

R1 VAAL

1000m

11:15 | (GMT10:15) | ZAR R80,000 | MPLATE

4RACING WELCOMES YOU WORK RIDERS MA...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #11

PHALA MILLIONS (1) ran a fair race in his last start over 1160m at Turffontein. He raced from just off the pace and stayed on well at the finish, finishing third of nine. Jumping from good draw can shed his maiden tag in this field. BEACH DAY (8) is an unraced daughter of Canford Cliffs from the Robyn Klaasen stable. If not too green, she should start her career on a positive note. The betting market will be the best guide with regards to her chances. EVE'S APPLE (11) looked well in need of her debut effort over this distance on the Turffontein Inside course last start, finishing seventh of eight. She would have come on from the run and can improve to finish in the placings. PEARL HARBOR (2) ran eighth of 15 last start at this track over 1000m. In this line-up deserves another chance.

1 PHALA MILLIONS

BP: 3
60.0kg

77063 Jockey: CHAMU MABAYA
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mr J W Webber & Mrs B I D
Career: 10 : 0-0-2 (12 days)



Still a maiden after 10 starts and was comfortably held last time out despite finishing third over 1160m at Turffontein Standside. Capable of giving a tremendous sight.

2 PEARL HARBOR

BP: 8
60.0kg

07358 Jockey: THOMAS NCUME
Trainer: R MAGNER
Owner: Messrs M S Cruickshank &
Career: 9 : 0-0-1 (21 days)



Has been out of the money of late including last time out when eighth over 1000m at this track three weeks ago, beaten 5.5 lengths. Capable of sharp improvement.

3 HAT MAN

BP: 11
60.0kg

64866 Jockey: SDWAYANA
Trainer: B H STIDOLPH
Owner: Mr P J Magee
Career: 7 : 0-0-0 (14 days)



Well held last start when sixth over 1450m at Turffontein Inside to continue a run of plain efforts. Expect a better run this time around.

4 NKANDLA GOLD

BP: 1
60.0kg

00595 Jockey: A FENI
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mr J W Webber & Mrs B I D
Career: 12 : 0-0-0 (12 days)



Maiden galloper in first campaign. Has been out of the money recently including last start when fifth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside a week-and-a-half ago, beaten 8 lengths. Hard to have.

5 THE REAL DEAL

BP: 2
60.0kg

0x0 Jockey: IMPI LUKHELE
Trainer: S M NAIDOO
Owner: Messrs A V Van Der Poel &
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (21 days)



Form either side of a spell has been disappointing. Resumed last start and was beaten 15 lengths over 1000m at this track. Hard to get excited about his chances.

6 UNDER THE RAINBOW

BP: 4
60.0kg

Jockey: S MKHUMBUZI
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mrs B I D Oliveira
Career: First Start



Unraced colt by Twice Over out of Colourful Jet. Nice profile and capable of featuring.

7 WHAT A PREDATOR

BP: 9
60.0kg

Jockey: TOM LUKHELE ★
Trainer: D CASON
Owner: Mr D D Cason
Career: First Start



Unraced colt by New Predator out of Modjadji. Favouring others.

8 TOGETHER AGAIN

BP: 5
57.5kg

63568 Jockey: V SITHETHO
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Dr M Taljaardt
Career: 24 : 0-0-3 (15 days)



Still a maiden after finishing eighth last start over 1000m at Greyville All Weather. Rates highly in this company and can feature prominently.

9 BEACH DAY

BP: 7
57.5kg

Jockey: P MONGQAWA ★
Trainer: R KLAASEN ★
Owner: Mr Joshua Peter
Career: First Start



Unraced filly by Canford Cliffs out of Rehanaat. Looks set for a bright start to her career.

10 DELPHI DANCER

BP: 10
57.5kg

87x Jockey: GOODMAN FUNDILE DADAMASI
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Hit Them Hard Syndicate (
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (219 days)



Last start was back on August 22 when seventh over 1000m at this track. Has since gone to a new yard. Can play a major role.

11 EVE'S APPLE

BP: 6
57.5kg

7 Jockey: TSHEPISO MATSOELE ★
Trainer: F P HABIB
Owner: Mr M G Bothma
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (42 days)



Made her debut over 1000m at Turffontein Inside last start, starting at \$4.30 and finishing a long way from the winner in seventh. Enjoys some weight relief this time. Likely improver with top-three prospects.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	8	-	-	-	9	11	-
2nd	-	-	-	-	2	1	-
3rd	-	-	-	-	11	9	-

Favorite: PHALA MILLIONS

Possible alternative: PEARL HARBOR

The cover: TOGETHER AGAIN

R2 VAAL

1200m

11:50 | (GMT10:50) | ZAR R100,000 | PLATE

CHAMPIONS DAY 6 APRIL MAIDEN JUVENI...

