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VAAL

1500m

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FLAT

TURF

Participants #10

BELLEROPHON (7) ran well on debut to finish third, then improved last start to finish second of 13 as the favourite. Sure to take a lot from that hitout so he will prove tough to beat. NEBRASKA (9) didn't do a lot on debut three-and-a-half weeks ago, finishing 19 lengths from the winner in tenth over 1600m at this track. Will take a lot from that experience. Expected to do much better. EQUILATERAL (8) is a three-year-old colt on debut from the stable of F P Habib. By Master Of My Fate from Tingle. Watch the market closely. ROCK MY BOAT (5) in what was his third career run finished fifth of 11 over 1200m at this track when sent out at long odds. Racing over a longer trip has place claims.

1

TRIP TO STATES

BP: 3
60.0kg

24781

Jockey: TOM LUKHELE

Trainer: C I JONKER

Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker

C Career: 28 : 1-2-5 (5 days)

Last start winner at this track over 1200m, scoring by 1.3 lengths. Well placed. Should prove hard to beat.

2

BATLE OFTHE BULGE

BP: 4
60.0kg

0768x

Jockey: A FENI

Trainer: B WEBBER

Owner: Mr J W Webber

Career: 6 : 0-0-0 (103 days)

Back from a break of three-and-a-half months. Form at the end of last prep was not flash, the most recent effort a eighth over 1600m at this track. Might need a run or two.

3

JABBERWOCKY

BP: 5
60.0kg

x067x

Jockey: SMKHUMBUZI

Trainer: D NIEUWENHUIZEN ★

Owner: Messrs S Poriazis, G A Ba

Career: 10 : 0-1-0 (94 days)

First-up after three-and-a-half months in the paddock. Has performed well when fresh in the past but wait and see how he has returned.

4

ITSNOWORNEVER

BP: 9
60.0kg

77

Jockey: IMPI LUKHELE

Trainer: J BORMAN

Owner: Mr SR Potgieter

Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (5 days)

Was safely held on debut last start when seventh and beaten 8 lengths over 1600m at this track. Better for that run. Expected to be competitive.

5

ROCK MY BOAT

BP: 2
57.0kg

775

Jockey: TSHEPISO MATSOELE

Trainer: F P HABIB ★

Owner: Tkp Racing (Nom: Trevelen

Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (12 days)

Maiden galloper in first campaign. Unplaced at all three runs, the latest when fifth over 1200m at this track a week-and-a-half ago. Strong contender on his best form.

6

MRS WONDERFUL

BP: 1
57.0kg

060x9

Jockey: PHILLIP MLANGENI

Trainer: S M NAIDOO

Owner: Messrs A V Van Der Poel &

Career: 6 : 0-0-0 (19 days)

Poor effort when resuming last start over 1000m at this track, beaten 16 lengths into ninth. Stepping up in trip but must improve sharply. Hard to get excited about her chances.

7

BELLEROPHON

BP: 10
57.0kg

32

Jockey: SAMUEL MOSIA ★

Trainer: F P HABIB ★

Owner: Ms K Bezuidenhout, Messrs

Career: 2 : 0-1-1 (5 days)

Faced the starter for the first time last start and did a good job to finish second over 1600m at this track. Well in commission that day so he lived up to expectations. Better for that experience and looks set to break the maiden status.

8

EQUILATERAL

BP: 6
57.0kg

Jockey: T DEMONT

Trainer: F P HABIB ★

Owner: Tkp Racing (Nom: Trevelen

Career: First Start

Son of Master Of My Fate from Tingle making his debut. Will pay to keep an eye on betting moves.

9

NEBRASKA

BP: 8
57.0kg

50

Jockey: P MONGQAWA

Trainer: A P PETER

Owner: Swiss Guard Racing Syndic

Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (5 days)

Finished 19 lengths back in tenth on debut over 1600m at this track last start. Better for that run. Leading contender.

10

SCOTT'S GUARD

BP: 7
57.0kg

79

Jockey: V SITHETHO

Trainer: J BORMAN

Owner: Mr G R Sadleir

Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (5 days)

Started at lengthy odds on debut last start and didn't do a great deal when 18 lengths back in ninth over 1600m at this track. Better for that run but others look better placed.

Pace of the Race			
BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
	6	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10	8, 9

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	7				9	9	
2nd	3	-	-	-	5	5	
3rd	9				7	7	

Favorite: BELLEROPHON
Possible alternative: TRIP TO STATES
The cover: NEBRASKA

R2

VAAL

1200m

12:05 | (GMT11:05) | ZARR95,000 | F MPLATE

RACING TODAY MAIDEN PLATE

FLAT

TURF

Participants #11

ICONIC WINTER (1) finished second over 1200m at this track two back then missed the frame last time out over 1200m at Scottsville. Should be prominent throughout. Looks a great chance to break through. MAGIC CARPET RIDE (3) raced once in the maiden preparation when fourth at Turffontein Standside over 1160m back on June 8. Much better for that run and can get off the mark this time. DUCHESS OF PALOMA (2) last appeared on April 21 when a good fifth over 1100m at Kenilworth, beaten 3 lengths. Lines up today for the first time for trainer James Crawford. One to consider. UNITED OFFER (10) is a three-year-old filly on debut from the stable of Sean Tarry. By The United States from Sheema. Worth watching for a betting push.

