



Thursday 1st October

NEWCASTLE

5.00 FOLLOW @attheraces ON INSTAGRAM HANDICAP (5) 1½m98y (2500 Metres)

RACE 1 **(4) L'EAGLE AID | (6) JUJUBELLA | (5) JUNKYARD DOG**

5.30 FREE TIPS DAILY ON attheraces.com EBF MAIDEN STAKES (3) 1m5y (1610 Metres)

RACE 2 **(4) SAINT OF SEVILLE | (2) NIGHT OF GOLD | (3) RING OF MUSIC**

6.00 FREE RACE REPLAYS ON attheraces.com NURSERY HANDICAP (4) 5f (1010 Metres)

RACE 3 **(2) HAVANA LIGHTNING | (3) NOT MY TYPE | (1) BLAKE'S MONARCH**

6.30 DOWNLOAD THE RACECOURSE APP RACEDAY READY HANDICAP (6) 1m5y (1610 Metres)

RACE 4 **(3) SAILOR'S RETURN | (4) ALKUMATIC JO JO | (6) DALAMARA**

7.00 DOWNLOAD THE RACEDAY READY APP FILLIES' HANDICAP (4) 6f (1210 Metres)

RACE 5 **(1) LADY KODIAC | (3) VANILLA SKIES | (8) D FLAWLESS**

7.30 GET RACEDAY READY HANDICAP (5) 7f14y (1420 Metres)

RACE 6 **(5) ESPANITA | (4) EGOTISTICAL | (9) RECORD DAY**

8.00 FREE DIGITAL RACECARD AT raceday-ready.com HANDICAP (6) 5f (1010 Metres)

RACE 7 **(1) SERGEANT MAYER | (7) DC COGENT | (8) COTAI STARLIGHT**

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RACE 8 **(6) LITTLE TED | (3) JUST TYPICAL | (4) FALCON NINE**

KEY TO SYMBOLS

Top Rated: The horse with the best chance based solely on past form, specially tailored to a 0-100 scale.

Horses For Courses: A suitable track for the horse, compared to its lifetime record on similar courses as defined by Timeform's course data.

Jockey Uplift: The engaged rider has a notably higher Timeform Jockey Ranking than those who've ridden the horse on its most recent starts

Trainer Form: A hot trainer to follow, based on Timeform ratings-related measurements looking at the recent performance of runners.

5.00

RACE 1

FOLLOW @attheraces ON INSTAGRAM HANDICAP (5) 3yo+ (Rated 0-70) £7,600 1½m98y (2500 Metres)



Going: **Standard**

Left-handed, oval. Newcastle switched from turf to all-weather during the winter of 2015/16, and like Wolverhampton, the surface it uses is tapeta. It differs from the majority of the all-weather tracks in that as well as a traditional oval, it has a floodlit straight mile course, which is uphill for the final four furlongs, meaning an ability to see out the trip is essential and those who press on too early can prove vulnerable in the later stages.

Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Even**

13 	MOON SNIPER (164) (CD)	s+t	94
18343-356 4 10-2 64.4kg Jessica Bedi <i>William Pyle</i> Ran poorly on first outing since leaving William Muir & Chris Grassick (for 17,000 gns) over C&D in May. Has since undergone a breathing operation. Cheekpieces also refitted.			
24 	RODOYA (IRE) (28)	b	87
51386-88 4 10-2 64.4kg Julie Camacho <i>T. Kiely-Marshall (3lb/1kg)</i> Won 1½m maiden in France. Has yet to fire in 4 starts for current yard, though is entitled to strip fitter for the run here on her most recent outing given it came after an 8-month absence.			
37 	CLANSMAN (33) (CD)		97
32133107 8 10-2 64.4kg Liam Bailey <i>Billy Garritty</i> Dual winner in the spring but was again below form back in the right grade at Beverley latest. Bounce back required.			
41 	L'EAGLE AID (IRE) (7) (CD)	s	 100
66353363 5 10-2 64.4kg Charlie Johnston <i>Rowan Scott</i> C&D winner who wasted no time getting back to form when third of 8 in handicap at Pontefract (1½m, good) last week, doing well under the circumstances having been kept much handier than the first 2 in a well-run race. Looks ready to strike.			
59 	JUNKYARD DOG (IRE) (28)	v	96
5458-9214 4 10-0 63.5kg Iain Jardine <i>Andrew Mullen</i> Fair winner in Ireland. Built on an encouraging Carlisle second to get off the mark for current yard at Southwell (11f) in August. Shaped as though ready for this step back up in trip when 3¼ lengths fourth in a slightly higher grade here (1¼m) latest. Merits consideration.			
62 	JUJUBELLA (IRE) (26) (CD, BF)	s	99
09532302 5 9-12 62.6kg Lucinda Russell & Michael Scudamore <i>Oisin James Orr</i> 3-time course winner who has yet to win this season but returned to form with things more in favour when second of 6 in a C&D handicap (6/4) 26 days ago, clear of rest. Likely to go well again.			
711 	MR MOONSHINE (IRE) (13) (D)	s	97
24-523310 3 9-10 61.7kg Richard & Peter Fahey  <i>Warren Fentiman (3lb/1kg)</i> In good heart prior to showing improved form to get off the mark in 3-y-o handicap at Southwell (1½m) in September. Ran too badly to be true at Ayr subsequently and now given another try in cheekpieces.			
86 	MOLINARI (IRE) (52) (CD)		99
73204-860 9 9-9 61.2kg Martin Todhunter <i>Paul Mulrennan</i> Ended 2024 with back-to-back wins. Hit the frame several times last year and, while his 3 comeback runs this summer have been short of his best, he's dangerous to dismiss back down in grade from an attractive mark, particularly if the market speaks in his favour.			
910 	SOGNIAMO (11)	s+t	87
8-175688 3 9-4 59.0kg David O'Meara <i>Conor Whiteley (5lb/2kg)</i> Has struggled since winning a Hamilton novice (80/1) on stable debut/ reappearance in May, hitting a new low tried in a first-time tongue strap and cheekpieces combination back at aforementioned track last time. Upped in trip for her first start on tapeta.			
108 	SOPHIESTICATE (IRE) (13) (D)		97
76333168 7 9-1 57.6kg R. Mike Smith <i>Shay Farmer (5lb/2kg)</i> Gained a deserved fourth success at Musselburgh (13f) in July. Well below par back on softer ground since, though, and hasn't shown much on 2 previous tries on all-weather.			

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BECKON (6) (C)
31-639905 3 9-1 | 57.6kg
Susan Corbett *Cam Hardie*
Course winner who showed first signs of life for her new yard taking a marked step up in distance when fifth of 12 in a C&D handicap last week, unable to sustain effort. Task is now to build on that.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

3-1 L'eagle Aid, 7-2 Jujubella, 11-2 Junkyard Dog, 12-1 Mr Moonshine, 12-1 Beckon, 16-1 Molinari, 16-1 Clansman, 22-1 Sophiesticate, 22-1 Rodoya, 28-1 Sogniamo, 33-1 Moon Sniper

TIMEFORM VIEW:

L'EAGLE AID did well under the circumstances having been kept much handier than the first 2 in a well-run race at Pontefract last week and looks ready to strike. Jujubella goes well at this track and ought to give another good account, while Junkyard Dog also merits consideration with the step back up in trip in his favour.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. L'EAGLE AID 2. JUJUBELLA 3. JUNKYARD DOG

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Sibling Rivalry 3-8-9	5-1	David Simcock	Jack Dace (5)	3
2024	Damascus Steel 4-9-6	25-1	Ed Dunlop	P. J. McDonald	7

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.30

RACE 2

FREE TIPS DAILY ON attheraces.com EBF MAIDEN STAKES
(3) 2yo £13,000 1m5y (1610 Metres)



Going: **Standard**

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1	2	KING KENNY (IRE) (25)	96
	40	2 9-7 60.3kg	<i>Cam Hardie</i>
Antony Brittain Fair form when fourth of 6 on debut at Haydock over this trip in August but went backwards when tenth of 11 in maiden at York over 7f 25 days ago. Back up in trip for all-weather debut and progress required.			
2	3	NIGHT OF GOLD (35) (BF)	88
	3	2 9-7 60.3kg	<i>Billy Loughnane</i>
George Boughey An 800,000gns yearling who was only third of 9 at Southwell in a novice (5/6F) 35 days ago on debut, but the penny appeared to be dropping late on and the step up to this trip will suit so he's got considerable potential.			
3	5	RING OF MUSIC (IRE)	t
	2	9-7 60.3kg	<i>Clifford Lee</i>
Hugo Palmer Foaled February 6. €190,000 foal. Minzaal colt. Half-brother to smart 7f winner Jash out of a 2-y-o 6f winner. Interesting newcomer for stable that enjoyed success with debutants earlier in the year. Starts out with tongue strap fitted.			
4	1	SAINT OF SEVILLE (15) (BF)	 100
	5	2 9-7 60.3kg	<i>Robert Havlin</i>
John & Thady Gosden  By Baaeed and showed promise for top yard when fifth of 8 in a maiden at Sandown (6/4F) 15 days ago, staying on. May ultimately need longer trips but looks sure to progress and can play a big part here.			
5	4	SIR TERRY HADLEY (28)	84
	6	2 9-7 60.3kg	<i>Rowan Scott</i>
Charlie Johnston Makes appeal on pedigree but looked backward when sixth of 9 in a novice at Haydock Park (33/1) on debut 4 weeks ago and may need more time.			

