

**RACE 1 10:40 AM | \$130,000 | CAULFIELD | 2400m**

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| 1  | KINGS VALLEY | Ready to win. Went close at Moonee Valley two back. Winner packed too many punches but he kept on bravely for third here. Should relish the rise in distance. |
| 6  | FEDERER      | Wore them down late at Flemington. Should relish the rise in distance and under less weight. Can go back to back.                                             |
| 7  | LITZDEEL     | Settled close and ran an honest race this track second-up. Fitter for those two runs and ready to show best. Key player.                                      |
| 10 | HAALAND      | On pace and stuck on grittily for narrow 3yo+ (Bm66) win at Sandown-Hillside. Has a light weight. Deep into his campaign and can challenge.                   |
| 3  | ARGENTUM     | Second run now in Australia. Started \$41 when safely held in Benchmark 84 company here at first run for new trainer. Fitter second-up. One for multiples.    |

**RACE 2 11:15 AM | \$150,000 | CAULFIELD | 1600m**

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| 3 | REGAL AWARD   | Cleared maiden ranks at Sandown-Hillside Sep 10. Gave honest account in the small field at Sandown-Hillside. Should relish the rise in distance. Rates highly.                          |
| 2 | CENTU CAVADDI | Bided time at back and closed powerfully into the minors 3yo C&G Hcp at Sandown-Hillside at his second race start. Fancy the extra trip will suit. Makes a strong case in this company. |
| 1 | TAGLINE       | Aiming for hat-trick. Rounded them up easily at Geelong when \$2.60 last start. Should relish the rise in distance. Right in the mix.                                                   |
| 8 | GRAND OMAHA   | Scrubbed up from the wide gate and boxed on bravely for a 0.8 lengths win at Kilmore. Patrick Moloney retains the ride. Has claims.                                                     |
| 7 | OBVIOUS       | 4 weeks since last run. He won in decisive fashion at Bendigo. Can be thereabouts.                                                                                                      |

**RACE 3 11:30 AM | \$25,000 | BALAKLAVA | 1600m**

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| 6  | FLAMING EYES | Found improvement last two. Just missed at Balaklava Sep 24. Game effort this venue over a longer test. Nice gate.                                                        |
| 9  | ON THE MAP   | Still a maiden but surely close to putting that right. On pace but caved in quickly under pressure finishing 7.2 lengths 4th at Strathalbyn. Rates highly in this affair. |
| 1  | INDIAMO      | Placed but a long way from the winner in the 3yo+ Mdn Plate at this track. Looking for a mile now. Can challenge.                                                         |
| 4  | TEAR APART   | Dropped out to last and never sighted this track. Since trialled at Balaklava Oct 2. Has claims.                                                                          |
| 10 | ROYAL MUSE   | Clearly more needed after two unflattering runs. Rates a risky proposition.                                                                                               |

**RACE 4 11:50 AM | \$130,000 | CAULFIELD | 1440m**

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| 5  | SHADHAVAR      | Dictated terms in recording a gritty 0.4 lengths win in the 4yo+ M (Bm78) here. Drawn to get a conservative run. Highly rated in this line-up.                                   |
| 10 | DEEP PLEASURE  | Went home tamely this venue at \$5.50. Can challenge.                                                                                                                            |
| 13 | HELIX          | Freshened after resuming from a break. Last at turn, ran on late at Moonee Valley when off an extended spell. Can be thereabouts.                                                |
| 7  | SNEAKY SUNRISE | Fought on like a lion only to succumb by a 0.3 lengths 3yo+ (Bm74) at Sandown-Hillside when off an extended spell. Will be fitter second-up and takes a 2kg claim. Sound claims. |
| 15 | MARY ELIZA     | Fronting up for second campaign (22-weeks). Won 2 of 5 starts in first campaign. Rough place prospect fresh in this company.                                                     |

**RACE 5 12:05 PM | \$25,000 | BALAKLAVA | 1200m**

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| 5  | GLASS BAY       | Resuming (28-weeks). First run this region for new stable. Still a maiden but surely close to putting that right. Makes strong appeal fresh in this affair.             |
| 2  | KIKORANGI       | Back to the track for second campaign (37-weeks). Highly fancied for a winning return.                                                                                  |
| 12 | ALPINE LEE      | Towards rear and far from disgraced at Morphettville Parks on debut. Looking for this trip now. Warrants attention.                                                     |
| 8  | JOHNNY THE JET  | Trials (3:0-0-1). By King's Legacy and making his career debut after showing fair ability in latest Balaklava trial. Big watch on debut.                                |
| 9  | ROCKLEIGH BELLE | A vastly improved performance when the Sir Prancealot 4year-old ran into the minors at Jamestown at first run for new trainer. Awkwardly drawn. Stiffer challenge here. |

