GBI RACING

TIMEFORM 1-2-3

Thursday 20th August

KILLARNEY

4.35	SHEAHAN'S PHARMACY 3-Y-O MAIDEN HURDLE 2m1f (3420 Metres)	
RACE 1	(6) HARMANI	(11) SEA OF DUBKA	(8) MINELLA BUOY
5.08	GMIB HANDICAP HURDLE 2m1f (3420 Metres)	
RACE 2	(6) GINO BELLA	(2) AUTUMN TWIST	(1) FIVEONEFIVE
5.43	IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF NOVICE HURDLE 2¾m180y (4590 Metres)	
RACE 3	(5) DIAMOND DU BERLAIS	(4) LOCAL NEWS	(2) BROTHER WALFRID
6.13	THORN PLANT HIRE BEGINNERS CHASE 2m7f100y (4720 Metres)	
RACE 4	(5) LEMMY CAUTION	(8) AFFINITY ROCK	(1) BALLYSTONE
6.45	EASYFIX EQUINE HANDICAP CHASE 2m7f100y (4720 Metres)	
RACE 5	(7) LADIES WELL	(5) WESTERN MODEL	(4) KILKEE BAY
7.15	BREHON HOTEL & SPA HANDICAP CHASE 2½m180y (4190 Metres)	
RACE 6	(10) MINERS BRIDGE	(3) GAELIC DES CHASTYS	(5) BURRU
7.45	GALLIVAN FINANCIAL HANDICAP CHASE 2m1f (3420 Metres)	
RACE 7	(2) FEMME MAGNIFIQUE	(9) PICCOLO PLAYER	(8) BALLYBRITTAS
8.15	PEADAR'S PUB GLENBEIGH I.N.H. FLAT 2m1f (3420 Metres)	
RACE 8	(5) IRON SWORD	(8) KILLEEDY	(4) THE LAST LINE

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.

4.35 RACE 1

SHEAHAN'S PHARMACY 3-Y-O MAIDEN HURDLE 3yo €12,000 2m1f (3420 Metres)

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Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1 ANOTHER DAY DONE (IRE) **86**
3 11-0 | 69.9kg
Anthony McCann, Ireland — ***Sean Flanagan***
A fair 1m winner on the Flat for Joseph Patrick O'Brien but sold for only 6,500 gns after looking less than straightforward at Down Royal on most recent outing in that sphere. Makes hurdle bow.

2 CAMP VERDE (IRE) (10) **70**
0 **3** 11-0 | 69.9kg
John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland — ***Mr J. Younge*** (7lb/3kg)
Only mi-field in a barrier trial at 2 yrs and went with no encouragement on his recent hurdling debut at Ballinrobe.

3 CHAIRMANFORLIFE (FR) **86**
3 11-0 | 69.9kg
Mrs J. Harrington, Ireland — ***M. P. Walsh***
Ran to a borderline fair level in his first 2 Flat starts at up to 12.8f. Reported to have scoped dirty when well held on most recent outing and now switches to hurdling.

4 CONNOR OF MALI (IRE) (10) **70**
P9U **3** 11-0 | 69.9kg
L. J. Archdeacon, Ireland — ***Phillip Enright***
Hasn't shown anything in Flat maiden/completed start over hurdles.

5 DIVELMENT (IRE) (10) b **85**
68 **3** 11-0 | 69.9kg
William Durkan, Ireland — ***P. Byrnes***
Fair maiden on the Flat (stays 10.5f) who offered a bit to work on starting out over hurdles at Killarney in July. Failed to repeat that effort at Ballinrobe 10 days ago though and blinkers now applied for the first time in this code.

6 HARMANI (IRE) ★ **100**
3 11-0 | 69.9kg
Gordon Elliott, Ireland — ***J. W. Kennedy***
Fairly useful winner at up to 10.5f on the Flat for Ger Lyons and looks the type to do well over hurdles being a half-brother to fairly useful hurdler Sign From Above (2½m winner, by Sea The Stars). Interesting.

7 MANNTARI (IRE) **84**
3 11-0 | 69.9kg
Eric McNamara, Ireland — ***T. Joseph Kelly*** (7lb/3kg)
Went with little encouragement in a course maiden (11.3f, good) on sole Flat start last month.

8 MINELLA BUOY (10) (BF) h **93**
22 **3** 11-0 | 69.9kg
John Nallen, Ireland — ***D. King***
Didn't achieve much on Flat but his yard tends to have its juvenile hurdlers ready to go first time up and he ran a blinder when just failing in a blanket finish fitted with a hood at Killarney. No match for an improver who was his superior on the Flat at Ballinrobe since but should go well again.

9 GUILDHALL GRADUATE (IRE) **85**
3 10-7 | 66.7kg
Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland — ***K. C. Sexton***
Modest maiden on Flat (stays 11.5f). Needs to improve for the switch to hurdling.

10 MISTY COVE (IRE) (34) s+t **86**
5 **3** 10-7 | 66.7kg
Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland — ***C. Stone-Walsh***
An 11f winner on the Flat (borderline fairly useful form) who should improve on her opening fifth over hurdles at Killarney last month fitted with a first-time tongue strap and cheekpieces.

