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### Al Zubarah London Gold Cup Handicap (Class 2) (3YO only)

**TRIFECTA** **JACKPOT 6** **PLACEPOT** **QUADPOT** **SCOOP 6**

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (4)		4161-7	<b>CONNECT</b> 28 b c Roderic O'connor - Robema	3 9 - 7	A Kirby C G Cox	101
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Red, white sleeves, blue and white striped cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Heavy-ground listed winner at Pontefract last term and found 7f too sharp on return here in the Greenham. This trip should be within range but looks vulnerable on handicap bow all the same. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)					Notes:	
2 (5)		31-31	<b>MASAARR</b> (USA) 14 ch c Distorted Humor - Aryaamm	3 9 - 2	Andrea Atzeni R Varian	96
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Yellow, black epaulets <b>Timeform says:</b> Atoned for reappearance defeat when making a winning handicap bow at Doncaster (1m, good). 8 lb rise merited given that he and the runner-up pulled clear of the rest and this new trip should suit. ★★★★★ (Forecast 5.50)					Notes:	
3 (2)		241-23	<b>DUKHAN</b> 13 BF br c Teofilo - Vedela	3 9 - 0p1	L Dettori Hugo Palmer	94
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Silver, gold braid, maroon cap, gold tassel <b>Timeform says:</b> Ended 2-y-o campaign on a winning note and thereabouts in competitive 1¼m Newmarket handicaps this season, beaten 2¾ lengths by He's Amazing last time and 5 lb better off now. Each-way claims. ★★★★★ (Forecast 9.00)					Notes:	
4 (10)		213	<b>LOYAL PROMISE</b> (IRE) 26 b c Teofilo - Distorted Promise	3 8 - 10	Oisin Murphy M Meade	90
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Yellow, red star, striped sleeves, red cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Promising type who confirmed debut promise when landing an AW minor event in February. Third on turf debut at Windsor (1¼m, good) since and he's clearly well-regarded (holds group-race entries). ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 17.00)					Notes:	
5 (11)		5-12121	<b>POET'S PRINCE</b> 9 D b g Poet's Voice - Palace Affair	3 8 - 10	J Fanning M Johnston	90
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> White, light blue spots, white sleeves, light blue cap, white spots <b>Timeform says:</b> Already a 3-time winner this year, the latest when upped to this trip at Chelmsford 9 days ago. Now 5 lb higher in a tougher race but likely to give it a good shot. Yard also saddles Communique. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 15.00)					Notes:	
6 (1)		8-41	<b>CHIEF IRONSIDE</b> 10 D b c Lawman - Moment Of Time	3 8 - 8	Kieran Shoemark W Jarvis	88
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> White, royal blue cross belts, royal blue and white striped sleeves <b>Timeform says:</b> Has taken sizeable steps forward on each of his 3 starts, decisive winner of 10.3f Chester maiden recently. Much more on his plate now pitched into a handicap but further improvement on the cards. ★★★★★ (Forecast 10.00)					Notes:	
7 (9)		32-21	<b>HE'S AMAZING</b> (IRE) 13 D b g Fastnet Rock - Kahyasi Moll	3 8 - 8	Tom Marquand C G Cox	88
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Dark blue, white epaulets, halved sleeves <b>Timeform says:</b> Promise at 2 yrs and runner-up in 1m maiden here on return last month. Improved when narrowly scoring on handicap bow upped to this trip at Newmarket 13 days ago, for which a 6 lb rise seems fair. ★★★★★ (Forecast 8.50)					Notes:	

8 (6)		64-1	<b>MEKONG</b> 21 D b g Frankel - Ship's Biscuit	3 8 - 5	Harry Bentley Sir Michael Stoute	85
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Red, red and royal blue check cap <b>Timeform says:</b> <i>Having shaped well in couple of minor events last season, he duly improved when making a winning reappearance over this trip at Leicester (heavy). Armed with significant potential now handicapping.</i> ★★★★☆ (Forecast 7.50)					Notes:	
9 (8)		321-4	<b>GLENCADAM MASTER</b> 22 BF gr c Mastercraftsman - Coquet	3 8 - 5	N Mackay J H M Gosden	85
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Purple, white chevron, white and purple halved sleeves, white cap, purple star <b>Timeform says:</b> <i>Signed off promising 2-y-o campaign with a victory at Kempton (1m) but questions to answer following a low-key effort on return/handicap bow at Sandown where he was adrift of Communique.</i> ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 15.00)					Notes:	
10 (3)		22-32	<b>COMMUNIQUE</b> (IRE) 22 ch c Casamento - Midnight Line	3 8 - 4	S De Sousa M Johnston	84
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Silver, tassel on cap <b>Timeform says:</b> <i>Runner-up both start last term and stepped up on this season's reappearance when again finding just one too good on handicap debut at Sandown (1¼m, soft). May do better now tackling faster ground.</i> ★★★★☆ (Forecast 11.00)					Notes:	
11 (7)		26-1	<b>MASTER OF WINE</b> (GER) 24 b g Maxios - Magma	3 8 - 2	Hayley Turner A M Balding	82
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Light blue, dark blue braces and armlets <b>Timeform says:</b> <i>Gelded following 2-y-o campaign and improved for step up to 8.5f when successful on return at Epsom. This demands further improvement but possesses potential over this new trip now handicapping.</i> ★★★★☆ (Forecast 15.00)					Notes:	
<b>TIMEFORM VIEW:</b> MASAARR is taken to follow in the footsteps of stablemate Defoe, who landed this prize 12 months ago before going on to better things. He left the impression that this trip would be right up his street when scoring over a mile at Doncaster a fortnight ago. Mekong possesses significant potential and is feared most, while Communique, Chief Ironside and Master of Wine are all promising types.						
<b>Timeform 1-2-3:</b> 1: MASAARR (2) 2: MEKONG (8) 3: COMMUNIQUE (10)						

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