FLAT **TURF** Participants #9

WILD AT WAR (9) ran a good race in his last start over this course and distance. He raced from just off the pace, moved up but was outrun late. He is a progressive type and Gavin Lerena may be able to get the best out of him when it matters most. GORGEOUS KLEIN (4) has had just the two starts and placed in both. He is having his first run for the Tony Peter stable. If settled into his new surroundings, he should prove hard to beat. BELIEVE IN FATE (1) is an unraced son of Master Of My Fate from the Joe Soma stable with Piere Strydom in the saddle. If not too green, he should start his career on a positive note. The betting market will be the best guide with regards to his chances. LIGHTINTHESTORM (5) is a two-year-old colt from the Stuart Pettigrew stable stepping out on debut today. Has each-way claims.

1 BELIEVE IN FATE

BP: 1
60.0kg

Jockey: PIERE STRYDOM
Trainer: J SOMA ★
Owner: J R Blumberg, D Chinsammy,
Career: First Start



Unraced colt by leading sire Master Of My Fate out of Mamalushka. Looks set for a bright start to his career.

2 CHOCOLATE SOLDIER

BP: 6
60.0kg

Jockey: VAN RENSBURG
Trainer: C SPIES
Owner: Messrs R P Macnab, I D Be
Career: First Start



One World gelding from Secret Star on debut. Prefer to see.

3 GLOBAL ZEE

BP: 5
60.0kg

Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: P P LABUSCHAGNE
Owner: Mr E Blome
Career: First Start



Global View colt from Zalika on debut. Might just need this hitout.

4 GORGEOUS KLEIN

BP: 8
60.0kg

32 Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: A P PETER ★
Owner: Mr Y Langevin & Mrs M J L
Career: 2 : 0-1-1 (34 days)



Talented type who has finished in the money at both career runs to date, the latest when second over 1200m at Fairview. Impressive so far and cannot be underestimated.

5 LIGHTINTHESTORM

BP: 9
60.0kg

Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: S PETTIGREW
Owner: Mr W H Ackerman
Career: First Start



Unraced colt by leading sire Gimmethegreenlight out of Celestial Storm. Anticipating strong market support.

6 ONE MORE

BP: 4
60.0kg

Jockey: C ZACKEY
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Bryan & Taryn Spong & Jan
Career: First Start



Son of One World from Durban Bourbon making his debut. Watch the market carefully.

7 PRINCE OF MIRACLES

BP: 2
60.0kg

Jockey: S SOSIBO
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Dr M Taljaardt
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (21 days)



Well held on debut over 1200m this track when seventh, beaten 21 lengths. Others look better prospects.

2 HANIFAH

BP: 7
60.0kg

Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr S S Poole
Career: First Start



Unraced filly by leading sire Elusive Fort out of Sehaba. Profiles nicely and should run well.

3 JADESE

BP: 8
60.0kg

Jockey: K A BREWER
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Messrs C J Potgieter & F
Career: First Start



Unraced filly by Legislate out of Imperious. Prepared to watch this time.

4 TAKE YOUR PLACE

BP: 3
60.0kg

Jockey: J GATES
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
Career: 1 : 0-1-0 (21 days)



Did a good job on debut last start, showing good natural pace and holding on well to finish just a nose away in second over 1200m at this track. Improver who is an excellent winning chance.

5 TIPPERARY

BP: 5
60.0kg

Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: P MATCHETT
Owner: Messrs B I Rajhununan & K
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (32 days)



Didn't do a bad job last start when fourth on debut over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. Useful type who looks sure to run well again.

6 ULTIMISSIMO

BP: 4
60.0kg

Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: F ROUX
Owner: Mr W G De Koker & Isabell
Career: 5 : 0-0-2 (21 days)



Was underwhelming last start but if she can find the form that saw her finish third at Turffontein Standside two back she is right in contention.

7 VJ'S ANGEL

BP: 1
60.0kg

Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: A P PETER
Owner: Mr G G Palmer & Mrs D Pal
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (92 days)



Resumes after a spell of three months. Turned out after an inauspicious debut when 12th over 1000m at Kenilworth. Doesn't bring the right form to the table.

8 WILLOWILD

BP: 9
60.0kg

Jockey: C ZACKEY
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Jan & Linda Stekhoven, Me
Career: 2 : 0-0-1 (56 days)



Made steady improvement last time out at her second career start to finish third over 1000m at this track. Coming along well and can win without surprising.