1

ICONIC WINTER

BP: 2
60.0kg

x6224

Jockey: P MXOLI

Trainer: P MATCHETT

Owner: Messrs M J Kapnias & A M

Career: 5 : 0-2-1 (37 days)

Has opened her career in good style with three minor placings from five starts. Finished fourth at her most recent appearance over 1200m at Scottsville. Sure to be tough to beat.

2

DUCHESS OF PALOMA

BP: 7
60.0kg

x445x

Jockey: MARCO VAN RENSBURG

Trainer: JAMES CRAWFORD

Owner: Stone Hill Stud (Nom: Mr

Career: 9 : 0-0-0 (162 days)

Last appeared five-and-a-half months ago when she finished 3 lengths from the winner in fifth over 1100m at Kenilworth. Among the leading players.

3

MAGIC CARPET RIDE

BP: 10
60.0kg

4x

Jockey: C ZACKEY

Trainer: S TARRY

Owner: J Lahoud, A Lahoud, L Pog

Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (114 days)

Has not raced since she started at \$17 on debut over 1160m at Turffontein Standside and finished fourth, beaten 4.5 lengths. Craig Zackey engaged again. Watch for a better run.

4

EXPLOSIVE CHARM

BP: 9
58.0kg

5

Jockey: MUZI YENI

Trainer: J A J V VUUREN ★

Owner: Mgas Bloodstock (Nom: Mr

Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (31 days)

Was safely held on debut last start, finishing 12 lengths adrift in fifth at this track over 1200m. Plenty of scope for improvement.

5

EXPLOSIVE POWER

BP: 1
58.0kg

6x

Jockey: K MATSUNYANE

Trainer: R KLAASEN

Owner: Nu-Atlas Racing (Nom: Mr

Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (155 days)

Has not raced since she started at \$15 on debut over 1000m at Greyville and finished sixth, beaten 9 lengths. Likely improver.

6 FIRE WITHIN

BP: 6
58.0kg

Jockey: S VALJALO
Trainer: P P VERMEULEN
Owner: Jan & Linda Stekhoven
Career: First Start



Filly by Pomodoro at the races for the first time. Prefer to let go without a strong market move.

7 HATHIGHWAYTOTHE SKY

BP: 3
58.0kg

Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO ★
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Mr Jaime & Mrs Mariza Vil
Career: First Start



Filly by Hat Puntano at the races for the first time. Market the best guide to her chances.

8 MANURIKI

BP: 5
58.0kg

Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: ALSON NDZILANA
Owner: Mr Q J Manoko
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (52 days)



Started at \$34 on debut last time out when sixth and beaten 12 lengths over 1160m at Turffontein Standside. Top-three chance in this line-up.

9 MASTER'S ROSE

BP: 8
58.0kg

Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Messrs G C Cornwall, G A
Career: First Start



Filly by Master Of My Fate out of Gypsy Rose on debut. Watch for any market moves.

10 UNITED OFFER

BP: 11
58.0kg

Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Kestorm Investments (Nom:
Career: First Start



Filly by The United States out of Sheema on debut. Looks set to run well.

11 WINGS OF KILDRA

BP: 4
58.0kg

Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: D STENGER
Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
Career: First Start



Filly by Legislate at the races for the first time. Can measure up.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker		Mid		Pace		Leader	
		8		4		1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11	
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1				7	3	
2nd	2	-	-	-	4	10	-
3rd	3				5	9	

Favorite: ICONIC WINTER

Possible alternative: MAGIC CARPET RIDE
The cover: DUCHESS OF PALOMA

R3 VAAL

1200m

12:40 | (GMT11:40) | ZARR95,000 | F M PLATE

#YOU CAN BET ON US! MAIDEN PLATE

FLAT TURF

Participants #10

VAMANOS (4) is close to breaking through after two consecutive placings, the latest coming when second over 1450m at this track after being prominent from the outset. Likely improver with strong prospects. LOST FOR WORDS (3) finished second, beaten 6 lengths, when resuming from a spell last start over 1160m at Turffontein Standside after she was in the firing line on the bend. Likely improver with winning claims. QUIET WINTER (5) was in the firing line on the bend and finished third last time over 1160m at Turffontein Standside when resuming from a spell, beaten 8 lengths. Placed to advantage so expect a forward showing. GALAXY QUEEN (8) is a three-year-old filly on debut from the stable of Sean Tarry. By Declaration of Peace from Mile High. Worth watching for a betting push.