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-8 Saint of Seville, 9-4 Night of Gold, 10-3 Ring of Music, 22-1 King Kenny, 25-1 Sir Terry Hadley

TIMEFORM VIEW:

SAINT OF SEVILLE showed promise when strong in the betting first time up for top connections and has the pedigree to improve markedly, so he's taken to get the better of a similarly well-bred sort in Night of Gold, while Ring of Music needs a look in the betting given his profile.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SAINT OF SEVILLE 2. NIGHT OF GOLD 3. RING OF MUSIC

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.00

RACE 3

FREE RACE REPLAYS ON attheraces.com **NURSERY HANDICAP (4) 2yo (Rated 0-85) £10,000 5f (1010 Metres)**



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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Weak**

1	1	BLAKE'S MONARCH (IRE) (16) (D)	t	90
	2601	2 9-10 61.7kg		
	Ivan Furtado	Jason Hart		
	Had been gelded/had a breathing operation and got off the mark back in calmer waters sporting a first-time tongue strap in 8-runner novice at Redcar (5f, good to firm) just over 2 weeks ago, making all having broke well. Handicapper taken no chances with his opening mark but may well kick on.			
2	4	HAVANA LIGHTNING (48) (D)	t	100
	5106	2 9-9 61.2kg		
	George Boughey	Billy Loughnane		
	Showed why she'd been well backed on debut when a decisive winner at Yarmouth second time up. Ran below that level in Group 2 Queen Mary next time but not discredited in a tongue tie when sixth of 13 in listed race at Newbury (5f, good to firm) 7 weeks ago. Respected on nursery debut.			
3	6	NOT MY TYPE (7) (D)		98
	1155	2 9-8 60.8kg		
	William Haggas	Cieren Fallon		
	No Nay Never filly who went 2-2 when making all in novice at Beverley (5f, good) in August. Struggled at listed level later that month but fared a lot better making her nursery debut back at 5f when fifth of 11 at Newmarket (good to firm) last week. Considered on all-weather bow.			
4	2	KENTUCKY RAIN (IRE) (40) (D)	t	99
	20144	2 9-6 59.9kg		
	Lemos De Souza	Rowan Scott		
	Landed the odds in 5f Beverley maiden in July but below that level upped in grade the last twice, most recently when fourth of 7 in conditions stakes at Chester (6f, good) just under 6 weeks ago. Tongue tie reapplied for her nursery bow and more is needed to feature.			
5	7	BILL THE BULL (IRE) (14)	t	96
	43418096	2 9-4 59.0kg		
	Adam Kirby	Robert Havlin		
	Won a Bath maiden in June but has struggled to get competitive in 4 subsequent outings, a marked change of tactics backfiring when sixth of 8 on nursery debut at Yarmouth (6f, good) a fortnight ago. Easy enough to look elsewhere having his second all-weather outing.			
6	3	PEACEFUL WARRIOR (IRE) (19)		98
	1404	2 9-4 59.0kg		
	Kevin Ryan	Shane Gray		
	Knew his job and made a successful debut in 8-runner novice at Yarmouth (6f, good) in May. Struggled on his next couple of starts and spoiled his chance at the start when fourth of 9 in nursery at Chester (5f, good to soft) just under 3 weeks ago. Handicapper drops him another 2 lb.			
7	5	ELEVEN EIGHTY TWO (IRE) (32) (BF)		98
	42268	2 8-5 53.1kg		
	Ben Haslam	Andrew Mullen		
	Split a pair of subsequent winners at Carlisle before again filling the runner-up spot at Ripon in July. Dropped away tamely on nursery debut at Ripon (6f) and ran even worse back in maiden company at Beverley (5f, heavy) last time. Returns to a nursery for her all-weather debut.			