11 SEA OF DUBKA (IRE) **91**
3 10-7 | 66.7kg
Henry de Bromhead, Ireland — ***D. J. O'Keeffe***
Showed improved form to open her account on the Flat in 7-runner handicap at Down Royal (13f, good) 34 days ago, positively ridden and seeing out the extra furlong well. Type to make a hurdler.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

15-8 Harmani, **4-1** Minella Buoy, **5-1** Sea of Dubka, **12-1** Misty Cove, **14-1** Chairmanforlife, **16-1** Another Day Done, **20-1** Guildhall Graduate, **22-1** Divelment, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

HARMANI has achieved the most of these on the Flat as things stand and, having joined a quality NH yard, he's taken to make a successful start to life over hurdles. Sea of Dubka showed improved form to open her account on the Flat at Down Royal last month and is the type to make a hurdler, while Minella Buoy can put his experience to good use.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. HARMANI 2. SEA OF DUBKA 3. MINELLA BUOY

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Wonderfulwonderful** 3-10-7	11-4jf	John McConnell	Alex Harvey (5)	10
2024	**Teriferma** 3-11-0	14-1	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	J. J. Slevin	14
2023	**Nurburgring** 3-11-0	7-4f	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	J. J. Slevin	13
2022	**Pepsiwithacap** 3-10-5	12-1	Gavin Patrick Cromwell	Sean Flanagan	13
2021	**Feigh** 3-10-7	4-6f	W. P. Mullins	P. Townend	11

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.08 RACE 2 — GMIB HANDICAP HURDLE 5yo+ €25,000 2m1f (3420 Metres)

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Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1 **FIVEONEFIVE (IRE) (19)** (D) s **98**
5P00-8431 **8** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Cian Michael Collins, Ireland — ***J. W. Kennedy***
Proved as good as ever when winning 20-runner 17f Galway handicap hurdle last time by ½-length from Metamorpheus, staying on well to lead close home. An 8 lb rise looks fair given the strength of that contest and his previous wins off marks in the high-120s. One to consider.

2 **AUTUMN TWIST (IRE) (47)** (CD) **99**
2/1185P-62 **5** 11-7 | 73.0kg
Denis Hogan, Ireland — ***D. King***
Won twice over hurdles and once on the Flat last summer but took form up a notch when second of 16 to Putapoundinthejar in handicap hurdle at Bellewstown in July. That form has been franked by the winner since, and he wasn't disgraced back on the Flat at Galway last time. Should be thereabouts.

3 **FEUD (214)** (D) **88**
1/02P090F- **6** 11-7 | 73.0kg
G. O'Leary, Ireland — ***Sean Flanagan***
Useful performer at best but rather lost way over hurdles last season and makes debut for new yard on the back of a 7-month break. Difficult to make a case for him that doesn't require a notable leap of faith.

4 **HI HO IDAHO (IRE) (101)** (C) **92**
32-1 **5** 11-1 | 70.3kg
Cian Michael Collins, Ireland — ***Danny Gilligan***
Confirmed promise of his previous starts over hurdles when landing a 12-runner extended 2½m maiden at this course in May, beating Splendid Fellow by a ½ length. Drop in trip is a slight concern on handicap debut given his pedigree but he clearly remains open to improvement after just a trio of runs.

5 **BLACK BAMBOO (IRE) (214)** **98**
838/04009- **9** 10-12 | 68.9kg
John Joseph Murphy, Ireland — ***Donagh Meyler***
Confirmed himself a useful hurdler in 2024/25 but failed to replicate that form in a stint over fences and then also back over hurdles last season. Has been given a chance by the handicapper but a difficult one to fancy unless market speaks firmly in his favour.

6 **GINO BELLA (IRE) (17)** (D) h+t **99**
2624P-311 **6** 10-10 | 68.0kg
Patrick T. Foley, Ireland — ***Alan O'Sullivan*** (5lb/2kg)
Progressive hurdler who arrives on the back of 2 handicap wins at Cork, making all in an 11-runner event there on latter occasion (17 days ago) and beating Metamorpheus by 1¾ lengths. An 8 lb rise makes life harder but every chance she could get the run of things from the front. On the shortlist.

7 **FAST FELIX (IRE) (34)** (C) t **100**
115P9-474 **8** 10-9 | 67.6kg
Eoin Christopher McCarthy, Ireland — ***T. E. O'Connor*** (7lb/3kg)
Improved when winning twice last season, including maiden at this track last summer. Returned from 5 months off with a good fourth in a handicap at this course in May and considerately handled on chasing debut here last time. Reverts to hurdling with yard back among the winners.

8 **MOYLUSSA (IRE) (73)** (D) s **98**
92/464-733 **7** 10-4 | 65.3kg
Maike Magnussen, Ireland — ***D. J. O'Keeffe***
Only has one win over hurdles but ran up to best when third of 15 in handicap at Ballinrobe (2m, good to soft) in May before showing aptitude for chasing in handicap chase at Roscommon the following month. Booking of O'Keeffe catches the eye now back over hurdles and any support should be noted.

9 **LORD FFRENCH (IRE) (22)** s+t **96**
58176-867 **6** 10-1 | 64.0kg
S. Curling, Ireland — ***Phillip Enright***
Sole success came in a weak Sligo maiden this time last year. Creditable efforts both handicap starts following his return, latterly beaten 13 lengths in first-time cheekpieces at Galway (2¾m). Needs to step up to feature here, though.