1 TIPPERARY

BP: 8
60.0kg

Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs B I Rajhunan & K
BF Career: 19 : 0-5-2 (19 days)



Filled a minor placing at her first two runs this preparation then had excuses when unplaced over 1450m at this track last start. Overlook that. One of the contenders.

2 LADY LIMONCELLO

BP: 6
60.0kg

Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: G MAROUN
Owner: Bella Blu Holdings (Pty)
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (24 days)



Four-year-old filly who debuted at Turffontein Inside over 1200m, beaten 11L at very long odds. Fitter and can only be improved but others preferred this time.

3 LOST FOR WORDS

BP: 2
60.0kg

Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
Trainer: J SOMA ★
Owner: Messrs M B Bloemstein, D
Career: 2 : 0-1-0 (52 days)



Returned from a spell last start with a solid second, beaten 6 lengths, at Turffontein Standside over 1160m. Sure to run well.

4 VAMANOS

BP: 10
58.0kg

Jockey: MUZIYENI
Trainer: R MAGNER ★
Owner: Mr P J Moor
BF Career: 3 : 0-1-1 (19 days)



Solid effort last start when second up from a spell, beaten just 1.4 lengths into second over 1450m at this track. Cherry-ripe now and sure to be very competitive.

5 QUIET WINTER

BP: 4
58.0kg

Jockey: C ZACKAY
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mr
Career: 3 : 0-0-2 (52 days)



Returned from a spell last start with a solid third, beaten 8 lengths, at Turffontein Standside over 1160m. Hard to beat.

6 HAWKSDALE

BP: 5
58.0kg

Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: C DAWSON ★
Owner: Messrs Suven Govender, Qu
Career: 3 : 0-1-0 (86 days)



Showed ability in the maiden campaign and is back from a spell today. At the latest outing she finished sixth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside on July 6. Has upside and may pay to follow.

7 DRAMAGRAM

BP: 9
58.0kg

Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: D STENGER
Owner: Mr Greg Scott
Career: First Start



Daughter of Mambo In Seattle from Anagram making her debut. The betting is the best pointer to her chances.

8 GALAXY QUEEN

BP: 7
58.0kg

Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: S TARRY
Owner: Mr M J A Ferreira
Career: First Start



Daughter of Declaration of Peace from Mile High making her debut. Should kick off on the right note.

9 MADE TO MEASURE

BP: 1
58.0kg

Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Mauritzfontein (Pty) Ltd
Career: First Start



Filly by Fire Away out of One Of A Kind on debut. Likely to be better for this run.

10 MARIA LA GORDA

BP: 3
58.0kg

Jockey: N KLINK
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Mr B C Ralph
Career: First Start



Filly by Act Of War at the races for the first time. Watch for any market moves.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker	Mid		Pace		Leader		
2			4, 5, 6		1, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10		
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	3				5	5	
2nd	4	-	-	-	8	8	-
3rd	5				1	1	

Favorite: VAMANOS

Possible alternative: LOST FOR WORDS
The cover: QUIET WINTER

R4 VAAL

1200m

13:15 | (GMT12:15) | ZARR105,000 | MPLATE

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FLAT **TURF** Participants #14

MONKEY PUZZLE (1) is close to breaking through after two consecutive placings, the latest coming when second over 1200m at Turffontein Inside after being prominent from the outset. Likely improver with strong prospects. AFRICAN PRIDE (3) is a talented gelding who tackled a tougher race at his last run on May 31 and finished ninth behind Good For You over 1200m in the G1 Gold Horse Medallion at Scottsville. Should camp just off the leaders. Will give a great sight. JABARI THIMBA (7) is back after a break of ten weeks. At the last run before the layoff he finished sixth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Rates highly and is a chance to break through. SCATMAN (12) is facing the starter for the first time. By Soqrat and hails from the F P Habib stable. Top-three chance.

1 MONKEY PUZZLE

BP: 5
60.0kg

70x22 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: JAMES CRAWFORD
Owner: Messrs R Kieswetter & E G
Career: 11 : 0-3-1 (24 days)



Returned from a spell with a second at Turffontein Standside then backed it up with another top-three finish three-and-a-half weeks ago over 1200m at Turffontein Inside. Ready to peak now. Big chance.

2 ARIZONA MAGIC

BP: 6
60.0kg

4 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr H P N Pretorius
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (38 days)



Didn't do a bad job last start when fourth on debut over 1000m at Turffontein Inside. Promising four-year-old gelding who has plenty of scope for improvement.

3 AFRICAN PRIDE

BP: 3
58.0kg

39x Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: C SPIES
Owner: I Spy Racing Syndicate (P
BF Career: 2 : 0-0-1 (122 days)



Has not raced since May 31. Was not far away when third on debut then gave a lacklustre performance to finish 7 lengths away in ninth over 1200m at Scottsville at the most recent outing. Likely to be primed for a big first-up run.