7 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Blake's Monarch, 9-2 Not My Type, 5-1 Havana Lightning, 15-2 Peaceful Warrior, 17-2 Kentucky Rain, 10-1 Eleven Eighty Two, 20-1 Bill The Bull

TIMEFORM VIEW:

HAVANA LIGHTNING wasn't discredited sporting a first-time tongue tie when sixth in listed company at Newbury last time and now dropping into much calmer waters, George Boughey's filly earns the vote to double her tally. Not My Type fared a lot better making her nursery debut back over 5f at Newmarket last week, so she may emerge as the main threat, with Blake's Monarch rounding off the shortlist.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. HAVANA LIGHTNING 2. NOT MY TYPE 3. BLAKE'S MONARCH

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.30

RACE 4

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HANDICAP (6) 3yo (Rated 0-65) £6,200 1m5y (1610 Metres)



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Draw: **Against High** Pace Information: **Even**

1 4 	FICKLE MCSELFISH (168) (C)	s	95
99-745132 3 9-9 61.2kg Tony Coyle & Kaine Wood <i>David Nolan</i> Transformed by switch to front-running tactics when winning at Newcastle in March and has remained in good form, clear of the rest when second of 11 in handicap at Ripon (1m, good) in April. 5 lb higher now, though, and entitled to be sharper for this outing after 168-day absence.			
2 10 	EXOTIC BABY (28) (D)		92
4-5045709 3 9-9 61.2kg Ian Williams <i>Paul Mulrennan</i> First run since leaving George Boughy when last of 9 in handicap (28/1) at Southwell (7f) 28 days ago. Can only be watched after that.			
3 6 	SAILOR'S RETURN (14) (D, BF)	t	 100
44660415 3 9-8 60.8kg David O'Meara <i>Daniel Tudhope</i> Off the mark at fifth attempt for David O'Meara when landing 10-runner handicap at Southwell in August. Not seen to best effect when 5½ lengths fifth of 12 to Gladiadora over same C&D last time. Her style of racing should be well suited to this track and bold bid anticipated.			
4 5 	ALKUMATIC JO JO (IRE) (22)		99
62657356 3 9-7 60.3kg Ivan Furtado <i>Billy Loughnane</i> Remains a maiden but ran one of her better races when third of 14 at Kempton last month. Awkward leaving stalls and not ideally placed when below form there last time. Capable of being in the mix if bouncing back.			
5 8 	DACRES CROSS (IRE) (14)		98
076-04595 3 9-6 59.9kg Kevin Ryan <i>Tom Eaves</i> Fair 6f juvenile winner who stepped up markedly on his reappearance when fourth in 20-runner York handicap over this trip in May. Unable to replicate that confined to 3 starts since, including when taking on his elders for the first time when 2½ lengths fifth of 14 to Ice Cube at Ayr on latest.			
6 3 	DALAMARA (29) (CD, BF)	s	94
1-4246413 3 9-4 59.0kg Ben Haslam <i>Andrew Mullen</i> Found a bit of progression in first-time cheekpieces when doubling career tally at Musselburgh (9f) in August and then ran to a similar level when third under a penalty in 1¼m handicap at this course 29 days ago. Claims returned to this shorter trip.			
7 7 	SUNTINO LADY (22)		82
456 3 9-2 58.1kg David & Nicola Barron <i>William Pyle</i> Hinted at ability in a trio of maidens at 7f/1m, though looked slightly stretched by this trip on latest. Makes handicap debut.			
8 1 	TRULY SPECIAL (51)		94
5539-6611 3 9-0 57.2kg John Wainwright <i>Jason Hart</i> Has improved since joining current yard winning 6f event at Carlisle in June and 7f event there in August. The step back up to 1m shouldn't be an issue, though she has yet to prove herself as effective on this surface as she is on turf			
9 2 	MAYNORA (23)	s	96
25144525 3 9-0 57.2kg Craig Lidster <i>T. Kiely-Marshall (3lb/1kg)</i> Opened his account at Pontefract (6f) in April and has largely held his form well since, though was below form when 5¼ lengths fifth of 12 to Lope Y Linda at Catterick. Very much the type to quickly bounce back but has stamina to prove now tackling 1m.			
10 9 	BALDOSA (IRE) (29)	t	94
85241366 3 8-8 54.4kg Nigel Tinkler <i>Faye McManoman</i> Gained a first win at the twelfth attempt at Nottingham in July and followed that up with a decent third at Redcar. Might have found next run coming too soon so must be respected given more of a break this time.			