10 **EYE CONTACT (17)** s+t **99**
00-4622 **5** 10-0(9-13) | 63.5kg (63.0kg)
Donal Commins, Ireland — ***C. Stone-Walsh***
Good efforts when runner-up in handicap at Ballinrobe and then a conditionals maiden at Cok this summer. Cheekpieces back on in place of blinkers worn last time, but a step forward probably needed. Races from 1 lb out of the handicap.

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

7-2 Gino Bella, **4-1** Fiveonefive, **11-2** Autumn Twist, **7-1** Hi Ho Idaho, **9-1** Moylussa, **10-1** Eye Contact, **14-1** Fast Felix, **20-1** Lord Ffrench, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

GINO BELLA is on an upward curve, having won her last two starts at Cork under positive rides, and she is taken to shrug off another rise and complete the hat-trick in a race lacking confirmed front runners. Autumn Twist is a C&D winner who chased home subsequent Galway Hurdle winner Putapoundinthejar at Bellewstown when last seen in this sphere and rates the main danger if able to reproduce that form, while Fiveonefive did well to win at Galway last time and should be thereabouts.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. GINO BELLA 2. AUTUMN TWIST 3. FIVEONEFIVE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Spy** 6-10-3	9-2	Charles Byrnes	Alex Harvey (5)	8
2024	**Miss Fourie** 7-10-0	17-2	Peter Fahey	J. Coen (3)	10
2023	**Shecouldbeanything** 6-11-2	2-1f	Gordon Elliott	J. W. Kennedy	10
2022	**Effernock Fizz** 7-10-0	13-2	Cian Michael Collins	D. J. O'Keeffe	10
2021	**Wouldn't You Agree** 7-10-3	5-1	Eoin Griffin	M. M. McDonagh (7)	12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.43 RACE 3

IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF NOVICE HURDLE 4yo+
€17,500 2¾m180y (4590 Metres)

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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 **LOCH CUAN (IRE)** (55) **81**
02-211 **5** 11-7 | 73.0kg
Gordon Elliott, Ireland ***James Smith*** (5lb/2kg)
Soundly beaten in a Down Royal bumper on Boxing Day but hasn't looked back since switching to hurdles, again strong at the finish when supplementing his Cartmel win in May back there a month later. Much more on his plate here trying to concede weight all round.

2 **BROTHER WALFRID (IRE)** (21) t **88**
2-415 **5** 11-4 | 71.7kg
Gordon Elliott, Ireland ***J. W. Kennedy***
Shaped well when second in a big-field maiden at Fairyhouse in April and didn't need to improve to go one place better at Punchestown. Tongue tied and was never going at Galway 3 weeks ago. Now goes up in distance.

3 **DON JEFE** (137) **83**
051P- **5** 11-4 | 71.7kg
G. O'Leary, Ireland ***Sean Flanagan***
Progressive form in maiden hurdles, looking suited by step up to 2½m when comprehensively winning a maiden at Fairyhouse in February. Progress came to an abrupt halt when pulled up on April's handicap debut.

4 **LOCAL NEWS (IRE)** (81) **87**
11 **6** 11-0 | 69.9kg
Richard Hennessy, Ireland ***J. H. Williamson*** (3lb/1kg)
Defied odds of 100-1 when winning 19f mares maiden at Cork in May by head from Divaboriva, coming from further back than ideal in a race run at a modest gallop. Maintained unbeaten record at Kilbeggan upped to 3m later that month and her limit hasn't been reached.

5 **DIAMOND DU BERLAIS (FR)** (35) t **100**
4/P3816-43 **5** 10-11 | 68.5kg
W. P. Mullins, Ireland ***B. Hayes***
Useful ex-French hurdler. Made a winning start for current yard at Ludlow in February before career-best sixth in Grade 2 Dawn Run at Cheltenham. Unable to match that twice since but she's the clear pick at the weights upped in distance.

6 **PETS GEORGINA (IRE)** (12) (CD) **91**
77-U2114 **6** 10-11 | 68.5kg
John Patrick Ryan, Ireland ***J. J. Slevin***
Free-going sort but responded well to win a bumper at Sligo in June and she followed up under a positive ride switched to hurdling over C&D a month later. Disappointing effort at Kilbeggan since needs casting aside.

6 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

13-8 Diamond Du Berlais, **4-1** Local News, **5-1** Brother Walfrid, **7-1** Pets Georgina, **15-2** Loch Cuan, **22-1** Don Jefe

TIMEFORM VIEW:

DIAMOND DU BERLAIS' stamina for this far isn't set in stone but she's very much the one to beat on these advantageous terms so it's worth risking that she'll see it out. Local News is going the right way and is feared most.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. DIAMOND DU BERLAIS 2. LOCAL NEWS 3. BROTHER WALFRID

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Keep Up** 5-10-11	15-8f	W. P. Mullins	P. Townend	4
2024	**Just For Love** 5-10-11	9-1	W. P. Mullins	S. Cleary-Farrell (7)	7
2023	**Lucid Dreams** 8-11-7	6-1	John Patrick Ryan	Liam Quinlan (5)	6
2022	**Rexem** 5-11-4	evsf	John McConnell	B. W. Harvey (7)	6
2021	**Calagogo** 5-11-9	22-1	Mrs Denise Foster	Jordan Colin Gainford (5)	8

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.13 RACE 4

THORN PLANT HIRE BEGINNERS CHASE 4yo+ €13,000
2m7f100y (4720 Metres)

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Pace Information: **Weak**

1 **BALLYSTONE (IRE) (20)** **91**
084/41-04 **8** 11-12 | 75.3kg
John McConnell, Ireland — ***J. H. Williamson*** (3lb/1kg)
Landed 3m handicap hurdle at Galway last August. Shaped encouragingly on belated chasing debut with fourth of 9 in novice chase at Galway (23f, good to soft) 20 days ago. Needs considering.