9 XANTICO

BP: 2
60.0kg

Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mr J Wolff
Career: First Start



Unraced filly by Erupt out of Flaming Dame. Will be better for the run.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	-	-	-	-	7	6	-
2nd	-	-	-	-	5	5	-
3rd	-	-	-	-	8	2	-

Favorite: TAKE YOUR PLACE
Possible alternative: HANIFAH
The cover: FIERY PEGASUS

8 WAHEED

BP: 3
60.0kg

Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: M F D KOCK
Owner: Glistian (Pty) Ltd
Career: First Start



Unraced colt by Time Thief out of Wafiqah. Was a ZAR R 40,000 (Bloodstock South Africa 2023 Cape Yearling Sale) purchase. Profiles nicely; market watch advised.

9 WILD AT WAR

BP: 7
60.0kg

Jockey: GAVIN LERENA
Trainer: C DAWSON
Owner: Mr S Conway
Career: 3 : 0-0-2 (21 days)



Went down by just 0.6 lengths when third at this track over 1200m last time out. Shapes as a key runner.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	-	-	-	-	4	9	-
2nd	-	-	-	-	6	3	-
3rd	-	-	-	-	5	5	-

Favorite: BELIEVE IN FATE
Possible alternative: WILD AT WAR
The cover: GORGEOUS KLEIN

R3 VAAL

1200m

12:25 | (GMT11:25) | ZAR R100,000 | PLATE

PLAY SOCCER 6, 10 AND 13 MAIDEN JUV...

FLAT TURF Participants #9

TAKE YOUR PLACE (4) caught the eye when second on debut over this course and distance. She showed good pace, but was caught in the shadow of the post. She would have gained from the experience and with the natural improvement that is expected can go one better. TIPPERARY (5) ran a fair race on debut over 1000m at Turffontein, finishing fourth of seven when sent out at long odds. She would have come on from the run and should like the rise to 1200m. WILLOWILD (8) ran a fair race in her last start over 1000m on the Classic course, finishing third. The manner in which she finished off her race that day suggests that she will like the rise to 1200m. She is a progressive type and can finish in the placings. FIERY PEGASUS (1) is a two-year-old filly facing the starter for the first time. From an elite family that includes black type success, being by Captain Of All from Scorched. Well worth considering.

1 FIERY PEGASUS

BP: 6
60.0kg

Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: J SOMA
Owner: Messrs J R Blumberg, D Chi
Career: First Start



Unraced filly by Captain Of All out of Scorched. Likely to be primed for this.

R4 VAAL

1600m

13:00 | (GMT12:00) | ZAR R95,000 | MPLATE

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FLAT TURF Participants #10

SILKY JET (1) resumed from a spell last start and should have finished closer to the winner over 1450m on the Turffontein Inside course as she received a check leaving the start. Has winning claims. CEUTA (10) produced a fair debut effort over this distance at Turffontein last start, finishing third of seven. She would have come on from the run and should make the natural improvement needed. CITY LIGHTS (2) turned in a decent effort last start to finish third over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Likely improver who looks sure to play a big role. SCARLET (4) was out of the money two runs back then again missed the frame last start over 1400m at this track. Can place in this suitable race.

1 SILKY JET

BP: 10
60.0kg

Jockey: PIERE STRYDOM
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Messrs S S Poole & Q H A K
Career: 4 : 0-0-1 (28 days)



Resumed over 1450m at Turffontein Inside last start and finished 5.5 lengths away in fourth. Plenty of improvement to come.

2 CITY LIGHTS

BP: 3
60.0kg

Jockey: D SCHWARZ
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Mr T J Shawe
Career: 12 : 0-0-2 (14 days)



Still a maiden after 12 starts and was comfortably held last time out despite finishing third over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Top-three contender.

3 WHISTLEDOWN

BP: 8
60.0kg

Jockey: K MATSUNYANE
Trainer: MARK KHAN
Owner: Messrs R Bhagwandin, B C
Career: 6 : 0-0-0 (14 days)



Has been out of the money recently including last time out when fifth over 1450m at Turffontein Inside two weeks ago, beaten 5.5 lengths. Looking to others.

4 SCARLET

BP: 9
60.0kg

Jockey: J GATES
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
Career: 6 : 0-0-0 (9 days)



Well held last start when 16th over 1400m at this track to continue a run of plain efforts. Has been out of the money recently but finds the right race this time and gets her chance to feature.

5 EXQUISITE DAWN

BP: 4
60.0kg

Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: W MARWING
Owner: Mr D Govender
Career: 8 : 0-1-0 (9 days)



Returned at long odds last start and finished 8 lengths adrift in eighth over 1700m at this track. Expecting her to kick on with that first run out of the way.

6 HALLOWED SECRET

BP: 1
60.0kg

897 Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: A P PETER ★
Owner: Mrs S Viljoen
Career: 3 : 0-0-0 (14 days)



Maiden galloper in first campaign. Made it three unplaced runs from as many starts when seventh over 1450m at Turffontein Inside two weeks ago. Sure to be thereabouts.

