

RACE COMMENTS - NEWBURY

RACE 1: BE WISER INSURANCE NOVICE STAKES (PLUS 10)

Gold Souk Baaddir Wren

Baaddir displayed minor promise when finishing seventh on his debut here last month and he is entitled to improve for that experience. That said, preference is for GOLD SOUK, who is a half-brother to the dual Group 3 winner and Derby second Dee Ex Bee. The son of Casamento also shares his page with Dubai Millennium and he should not be underestimated. Wren merits consideration being out of a Group 1 winner, while Mottrib and King's View are others to consider.

NO. HORSE NAME

- 1 BAADIRR Foaled 28 Feb. Half-brother to Plumette, won twice at 6f and 7f. Beaten 5l behind Light Angel at 13-2 when seventh of 12 on his racecourse debut here over 6f (good) last month.
- 2 BEALACH Foaled 18 Apr. Half-brother to Finglass, won at 1m and 1m 2f.
- 3 GLORIOUS RETURN Foaled 12 Mar. Half-brother to Withhold, won three times between 1m 5f and 2m 2f.
- 4 GOLD SOUK Foaled 21 Feb. Half-brother to Dee Ex Bee, won four times between 7f and 2m including two Group 3 races.
- 5 KING'S VIEW Foaled 3 Feb. Dam a lightly raced maiden.
- 6 MADE GUY Foaled 29 Jan. Dam a lightly raced maiden. Well beaten at 66-1 behind Golden Horde when 12th of 13 on his racecourse debut at Windsor over 6f (good to firm) earlier this month.
- 7 MOTTRIB Foaled 1 Feb. Dam unraced.
- 8 ROCKET DANCER Foaled 1 Apr. Half-brother to Opera Baron, won three times between 7f and 1m 2f.
- 9 SWINLEY FOREST Foaled 30 Jan. Half-brother to Espresso Freddo, won three times at 7f.
- 10 WREN Foaled 13 Mar. Full sister to Yellowhammer, won three times at 7f.

RACE 2: CROSSLAND BRITISH EBF FILLIES' NOVICE STAKES (PLUS 10) (STR)

Narak Qamka To The Moon

NARAK is the third foal out of the Group 1 winner Chachamaidee which makes her a half-sister to Klassique, who won a Group 3 over 1m4f at Haydock on Saturday. Her lack of previous race experience is an obvious concern but the daughter of Dubawi still makes plenty of appeal. Qamka displayed lots of promise on her debut at Nottingham and she should be sharper this afternoon, while To The Moon was a bit disappointing on her seasonal return but it is too soon to be writing her off. Kingslady is a half-sister to the four-time Group 1 winner Al Kazeem and is another newcomer to note.

NO. HORSE NAME

- 1 BEAUTY OF DEIRA Dam won at 1m 2f.
- 2 EVENTURA Half-sister to Admirable Art, won six times between 7f and 1m 1f.
- 3 FORBIDDEN DANCE Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 3l behind Bighearted at 50-1 when eighth of 13 on her latest outing at Windsor over 1m (good) last month.
- 4 GALILEO JADE Beaten 12l behind Star Terms at 25-1 when eighth of 11 on her racecourse debut here over 7f (good to firm) in July last year.
- 5 KINGSLADY Half-sister to Al Kazeem, won ten times between 1m and 1m 4f including four Group 1 races.
- 6 NARAK Half-sister to Klassique, won three times at 1m 2f and 1m 4f including a Group 3 race.
- 7 PEARL JAM Dam unraced. Beaten 20l behind Make A Wish at 11-1 when 11th of 13 on her racecourse debut at Redcar over 7f (good to firm) last month.
- 8 QAMKA Half-sister to First Dream, won twice at 1m. Third of 13 behind Twist 'n' Shake beaten 8l at 12-1 on her racecourse debut at Nottingham over 1m (soft) last month.
- 9 TO THE MOON Placed once in two starts. Finished 5l behind Davydenko when sixth of 13 at 10-11fav on her latest outing at Windsor over 1m (good) last month.
- 10 WILD CAT Half-sister to Growl, won four times at 6f. Finished 17l behind Terebellum when sixth of 11 at 20-1 on her racecourse debut at Goodwood over 1m 2f (good) last month.
- 11 YOUR THOUGHTS Half-sister to Future Proof, won at 1m.