2 **FORT DINO (FR) (112)** t **88**
41-8 **5** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Henry de Bromhead, Ireland — ***D. J. O'Keeffe***
Ex-French recruit who won juvenile hurdle at Auteuil (17f, soft) last May for Hugo Merienne. Tongue tied and went with little promise when eighth of 11 in 2m novice at Punchestown in April. Could still do better now going over fences for top yard.

3 **HAPPY ME (IRE) (7)** s **79**
4830-6P58 **6** 11-12 | 75.3kg
W. J. Burke, Ireland — ***M. J. Kenneally*** (5lb/2kg)
Fair hurdler but remains a maiden. 20/1, well-held eighth of 9 in novice chase at Tramore (2¾m, good) on debut over fences 7 days ago. Cheekpieces go on for the first time now.

4 **HEROES RISE (IRE) (508)** (BF) **89**
16482342/ **6** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Gordon Elliott, Ireland — ***Joshua Halford*** (7lb/3kg)
Fairly useful chaser. 2/1, made a promising start with second of 7 in novice chase at Downpatrick (19f, good to soft) on debut over fences. Off 16 months since though so has his fitness to prove now.

5 **LEMMY CAUTION (FR) (37)** s **97**
5336-132 **5** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Gordon Elliott, Ireland — ***Kevin Healy*** (7lb/3kg)
£250,000 point winner who made a winning hurdles debut at Punchestown (3m) in May. Cheekpieces on for first time when a good second of 6 in novice hurdle at Downpatrick (2¾m, good) last month. Interesting chasing debutant.

6 **THEMANINTHEANORAK (IRE) (20)** **86**
221066-66 **6** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Eugene M. O'Sullivan, Ireland — ***Phillip Enright***
Fairly useful hurdler who scored at Fairyhouse in February. 12/1, hinted at promise with sixth of 9 in novice chase at Galway (23f, good to soft) on debut over fences 20 days ago. Open to improvement.

7 **WHERE'S MY JET (IRE) (20)** (C) **92**
7F060-P00 **7** 11-12 | 75.3kg
W. P. Mullins, Ireland — ***B. Hayes***
Useful winning hurdler but has become disappointing over fences and still yet to convince over this far, a fading tenth of 20 in handicap chase at Galway (23f, good to soft) 20 days ago.

8 **AFFINITY ROCK (IRE) (91)** (C) **100**
62/10-22 **6** 11-5 | 72.1kg
Cian Michael Collins, Ireland — ***Danny Gilligan***
A 22f winner over hurdles who has started well in this sphere with second placings (around (2½m) here and at Limerick in May. Holds good form claims.

8 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Affinity Rock, **3-1** Lemmy Caution, **11-2** Where's My Jet, **13-2** Ballystone, **11-1** Heroes Rise, **14-1** Fort Dino, **33-1** Themanintheanorak, **66-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Not the easiest race to assess but it could be worth siding with Gordon Elliott's point/hurdles winner LEMMY CAUTION to prove the ace of the pack here and make a successful start over fences. Affinity Rock rates a big threat but could have to settle for runner-up spot once more, while Ballystone also needs considering if, as expected, building on his recent Galway fourth.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LEMMY CAUTION 2. AFFINITY ROCK 3. BALLYSTONE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Boston Rover** 6-11-6	9-4f	Gordon Elliott	J. W. Kennedy	6
2024	**Easy Fella** 7-11-6	5-2	Henry de Bromhead	Rachael Blackmore	6
2023	**Salvador Ziggy** 7-11-10	evs	Gordon Elliott	J. W. Kennedy	2
2022	**Authorized Art** 7-11-6	6-4f	W. P. Mullins	D. E. Mullins	5
2021	**Druid's Altar** 4-10-12	9-4f	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	J. J. Slevin	5

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

6.45 RACE 5

EASYFIX EQUINE HANDICAP CHASE 4yo+ (Rated 0-100) €10,000 2m7f100y (4720 Metres)

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Pace Information: **Even**

1 ONEFORGONZO (IRE) (12) (C, D) s **93**
8254-1504 **8** 12-0 | 76.2kg
Sean Aherne, Ireland — ***A. McGuinness*** (7lb/3kg)
Kept mistakes to a minimum and confirmed return to form when winning 14-runner handicap chase at Killarney in May, beating Sophia Rose by ½ length. Below that level since, though, including back over hurdles and has questions to answer after a miserable display last time.

2 SMALLCRAFTWARNING (IRE) (18) (CD) t **95**
P-8382040 **9** 11-13 | 75.7kg
John Patrick Ryan, Ireland — ***Joshua Halford*** (7lb/3kg)
Has struggled to match the same consistency he showed in 2024/25 this season but has still hit the frame on 3 occasions. That said, he made no impact returned to this sphere at Galway last time and hopes pinned on useful 7 lb claimer working the oracle.