7 BACARDI BABE

BP: 7
60.0kg

7809 Jockey: N NASTILI
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mrs B I D'oliveira
Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (9 days)



Comfortably held last start when friendless in betting over 1700m at this track. Not among the chances.

8 PATH FAIRY

BP: 6
60.0kg

8x0x5 Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: D CASON
Owner: Mr D D Cason
Career: 4 : 0-0-0 (21 days)



Moderate effort to finish fifth last time over 1200m at this track when resuming. Tackles a longer journey this time. Likely to find this out of reach.

9 BRILLIANT COLOR

BP: 2
60.0kg

Jockey: N KLINK
Trainer: M F D KOCK
Owner: Mr W Chow
Career: First Start



Daughter of The Apache from The Centenary making her debut. Watching brief this time around.

10 CEUTA

BP: 5
60.0kg

3 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★
Trainer: D NIEUWENHUIZEN
Owner: Wilgerbosdrift (Pty) Ltd
Career: 1 : 0-0-1 (26 days)



Ran above expectations on debut last start, starting at \$41 and finishing third over 1600m at Turffontein Standside. Improver who can go on with it.

Pace of the Race

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

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st					6	3	
2nd	-	-	-	-	9	10	
3rd					10	2	

Favorite: SILKY JET

Possible alternative: CEUTA

The cover: CITY LIGHTS

R5 VAAL

1600m

13:35 | (GMT12:35) | ZARR105,000 | MPLATE

4RACING.TV MAIDEN PLATE

FLAT **TURF**

Participants #11

IN A BLUE MOON (2) moved up well in his last start over 1700m, but was outrun late, finishing second of 10 at this track. He is having his peak run today and will be cherry-ripe fitness wise. Looks well placed to go one better. DUAL PROPHECY (1) resumes from a spell during which time he was gelded. He showed good promise in his debut run three starts back to finish second of 15. Fresh-up and jumping from a good draw has winning claims. OFFICER IN COMMAND (4) comes here following a win over 1600m at Turffontein Inside, getting home by a neck. Sure to be in the finish. MASTER ARIANO (5) resumed from a spell last start with a modest 10th over 1600m at Turffontein Standside. Strips fitter and is likely to feature in the top-three.

1 DUAL PROPHECY

BP: 3
60.0kg

265x Jockey: PIERE STRYDOM
Trainer: J SOMA ★
Owner: Anoa (Pty) Ltd
Career: 3 : 0-1-0 (84 days)



Last appeared 12 weeks ago when he finished 8 lengths from the winner in fifth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at Turffontein Standside over 1160m. Bold performance expected.

2 IN A BLUE MOON

BP: 9
60.0kg

44x52 Jockey: C ZACKEY
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Messrs P J Pascoe, C F St
Career: 8 : 0-1-1 (9 days)



Has been solid in two runs following a spell. Most recently finished a head away in second nine days ago over 1700m at this track. Ready to peak at the third run in. Big chance.

3 LIVEBYTHESWORD

BP: 7
60.0kg

38x8x Jockey: MUZI YENI
Trainer: M AZZIE
Owner: Mr C J Augustin
Career: 4 : 0-0-1 (75 days)



Last appeared 11 weeks ago when he finished 21 lengths from the winner in eighth over 1600m at Turffontein Standside. In the mix on best form.

4 OFFICER IN COMMAND

BP: 10
60.0kg

23x61 Jockey: VAN RENSBURG
Trainer: M F D KOCK
Owner: Messrs M F De Kock, C S H
D Career: 7 : 1-1-3 (7 days)



Finished sixth two runs ago at Turffontein Inside but found form last time out when he scored by a neck over 1600m at Turffontein Inside. Sure to be in the finish.

5 MASTER ARIANO

BP: 11
60.0kg

344x0 Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: A P PETER ★
Owner: Messrs I Levitan, G K &
Career: 4 : 0-0-1 (26 days)



Returned from a spell last start with a modest tenth over 1600m at Turffontein Standside, beaten 18 lengths. Strips fitter and is likely to feature.

6 ROCK OF BISMANTOVA

BP: 6
60.0kg

36446 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★
Trainer: C SPIES
Owner: Messrs S Govender, C D Br
Career: 8 : 0-0-2 (37 days)



Has been out of the money of late including last time out when sixth over 2000m at this track five-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 7 lengths. Will be harder to beat this time.

7 GAMER

BP: 2
60.0kg

54700 Jockey: J GATES
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
Career: 8 : 0-1-0 (9 days)



Could only manage 15th over 1400m at this track last start to continue a run of ordinary form. Well placed and can do much better.