BETTING FORECAST:

7-2 Sailor's Return, **5-1** Alkumatic Jo Jo, **6-1** Dalamara, **8-1** Fickle Mcselfish, **17-2** Truly Special, **11-1** Baldosa, **12-1** Dacres Cross, **12-1** Maynora, **33-1** Suntino Lady, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

SAILOR'S RETURN won at Southwell in August and shaped better than the result from 3 lb higher there a fortnight ago. With Newcastle expected to suit, she looks the one to side with. Alkumatic Jo Jo remains competitively treated and can be involved if reproducing her recent Kempton effort, while Dalamara ran well under a penalty over this C&D last time and should be suited by the return to 1m.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SAILOR'S RETURN 2. ALKUMATIC JO JO 3. DALAMARA

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Terrapin 3-9-1	7-2	Andrew Balding	P. J. McDonald	12
2024	Mambha 3-9-1	40-1	Michael Dods	S. B. Kirrane	12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.00

RACE 5

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(4) 3yo+ fillies and mares (Rated 0-85) £10,000 6f
(1210 Metres)



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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Even**

1	6	LADY KODIAC (IRE) (26) (CD)		100
	11-526251	3	9-13 63.0kg	<i>Harry Vigors (5lb/2kg)</i>
Found the return to tapeta and drop in grade much more to her liking to notch a third all-weather success in 7-runner handicap over C&D last month, leading over 1f out. Nudged up just 3 lb for that so every chance she's capable of following up.				
2	3	SOCIETY KISS (13)	s	92
	10-3200	3	9-6 59.9kg	<i>Clifford Lee</i>
Looked a useful prospect when scoring on debut at Ascot for Ralph Beckett last year but hasn't progressed this year and needs a lot more than she showed when down field the last twice. First-time cheekpieces go on.				
3	4	VANILLA SKIES (20)	t	96
	1223	3	9-3 58.5kg	<i>Cieren Fallon</i>
Pinatubo filly who made a winning start in 7f Newmarket novice. Has backed that up with 3 placed efforts, most recently when third of 7 on handicap debut at Sandown (7f, good to soft) just under 3 weeks ago. Drops to a sprint trip for her all-weather debut.				
4	2	ANGEL LOVE (62) (D)		97
	231-073	3	9-2 58.1kg	<i>Rowan Scott</i>
Justified strong support when making all for a wide-margin success in maiden at Wolverhampton last November and got back on track following an underwhelming start in handicaps when third of 10 at same track (6f) a couple of months ago. Likely she'll find a few too strong.				
5	1	TAROT (16) (D)	h	96
	231-76654	3	9-2 58.1kg	<i>Ross Coakley</i>
Kempton novice winner 12 months ago who ran close to her best when fourth of 9 in handicap at Yarmouth (6f, good) just over 2 weeks ago. Down in class and not discounted returned to all-weather.				
6	9	CALL ME BETTY (IRE) (11) (C, D)		96
	216-01973	4	9-1 57.6kg	<i>Connor Beasley</i>
Dual 7f winner on all-weather last year and left behind this season's return when making all at Carlisle in May. Not in same form in 3 subsequent starts though and she looks in the grip of the handicapper for now.				
7	5	MAE AMOR (IRE) (11) (D)	v	99
	10964347	4	9-1 57.6kg	<i>T. Kiely-Marshall (3lb/1kg)</i>
Big-price winner at Hamilton on return in May. Made the frame 3 times since but performed well below her recent level there 11 days ago, possibly doing too much too soon in the conditions. Back on all-weather for the first time this year and needs to bounce back.				
8	8	D FLAWLESS (IRE) (84) (CD)	h	98
	07-361453	5	8-13 56.7kg	<i>Jason Hart</i>
C&D winner in March and has continues in good heart, finishing third of 8 at Carlisle back in early-July. Returns to all-weather for first time since last win and could take a hand having left Paul Midgley since (for 9,000 gns).				
9	7	SILOUXPERSONIC (IRE) (16)	s	94
	271-24076	3	8-12 56.2kg	<i>Sam James</i>
Ended 2-y-o campaign with success in a Southwell maiden (5f) and matched that form starting out for new yard when edged out at Ripon (6f) in April. Lightly raced and not at that level since, going without headgear at Musselburgh most recently. Cheekpieces reapplied.				

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Lady Kodiac, 4-1 Vanilla Skies, 7-1 Angel Love, 17-2 Tarot, 10-1 D Flawless, 12-1 Call Me Betty, 14-1 Mae Amor, 20-1 Siouxpersonic, 33-1 Society Kiss

TIMEFORM VIEW:

LADY KODIAC found further improvement when recording a third career success over C&D last month and with a 3 lb nudge seeming far from insurmountable, James Tate's filly gets the verdict to follow up. Vanilla Skies ran well in a change of equipment when third on her recent handicap debut and she could provide most resistance, with stable-switcher D Flawless taken to fill out third.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LADY KODIAC 2. VANILLA SKIES 3. D FLAWLESS