RACE 3: JOHNNIE LEWIS MEMORIAL BRITISH EBF STAKES (REGISTERED AS THE ABINGDON STAKES) (FILLIES' LISTED)

Terebellum

Antonia De Vega

Star Terms

TEREBELLUM was an impressive winner on her debut at Goodwood last month and that form was boosted when the second won by six lengths on her next start. The strength of that form suggests that this daughter of Sea The Stars is more than worthy of a crack at this level and she may have more to offer. Antonia De Vega failed to fire on her final start as a juvenile in the Fillies' Mile but it is far too soon to be writing her off and she does set the standard having won a Group 3 last year. Star Terms has already run well at this track twice this season and she is the clear pick of the remainder.

NO. HORSE NAME

- 1 ANTONIA DE VEGA Successful twice at 7f on good to firm and good ground. Well beaten at 5-1 behind Iridessa when last of 8 on her latest outing in the Group 1 bet365 Fillies' Mile at Newmarket over 1m (good to firm) in October last year.
- 2 LASTOCHKA A winner at 1m on the all-weather. Beaten 6l behind Queen Power at 20-1 when seventh of 8 on her latest outing over this course and distance (good) last month.
- 3 MANNAAL Successful at 1m and 1m 2f on good and soft ground. Beaten 3/4l by Birch Grove when second of 4 at 8-11fav on her latest outing at Windsor over 1m 3f (good to firm) last month.
- 4 PATCHOULI Successful at 6f and 1m 2f on good and good to soft ground. A winner at 5-1 at Ripon over 1m 2f (good) on her latest outing earlier this month, beating Neileta by a neck.
- 5 STAR TERMS Successful twice at 7f on good to firm and good ground. Finished 2 1/2l behind Queen Power when fourth of 8 at 9-1 on her latest outing over this course and distance (good) last month.
- 6 TEREBELLUM Half-sister to Mount Wellington, won at 6f. Won on her latest outing when 2-1fav at Goodwood over 1m 2f (good) last month, beating Maamora by 4 1/2l.

RACE 4: COMAX HANDICAP (STR)

Vixen Leader Writer Infanta Isabella

VIXEN won her final two starts of 2018 and she confirmed her well-being with a second-placed finish at Nottingham on her seasonal return last month. That form gives the five-year-old a big chance, despite a 3lb rise in the ratings. Leader Writer is another who merits respect following a decent comeback run in recent weeks, while Infanta Isabella and Regimented complete the shortlist.

NO. HORSE NAME

1 JACKPOT ROYALE He has won three times from 7f to 1m on good and soft ground. Beaten 10l behind Breden at 20-1 when 10th of 14 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) last month.

2 LEADER WRITER He has won three times at 1m on soft ground and on the all-weather. Third of 14 behind Kylie Rules beaten 1/2l at 10-1 on his latest outing at Beverley over 1m (good to soft) last month.

3 SOD'S LAW Successful twice at 1m on good and good to soft ground. Finished 3l behind Kodiak Harbour when fourth of 9 at 5-2fav on his latest outing at Leicester over 1m (good to firm) last month.

4 CHEVALLIER Has won ten races from 6f to 1m 1f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft and on the all-weather. Won on his latest outing when 5-4fav at Wolverhampton over 1m 1f in March, beating Los Camachos by 3 1/2l. Having his first run for a new stable today.

5 INFANTA ISABELLA A winner at 1m 2f on good ground. Third of 9 behind She Believes beaten 1l at 7-2fav on her latest outing at Ascot over 1m 2f (good to soft) last month.

6 TIME FOR A TOOT A winner at 1m on heavy ground. Finished 3 1/2l behind Daddies Girl when fourth of 10 at 13-2 on her latest outing at Nottingham over 1m (good to soft) in April.

7 REGIMENTED Successful at 7f and 1m on good and good to soft ground. Beaten 8l by Enzemble when second of 4 at 11-8jt-fav on his latest outing at Lingfield over 1m 1f (good to firm) last month.

8 DATA PROTECTION He has won four times from 7f to 1m on good to firm and good to soft ground. Finished 4 1/2l behind Lush Life when fifth of 8 at 20-1 on his latest outing at Sandown over 1m (good) last month.

9 SECRET RETURN She has won three times at 1m on good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Finished 8l behind Nightingale Valley when fourth of 10 at 3-1fav on her latest outing at Nottingham over 1m (soft) last month.

10 JELLMOOD Successful twice at 7f on the all-weather. Finished 3l behind La Maquina when fifth of 9 at 14-1 on his latest outing at Goodwood over 7f (good to firm) last month.

11 VIXEN She has won three times from 7f to 1m on soft ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 1l by Classic Charm when second of 10 at 6-1 on her latest outing at Nottingham over 1m (soft) last month.