

**RACE 1 11:25 AM | \$30,000 | ARMIDALE | 1300m**

1	HEATHCLIFF	In the money at his only start at Tamworth. Better for race experience. Form good enough for this.
3	BRIDE WARS	On pace but unable to sustain bid at Tamworth over a longer test. Switching to 1300m. Can lead or take a sit. Rates highly.
6	INVINCIBOO	Handy but gave away tamely at Tamworth. Secures inside draw in small field. Very fit and right in the mix.
2	ALBERT'S PICK	Led, unable to sustain bid and faded to finish 6.8 lengths at Tamworth. Coming back in distance. Fit from racing and worth a look.
5	HARD TRUTH	No match when 2.6 lengths 4th in the small field at Inverell when off an extended spell. Fitter second-up and takes a 2kg claim. One for exotics.

**RACE 2 12:00 PM | \$27,000 | ARMIDALE | 1900m**

4	GOLD CAPITAL	Won a 1700m Benchmark 58 at Scone two back. Never a threat after showing no early speed from the barriers at Randwick. Won only other time at Armidale. Experienced rider replaces apprentice. Can make amends.
6	CHARLIE BALI	Seldom puts in a bad one. Made short work of the small field in the Hcp (C2) at Inverell. Fancy the extra trip will suit. Stays under strong notice for this.
3	FULMEN FILOU	Reasonable effort at Tamworth when in the market. Winner at only other start at Armidale. Sound claims.
8	QUESTIONABLE	Just missed at Muswellbrook then reeled in leaders to salute at Tamworth. Hillier retains the ride. Worth a look.
5	BETTER YET	Trimmed margin late at Lismore. Could give some cheek at odds.

**RACE 3 12:35 PM | \$27,000 | ARMIDALE | 1400m**

5	NEED A MIRACLE	Reasonably consistent. At the helm, outpointed late but slogged away for the minor spoils Country Boosted Hcp (C2) at Tamworth over this trip. Experienced rider replaces apprentice. A serious challenger.
1	REGATTA	Steps out for third run new stable/region. Sent out \$81 when unable to threaten at Tamworth in second run from spell. Can improve to feature.
8	AGE OF AQUARIUS	Finished a long way from the action 3yo+ Hcp (C3) at Randwick. Switching to 1400m. Can lead or take a sit. Has claims.
3	COOMA HUT	Enough in the tank to place at Inverell in second run from spell. Switching to 1400m. Looks a first four candidate.
7	STEEL CLAWS	Five weeks since last run. Failed to threaten at Muswellbrook in second run from spell when blew in the market. New to Armidale. Can surprise.

**RACE 4 1:10 PM | \$27,000 | ARMIDALE | 1100m**

11	IMOTOSAN	Trials (2:0-1-0). Showed some trial ability last winter. Well worth a look.
7	RUBINSKY	Rubick mare who has displayed some early ability. Ran home into the minors Mdn Plate at Kempsey at her second race start. Highly rated in this line-up.
2	SIPPING SHAMUS	Fronting up for second campaign (21-weeks) without a trial under his belt. Indicated some potential placing at both his starts in first campaign. Worth a look fresh in this line-up.
4	KAHU	Trials (2:0-0-0). Soundly beaten in two trials but might improve under race conditions. Betting a further guide.
3	STAINLESS STEEL	Got a stitch late after showing pace in the small field at Moree. Switching to 1100m. Only for wider exotics.

**RACE 5** 1:50 PM | \$30,000 | **ARMIDALE** | 1300m

5	JAMACRI	Off the speed, picked up soundly and wasn't beaten far at Taree over a longer assignment. Coming back in distance. This looks very winnable.
1	DUB	Streetered them at Tamworth. Key player.
7	WOKOU	Restrained from wide gate, let down late into the minors at Coffs Harbour. Claiming apprentice engaged again. Good gate. Each-way.
9	GRIFFINSTOWN GIRL	Couldn't get anywhere near winner but slogged away for a placing in the small field at Coffs Harbour. Breaks from a low barrier. Among the dangers.
4	COSMIC BLING	Okay at latest when settled back. Place.

**RACE 6** 2:30 PM | \$27,000 | **ARMIDALE** | 1100m

8	LADY BILLIE	Steps out for second Aust start. Shared top prize in the Mdn at Tamworth at first run for new trainer. Strips fitter second run back. Key player.
3	LORD OF THE SUN	Resuming after a (66-weeks) spell. Effective fresh and proven here. Can challenge in this affair.
9	KOONDEEMAN	Four weeks since last run. Only overhauled late this venue over this distance. Better draw here and performs well at home. Makes a strong case in this company.
5	THE NEPHILIM	Let-up (46-days). First run new state/stable. Cleared maiden ranks at Mortlake then wasn't beaten far at Ballarat second-up. Should be kept safe at local debut.
2	SNATCHREILLY	Honest competitor. Had to call on all his resolve to win from the deep draw at Tamworth. Worth following.