3 KING FERDINAND (IRE) (17) (C, D) s+t **99**
65U66/P0P **10** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Eugene M. O'Sullivan, Ireland — ***Alan O'Sullivan*** (5lb/2kg)
All-or-nothing sort that has gone with no encouragement since returning from a lengthy absence. Wears first-time cheekpieces reverting to fences for the first time this season.

4 KILKEE BAY (IRE) (16) b **97**
8F6-U8125 **7** 11-9 | 73.9kg
Eric McNamara, Ireland — ***Mr J. Dunne*** (7lb/3kg)
Capitalised on a reduced mark when readily landing 16-runner handicap chase at Roscommon (2¾m) in June. Backed it up with good second of 15 to Cullenwaine off 6 lb higher over C&D in July. Stretched by 25f trip last time and will be suited by this return to an extended 23f. High on the shortlist.

5 WESTERN MODEL (IRE) (45) **99**
22525-831 **7** 11-8 | 73.5kg
Andrew Kinirons, Ireland — ***Donagh Meyler***
Confirmed promise of previous run when narrowly winning a 16-runner handicap hurdle over an extended 3m at Roscommon in July. Yet to win over fences but has gone close on occasion and is very much to consider now reverting to this sphere off a lower mark.

6 JE SUIS (IRE) (28) b **97**
9966-P350 **7** 11-4 | 71.7kg
S. Curling, Ireland — ***Phillip Enright***
Maiden who didn't cut much ice over fences last season and posted his best effort over hurdles this time around when third in an amateur handicap at Sligo. First-time blinkers need to have an immediate impact if he's to trouble the principals now back chasing.

7 LADIES WELL (IRE) (16) (CD, BF) t ★ **100**
1608-2U12 **6** 11-4 | 71.7kg
A. Slattery, Ireland — ***D. J. O'Keeffe***
Got off the mark at just the second time attempt over fences when landing 15-runner C&D handicap in July. Backed up off 7 lb higher mark when chasing home Another Challenge at Roscommon last month. A repeat of either of those efforts will see her firmly in the mix. Tongue tie back on.

8 WALK AWAY HARRY (IRE) (80) **89**
049/0089-4 **8** 11-4 | 71.7kg
Charles Coakley, Ireland — ***P. Byrnes***
Bumper winner who went the wrong way over hurdles but showed more than on chasing debut when 12¼ lengths fourth of 6 to Knockbrack Rambler in maiden at Listowel in June. This is much tougher, though.

9 WAKEY WAKEY MAN (IRE) (99) **92**
6382643-5 **6** 11-3 | 71.2kg
Cian Michael Collins, Ireland — ***Danny Gilligan***
Still to get his head in front but mostly creditable efforts in handicap hurdles in Ireland since joining current yard, finishing 8 lengths fifth of 18 to Private Policy at Punchestown when last seen in May. Unexposed as a chaser after just a single outing in this sphere but this looks a big ask.

10 MOUNT SHENSHAN (IRE) (23) **96**
P445-3560 **8** 11-1 | 70.3kg
Thomas Mullins, Ireland — ***D. E. Mullins***
Maiden chaser who posted a couple of respectable efforts in this sphere in May before struggling on last 2 starts. Step back up in trip likely to suit but up against it in this company.

11 TROPICAL IMAGE (IRE) (34) s+t **96**
316P7-625 **9** 11-1 | 70.3kg
Eoin Christopher McCarthy, Ireland — ***G. B. Noonan***
Matched the pick of her hurdles form at the second time of asking over fences when runner-up in maiden at Listowel (19f, good to soft) in June. However, not in same form returned to a handicap when fifth at Killarney (23f) 34 days ago. Cheekpieces quickly go back on.

12 CULLENWAINE (IRE) (34) (CD) b **98**
0502-2541 **8** 10-12 | 68.9kg
David O'Sullivan, Ireland — ***Shane O'Callaghan*** (3lb/1kg)
Well supported when snapping long losing run in 15-runner handicap chase over C&D in July by 15 lengths from Kilkee Bay. A 9 lb rise for that success still leaves him lower than past winning marks but his lack of consistency remains a cause for concern.

13 MALTON GROOVE (IRE) (34) s+t **95**
58PP-7236 **9** 10-10 | 68.0kg
Dermot Anthony McLoughlin, Ireland — ***Patrick Michael O'Brien*** (5lb/2kg)
Remains a maiden after 34 starts. Best recent form when ½-length second of 12 to Fr Gilligansvoyge at Downpatrick in June but not replcaited that either outing since.

13 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 Western Model, **5-1** Ladies Well, **6-1** Kilkee Bay, **9-1** Cullenwaine, **14-1** Tropical Image, **16-1** Mount Shenshan, **16-1** Smallcraftwarning, **18-1** Je Suis, **20-1** Malton Groove, **25-1** Oneforgonzo, **25-1** Wakey Wakey Man, **28-1** King Ferdinand, **33-1** Walk Away Harry

TIMEFORM VIEW:

LADIES WELL has made a bright start to her chasing career, winning over C&D before bumping into one at Roscommon last time. She looks sure to go close if repeating either of those efforts with the tongue strap back on. Western Model won off a 3 lb higher mark over hurdles and rates the chief danger back over fences, while Kilkee Bay should appreciate the drop back in trip and can reverse recent form with the inconsistent Cullenwaine.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. LADIES WELL 2. WESTERN MODEL 3. KILKEE BAY

