

RACE BY RACE PREVIEWS: KENILWORTH@2021.10.26

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 1, Gallops, 1000m, Turf, R72.000, 12:05GMT+2

Race Summary: RHYTHM OF THE RAIN has filled the runner-up berth in each of her 3 outings and deserves to get her head in front. Speedy WHAT A BLIZZARD should enjoy a return to this trip and, as such, is likely to pose a threat. SHE'S MY CAPTAIN improved with a run under the belt to finish 2nd over this trip last time and could challenge for honours if making further progress. Newcomer BELLE ROUGE is nicely bred and the booking of red-hot rider S'manga Khumalo catches the eye, so any market support must be taken seriously.

Selections:

#1 Rhythm Of The Rain, #5 Belle Rouge, #9 She's My Captain, #3 What A Blizzard

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 2, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R72.000, 12:35GMT+2

Race Summary: Stable companions AUS BOB and I WANT IT ALL have progressive profiles and may well fight this out. The former returned from a rest to win his maiden before finishing a staying-on 3rd over this trip on handicap debut and should have more to offer in his peak run, so is preferred. His very well-bred stablemate should improve for the step-up in trip. PIKETBERG ALLEY has come to hand with blinkers fitted. He may need further to be seen to best effect but has scope to improve so is likely to make his presence felt. CHAUELS CAMELOT and OFFICIAL SECRET can complete the minors.

Selections:

#2 Aus Bob, #4 I Want It All, #1 Piketberg Alley, #3 Chauels Camelot

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 3, Gallops, 1000m, Turf, R72.000, 13:05GMT+2

Race Summary: Good maiden. BOISTEROUS BUDDY has shown promise in each of his 3 starts and is likely to improve now, having been gelded - one to beat. LYRICS TO LOVE and CAPTAIN MIKE are closely matched on the form a recent meeting. However, the former should be wiser to the task with that encouraging debut under the belt and could turn the tables. STATE OF SHOCK improved with the benefit of experience last time and could play a role if building on that progress. Well-bred newcomers BIRDIE AND BOGIE and GREENLIGHTFORGO make plenty of appeal on paper and warrant respect - watch the betting.

Selections:

#2 Boisterous Buddy, #8 Lyrics To Love, #3 Captain Mike, #5 Birdie And Bogie

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 4, Gallops, 1000m, Turf, R72.000, 13:45GMT+2

Race Summary: ROD THE MOD was only outrun late having led for much of the way on his handicap debut and should come on. Both FIGHTER and BONANZA could have more to give in their peak outings. The former fared better in a similar contest over track and trip recently and could do so again. Hard-knocking veteran POWER GRID and unexposed three-year-olds FINAL MOVE and OVATION have claims too and could pose a threat.

Selections:

#3 Rod The Mod, #4 Fighter, #1 Final Move, #6 Ovation

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 5, Gallops, 1400m, Turf, R72.000, 14:25GMT+2

Race Summary: Tricky. STAR OF THE SOUTH has rediscovered form so must be respected, although could find it tough conceding weight to less-exposed rivals. Of those, stable companion SILVANO'S DASHER makes most appeal having had the form of his debut win franked by the runner-up. YOU KNOW WHO bounced back to form in a handicap over a shorter trip last time but will be better suited to this trip,

so should have a role to play. PATH OF CHOICE and ELUSIVE TANGO are capable of making their presence felt too, as do last-start maiden winners SON OF SILK and ADMIRALTY ARCH who have scope to improve.

Selections:

#2 Silvano's Dasher, #5 You Know Who, #1 Star Of The South, #7 Admiralty Arch

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 6, Gallops, 1800m, Turf, R72.000, 15:00GMT+2

Race Summary: Highly regarded GIMMIE A STAR was a fluent winner of his season pipe-opener over a shorter trip and will have more to offer stepped up to this distance with that run under the belt. THEFUTUREISBRIGHT beat a subsequent winner when shedding his maiden tag over this trip last time out. He's also likely to improve but has a wide draw to overcome. SERVICE ACE is another last-start maiden winner with scope for improvement. Hard-knockers ANECDOTE and recent scorer BEL PUNTO will keep their younger rivals honest. VIDA FUTURA needed his last start when beaten by the latter so should fare better now.

Selections:

#4 Gimmie A Star, #6 Thefutureisbright, #8 Bel Punto, #1 Anecdote

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 7, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R72.000, 15:35GMT+2

Race Summary: Maiden handicap which won't take much winning. Improving NASIRIYAH improved for the step-up to 1600m when last seen, finishing ahead of OPULENCE, and should make further progress. The latter was probably in need of that outing and would've tightened up, so will improve to fight out the finish. Well-related SWEET REPEAT gets weight from those rivals and is drawn better than she was last time - expect improvement. MAGIC MOMENTS and KLASERIE could complete the minors.

Selections:

#1 Nasiriyah, #2 Opulence, #4 Sweet Repeat, #5 Magic Moments

Kenilworth, 26.10.2021, Race 8, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R72.000, 16:10GMT+2

Race Summary: Another modest maiden handicap. SECRET LIZARD has been frustrating but has hinted at ability and may be looking to go ground, so warrants consideration as he does have scope. WORLD SO HIGH made good improvement when fitted with blinkers last time and could confirm - chance. AUGUSTA GREEN ran on from last in his second start after a rest to finish just off that rival and, on that evidence, could have more to offer over the extra in his peak outing - one to beat. IMPACT and DOG DETACHMENT are open to improvement too trying this trip for the first time and could get involved.

Selections:

#6 Augusta Green, #2 World So High, #9 Impact, #4 Dog Detachment

Best Win: #6 AUGUSTA GREEN

Best Value Bet:

Best Longshot: #2 SILVANO'S DASHER