4 ECHOES OF WAR

BP: 13
58.0kg

8x Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA
Trainer: F P HABIB
Owner: Messrs Gareth Kalil, Jaso
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (80 days)



Failed to flatter at his only appearance back on 12/07/2025, finishing eighth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside. With some improvement can figure in the placings.

5 ELUSIVE RED

BP: 2
58.0kg

Jockey: MUZIYENI
Trainer: R MAGNER
Owner: Messrs W J Coates & S M L
Career: First Start



Three-year-old colt by leading sire Elusive Fort on debut here. Prefer to just watch barring a strong market move.

6 HIMITSU

BP: 1
58.0kg

6 Jockey: JULUIS MARIBA
Trainer: R KLAASEN
Owner: Miss K Whittington
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (24 days)



Did nothing on debut when beaten 16 lengths into sixth over 1200m at Turffontein Inside. Doubt he will trouble these.

7 JABARI THIMBA

BP: 9
58.0kg

26x Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
Trainer: J A J VUUREN
Owner: Mr & Mrs C R Stonebridge
Career: 2 : 0-1-0 (73 days)



Resumes after a break of ten weeks. Nice run on debut then failed to threaten when sixth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside at the last outing prior to a spell. Big chance with some natural improvement likely.

8 LEGAL FLAME

BP: 11
58.0kg

5 Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Mrs S Viljoen
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (19 days)



Finished 4 lengths back in fifth on debut over 1000m at this track last start. Will take a lot from that hitout and shapes as one to consider.

9 OLYMPIC ADMIRAL

BP: 8
58.0kg

0 Jockey: J R SYSTER
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (12 days)



Three-year-old gelding stepping out for the second time after an inauspicious debut last start, beaten 22 lengths over 1200m at this track. Look elsewhere.

10 PLATINUM HILL

BP: 4
58.0kg

Jockey: MARCO VAN RENSBURG
Trainer: ALSON NDZILANA
Owner: Mr Q J Manoko
Career: First Start



Son of Danon Platina from Wild Honey making his debut. Profiles nicely and is worth keeping safe.

11 SAMUEL SHARPE

BP: 12
58.0kg

Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO
Trainer: F P HABIB
Owner: Ms K Bezuidenhout, Messrs
Career: First Start



Flower Alley colt who makes his debut. Market the best guide to his chances.

12 SCATMAN

BP: 10
58.0kg

Jockey: S'MANGA KHUMALO
Trainer: F P HABIB
Owner: Messrs D Chinsammy, E Nai
Career: First Start



Colt by Soqrat at the races for the first time. Looks ready to make a bright start.

13 SINGLE COMBAT

BP: 14
58.0kg

6 Jockey: SVALJALO
Trainer: R MAGNER
Owner: Messrs H D Long, R R Magn
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (38 days)



Debuted at Turffontein Inside on August 23 and was pretty plain when beaten 9 lengths into sixth over 1000m. Can improve with that run under his belt.

14 WITCH HAZEL

BP: 7
58.0kg

Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: MARK KHAN
Owner: Mr E Khan
Career: First Start



Son of Hawwaam from Fragrant Miss making his debut. Can measure up.

Pace of the Race

BackMaker	Mid	Pace	Leader
2, 13	4, 6	1, 3, 8	5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	7				8	14	
2nd	1	-	-	-	7	8	
3rd	3				6	12	

Favorite: MONKEY PUZZLE

Possible alternative: AFRICAN PRIDE

The cover: JABARI THIMBA

R5 VAAL

1500m

13:50 | (GMT12:50) | ZARR95,000 | F MPLATE

RACING240 MAIDEN PLATE

FLAT **TURF** Participants #9

RED SECRET (9) will find this a little easier than her second on debut a week-and-a-half ago, beaten 1.75 lengths at the end of 1200m at this track. Has plenty of upside so she is worth following up. WINDS OF GRACE (1) is ready to break through after collecting her 4th minor placing in a row last time over 1500m at this track. Goes up a rung or two but she is good enough to take this out. HAZY DAZY (7) is back from a spell of five months. Debuted with a third, beaten 3.5 lengths, over 1450m at Turffontein Inside at her only appearance to date. Big run is likely. LANTERI (8) was solid on debut last start when beaten 7 lengths into fourth over 1200m at Turffontein Inside on August 17. Rates well as a leading chance.

1 WINDS OF GRACE

BP: 3
60.0kg

32x22 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Mr G Morris
Career: 7 : 0-3-2 (47 days)



Yet to miss the top three in three runs at this distance. Last time out finished second over 1500m at this track. Well placed. Should prove hard to beat.