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**A Nod To Getaway** 8-11-5	5-2f	Paul O'Flynn	D. J. O'Keeffe	7
2024	**Meehall** 8-11-3	7-1	Eric McNamara	D. King	12
2023	**Definiteadare** 9-10-6	13-2	Charles Coakley	M. J. M. O'Sullivan	12
2022	**Meehall** 6-10-10	14-1	Eric McNamara	C. A. Landers	14
2021	**Black Samurai** 7-12-0	5-1jf	Sean Aherne	S. F. O'Keeffe	13

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.15 RACE 6

BREHON HOTEL & SPA HANDICAP CHASE 4yo+ €12,000 2½m180y (4190 Metres)

GBI RACING

Going: **Good**

Killarney is an undulating, left-handed oval track with a circuit of around nine and a half furlongs in extent. It is sharp in character, with the turn after the winning post being particularly tight. There are six fences to a circuit of the chase course, with three in the dog-legged home straight of under three furlongs. The run-in is around a furlong.

Pace Information: **Weak**

1 **ILLTAKEHIMMYSELF (IRE) (35)** (C, D) t **94**
0995-2231 **5** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Eric McNamara, Ireland ***C. M. Hogan*** (5lb/2kg)
Low-mileage 5-y-o who deservedly got off the mark over hurdles when landing a 15-runner extended 2½m handicap at this course in July by 1¼ lengths from Cornaroya Rocco. He is one to consider up 7 lb on chasing debut, with his half-brother having made a winning start in this sphere in June.

2 **KINGS JET (IRE) (12)** s **93**
1P6P-U02 **6** 11-12 | 75.3kg
C. W. J. Farrell, Ireland ***R. A. Doyle***
Surprise winner on Rules debut in maiden hunter at Down Royal last spring and showed first form under Rules since when 4 lengths second of 4 to Anodandawink in handicap at Kilbeggan 12 days ago. Cheekpieces worn that day retained but this a far more competitive scenario.

3 **GAELIC DES CHASTYS (FR) (203)** **98**
52312322- **10** 11-8 | 73.5kg
Eric McNamara, Ireland ***Patrick Michael O'Brien*** (5lb/2kg)
Placed in 4 consecutive handicap hurdles (3 at Limerick) following a handicap chase win at Listowel last season. Has gone well fresh in the past and merits plenty of respect now back over fences.

4 **OLLIE LA BA BA (IRE) (73)** s+t **89**
6F36166-6 **8** 11-7 | 73.0kg
Eoin Christopher McCarthy, Ireland ***G. B. Noonan***
Dual hurdles winner but profile is very much a hit-and-miss one. Probably needed his return at Roscommon last time but has plenty to find based on his previous outings over fences.

5 **BURRU (IRE) (7)** (C) **98**
3638P-104 **8** 11-5 | 72.1kg
Bernard Martin Crowley, Ireland ***M. J. Kenneally*** (5lb/2kg)
Justified support having rejoined this yard when winning handicap hurdle here in May. Ran respectably back over fences when 10½ lengths fourth of 9 to Kasper Hauser in maiden chase at Tramore last time and remains on a workable mark in this sphere.

6 **TIPPIN AND TAPPIN (IRE) (34)** (C, BF) **93**
867P/11-8P **7** 11-5 | 72.1kg
Enda Bolger, Ireland ***D. J. O'Keeffe***
Won twice last season, including at this course but no encouragement to be gleaned from either start this campaign, shaping as if amiss in first-time cheekpieces last time. Needs to bounce back.

7 **TOON TOWN (IRE) (17)** (BF) s **95**
66426-317 **9** 11-5 | 72.1kg
David O'Sullivan, Ireland ***Shane O'Callaghan*** (3lb/1kg)
Confirmed the promise shown on first 2 starts for this yard when winning 11-runner 2½m handicap chase at Limerick in May by 1¼ lengths from One Way Traffic. Unable to capitalise on lower hurdling mark at Cork last time and must defy a career-high mark now returned to chasing.

8 **SEEITOLDYA (27)** **79**
4545U0-6P **5** 11-4 | 71.7kg
John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland ***H. E. Sexton*** (7lb/3kg)
Relatively lightly-raced 5-y-o who was successful sole start in points. Standout effort when fourth on handicap hurdle bow at Cork last summer, but has made no impact since joining current yard including both outings in novice handicap chases.

9 **SHANNON BANK (IRE) (51)** (BF) **85**
9452P-717 **7** 11-4 | 71.7kg
Andrew Kinirons, Ireland ***Donagh Meyler***
Off the mark on second run for this stable in 2m Listowel handicap hurdle in June but wasn't in the same form in handicap chase at Wexford last time. Steps back up in trip now and needs to leave previous efforts over fences well behind.

10 **MINERS BRIDGE (IRE) (17)** (C, D) ★ **100**
25125/72-4 **9** 11-3 | 71.2kg
S. Curling, Ireland ***Phillip Enright***
Fair hurdle winner at this course and showed a similar level of form at the second attempt over fences when 1¾ lengths second of 16 to May Call You Back in handicap at Tipperary last summer. Considerately handled over hurdles on return and potentially well treated back over fences.