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Easy Peeler 3-9-6	7-1	John & Sean Quinn	Jason Hart	7
2024 ^I	Bright 4-9-12	7-2f	Mark Loughnane	Billy Loughnane	12
2024 ^{II}	Rayat 5-9-11	16-5f	Saeed bin Suroor	Daniel Tudhope	12
2023	Bellagio Man 5-10-0	17-2	Antony Brittain	Harry Russell	10
2022	Twilight Secret 4-9-5	22-1	Grant Tuer	Oliver Stammers (3)	14
2021	Kapono 5-9-10	5-1	Roger Fell	Daniel Tudhope	12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.30

RACE 6

GET RACEDAY READY HANDICAP (5) 3yo (Rated 0-70)
£7,600 7f14y (1420 Metres)



Going: **Standard**

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Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Even**

1	5	IF I COULD DREAM (87) 32303-093 3 9-9 61.2kg  Stephen Hanlon Conor Whiteley (5lb/2kg) Ran to a fair level as a juvenile and, fitted with cheekpieces, left behind first 2 starts this year when third of 12 in handicap at Wolverhampton (8.5f) in July. Task is now to build on latest effort on first run since leaving George Scott (switches to a visor).	v	94
2	1	HENRY HALFLIGHT (IRE) (16) (C, D) 27180 3 9-8 60.8kg  Liam Bailey Billy Garritty Confirmed his debut promise at the second attempt when winning a C&D maiden in March. However, has failed to beat a rival in 2 handicaps since, returning from 5 months off when tailed off at Redcar (1m) 16 days ago.		87
3	9	MARCH AHEAD (26) 46184-57 3 9-8 60.8kg  Bryan Smart Paul Mulrennan Won 6f Carlisle novice last summer, leaving Kevin Ryan after final outing that year. Hasn't offered much in 2 starts this season, though possibly needed the run after a further 3 months off when mid-field here 26 days ago. This should reveal more back up in trip.		85
4	2	EGOTISTICAL (29) 3-2317424 3 9-7 60.3kg  Roger Varian  Ross Coakley Opened her account at the fourth attempt in a 6f novice at Redcar in April. Hasn't kicked on in handicaps, though shaped as if worth a try over further when fourth of 7 at Kempton (6f) last time. Merits consideration for much-respected yard.		94
5	4	ESPANITA (IRE) (10) (D, BF) 89616312 3 9-7 60.3kg  Charlie Johnston Connor Beasley Successful 3 times this year, twice over 7f at Wolverhampton and adding to her tally at Lingfield (1m) in September. Improved in defeat when narrowly denied back at Wolverhampton (8.5f) 10 days ago. Strong contender.	h	 100
6	3	KODY B (IRE) (17) 71-045667 3 9-7 60.3kg  Craig Lidster Shane Gray Never-nearer fourth at Hamilton (6f) on second start this season but below that level since, running poorly back up to this trip when well held at Thirsk 17 days ago. Needs to get back on track as he makes all-weather debut.	s	93
7	7	BERLINETTA (12) 53-755148 3 9-6 59.9kg  Jack Channon Billy Loughnane  Made second start for this trainer a winning one in handicap at Windsor (1m) in July. Not discredited on first try over 7f when eighth of 14 at Newmarket 12 days ago, meeting trouble in running, and drops back in grade here.		92
8	8	KILFRUSH DESERT (IRE) (29) 3-2288 3 9-5 59.4kg  Kevin Ryan Tom Eaves Showed improved form when runner-up in maidens on first 2 starts this year, including at this course (6f). Down the field in handicaps the last twice, though was possibly unsuited by soft ground at Hamilton on latest outing. Has something to find up in trip.		91
9	10	RECORD DAY (17) 48937805 3 9-3 58.5kg  Brian Ellison Rowan Scott Made the frame in C&D novice on second start and best effort when close third in handicap at Thirsk (6f) in June. In first-time blinkers, fared better than of late when fifth of 11 back at Thirsk 17 days ago. Could be in the mix back up in trip.	b	97
10	6	ROUSHAM (22) (D) 07210460 3 9-1 57.6kg  Nigel Tinkler Faye McManoman Not straightforward but made a winning handicap debut at Redcar in May. Shaped best before failing to keep straight when fourth of C&D in June, though has been below form both starts since.	h	89

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Espanita, 9-2 Egotistical, 13-2 Berlinetta, 8-1 If I Could Dream, 11-1 Record Day, 16-1 Kody B, 16-1 Rousham, 18-1 Kilfrush Desert, 18-1 March Ahead, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

ESPANITA arrives in top form, conceding first run when second at Wolverhampton 10 days ago, and she is taken to land her fourth all-weather success. The main danger could be Egotistical as she goes up in trip, with Record Day completing the shortlist.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. ESPANITA 2. EGOTISTICAL 3. RECORD DAY

