

# TIP SHEET

JAPAN - 17th February 2022

## R1 - FUNABASHI | 13:40 | JPY ¥1,520,000 | RACE 1

9	FERVOR RUSH	Has the hoof on the till after being beaten a whisker last start at this track over 1200m. Expected to be very competitive.
2	OH SO LOVELY	Is racing in consistent form this campaign finishing in the money at all two runs including a win two back at this track. Rates highly on recent form and is a top chance again.
11	SHINTO AKIRA	Last appeared 11 weeks ago when he finished one length from the winner in second over 1200m at this track. Has the form to take this out.
7	NISHINO MACH	Ran a better race last start to finish fourth over 1400m at Urawa. Solid top-three chance.
8	HERE YOU	Norihiko Nozawa goes on and she has been freshened up since an ordinary tenth five weeks ago over 1200m at this track. Better then the last run suggests so give her another chance.

## R2 - FUNABASHI | 14:10 | JPY ¥1,520,000 | RACE 2

7	HAKUSAN CUTE	Stepping out at this circuit for the first time. Last appeared when she scored over 1500m at Kanazawa on December 23. No reason she cannot salute again.
10	YAGIRI EPIPHA KUN	Ready to peak after two runs back, the latest effort a third over 1400m at Urawa. Rates highly and expected to run well.
11	STUNNING VISTA	In the money two starts back at Kawasaki but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 1500m at this track last time. Hard to beat on her best form.
9	BLANC VISAGE	Went forward last start and gave a sight but faded late to finish third over this course and distance. Should go forward again and he will prove tough to beat.
5	DANCE AROUND	Resuming today. Doesn't usually fire early in the campaign. Still worth some thought.

## R3 - FUNABASHI | 14:40 | JPY ¥1,900,000 | RACE 3

4	GOLDEN BOOTS	Resumes. Finished off last campaign with a maiden win by 4 lengths over 1200m at this track on April 8. Has ability and should be right in the finish.
11	DESERT MOON	Last appeared 11 weeks ago when she finished 6 lengths from the winner in sixth over 1200m at this track. Form shown last campaign makes for good reading.
6	CENTER ROAD	Has been out of the money of late including last time out when fourth over 1200m at this track five weeks ago, beaten 7 lengths. Major player.
7	SKY CANNA	Has been out of the money of late including last time out when fifth over 1200m at this track five weeks ago, beaten 8 lengths. In the mix.
2	KURA FINE	Form in recent times has been moderate, including a last start 11th over 1500m at Kawasaki. Can bounce back.

## R4 - FUNABASHI | 15:15 | JPY ¥1,900,000 | RACE 4

5	RED ESTELLA	Beaten 5.5 lengths into fourth when resuming last start over 1500m at this track. Fitter for that run and expected to be in the finish this time.
11	SIEGER WORLD	Returned in good order last start, beaten only half a length when second at Kawasaki over 1500m. Winning chance with that run under the belt.
3	TOSEN ECLAT	Has been thereabouts without winning, last start finishing second over 1500m at Urawa. Rates highly and expected to go well.
2	BOOKER PRIZE	Returned from a spell last start with a solid second, beaten 3 lengths, at this track over 1500m. Fitter and is a leading contender.
9	WIN GOLIATH	Settled back but kept coming to finish fifth over 1500m at Kawasaki last start. Nicely placed and shouldn't be far away.

## R5 - FUNABASHI | 15:45 | JPY ¥3,420,000 | RACE 5

1	MAILE LEI	Pushed forward on debut last start and stuck on strongly to score by 2.5 lengths at this track over 1000m. Winning rider Taito Mori aboard again. Has upside and can make it back-to-back wins.
2	B B ARROSER	Led from the outset when second up at this track over 1200m on January 13. Looks hard to toss again.
7	GURENNO HANA	Returned from a layoff last start and was beaten 2.75 lengths into fourth over 1500m at this track. Fitter for that run and expected to be in the finish this time.
9	EXPLORER	Resumes today. Last appeared at Urawa over 1400m when fourth 12 weeks ago. Open to improvement and expected to feature.
4	MAETEL	Hit the frame in a nice return two back but ran below her best last time, finishing tenth and beaten 6 lengths over 1500m at this track. Better than the last start suggests.