8 TOUCHED BY STARS

BP: 1
60.0kg

95x55 Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: B WARREN ★
Owner: Mr Grant Mower & Ms R Van
Career: 16 : 0-0-1 (19 days)



Has had two runs since a break, the latest a fifth over 1800m at Turffontein Standside, beaten 9 lengths. Improvement in store. Among the chances.

9 GLOBAL REEF

BP: 4
60.0kg

60x Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN
Trainer: D STENGER
Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (98 days)



Resumes after a spell of three-and-a-half months. Form in the maiden campaign was unimpressive, the latest effort a 11th over 1600m at this track. Wait until he shows something.

10 HAT FURIOUS

BP: 5
60.0kg

90x Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: D NIEUWENHUIZEN
Owner: Mr W G De Koker & Isabell
Career: 2 : 0-0-0 (107 days)



Resumes after a spell of three-and-a-half months. Did little in his maiden campaign, culminating in a 12th over 1600m at Turffontein Standside. Wait until he shows something.

11 JABBERWOCKY

BP: 8
60.0kg

8 Jockey: N NASTILI
Trainer: D NIEUWENHUIZEN
Owner: Messrs S Poriazis, G A Ba
Career: 1 : 0-0-0 (26 days)



Was safely held on debut last start when eighth and beaten 16 lengths over 1600m at Turffontein Standside. Looking to others.

Race Selections

	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st					5	6	
2nd	-	-	-	-	2	5	
3rd					10	8	

Favorite: IN A BLUE MOON

Possible alternative: DUAL PROPHECY

The cover: OFFICER IN COMMAND

R6

VAAL

1600m

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FLAT

TURF

Participants #9

VIVA DE JANEIRO (6) ran a good race in his last start over this distance on the Turffontein Inside course, finishing third of 12. He received a check leaving the start but stayed on well at the finish. He meets the right field here and Gavin Lerena may be able to coax that little bit extra out of him when it matters most. CANT CATCH ME (5) ran a fair race in her last start over 1400m, finishing third of 17 when sent out at long odds. Good effort last start and can build on that performance. CARNELO (4) is better than his last start over this distance on the Turffontein Inside course would suggest. If finding his previous form, he should be hard to peg back. ZOOMBOMBER (7) ran an improved race when finishing midfield last start at Turffontein Inside when jumping at long odds, worth including in exotic bets.

1

THYMETOSHINE

BP: 1

62.0kg

97x00

Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON

Trainer: B WARREN

Owner: Mr Brett Warren

C Career: 9 : 1-0-1 (9 days)

Form since resuming has been quite poor, including a 18th last time out over 1400m at this track. Happy to overlook.

2

FLAG BEARER

BP: 3

59.0kg

90x60

Jockey: D SCHWARZ

Trainer: F BRONKHORST

Owner: Mr F Bronkhorst

C Career: 38 : 3-5-7 (28 days)

Well held last start when friendless in betting over 1800m at Turffontein Inside. Has the task ahead.

3

ANGEL'S WISH

BP: 8

58.0kg

58x78

Jockey: HENNIE GREYLING

Trainer: W MARWING

Owner: Mr L & Mrs H Potgieter

C BF Career: 32 : 3-3-5 (40 days)

Finished eighth last start over 2400m at Turffontein Standside and is now 338 days without a win. Low on confidence and hard to recommend.

4

CARNELO

BP: 4

57.5kg

43337

Jockey: J GATES

Trainer: SM NAIDOO

Owner: Mr A V Van Der Poel

CD Career: 26 : 2-2-3 (14 days)

Last start finished seventh over 1600m at Turffontein Inside. Has recorded just 2 victories from 26 starts. Capable enough on his day and is a key runner.

5

CANT CATCH ME

BP: 5

56.5kg

74643

Jockey: C HABIB

Trainer: B WEBBER

Owner: Mr Q H A Koekemoer

Career: 21 : 1-3-3 (9 days)

Ran a better race last start to finish third at this track over 1400m. Nicely placed and rates highly off that run. Further improvement expected.

6

VIVA DE JANEIRO

BP: 6

56.0kg

25953

Jockey: GAVIN LERENA

Trainer: F BRONKHORST

Owner: Messrs C J Potgieter, T J

C Career: 16 : 1-2-4 (14 days)

Fitter for recent racing and looks close to a win after finishing third over 1600m at Turffontein Inside last time. Rates highly and can measure up.

7

ZOOMBOMBER

BP: 9

54.5kg

56405

Jockey: N NASTILI

Trainer: C SPIES

Owner: Mr D Dasrath & Mrs C Dasr

Career: 18 : 1-0-1 (7 days)

Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fifth over 2600m at Turffontein Inside five-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 6 lengths. Will be harder to beat this time.