11 **FERDIA (IRE) (12)** **96**
PPP9-6870 **10** 10-1 | 64.0kg
John Patrick Ryan, Ireland ***D. King***
On lengthy losing run and simply isn't the force he once was. Opposable.

11 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Miners Bridge, **5-1** Gaelic Des Chastys, **6-1** Burru, **8-1** Toon Town, **10-1** Illtakehimmyself, **11-1** Kings Jet, **16-1** Tippin And Tappin, **16-1** Ollie La Ba Ba, **28-1** Shannon Bank, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

MINERS BRIDGE won here over hurdles and should benefit from his recent return at Cork, so he is taken to capitalise on an attractive mark now back over fences. Gaelic Des Chastys was a model of consistency last season and has gone well fresh in the past, so rates the main danger, while Burru remains fairly treated on the pick of his hurdling efforts.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. MINERS BRIDGE 2. GAELIC DES CHASTYS 3. BURRU

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Hees Dynamite** 7-10-0	3-1f	Eric McNamara	G. B. Noonan (5) 9
2024	**King Ferdinand** 8-12-0	15-2	Eugene M. O'Sullivan	Alan O'Sullivan (7) 9
2023	**Norwigi** 8-12-0	4-1	Enda Bolger	J. S. McGarvey 10
2022	**Carnet de Stage** 7-11-6	12-1	Eugene M. O'Sullivan	D. J. O'Keeffe 13
2021	**Mister Bells** 7-12-0	5-1	Paul Nolan	Jordan Colin Gainford (5) 14

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

7.45 RACE 7

GALLIVAN FINANCIAL HANDICAP CHASE 4yo+ €20,000 2m1f (3420 Metres)

GBI RACING

Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 CROWSATEDAPPLETART (IRE) (17) s+t **97**
652176-16 **9** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Michael Winters, Ireland — ***M. J. Kenneally*** (5lb/2kg)
Likeable sort who won 3 times over fences last year and kicked off this season in top form when landing a 10-runner handicap at Wexford in May. Failed to cash in on lower hurdles mark at Cork 17 days ago.

2 FEMME MAGNIFIQUE (IRE) (34) (CD) **100**
35673-121 **8** 11-10 | 74.4kg
David Harry Kelly, Ireland — ***Danny Gilligan***
Made a successful stable debut in 2m Tramore handicap in May and has continued the excellent work since, travelling strongly before hammering 8 rivals over C&D a month ago. 9 lb rise may not prevent further success.

3 WAR CORRESPONDENT (IRE) (18) b+t **96**
3P-44U439 **7** 11-10 | 74.4kg
John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland — ***H. E. Sexton*** (7lb/3kg)
Untrustworthy sort who stepped up on recent stable debut when 3 lengths third of 6 to Emerald Time over hurdles at Uttoxeter last month. Always behind back over the larger obstacles at Galway 18 days ago.

4 COSTACURTA (IRE) (27) **99**
2/1373-324 **6** 11-9 | 73.9kg
Henry de Bromhead, Ireland — ***D. J. O'Keeffe***
Fairly useful hurdler who found 2m inadequate on chase debut at Tramore in May but stepped up on that significantly when chasing home Garnacho in 19.5f novice at Wexford a month later. Too free to see it out over 2½m on handicap debut and now back in distance.

5 BEAUFORTS STORM (IRE) (29) (D) **98**
U5-772U74 **7** 11-1 | 70.3kg
Timothy Doyle, Ireland — ***Alan O'Sullivan*** (5lb/2kg)
Second of 6 in a mares maiden chase at Tramore in May before unseating the following start. Last of 7 reverting to hurdling at Sligo but ran as well as could be expected at Wexford a month ago.

6 STUNTMAN STEVE (IRE) (47) b **78**
79455-PU5 **7** 11-1 | 70.3kg
Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland — ***E. Finegan*** (5lb/2kg)
Hasn't matched his fairly useful winning hurdles form in 7 starts over fences, though he hasn't always had the rub of the green, Right back on his game when fifth over the smaller obstacles and task is to back that up.

7 KILBRIN ROCCO (IRE) (23) t **96**
521051-29 **7** 10-8 | 67.1kg
Eoin Christopher McCarthy, Ireland — ***G. B. Noonan***
Twice a winner over fences last season, including at Tramore in April. Runner-up at Wexford the following month and easy-enough to excuse last month's return from a short break (badly hampered early).

8 BALLYBRITTAS (IRE) (12) **97**
2/9074-513 **7** 10-7 | 66.7kg
P. J. Rothwell, Ireland — ***Shane O'Callaghan*** (3lb/1kg)
Jumped better than has been the case when landing 7-runner handicap at Wexford last month. Up 6 lb and gave a pretty good account of himself back there 12 days ago. Yard in form and he can remain competitive.