8 LANTERI

BP: 2
57.0kg

4 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: MANO PANDARAM
Owner: Mr M Pandaram
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (44 days)



Finished 7 lengths back in fourth on debut over 1200m at Turffontein Inside last start. Will take a lot from that hitout and shapes as one to consider.

2 TUSCAN ROMANCE

BP: 4
58.5kg

9x21x Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: JAMES CRAWFORD
Owner: Mr P M Murugasa
Career: 12 : 1-7-1 (114 days)



Last appeared four months ago when she won over 1160m at Turffontein Standside. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at Turffontein Standside over 1400m. Anticipate a bold showing.

2 FRANGIPANI

BP: 7
57.0kg

5x243 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: R KLAASEN
Owner: Mr D Chinsammy, Kebashni
Career: 6 : 0-1-1 (12 days)



Racing well but unable to break through this prep with two minor placings from three runs. Found a couple better most recently as favourite over 1700m at this track. Going well and is a genuine chance.

9 RED SECRET

BP: 6
57.0kg

2 Jockey: C ZACKEY
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Mr D Shawe
Career: 1 : 0-1-0 (12 days)



Drops 3kg after a nice debut last start, finishing second over 1200m at this track. Has ability and worth following.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker		Mid		Pace		Leader	
8		4, 7		1, 2, 5		3, 6, 9	
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	9				9	9	
2nd	1	-	-	-	4	6	-
3rd	7				6	4	

Favorite: RED SECRET

Possible alternative: WINDS OF GRACE

The cover: FRANGIPANI

3 AMAZE ME

BP: 9
57.0kg

54348 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
Career: 8 : 0-0-1 (5 days)



Not disgraced when fourth two starts back but finished well off the pace last start over 1600m at this track when eighth, beaten 15 lengths. Capable of much better performance.

4 SAPPHIRE SUN

BP: 1
57.0kg

95434 Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Tkp Racing (Nom: Trevelen
Career: 6 : 0-0-1 (24 days)



Beaten 4.5 lengths into third at this track two starts ago then appeared at Turffontein Inside last time and finished 6 lengths from the winner in fourth. Not keen on her chances.

5 ERIK'S GIRL

BP: 5
57.0kg

66x95 Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: P P LABUSCHAGNE ★
Owner: Mr E Blome
Career: 5 : 0-0-0 (19 days)



Unplaced at all five runs to date, the latest when beaten 6 lengths over 1450m at this track. Happy to avoid.

6 FESTIVAL OF LIGHT

BP: 8
57.0kg

Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: STARRY
Owner: Messrs D Chinsammy, D Jes
Career: First Start



Gold Standard filly who makes her debut. Likely to be better for this experience.

7 HAZY DAZY

BP: 4
57.0kg

3x Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW
Trainer: C SPIES
Owner: Mr D Dasrath & Mrs C Dasr
Career: 1 : 0-0-1 (145 days)



Went for a spell after a good third on debut at Turffontein Inside over 1450m five months ago. Rates highly and can break through.

1 GLOBAL THUNDER

BP: 2
61.0kg

61125 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: C LENSLEY
Owner: Mrs Mano Pillay, Mr C J L
CD Career: 33 : 4-6-2 (33 days)



In the money two starts back at this track but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 1000m at this track last time. Expect she will make amends.

3 ALPINE JET

BP: 6
58.0kg

12x Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: J A J V VUUREN ★
Owner: Wernars Family & R M Sewg
D BF Career: 2 : 1-1-0 (75 days)



Resuming from a spell of 11 weeks. Last raced when second over 1200m at Turffontein Inside. Key runner.

4 SAIGON SUZIE

BP: 1
56.5kg

50051 Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN +
Trainer: J A J V VUUREN ★
Owner: Wernars Family
C Career: 10 : 2-1-0 (61 days)



Recorded career win number two last time out, scoring by 3.5 lengths over 1450m at this track. Heading in the right direction and another bold showing is likely despite coming back in distance.

5 ON THE RUN

BP: 3
55.5kg

315 Jockey: C ZACKEY
Trainer: J A J V VUUREN ★
Owner: Wernars Family & T Gujadh
D BF Career: 3 : 1-0-1 (44 days)



Safely held last time when fifth over 1200m at Turffontein Inside. May appreciate the step back in journey this time. Best form is good enough so worth another chance.

6 PARADISE WAY

BP: 5
54.5kg

21 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★
Trainer: A LAIRD
Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
D Career: 2 : 1-1-0 (38 days)



Has looked good in her two career starts, most recently scoring by 2.5 lengths over 1000m at Turffontein Inside. Sure to go close.

7 QUEEN'S PACT

BP: 7
54.0kg

2641x Jockey: SVALJALO
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr C C Valjalo & Mrs K Ta
D Career: 5 : 1-1-0 (114 days)



Has not raced since scoring over 1000m at Turffontein Standside on June 8. Might need the run.