8

AZUCAR

BP: 7

54.5kg

8x17x

Jockey: K J LIHABA

Trainer: W MARWING

Owner: Mr L & Mrs H Potgieter

C Career: 18 : 2-1-3 (70 days)

Hasn't raced since finishing seventh over 2000m at Turffontein Inside ten weeks ago. Can play a major role.

9

GREEN SCEPTRE

BP: 2

54.5kg

95x80

Jockey: K MATSUNYANE

Trainer: STARRY

Owner: Sean Tarry Racing (Pty) L

D BF Career: 14 : 1-0-0 (14 days)

Had to contend with a wide alley at his latest run and finished out of the placings over 1600m at Turffontein Inside.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	2	8	9	1	9	6	7
2nd	9	4	4	3	3	9	3
3rd	4	2	-	4	8	2	-

Favorite: VIVA DE JANEIRO
Possible alternative: CARNELO
The cover: CAN'T CATCH ME

R7

VAAL

1600m

14:45 | (GMT13:45) |

ZAR R105,000 |

RBH80

RACEHORSE OWNERS ASSOCIATION MR 80 ...

FLAT

TURF

Participants #8

TYRCONNELL (6) was disappointing in his last start on the Turffontein Inside course. If putting his best foot forward, he should can win a race of this nature. Can atone. KING'S EXPRESS (5) should have finished closer to the winner last time as he hung over the final 500m. He won his only attempt over this course and distance. He is having his peak run today and should be figuring in the finish. GREENBACKCURRENCY (4) raced below par at his only appearance last prep when finishing fifth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside. Looks well placed here and fresh-up can place. CIRCLE OF GRACE (8) bounced back to winning form last start over 1800m at Greyville All Weather. Likely to be there at the finish again.

1

MARDI GRAS

BP: 3

61.5kg

53854

Jockey: N NASTILI

Trainer: F P HABIB

Owner: Messrs J Nassif, G J Nass

C Career: 59 : 9-5-6 (28 days)

Multiple Group 2 winner. Was responsible for a better run last time out when fourth over 1800m at Turffontein Inside, beaten 5 lengths. Don't underestimate.

2

CALIBRE CREST

BP: 5

59.5kg

5x0x0

Jockey: B PLAATJIES

Trainer: J SOMA

Owner: Messrs D Chinsammy, E Nai

C BF Career: 11 : 2-3-1 (21 days)

The first up run was just average, finishing 14th and beaten 14 lengths over 1500m at this track. Has been in the money at each second up start. Expect a better outcome this time.

3

CELTIC RUSH

BP: 4

59.5kg

41x00

Jockey: K J LIHABA

Trainer: D NIEUWENHUIZEN

Owner: Messrs J M T Fourie, L De

Career: 13 : 3-0-3 (28 days)

Finished a mile back last start when unwanted in betting over 1800m at Turffontein Inside. Happy to risk.

4

GREENBACKCURRENCY

BP: 8

59.5kg

61x5x

Jockey: S HLENGWA

Trainer: W MARWING

Owner: Messrs H Adams & W E Cyri

BF Career: 8 : 1-2-0 (68 days)

Has not raced since finishing 11 lengths away in fifth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside on January 20. Winning hope in a suitable contest.

5

KING'S EXPRESS

BP: 1

59.5kg

x7x73

Jockey: M K KATJEDI

Trainer: F P HABIB

Owner: Messrs D Chinsammy, G J N

CD Career: 9 : 2-0-1 (28 days)

Lightly raced gelding who was beaten 4.5 lengths into third last start over 1800m at Turffontein Inside. Well placed and sure to be in the finish.

6

TYRCONNELL

BP: 6

59.0kg

2x125

Jockey: S SOSIBO

Trainer: M F D KOCK

Owner: Hollywood Syndicate (Nom)

BF Career: 6 : 1-3-1 (28 days)

Finished second over 1400m at Turffontein Standside two back then missed the frame last time out over 1600m at Turffontein Inside. Best form stacks up nicely and deserves another chance.

7

WHORLY WHORLY

BP: 7

58.0kg

1x366

Jockey: T MAYHEW

Trainer: C BINDA

Owner: Dr I A Katz & Messrs L Le

CD BF Career: 84 : 13-6-7 (9 days)

Has been out of the money recently including last start when sixth over 1400m at this track nine days ago, beaten 4.5 lengths. Hard to have.

