catch idling leader towards finish	101
14 Nov 17	Hun 24f Nov Hcp Ch Cls4 4K	Gd	11-9	3/9 12 len	P J Brennan	7/2j2f	1st Silent Man, 2nd Midnight Gem, 3rd THE ARTFUL COBBLER tracked leaders, ridden when mistake 2 out, kept on one pace	102
19 Apr 17	Che 24f Hcp Hdl Cls3 6K	Gd	10-9p	PU/9	Jake Greenall	11/1	1st Iora Glas, 2nd Max Forte, 3rd The Wallace Line led, mistake 7th, headed before 2 out, soon weakened, pulled up before last	105
16 Mar 17	Tow 24f Hcp Hdl Cls4 5K	Sft	11-4p	3/6 11¼ len	Stan Sheppard (5)	2/1f2	1st Midnight Request, 2nd Dubai Devils, 3rd THE ARTFUL COBBLER led, headed 3 out, lost 2nd from 2 out, no extra	107