8 MISS MUNROE

BP: 8
54.0kg

3x551 Jockey: C HABIB +
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Mr B I Rajhunan
CD Career: 7 : 1-0-2 (19 days)



Lightly raced filly progressing well. Broke her maiden status last start by 1.3 lengths over 1000m at this track. This looks a stern test.

R6 VAAL 1000m

14:25 | (GMT13:25) | ZAR R95,000 | FM RBH82

BETWAY SPRING CHALLENGE 4 OCTOBER F...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #8

ALPINE JET (3) resumes after a break of 11 weeks. Did win at her only other first-up run when on debut, scoring over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. Looks set to run well. PARADISE WAY (6) had a bit on her rivals at latest outing, recording an impressive win over 1000m at Turffontein Inside. Gets some weight relief this time. Has the gate speed to take up a forward position. Expected to be in the finish. ON THE RUN (5) scored over this journey two back then failed at the longer trip last time when fifth at Turffontein Inside. Better placed this time and is a winning chance. TUSCAN ROMANCE (2) is back after a break of four months. Started the last campaign impressively when in the placings over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Hasn't scored when fresh from a break but generally races well with three minor placings. Has found a suitable race and is worth including in exotic bets.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker		Mid		Pace		Leader	
		4		3		1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8	
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	3	3	3	8	3	2	-
2nd	6	6	5	4	4	5	
3rd	5	5	6	1	5	8	

Favorite: ALPINE JET

Possible alternative: PARADISE WAY

The cover: TUSCAN ROMANCE

R7 VAAL 1400m

15:00 |(GMT14:00)| ZARR140,000| RBH100

BETWAY SUMMER CUP 29 NOVEMBER MR 10...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #15

TAEGAN'S CHAMP (1) resumes from a spell of 20 months and comes here off the back of three straight wins. Huge chance again. PRESSONREGARDLESS (4) is in top form lately scoring two wins on end, including a determined 2 lengths win over 1450m at Turffontein Inside last time. Can measure up again. POTBERRIE (2) turned in a better run last time to finish second over 1600m at Turffontein Inside. Suitably placed so anticipating another big run. MASTER CHRISTMAS (6) scored two back at this track but was below his best last time when fifth over 1600m at Turffontein Inside. Has started three times at this course and distance and is yet to miss the placings. Nicely placed to turn things around.

1 TAEGAN'S CHAMP

BP: 6
63.0kg

111x Jockey: **G SAMO-BURTHIA** ★
Trainer: **F P HABIB** ★
Owner: Messrs D Chinsammy, W G De
CD Career: 3 : 3-0-0 (623 days)



Resumes today after an unbeaten three-start maiden campaign. At the latest outing he scored over 1600m at this track on January 16 2024. Open to improvement and expected to go on with it.

2 POTBERRIE

BP: 8
60.0kg

x5x62 Jockey: **P MXOLI**
Trainer: **S GRAY**
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
CD Career: 19 : 3-2-2 (10 days)



Stripped fitter last start and ran a better race when second at Turffontein Inside over 1600m. Sure to prove hard to beat.

3 RED BOMBER

BP: 1
59.5kg

x0x77 Jockey: **LOUIS NHLAPO** ★
Trainer: **J A J V VUUREN** ★
Owner: Messrs R M Sewgoolam, Wer
D Career: 15 : 3-2-3 (31 days)



Started this campaign in poor form, last start finishing seventh and beaten 7 lengths over 1200m at this track. Rates highly and can break through if at his best.

4 PRESSONREGARDLESS

BP: 3
59.0kg

38211 Jockey: **C ZACKEY** +
Trainer: **D NIEUWENHUIZEN** ★
Owner: Messrs John Fourie & Lee
CD Career: 24 : 4-8-1 (38 days)



Handy gelding who continued his winning ways last start, showing good pace from the outset to salute over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Racing well and can feature again.

5 BOB'S YOUR UNCLE

BP: 5
58.5kg

1170x Jockey: **TRENT MAYHEW**
Trainer: **L HOUDALAKIS**
Owner: Messrs E Miliotis, A J Mc
CD Career: 32 : 6-6-5 (96 days)



Last appeared when easily accounted for at Turffontein Inside on June 26 which was a disappointing end to a solid campaign. Maybe later.

6 MASTER CHRISTMAS

BP: 10
58.5kg

9x415 Jockey: **C HABIB**
Trainer: **A P PETER**
Owner: Messrs A Lang, L H Paletz
CD Career: 27 : 5-5-2 (10 days)



Course and distance winner two starts back but didn't flatter last time when fifth and beaten 4 lengths over 1600m at Turffontein Inside. Good enough on his day and can improve sharply.