8

CIRCLE OF GRACE

BP: 2

56.0kg

63351

Jockey: D B GEERTHSEN

Trainer: C SPIES

Owner: Come Spies Racing (Pty)

C Career: 18 : 2-0-3 (15 days)

Broke a long drought last time when he scored by a nose at Greyville All Weather over 1800m. Won last start and is well-placed again.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	2	3	5	2	1	3	2
2nd	7	5	7	7	5	4	7
3rd	3	6	-	5	6	7	1

Favorite: TYRCONNELL
Possible alternative: GREENBACKCURRENCY
The cover: KING'S EXPRESS

R8 VAAL 1400m
15:20 | (GMT14:20) | ZAR R97,500 | FM RBH80
TAB TELEBET 0861 000 822 FM 80 HAND...
FLAT **TURF** Participants #9

JUST BE NICE (5) resumed from a spell last start over 1450m on the Turffontein Inside course and finished third of 12. She jumped outwards leaving the start but the manner in which she stayed on at the finish was encouraging. She will strip much fitter and rates highly. MIA FIORE (1) ran home well when winning her last start over this course and distance. She takes a rise in class but is in a good space and should be well up to the task at hand. ALESIA'S LOVE (3) won a good race in her last start over 1450m on the Classic course. Looks well placed to go back-to-back. HILLARY STEP (9) won a game race in her last start over 1400m at Turffontein. She takes on stronger rivals but is above average and should be figuring in the finish.

1 MIA FIORE BP: 4 60.0kg
x53x1 Jockey: C ZACEY +
Trainer: L HOUDALAKIS
Owner: Messrs C G & L F Scribant
CD Career: 9 : 2-1-3 (9 days)
Lightly raced five-year-old mare who recorded an impressive win first up last start over 1400m at this track, scoring with something in reserve. Will be the testing material again.

2 RATTLE BAG BP: 1 59.5kg
52766 Jockey: T MAYHEW
Trainer: G MAROUN
Owner: Messrs Jace Chetty & G J
CD Career: 40 : 4-5-3 (5 days)
Has been out of the money recently including last time out when sixth over 1160m at Turffontein Standside five-and-a-half weeks ago, beaten 5.5 lengths. Not keen on her chances.

3 ALESIA'S LOVE BP: 6 58.5kg
21851 Jockey: RAYMOND DANIELSON
Trainer: R MAGNER
Owner: Mr P J Moor
CD BF Career: 10 : 2-3-1 (37 days)
Lightly raced filly who progressed nicely last start with a win by 0.8 lengths over 1450m at this track. Well placed and sure to be in the finish.

4 SWEET BASIL BP: 2 58.5kg
x234x Jockey: C HABIB
Trainer: SPETTIGREW
Owner: Messrs W D Jackson, L M L
CD Career: 4 : 1-1-1 (91 days)
Hasn't raced since finishing fourth over 1600m at this track three months ago. Looks very hard to beat.

5 JUST BE NICE BP: 5 58.5kg
x44x3 Jockey: P MXOLI
Trainer: C DAWSON
Owner: Ralphs Racing (Pty) Ltd
CD BF Career: 18 : 3-1-4 (42 days)
Returned from a spell with a sound third last start over 1450m at Turffontein Inside. Strips fitter and is sure to be thereabouts.

6 LUCY IN THE SKY BP: 8 58.5kg
75084 Jockey: GAVIN LERENA ★ +
Trainer: B WEBBER
Owner: Mr M D R Leita Ferreira
CD Career: 55 : 6-7-11 (12 days)
Group 3 placegetter. Has been out of the winner's list for more than a year. Recent form only moderate including a last-start fourth over 1400m at Turffontein Standside. Needs to improve sharply.

7 PRINCESS ILARIA BP: 7 58.5kg
27150 Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Dr M Taljaard
CD BF Career: 21 : 3-3-2 (21 days)
Finished 9 lengths back when a disappointing 11th last time over 1500m at this track. Others have better credentials.

8 SHARAPOVA BP: 3 58.5kg
23x7x Jockey: MUZIYENI
Trainer: M F D KOCK
Owner: Mauritzfontein (Pty) Ltd
D BF Career: 9 : 1-5-2 (114 days)
Has not raced since finishing 8 lengths away in seventh over 1600m at Turffontein Standside on December 5. Keep in mind.

