

## COMMENT AND SELECTIONS - NEWMARKET

### RACE 1: BETWAY BRITISH EBF FILLIES' NOVICE STAKES (GBB RACE)

**Before Dawn   Safety First   Anadora**

Anadora sets a decent standard having made a winning debut at Newcastle last month but she could be vulnerable under a 6lb penalty this afternoon. With that in mind, preference is for BEFORE DAWN, who is a full-sister to the Group 2-winning miler Althiqa. Her dam scored at Listed level and the family traces back to the 2009 Cherry Hinton winner and Cheveley Park second Misheer. Safety First is closely related to Imperial Yellow, who was a Listed-placed juvenile last year, and it would be no surprise to see her in the mix today.

#### NO.   HORSE NAME

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| 1 | ANADORA        | Foaled 8 Mar. Full sister to Mawakib, won twice at 6f and 7f. A winner at 13-2 at Newcastle over 5f on her latest outing last month, beating Alaskan Jewel by a head. |
| 2 | BEFORE DAWN    | Foaled 18 Mar. Full sister to Althiqa, won four times between 5f and 1m including a Group 2 race.   |
| 3 | CACHET         | Foaled 21 Mar. Dam a lightly raced maiden.  |
| 4 | CATATUMBO      | Foaled 22 Apr. Half-sister to Azmeel, won four times at 7f and 1m 2f including two Group 3 races.   |
| 5 | DULCET SPIRIT  | Foaled 16 Apr. Dam a lightly raced maiden.  |
| 6 | FAST BEAUTY    | Foaled 18 Jan. Dam won at 7f.   |
| 7 | FLOTUS         | Foaled 25 Feb. Half-sister to Anyonecanhaveitall, won twice at 1m 6f and 2m.  |
| 8 | SAFETY FIRST   | Foaled 13 Apr. Full sister to Imperial Yellow, won at 6f.   |
| 9 | SANDIE'S DREAM | Foaled 20 Apr. Dam won at 7f.   |

### RACE 2: BETWAY FAIRWAY STAKES (LISTED)

**John Leeper   Fancy Man   Flyin' High**

JOHN LEEPER is a son of two top-class performers in Frankel and Snow Fairy and he looked to have plenty of their ability when scoring on his three-year-old debut at Newcastle late last month. Ed Dunlop's colt should have plenty more to offer on just his third career start and he should not be underestimated. Fancy Man did not appear to get home when filling third place over 1m4f in the Chester Vase recently and he could prove to be the main threat to the selection, although Flyin' High is another going in the right direction.

#### NO.   HORSE NAME

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| 1 | FANCY MAN | Successful at 7f and 1m on soft ground. Third of 6 behind Youth Spirit beaten 2 3/4l at 9-2 on his latest outing in the Group 3 Chester Vase Stakes at Chester over 1m 4f (good to soft) earlier this month. |
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- 2 FLYIN' HIGH Successful twice at 1m on the all-weather. Won on his latest outing when 1-4fav at Newcastle over 1m in February, beating Kehailaan by 1 1/2l.
- 3 JOHN LEEPER Won on his latest outing when 9-4jt-fav at Newcastle over 1m 2f last month, beating Moktasaab by 4l.
- 4 SEA THE SHELLS Successful twice at 1m 1f on the all-weather. Well beaten at 6-5fav behind Juan De Montalban when fourth of 5 on his latest outing at Sandown over 1m 2f (good) last month.
- 5 TASMAN BAY A winner at 1m on the all-weather. Third of 7 behind Hurricane Lane beaten 3 1/2l at 16-1 on his latest outing at Newbury over 1m 2f (good) last month.
- 6 VIA SISTINA Dam unraced. Third of 12 behind Elvrika beaten 2 3/4l at 40-1 on her racecourse debut at Thirsk over 7f (good to firm) earlier this month.