7 SUNSET RIOT

BP: 11
58.0kg

1x085 Jockey: **M K KATJEDI**
Trainer: **A LAIRD**
Owner: Messrs G A Basel, G C Cor
D Career: 8 : 2-0-0 (52 days)



Unplaced at all three runs this time in work, the latest when fifth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside seven-and-a-half weeks ago. Best form stacks up nicely so worth another chance.

8 TSAR BOMBA

BP: 7
57.5kg

x30x6 Jockey: **MUZI YENI**
Trainer: **J A J V VUUREN** ★
Owner: Wernars Family
CD Career: 24 : 4-1-9 (38 days)



Just a plain effort first up when sixth over 1000m at Turffontein Inside. Has a decent second up record. Fitter and can do a lot better.

9 CHAMPION WARRIOR

BP: 9
56.0kg

4118x Jockey: **C MURRAY**
Trainer: **STARRY**
Owner: Glistian (Pty) Ltd
CD Career: 20 : 4-3-0 (304 days)



Has not raced since finishing 8 lengths away in eighth over 1600m at Turffontein Standside on November 30. Useful type who should go well.

10 JURY'S OUT

BP: 12
55.0kg

3x030 Jockey: **K J LIHABA**
Trainer: **C DAWSON** ★
Owner: Itssa It & Business Solut
CD Career: 24 : 3-4-4 (47 days)



Has been below his best for a long time and is now without a win in 560 days. Safely held last time out when tenth over 1600m at this track six-and-a-half weeks ago. Impossible to entertain on recent form.

11 PRESLEY

BP: 15
55.0kg

574x8 Jockey: **CHASE MAUJEAN**
Trainer: **J A J V VUUREN** ★
Owner: Wernars Family, D C Stone
D Career: 20 : 3-2-3 (38 days)



Wasn't expected to do much when fresh from a spell last start at Turffontein Inside over 1450m and wound up in eighth, beaten 6 lengths. Looks tested on the first up effort.

12 RICHARD THE FIRST

BP: 2
55.0kg

3551x Jockey: **S VALJALO**
Trainer: **P P VERMEULEN**
Owner: Jan & Linda Stekhoven
CD Career: 29 : 3-4-7 (96 days)



Scored at his most recent appearance over 1450m at Turffontein Inside on June 26. Can play a major role.

13 SKITLES SKIES

BP: 13
53.5kg

38317 Jockey: **J PENNY**
Trainer: **P MATCHETT**
Owner: Mr T J Shawe
CD Career: 20 : 2-3-3 (37 days)



Scored over 1600m at Turffontein Standside two back then missed the frame last time out over 1750m at Scottsville. Expect he will make amends.

14 ROCK OF BISMANTOVA

BP: 4
52.5kg

9029x Jockey: **N KLINK**
Trainer: **C SPIES**
Owner: Messrs S Govender, C D Br
C Career: 21 : 3-2-2 (93 days)



Has not raced since finishing 16 lengths away in ninth over 1200m at Scottsville on June 29. Faces a tough essay.

15 ABOUND

BP: 14
52.0kg

377x9 Jockey: **K MATSUNYANE**
Trainer: **JAMES CRAWFORD**
Owner: Mr E G Van Den Berg
D BF Career: 21 : 3-3-3 (47 days)



Often thereabouts but the wins are rare. Last raced six-and-a-half weeks ago when he finished ninth over 1200m at this track, beaten 5.5 lengths. Prepared to risk in this line-up.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker		Mid		Pace		Leader	
		6, 11, 13		5, 7, 8, 10, 12, 15		1, 2, 4, 9, 14	
Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	9	9	1	1	6	4	5
2nd	5	5	7	9	5	9	8
3rd	4	2	3	6	3	6	

Favorite: TAEGAN'S CHAMP

Possible alternative: PRESSONREGARDLESS

The cover: POTBERRIE

R8 VAAL 1400m
15:35 | (GMT14:35) | ZAR R90,000 | FMRBH78
NEXT VAAL RACEMEETING THURSDAY 2 OCT...
FLAT **TURF** Participants #14

MAMLAMBO (7) is a talented filly who has been in the money at both appearances. Last appeared when she got the prize over 1400m at Turffontein Standside on June 23. Has a high cruising speed. Expecting a bold showing. **WISE COUNSEL (8)** looks to kick off this prep the way she ended the last 11 weeks ago when she scored over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Ticks all the right boxes. **BOOM BOOM (2)** kept coming only to just miss last start over 1800m at this track. Ready to go one better. **ROYAL HORIZON (9)** scored last start at this track to make it two wins from four starts this campaign. Has solid claims on recent form.

1 PRINCESS ILARIA BP: 14 62.0kg
21653 Jockey: G SAMO-BURTHIA ★
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Dr M Taljaardt
CD Career: 45 : 6-6-9 (38 days)
Won four times earlier on in her prep, most recently finished third beaten 4 lengths at Turffontein Inside over 1450m. Top-three chance.