**RACE 6 12:25 PM | \$200,000 | CAULFIELD | 1000m**

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| 4  | TORNADO VALLEY | Unraced 2yo by Too Darn Hot and out of the Fastnet Rock mare Oklahoma Girl. Drawn well for first assignment. Can make an immediate impact here.                                           |
| 10 | TORTURE        | Trials (1:0-1-0). Sword Of State filly makes first visit to the races off a 800m Caulfield Heath trial placing, Oct 2. Ethan Brown sticks from latest trial. Good draw for career opener. |
| 5  | FACE THE WILD  | Trials (1:1-0-0). Barrier trialled over 800m at Caulfield Heath on Oct 2. L Currie on from trials. Follow any betting leads.                                                              |
| 1  | COMMIT         | Trials (1:1-0-0). Prepared with a 800m barrier trial at Caulfield Heath on Oct 2. Damian Lane sticks for debut. Market may prove a more fruitful guide.                                   |
| 7  | LADHAR         | First starter by Exceed And Excel and out of the Lonhro mare Lyre. Not seen at barrier trials. Look to betting for a further guide.                                                       |

**RACE 7 12:40 PM | \$25,000 | BALAKLAVA | 1600m**

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| 2 | UTAH           | Steps out for third run new stable/region. Finally shed his maiden tag with a 2.7 lengths win at Strathalbyn at second run back. J Holder retains the ride. Can repeat dose. |
| 3 | RECIPROCAL     | Resuming (22-weeks). Key player fresh in this affair.                                                                                                                        |
| 5 | MAGIC PRINCESS | Just missed at Balaklava Sep 24. Trailed leaders when 8th at Gawler. More suitable draw. Deep into her campaign and warrants attention.                                      |
| 1 | FLAMING NAVY   | Faded off the lead to finish 4.4 lengths this venue. Fitter second-up and takes a 2kg claim. Drawn to get a conservative run. Among the dangers.                             |
| 8 | HAYAI MESU     | Long time since last saluted. Finished a long way from the action (Bm76) at Morphettville Parks. Drops to shorter trip. Needs to lift to figure. On trust.                   |

**RACE 8 1:00 PM | \$130,000 | CAULFIELD | 1100m**

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| 9  | TONKIN         | Fresh. Super consistent galloper. Valiant but vanquished second in the 3yo+ (Bm78) down the Flemington straight Sep 13. Has early speed.                                |
| 5  | GRAND LARCENY  | Handy galloper. Just missed at Randwick May 24. Winner too strong but ran on for the minors at Moonee Valley first up. Has had success second-up.                       |
| 4  | DON'T HOPE DO  | Freshened. Settled close and ran an honest race at Morphettville at this distance. Warrants attention.                                                                  |
| 14 | JUST LIKE GABY | Off midfield when flew home to record a 0.4 lengths victory at Sandown-Hillside. Fitter second-up. Jumps from better barrier and a nice weight drop. Among the dangers. |
| 3  | MYTEMPTATION   | Back to the track for second campaign (28-weeks). Saluted at Bairnsdale first-up last time in. Won 4 of 6 starts in first campaign. Can play a role.                    |

**RACE 9 1:15 PM | \$25,000 | BALAKLAVA | 2200m**

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| 6  | <b>CRACKEN GOOD TIME</b> | Worked on the speed and just missed in the 3yo+ Mdn Plate here at last start this journey. Has early speed. Highly rated in this line-up.                       |
| 8  | <b>EMPRESS OF SOUL</b>   | Got up in final strides this venue at last start this journey. Rates highly.                                                                                    |
| 10 | <b>IRLANDAIS</b>         | Off pace, worked his way into the minors without threatening winner at Warrnambool Sep 22. Warrants attention.                                                  |
| 7  | <b>DEXTER DREAM</b>      | Did little 8.2 lengths 7th at Strathalbyn as an odds drifter. Claiming apprentice engaged again. Can play a role.                                               |
| 9  | <b>GRINZINGER JOY</b>    | Off midfield when flew home to record a 0.4 lengths victory this venue. Winner at only other start at Balaklava. Kayla Crowther retains the ride. Worth a look. |

**RACE 10 1:35 PM | \$130,000 | CAULFIELD | 2000m**

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| 3  | <b>MAKDANE</b>      | Trailed pace and ran on gamely at Sandown-Hillside. Should relish the rise in distance. Makes a strong case in this company.                                                                                                 |
| 10 | <b>AUTUMN SLIDE</b> | Won 3yo+ (Bm70) Benchmark 70 Sandown-Hillside Sep 10. Warmed up nicely late at Sandown-Hillside when in the market. Should relish the rise in distance. Can challenge.                                                       |
| 7  | <b>ZAMBARD</b>      | On a winning streak. Solid 60.5kg winner at Sale Sep 14. Started \$1.85 when handily placed and showed fine turn of foot to register a 1.8 lengths win at Sandown-Hillside. Looking for this trip now and under less weight. |
| 5  | <b>PRINCE ERIC</b>  | Gave solid chase in a good effort at Sandown-Hillside when in the market. Should appreciate stepping up in distance. Can challenge.                                                                                          |
| 9  | <b>SO BRAVE</b>     | Ridden cold then reeled them in swiftly to score at Moonee Valley. Could surprise.                                                                                                                                           |