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Call Me Betty 3-9-6	2-1	Michael Dods	Connor Beasley	7
2024	Project Geofin 3-9-8	11-4f	Geoff Oldroyd	P.J. McDonald	12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 7

FREE DIGITAL RACECARD AT [raceday-ready.com](https://www.raceday-ready.com) **HANDICAP (6) 3yo+ (Rated 0-65) £6,200 5f (1010 Metres)**



Going: **Standard**

Left-handed, oval. Newcastle switched from turf to all-weather during the winter of 2015/16, and like Wolverhampton, the surface it uses is tapeta. It differs from the majority of the all-weather tracks in that as well as a traditional oval, it has a floodlit straight mile course, which is uphill for the final four furlongs, meaning an ability to see out the trip is essential and those who press on too early can prove vulnerable in the later stages.

Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Even**

1	3	SERGEANT MAYER (IRE) (5lb/2kg ex) (8) (D)	★	100
	8-0696111	5 9-12 62.6kg	Alex Jary (3lb/1kg)	
Capitalised on his reduced mark at Nottingham in August and followed up at Leicester, before also scoring in decisive fashion at Redcar 8 days ago. Carries a penalty but he can make another bold bid in his current form.				
2	9	BLUE FORCE (IRE) (12) (CD)	h	96
	56369144	5 9-9 61.2kg	Cam Hardie	
After 3 months off, bounced back to winning ways from his reduced mark at Wolverhampton (6f) in August. Has continued in good heart both outings since despite starting slowly, fourth of 10 over this C&D 12 days ago.				
3	8	KING OF THE JUNGLE (IRE) (41) (CD)		98
	3625-0110	6 9-8 60.8kg	Billy Garritty	
Proved as good as ever this year with back-to-back wins at Beverley and Ayr. However, after 9 weeks off he ran poorly in his hat-trick bid when well held at Hamilton in August. Bounce back called for returned to all-weather (dual C&D winner).				
4	6	GOLDEN HAVANA (IRE) (16) (CD)	v	96
	43322250	3 9-7 60.3kg	Connor Beasley	
Ended 2025 with success over this C&D in December. Had been proving consistent in defeat this season until having excuses the last twice, denied a clear run at Redcar 16 days ago. Could fare better back here.				
5	1	CELTIC ARROW (FR) (26)	s	98
	3422505	3 9-7 60.3kg	Ryan Sexton	
Made the frame in maidens at this course on first 3 starts and improved when runner-up on handicap debut at Thirsk (6f) in July. Hasn't quite managed to kick on since, though wasn't disgraced when fifth of 14 here (6f) last time. Cheekpieces added.				
6	7	MAYFLYER (62)		94
	5433	3 9-6 59.9kg	Stevie Donohoe	
Went the right way in 3 starts for Harry Charlton early this year and, after 5 months off, took another step forward on handicap/stable debut when third over this C&D in July. Will need to find more again after a further 2 months off.				
7	10	DC COGENT (16) (CD)		99
	43683732	4 9-5 59.4kg	Paul Mulrennan	
Sole success came in a C&D maiden last spring but has made the frame several times in handicaps this year, racing off a career-low mark when second of 13 at Redcar 16 days ago. Can make his presence felt once more.				
8	5	COTAI STARLIGHT (IRE) (22)		98
	35814523	3 9-3 58.5kg	Jason Hart	
Much improved when getting off the mark at Ayr (6f) in July and has placed over 5f at Carlisle on last 2 starts, sticking to her task when third of 12 on latest outing. Uphill course here should suit so she enters calculations.				
9	4	WHAT A TAHOO (IRE) (28) (D)		96
	33151416	3 9-0 57.2kg	Ethan Tindall (5lb/2kg)	
Has landed a trio of handicaps this year, the latest on all-weather at Lingfield in August. However, she's been proving a bit in and out, following that effort with a lesser one when last of 6 at Southwell early in September.				
10	2	POWERNAP (36) (D)	t	96
	4-0522185	3 8-13 56.7kg	Clifford Lee	
Runner-up on first 2 starts fitted with a tongue strap before going one better at Catterick in June. Has found her run of good form coming to a halt the last twice, though, well held back at the same course 5 weeks ago.				

