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Commonwealth Cup (Group 1) (British Champions Series) (Class 1) (3YO only)

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

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (14)		12121-6	ABEL HANDY (IRE) 51 b c Arcano - Belle Isle	3 9 - 3	T Eaves D Carroll	104
Jockey Colours: Light green and dark green diamonds Timeform says: Front runner. Winner of 3 of his 5 starts at 2 yrs, notably Cornwallis here (5f), but faded to finish well held on C&D reappearance in May. Something to prove after that. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 67.00)					Notes:	
2 (7)		35-9061	CARDSHARP 5 D b c Lonhro - Pure Illusion	3 9 - 3	S De Sousa M Johnston	105
Jockey Colours: Silver, tassel on cap Timeform says: Better than ever when 6f Salisbury listed winner 5 days, keeping on to beat Dancing Star 2½ lengths. Placed at this meeting 12 months ago. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 26.00)					Notes:	
3 (11)		2113	EMBLAZONED (IRE) 27 D b c Invincible Spirit - Sendmylovetorose	3 9 - 3	L Dettori J H M Gosden	106
Jockey Colours: Emerald green, black chevrons on sleeves Timeform says: Improving colt who won a pair of novice events in the spring and took his form up another notch when just over 2 lengths behind Sands of Mali and Invincible Army in the Sandy Lane. More to come. ★★★★★ (Forecast 15.00)					Notes:	
4 (12)		01619-3	ENJAZAAT 51 D b c Acclamation - Miliika	3 9 - 3	Dane O'Neill Owen Burrows	103
Jockey Colours: Royal Blue, White Epaulets, Black cap Timeform says: Ripon listed winner at 2 who matched that form when 3¼ lengths third to Invincible Army in Pavilion on C&D return, but he will need to step up on that form to get heavily involved here. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 41.00)					Notes:	
5 (3)		14-24	EQTIDAAR (IRE) 34 D b c Invincible Spirit - Madany	3 9 - 3	Jim Crowley Sir Michael Stoute	107
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, white epaulets, striped cap Timeform says: Smart effort when chasing home Invincible Army in Pavilion on C&D return and had excuses when only fourth in a Newbury listed event since. Remains with potential for better after only 4 starts. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)					Notes:	
6 (2)		16-1	EQUILATERAL 34 D b c Equiano - Tarentaise	3 9 - 3	James McDonald C Hills	105
Jockey Colours: Green, pink sash and cap, white sleeves Timeform says: Impressive wide-margin winner of 2 of 3 starts, scoring by no less than 8 lengths on Doncaster return 5 weeks ago. This a significant step up in class but likely capable of making presence felt. ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.50)					Notes:	
7 (18)		411-5D3	FIGHTING IRISH (IRE) 32 D b c Camelot - Quixotic	3 9 - 3	I Mendizabal H J L Dunlop	104
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, light blue epaulets, striped sleeves and cap Timeform says: Maisons-Laffitte Group 2 success on final 2-y-o start came in a weak race for the level (only 3 runners) and he's had his limitations exposed in 3 outings this term. Easy to look elsewhere. ★☆☆☆☆ (Forecast 67.00)					Notes:	

8 (20)		1192-32	FLEET REVIEW (USA) 33 D b c War Front - A Star Is Born	3 9 - 3	W M Lordan A P O'Brien	111
Jockey Colours: Dark blue Timeform says: <i>Smart colt. Creditable 1¼ lengths second of 7 to Sioux Nation in Naas Group 3 last time. Likely to find his stablemate a bit too strong again, though.</i> ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 21.00)					Notes:	
9 (17)		21-211	GIDU (IRE) 27 gr c Frankel - Manerbe	3 9 - 3	John Velazquez Todd Pletcher	106
Jockey Colours: Turquoise, large gold spots, gold sleeves, turquoise spots, turquoise cap, gold visor Timeform says: <i>Useful 3-time winner at up to 1m on turf in US. Needs to step up a fair bit on that form if he's to get seriously competitive here.</i> ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)					Notes:	
10 (1)		2134-52	HEY JONESY (IRE) 36 D b c Excelebration - Fikrah	3 9 - 3	Kevin Stott K A Ryan	108
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, yellow star, white sleeves, royal blue cap, yellow star Timeform says: <i>Capped promising 2-y-o campaign by finishing fourth in Middle Park (6f) in September. Showed he's trained on well when neck second to Main Desire in York listed 5 week ago. This demands more.</i> ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 34.00)					Notes:	
11 (16)		2212-12	INVINCIBLE ARMY (IRE) 27 CD BF b c Invincible Spirit - Rajeem	3 9 - 3	James Doyle J Tate	112
Jockey Colours: White, red sash, red and white striped cap Timeform says: <i>Ran plenty of fine races in the top 2-y-o sprints and reappeared with a win in Pavilion over C&D. Narrowly denied by Sands of Mali in Sandy Lane at Haydock since. Unlikely to be too far away.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 9.50)					Notes:	
12 (4)		3231-43	LAUGH A MINUTE 16 b c Mayson - Funny Enough	3 9 - 3	Andrea Atzeni R Varian	101
Jockey Colours: Yellow, large black spots and spots on cap Timeform says: <i>Valuable sales race winner at Doncaster last autumn. Decent efforts both starts this year, although he was 4¾ lengths behind Invincible Army over C&D on first occasion.</i> ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 21.00)					Notes:	
13 (21)		1222-13	ROUSSEL (IRE) 36 D BF b c Kodiak - Sodashy	3 9 - 3	W Buick C Appleby	103
Jockey Colours: Royal blue Timeform says: <i>Runner-up in Windsor Castle at this meeting last year. Improved when third in York listed last month but this demands even more.</i> ★★★☆☆ (Forecast 51.00)					Notes:	
14 (22)		1109-11	SANDS OF MALI (FR) 27 D b c Panis - Kadiania	3 9 - 3	P Hanagan R A Fahey	116
Jockey Colours: White, purple cap Timeform says: <i>Gimcrack winner who has added to his Group-race tally when shading tight finishes at Chantilly (soft) and Haydock (firm) this term. Likely to give it his usual good shot.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 9.00)					Notes:	
15 (15)		6116-41	SIOUX NATION (USA) 33 C D b c Scat Daddy - Dream The Blues	3 9 - 3t	R L Moore A P O'Brien	114
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, orange disc, striped sleeves and cap Timeform says: <i>Winner of Norfolk here last year and followed up in Group 1 Phoenix at the Curragh (both good to firm). Beaten on soft-ground return but quickly back on track on a sounder surface at Naas since.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.00)					Notes:	
16 (13)		311-23	SPEAK IN COLOURS 33 CD gr c Excelebration - Maglietta Fina	3 9 - 3t	D O'Brien Joseph P O'Brien	106