2 BOOM BOOM BP: 8 59.5kg
27562 Jockey: C MURRAY
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mesdames M M De Wet, S H
CD Career: 39 : 4-5-4 (33 days)
Has been about the money of late. Has enjoyed a let-up since finishing second at this track over 1800m on August 28. One of the main hopes.

3 FAR REACHING BP: 11 58.5kg
7x0x8 Jockey: J R SYSTER
Trainer: B B RUITERS
Owner: Mr J A J Moller
BF Career: 10 : 1-2-1 (12 days)
Unwanted in the market resuming when safely held at this track. Winless in 13 months now. Looks to have a big job ahead again.

4 THE MIGHTIEST BP: 9 57.5kg
67585 Jockey: K J LIHABA +
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr Q H A Koekemoer
Career: 14 : 1-3-0 (52 days)
Still in first campaign. Has been unable to fill a placing for a while, last start finishing fifth over 2000m at Turffontein Standside seven-and-a-half weeks ago. Will need to do a bit more.

5 SPIRITED GIRL BP: 5 57.0kg
0x084 Jockey: TRENT MAYHEW +
Trainer: C MAYHEW
Owner: Messrs M A Anthony, D F C
CD Career: 15 : 2-1-2 (28 days)
Not the most reliable conveyance. Moderate effort last time when 8 lengths from the winner in fourth over 1400m at this track. Has ability and is a solid top-three hope.

6 LITTLEMISSPLENDID BP: 13 56.5kg
252x5 Jockey: K MATSUNYANE +
Trainer: R KLAASEN
Owner: Nu-Atlas Racing (Nom: Mr
BF Career: 7 : 1-2-1 (19 days)
Resumed with a respectable fifth over 1600m at this track, beaten just 1.5 lengths. Generally goes run well second-up and is a definite threat in this line-up.

7 MAMLAMBO BP: 1 56.0kg
21x Jockey: MARCO VAN RENSBURG +
Trainer: H ADAMSON
Owner: Hollywood Racing (Nom: Mr
D Career: 2 : 1-1-0 (99 days)
Lightly raced galloper resuming from a spell. Hasn't raced since breaking through for a maiden win over 1400m at Turffontein Standside on June 23. Has ability and expected to go well.

8 WISE COUNSEL BP: 7 56.0kg
531x Jockey: C ZACKEY
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Wilgerbosdrift (Pty) Ltd
D Career: 3 : 1-0-1 (75 days)
Resumes. Finished off last campaign with a maiden win by 2.5 lengths over 1450m at Turffontein Inside on July 17. Rates highly and expected to run well.

9 ROYAL HORIZON BP: 4 55.5kg
x6511 Jockey: J PENNY +
Trainer: H VAN DER WESTHUIZEN
Owner: Mr S S Poole
CD Career: 17 : 3-0-0 (54 days)
Stepping up 200m in distance after a good last start win at this track. Strong chance despite going up 3.5kg from last start.

10 SUNSHINE DAY BP: 10 55.5kg
49422 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mr F Swart
CD Career: 29 : 2-3-4 (28 days)
Is not a regular in the winner's stall and continued the trend last start when second over 1400m at this track. Finds a suitable race and is expected to be in the finish.

11 RED AMBER BP: 2 55.0kg
64330 Jockey: S'MANGA KHUMALO
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Bryan & Taryn Spong
C Career: 8 : 1-1-2 (12 days)
Promising filly who last start finished 8 lengths away in 11th over 1200m at this track. Solid top-three hope.

12 CAN'T CATCH ME BP: 6 52.0kg
32174 Jockey: LOUIS NHLAPO ★
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mr F Swart
CD Career: 54 : 2-7-5 (28 days)
Has been well held since winning three starts back. Finished fourth, beaten 6 lengths, over 1600m at this track last time. Nicely placed this time and is among the chances.

13 COUNT YOUR CHANCES BP: 12 52.0kg
05890 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Mr & Mrs C Jonker
CD Career: 50 : 2-4-7 (35 days)
Has been out of the winner's list for more than a year. Struggling to find form including a last-start tenth over 1600m at this track. Can't see her featuring in the finish.

14 TOGETHER AGAIN BP: 3 52.0kg
40255 Jockey: N KLINK
Trainer: C I JONKER
Owner: Man On The Street Syndica
CD Career: 62 : 2-3-7 (5 days)
Form has been poor, the latest effort a well-beaten fifth over 1100m at this track five weeks ago. Looking to others.

Pace of the Race							
BackMaker		Mid		Pace		Leader	
2		4, 10, 13		1, 5, 6, 9, 11, 14		3, 7, 8, 12	
Race Selections							
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2nd	6	9	9	5	10	11	-
3rd	1	1	1	11	12	7	

Favorite: MAMLAMBO
Possible alternative: WISE COUNSEL
The cover: BOOM BOOM