9 HILLARY STEP BP: 9 57.5kg
84101 Jockey: CHASE MAUJEAN +
Trainer: D STENGER
Owner: D De Andrade & S Gaskell
D Career: 5 : 2-0-0 (32 days)
Was below par two back in Listed grade at Turffontein Standside then bounced back with a win over 1400m at Turffontein Standside last time out. One of the chances.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	1	9	9	3	1	6	
2nd	7	1	1	4	4	5	
3rd	8	4	4	1	8	7	

Favorite: MIA FIORE
Possible alternative: SWEET BASIL
The cover: ALESIA'S LOVE

R9 VAAL 1000m
15:55 | (GMT14:55) | ZAR R100,000 | RBH75
NEXT TURFFONTEIN MEETING THURSDAY 4...
FLAT **TURF** Participants #10

STORMY SEAS (2) ran on strongly when winning his last start over this distance at Turffontein. Apprentice Trent Mayhew takes the 4kgs off his back and jumping from an inside gate can repeat the dose. SIBERIAN STEEL (1) hasn't made an impression lately despite market confidence. Last start could only manage sixth over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. In this line-up has top-three prospects. IN THE ETHER (4) has been racing consistently and should be about the mark again after a last start fourth of 13 at Turffontein Standside. Sure to make her presence felt. PRIZED PLATINUM (5) was a narrow winner by a head last time out at this track. Drops in weight and should prove hard to beat again.

1 SIBERIAN STEEL BP: 7 61.5kg
22476 Jockey: N NASTILI
Trainer: A P PETER ★
Owner: Mr I Levitan
CD BF Career: 20 : 3-4-2 (12 days)
Handy gelding who finished sixth last start but was beaten only 2 lengths over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. Has ability and looks a top three chance.

2 STORMY SEAS BP: 2 60.5kg
57841 Jockey: T MAYHEW
Trainer: R MAGNER
Owner: Messrs S Mileham, G H Lon
CD Career: 39 : 6-5-4 (12 days)
Had been working up to a win and it came last start over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. Big chance again.

3 LULU'S BOY BP: 8 60.0kg
430x0 Jockey: S SOSIBO
Trainer: F ROUX
Owner: Messrs A J Swanepoel, P J
C Career: 44 : 5-5-6 (21 days)
Seven-year-old gelding who was well held resuming last start over 1200m at this track, beaten 9 lengths into 13th. Hard to make a case.

4 IN THE ETHER BP: 3 59.5kg
21154 Jockey: K A BREWER
Trainer: G MAROUN
Owner: Messrs Jace Chetty & G J
CD Career: 40 : 5-8-6 (12 days)
Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fourth over 1000m at Turffontein Standside a week-and-a-half ago, beaten 1.5 lengths. Terrific chance to return to form.

5 PRIZED PLATINUM BP: 5 59.0kg
45971 Jockey: B PLAATJIES
Trainer: C BINDA
Owner: Hollywood Syndicate (Nom)
CD Career: 5 : 1-0-0 (21 days)
Improved sharply last start to crack his maiden over 1000m at this track. Can make it back-to-back wins.

6 SAKHALA IS'CATHULO BP: 10 57.5kg
72187 Jockey: S HLENGWA
Trainer: C BINDA
Owner: Hollywood Syndicate (Nom)
D Career: 7 : 1-1-0 (12 days)
Registered his maiden success three back but has missed the placings at the last two appearances, most recently when seventh over 1000m at Turffontein Standside. Capable of turning things around.

7 OUT THE MIST BP: 4 56.5kg
85170 Jockey: M K KATJEDI
Trainer: S GRAY
Owner: Mr St John D Gray
D Career: 9 : 1-1-0 (12 days)
Has been out of the money recently including last start when 11th over 1000m at Turffontein Standside a week-and-a-half ago, beaten 7 lengths. Tested again.

8 MIRACULOUS MAN BP: 9 55.0kg
6751x Jockey: D B GEERTSEN
Trainer: G MAROUN
Owner: Mr G J Maroun
Career: 20 : 1-4-4 (69 days)
Has not raced since scoring over 1200m at Fairview on January 19. Worth noting he filled a minor placing first-up last prep at Greyville All Weather over 1400m. This looks a stem test.

9 DANCING DORA

0x838 Jockey: K J LIHABA
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Dr M Taljaardt & Messrs F
CD Career: 35 : 5-2-3 (15 days)

BP: 6
54.0kg



Five-year-old mare who drops in distance from the last start when eighth over 1200m at Greyville All Weather, finishing 3.5 lengths off the winner. Sure to be thereabouts.

10 DARK TIDE

068x7 Jockey: J BOTES
Trainer: F BRONKHORST
Owner: Dr M Taljaardt
C Career: 50 : 5-6-9 (9 days)

BP: 1
52.0kg



Form since resuming has been quite poor, including a seventh last time out over 1200m at this track. Not likely to trouble these.

Race Selections							
	\$L12	Win SR	Dist W%	Trk W%	Trn Rat	Jock Rat	Wet W%
1st	10	3	5	9	1	9	9
2nd	4	5	9	5	5	5	-
3rd	3	2	6	2	6	2	-

Favorite: PRIZED PLATINUM

Possible alternative: SIBERIAN STEEL

The cover: STORMY SEAS