Jockey Colours: Red, yellow stripe, chevrons on sleeves

Timeform says: Listed winner for Marco Botti at 2 and good efforts both starts for new yard, although Sioux Nation does hold him on last month's Naas form. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 34.00)


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17 (10)		1217	STONE OF DESTINY 34 D b c Acclamation - Irishstone	3 9 - 3	Oisin Murphy A M Balding	95
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Jockey Colours: Royal blue, white hoop, striped sleeves, white cap, royal blue star

Timeform says: Two wins from 3 starts on AW for David Simcock at start of year but only seventh in Newbury listed on stable debut 5 weeks ago, finding little. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 67.00)


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18 (19)		22119-7	UNFORTUNATELY (IRE) 27 D b c Society Rock - Unfortunate	3 9 - 3v	Tony Piccone K R Burke	114
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Jockey Colours: Red, white sash, royal blue cap

Timeform says: Group 1 winner In France at 2 but needs to prove he's trained on after finishing well held on his Haydock return last month. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)


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19 (5)		39-0551	ACTRESS (IRE) 14 D b f Declaration Of War - Nasty Storm	3 9 - 0	J A Heffernan A P O'Brien	106
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Jockey Colours: Royal Blue, Orange Disc, Striped Sleeves, Royal Blue cap

Timeform says: Useful filly who took her form up another notch when landing a 6f Curragh Group 3 on her latest start but it still leaves her a good bit short of the required standard here. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 41.00)


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20 (8)		1131-6	HEARTACHE 27 C b f Kyllachy - Place In My Heart	3 9 - 0	A Kirby C G Cox	110
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Jockey Colours: Maroon, beige braces, beige cap

Timeform says: Queen Mary winner here last year and also added the Flying Childers at Doncaster in September. Shaped better than result (likely needed the run) when behind a couple of these rivals on return. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)

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21 (6)		11-1	MAIN DESIRE (IRE) 36 b f High Chaparral - Purple Glow	3 9 - 0	D Tudhope M L W Bell	100
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Jockey Colours: Grey

Timeform says: Unbeaten in 3 starts, returning from a year off to edge out the reopposing Hey Jonesy in York listed (5f, good to firm) 5 weeks ago. This a step up in class but good chance there's more to come. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 23.00)

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22 (9)		348-134	NOW YOU'RE TALKING (IRE) 33 b f Zoffany - Granadilla	3 9 - 0	J P Spencer Joseph P O'Brien	102
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Jockey Colours: Red, dark blue seams, striped sleeves, red cap

Timeform says: Useful filly. 1¼ lengths fourth of 7 to Sioux Nation in Naas Group 3 last time. Likely to find a few too strong here. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 34.00)

Notes:

TIMEFORM VIEW: SIOUX NATION has a progressive record on going faster than good and can provide his trainer with a second successive winner in this race. Sands of Mali and Invincible Army are very closely matched on Sandy Lane form and this likeable pair look sure to give good accounts of themselves, while Equilateral and Emblazoned are lightly-raced sorts who have the potential for better still.

Timeform 1-2-3:

- 1: SIOUX NATION (15)
- 2: SANDS OF MALI (14)
- 3: INVINCIBLE ARMY (11)

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