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Sergeant Mayer, **11-2** Dc Cogent, **7-1** Mayflyer, **8-1** Cotai Starlight, **11-1** King of The Jungle, **11-1** Blue Force, **14-1** Celtic Arrow, **14-1** What A Tahoo, **14-1** Golden Havana, **28-1** Powernap

TIMEFORM VIEW:

SERGEANT MAYER is thriving at present, completing the hat-trick with a bit to spare at Redcar last week, so a penalty might not prevent him from scoring again. Dc Cogent is also in good heart having dropped in the weights and is the pick for second, ahead of Cotai Starlight.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SERGEANT MAYER 2. DC COGENT 3. COTAI STARLIGHT

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	Mattice 6-9-13	5-2f	Ian McInnes	Jason Hart	13
2024	Leodis Dream 8-9-8	11-1	Paul Midgley	Dougie Costello	10
2023	Henery Hawk 4-8-3	25-1	Linda Perratt	Tommie Jakes (7)	11
2022	Blazing Hot 5-9-5	9-2jf	David Brown	Oliver Stammers (3)	13
2021	Glorious Rio 4-9-6	9-2	Stella Barclay	Jonny Peate (7)	14

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

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RACE 8

FOLLOW @attheraces ON X HANDICAP (6) 4yo+ (Rated 0-60) £6,200 1m5y (1610 Metres)



Going: **Standard**

Left-handed, oval. Newcastle switched from turf to all-weather during the winter of 2015/16, and like Wolverhampton, the surface it uses is tapeta. It differs from the majority of the all-weather tracks in that as well as a traditional oval, it has a floodlit straight mile course, which is uphill for the final four furlongs, meaning an ability to see out the trip is essential and those who press on too early can prove vulnerable in the later stages.

Draw: **N/A** Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1	7	EVE'S BOY (13)	b	96
	77266875	4 9-9 61.2kg	Connor Beasley	
Still looking for a first handicap success but was runner-up at Thirsk in April. Hasn't kicked on since, though possibly unsuited by soft ground when mid-field at Ayr 13 days ago. Visor tried last time now replaced with blinkers.				
2	1	GRESSINGTON (IRE) (26) (C)	v	94
	08074745	5 9-9 61.2kg	Jason Hart	
Winner over 7f here in December last year but form has been mixed during the current campaign, failing to build on promise of previous run when fifth of 9 at this course (7f) 26 days ago. Lurks on a dangerous mark.				
3	6	JUST TYPICAL (16) (CD)	s+t	 100
	5-5843448	5 9-8 60.8kg	Billy Loughnane	
Successful 3 times over C&D in 2025. Yet to win this year but hasn't been seen to best effect the last twice, not ideally placed when eighth of 13 at Redcar 16 days ago. Interesting back down in grade at this venue.				
4	4	FALCON NINE (6)	b	97
	92228032	6 9-6 59.9kg	Cara Tuke (7lb/3kg)	
Yet to add to his tally this year but has been knocking on the door, third over this C&D on penultimate start before runner-up in 7-runner contest at Haydock (1¼m) 6 days ago. Could be thereabouts once more.				
5	5	ROGUE OFFICER (IRE) (16)	h	96
	52-900625	4 9-1 57.6kg	Cam Hardie	
Remains a maiden but came as close as he has ever done to winning when ½-length second at Wolverhampton (8.5f) in August. Ran to a similar level when 3¼ lengths fifth of 12 over the same C&D 16 days ago.				
6	8	LITTLE TED (10) (CD)	h	99
	72264221	9 9-0 57.2kg	Jake Dickson (5lb/2kg)	
Has benefited from the fitting of a hood on his last 3 starts, runner-up twice before getting back to winning ways in apprentice event at Hamilton 10 days ago. Escapes a penalty for that success so he's a major player.				
7	3	WHISKEY PETE (IRE) (12) (D)	v+t	97
	00962867	5 8-13 56.7kg	Rowan Scott	
Best effort this season when runner-up at Doncaster (1¼m) in August. Didn't find as much as looked likely when seventh of 11 at this course (1¼m) 12 days ago and his losing run continues to mount up. Visor now added back down in trip.				
8	2	ONE MORE BOTTLE (6) (D)	v	86
	087-06890	5 8-9(8-8) 54.9kg (54.4kg)	Aiden Brookes	
Sole success came in classified event at Ayr last summer. Wasn't seen to best effect (not ideally placed/met trouble) over this C&D on first outing in September, but ran poorly here 6 days ago. Visor back on.				

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Little Ted, 4-1 Falcon Nine, 6-1 Just Typical, 9-1 Rogue Officer, 11-1 Eve's Boy, 14-1 Gressington, 16-1 Whiskey Pete, 40-1 bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

LITTLE TED got back to winning ways in decisive fashion at Hamilton 10 days ago and, without a penalty for that victory, he is fancied to follow up in his current form. 3-time C&D winner Just Typical isn't taken lightly, though, while Falcon Nine arrives in good heart and is also considered.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LITTLE TED 2. JUST TYPICAL 3. FALCON NINE

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race