9 PICCOLO PLAYER (IRE) (16) **98**
5642-5633 **5** 10-7 | 66.7kg
John Patrick Ryan, Ireland — ***D. King***
Fair form over hurdles, winning on his second start last season before placing twice in handicaps. Solid if unspectacular start to chase career and he can give another good account back in a handicap.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-4 Femme Magnifique, **11-2** Piccolo Player, **11-2** Ballybrittas, **7-1** Stuntman Steve, **9-1** Costacurta, **10-1** Crowsatedappletart, **14-1** Kilbrin Rocco, **18-1** Beauforts Storm, **33-1** War Correspondent

TIMEFORM VIEW:

FEMME MAGNIFIQUE is thriving for David Harry Kelly and a 9 lb rise for last month's C&D win looks well within range. Piccolo Player and Ballybrittas head the opposition.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. FEMME MAGNIFIQUE 2. PICCOLO PLAYER 3. BALLYBRITTAS

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Embittered** 11-11-5	14-1	Eric McNamara	Sean Flanagan	10
2024	**Dutch Schultz** 7-11-9	4-1f	Gavin Patrick Cromwell	C. Stone-Walsh (5)	9
2023	**Good As Hell** 8-11-10	8-1	Philip Fenton	Niall Moore (7)	8
2022	**Dads Lad** 7-11-5	6-4f	W. P. Mullins	B. Hayes	9
2021	**Espion du Chenet** 7-10-2	10-1	Louise G. Lyons	Ryan Treacy	9

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

8.15 RACE 8

PEADAR'S PUB GLENBEIGH I.N.H. FLAT 4yo+ €11,000 2m1f (3420 Metres)

GBI RACING

Going: **Good**

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Pace Information: **Even**

1 **CON DID IT (IRE)** **87**
6 12-0 | 76.2kg
Eoin Christopher McCarthy, Ireland ***Mr J. Dunne*** (7lb/3kg)
Conduit gelding. Half-brother to numerous winners on Flat, including useful 10.7f winner Summit Star. Dam 5f-7f winner.

2 **STARY NOTIONS (IRE)** **87**
6 12-0 | 76.2kg
P. M. Lynch, Ireland ***Mr R. W. Barron*** (5lb/2kg)
Mahler gelding. Half-brother to fairly useful hurdler Lady of Longstone and fair hurdler Seangoell, stayed 25f. Dam (h130), bumper/2¾m-3m hurdle winner, half-sister to fairly useful hurdler/smart chaser (stayed 23f) Mister Whitaker. Bred more for stamina than speed.

3 **SURESURESURE (IRE)** (45) **79**
088P-075 **5** 12-0 | 76.2kg
John F. O'Neill, Ireland ***Mr K. O'Neill*** (7lb/3kg)
Caught the eye when 19 lengths seventh of 17 in a maiden hurdle at Listowel in May but well held at Roscommon since and has little solid form in bumpers.

4 **THE LAST LINE (IRE)** (776) (BF) **95**
2/ **6** 12-0 | 76.2kg
John E. & Thomas Kiely, Ireland ***Mr Hugh Lillingston*** (7lb/3kg)
Hillstar gelding who showed plenty when pushing the exciting Windbeaneathmywings close on his debut at Cork (17f) in July 2024 but subsequent absence has to be a concern.

5 **IRON SWORD (FR)** (16) **98**
53 **4** 11-11 | 74.8kg
A. Slattery, Ireland ***Mr A. P. Ryan*** (5lb/2kg)
Attracted support and shaped even better than the bare result when fifth of 18 in a deep Punchestown bumper on debut in June, doing too much too soon. Not seen to best effect at Roscommon 9 weeks on and is the narrow form pick.

6 **ROCKY ALFONSO (IRE)** (16) **93**
4 **4** 11-11 | 74.8kg
S. Curling, Ireland ***Mr D. O'Connor***
Camacho gelding who proved easy to back but showed ability when fourth of 13 in 15f bumper at Roscommon on debut 16 days ago, suited by emphasis on speed. Improvement needed if he's to reverse the form with Iron Sword, though.

7 **WALKINEEZY (IRE)** (24) **79**
60 **4** 11-11 | 74.8kg
Denis Hogan, Ireland ***Mr H. C. Swan***
Showed a bit in a C&D bumper on debut but was tailed off in bigger field at Galway since.

8 **KILLEEDY (IRE)** (34) t **100**
4 **5** 11-7 | 73.0kg
W. P. Mullins, Ireland ***Mr P. W. Mullins***
Jukebox Jury mare. Sister to bumper winner/fairly useful 2¼m hurdle winner Korinthia. Dam (h108) bumper winner/placed over hurdles. Offered something to work on despite being caught wider than ideal when fourth of 12 in a C&D bumper on last month's debut. Tongue strap added and may do better.

9 **STREAMHILL (IRE)** (66) **91**
45-55 **7** 11-7 | 73.0kg
Padraig Butler, Ireland ***Ms G. M. Dorgan*** (7lb/3kg)
Shaped with some encouragement on first 2 starts in bumpers for Terence O'Brien. Pulled too hard on stable debut but wasted no time getting back on track when fifth of 14 in 2m event at Kilbeggan in June. Has each-way claims.

9 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

5-2 Killeedy, **3-1** Iron Sword, **9-2** The Last Line, **6-1** Rocky Alfonso, **9-1** Streamhill, **28-1** Con Did It, **33-1** Stary Notions, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

IRON SWORD is the narrow form pick on the strength of his debut form so he gets the nod to make it third time lucky. Killeedy showed ability despite being caught wider than ideal on her initial outing over C&D last month and is an obvious threat, especially with her top yard going notably well with its bumper horses at present. The Last Line pushed an exciting prospect close first time up at Cork in July 2024, but his subsequent absence is a concern.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. IRON SWORD 2. KILLEEDY 3. THE LAST LINE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2025	**Parnell Street** 5-12-0	2-5f	A. Slattery	Mr A. P. Ryan (5)	7

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race