**RACE 11 1:50 PM | \$25,000 | BALAKLAVA | 1600m**

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| 1 | <b>HIGH TOR</b>          | On a quick back-up. In peak form and fitness. Went close at Balaklava two back. Rounded them up easily at Morphettville Parks when \$2.50.  |
| 2 | <b>FLAMBARD</b>          | Landed handy, unable to go with winner but ran on for the minor spoils here in Benchmark 56 company. Nice gate. Key player.                 |
| 9 | <b>BYWATERS ROAD</b>     | handily placed and gave his all running on for second at Gawler. Form sound this track and distance. Senior rider takes over. Rates highly. |
| 7 | <b>SNIPERS NIGHTMARE</b> | On pace but gave away tamely to finish well beaten 4.9 lengths this track. First try at 1600m. On pacer. Hard fit and warrants attention.   |
| 3 | <b>OBI</b>               | Taken back from the alley, closed the race off powerfully at Strathalbyn. Can run a drum.                                                   |

**RACE 12 2:10 PM | \$240,000 | CAULFIELD | 2000m**

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| 7  | <b>STATUARIO</b>       | Battled home here in second run from spell. Fitter for those two runs and ready to show best. Highly rated in this line-up.                      |
| 11 | <b>QUIETNESS</b>       | Close placing in the Grafton Cup at Grafton. Showed plenty when coming from midfield 3yo+ (Bm88) at Randwick. Nicely weighted. Right in the mix. |
| 17 | <b>SHE'S A HUSTLER</b> | Consummate professional. Rounded them up smartly in the small field at Flemington at first run back. Nicely weighted. Will be fitter second-up.  |
| 16 | <b>DIWALI</b>          | First-up (16-weeks). Rough place hope only.                                                                                                      |
| 10 | <b>WOOTTON VERNI</b>   | Off the speed, picked up soundly and wasn't beaten far at Sandown-Hillside. A distance specialist. Can make his presence felt.                   |

**RACE 13 2:25 PM | \$25,000 | BALAKLAVA | 1400m**

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| 6 | MY CRACKLING | Finished a well held 6th at Morphetville. Form sound at this course and journey. Nice gate. Makes strong appeal.                                        |
| 9 | OUR GODDESS  | Sent out \$16 when unable to threaten here over this trip. Has a light weight. Good draw. Highly rated in this line-up.                                 |
| 3 | A BIG CHANCE | Experienced campaigner. Winner too strong but ran on for the minors at Jamestown at resumption. Will be fitter second-up. Right in the mix.             |
| 4 | ASTRODEAN    | Off the speed, picked up soundly and wasn't beaten far at Strathalbyn at resumption. Will be fitter second-up. More suitable draw. Makes strong appeal. |
| 1 | MAPLEWAY     | Sent out \$71 when never got into the race at Morphetville at first run back. Will be fitter second-up. Can run a drum.                                 |

**RACE 14 2:45 PM | \$130,000 | CAULFIELD | 1440m**

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| 5  | SUNSHINEINMYPOCKET | Really good run coming from well back to just miss at Moonee Valley at first run back. Claiming apprentice engaged again. Will be fitter second-up and takes a 2kg claim. Drawn favourably. |
| 15 | CATOGGIO           | Led, gave away late finishing 2.6 lengths astern of winner at Flemington. Strips fitter second run back. Has early speed. Makes a strong case in this company.                              |
| 4  | SCHEELITE          | Resuming (22-weeks). Nice gate. Has claims.                                                                                                                                                 |
| 12 | SASSY BOOM         | Just missed at Caulfield Aug 30. Handy and acquitted herself fairly well at Sandown-Hillside. Leads, handy. Right in the mix.                                                               |
| 14 | SABAJ              | Resuming (24-weeks). First run this region for new stable. Form sound last campaign. Just missed at Morphetville Mar 10.                                                                    |

**RACE 15 3:00 PM | \$25,000 | BALAKLAVA | 1200m**

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| 1 | SETTEVELI     | Last at turn, ran on late at Gawler. Better draw here and takes a large claim. Worth a look.                                                                                  |
| 2 | GUSMAO        | Went back, closed intently for 1 length 4th this venue at first run for new trainer. A distance specialist. More suitable draw. Super fit from racing and warrants attention. |
| 6 | UTAH JOE      | Last win was Apr 1 2024. Got back and wasn't totally disgraced at Morphetville Parks at resumption. Strips fitter second run back and takes a 2kg claim. One for exotics.     |
| 7 | BROADWAY LANE | Smart sprinter with a high cruising speed. Just shaded for the minors after making the speed this venue when in the market. Leader. This looks very winnable.                 |
| 3 | LUCKY DOG     | Third outing for new trainer/ this region. Went home tamely at Jamestown at \$6. Claiming apprentice engaged again. Not as well drawn this time.                              |