## R6 - FUNABASHI | 16:15 | JPY ¥3,420,000 | RACE 6

4	ODYSSEY	Promising colt who last start finished 7 lengths away in third over 1200m at this track. Likely to feature.
6	VANELLOPE	Followed a solid minor placing at this track on debut with a maiden win last start by 5.5 lengths over 1200m at this track. Can build on that bright start to her career.
7	AMBITIOUS SALUD	Recorded his maiden success last time over 1200m at this track after racing handy. Can go on with it.
2	BELLONA FLAVOR	Filly who likes to try and make all in her races and has finished second in both career starts. Beaten 30 lengths at this track last start as favourite. Worth plenty of thought on current form.
1	NATIONAL MALL	Better run last start when second over 1500m at this track. In the mix again.

## R7 - FUNABASHI | 16:50 | JPY ¥2,280,000 | RACE 7

6	TAISEI FLEET	Settled on the speed at this track last start and wasn't far off the winner in third at the end of 1600m. Capable of fighting out the finish again.
2	AUTOSTRADA	Has just missed the top-three at his last few runs, the latest when fourth, beaten 3.5 lengths, over 1600m at this track. Key runner on his best form and can feature in the finish.
5	HAUTEVILLE	Handy entire who returned to the winners' list last start over 1500m at this track. Going well and is right in this.
1	HAKUSHIN PERSONAL	Beaten 8 lengths into ninth when resuming last start over 1800m at Hanshin Dirt. Rates highly and should do much better.
7	EN FACE ECHAPPER	Is back from a spell after showing plenty of ability in the maiden campaign, registering three wins from 23 starts. At the latest outing she finished second over 1600m at this track on September 27. Has upside and can go on with it.

## R8 - FUNABASHI | 17:25 | JPY ¥4,750,000 | RACE 8

9	BELLES FLIP	Returned from a layoff last start and was beaten 5 lengths into fifth over 1200m at this track. Plenty of improvement to come.
3	KURA SABEL	Followed a fourth at Ohi two runs ago with a win last start over 1200m at this track, finishing 1.5 lengths ahead of his rivals. Sure to get all the favours from barrier three.
5	LOVESICK FLAME	Last appeared five months ago when she finished 14 lengths from the winner in sixth over 1200m at this track. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at this track over 1000m. Looks a key runner while fresh.
2	BEAR KAKIN	Broke back into the top-three last start when second at Kawasaki over 900m, beaten one length. Racing well and is nicely placed.
10	MONGE ARASHI	Followed a win at Kawasaki two starts ago with a fifth last start over 1400m at Kawasaki, beaten 3 lengths. Among the chances and expected to run well.

## R9 - FUNABASHI | 18:00 | JPY ¥2,280,000 | RACE 9

11	DAISY CAPUCINE	Has not raced since finishing 7 lengths away in tenth over 1200m at this track on October 26. Did win first-up last prep at this track over 1200m. Form shown last campaign makes for good reading.
9	KARLSBAD	Promising entire who last start finished 2.5 lengths away in third over 1400m at Kawasaki. Well placed and sure to be in the finish.
4	VISCONTI	Finished fifth two runs ago at Kawasaki but found form last time out when he scored by a neck over 1200m at this track. One of the chief contenders.
2	WIN BESANT	Stepping back in trip after finishing fourth over 1400m at Urawa last time out. Rates highly and is expected to go very well.
1	SANACHAN	Has not raced since finishing 3 lengths away in fourth over 1200m at this track on December 2. Don't underestimate while fresh.

## R10 - FUNABASHI | 18:35 | JPY ¥5,130,000 | RACE 10

6	TOKYO SABAKU	Followed a win at this track two starts ago with a third last start over 1600m at this track, beaten 1.1 lengths. Current form hard to go past.
4	GOOD HEALTH BIO	Battled last start to finish eighth over 2000m at Kawasaki, adding to a sequence of plain results. Well placed in this line-up and can improve.
7	SUZUNO CHELSEA	The first up run was just average, finishing eighth and beaten 6 lengths over 1500m at Kawasaki. Winning claims if anywhere near his best.
2	ADMIRE PRIV	Finished third over 1600m at this track two back then missed the frame last time out over 1600m at this track. Certainly worth another chance.
1	TOMIKEN COMERT	Hasn't won for more than a year but ran a good race 15 days ago when fourth over 1600m at Kawasaki. Has won at this trip before and could easily get the job done again. In the mix.

## R11 - FUNABASHI | 19:10 | JPY ¥9,500,000 | RACE 11

13	RED FREY	Opened this campaign impressively last time out with a win over 1400m at Ohi. In the money when second up in the past and can add to that record today.
6	SAYONO GLORY	Scored over 1500m at Urawa two back then found a couple better last time out over 1400m at Urawa. Tough to beat on best form.
4	RGYAL DAR	Last appeared four-and-a-half months ago when he finished 34 lengths from the winner in 11th over 2000m at Morioka Dirt. Bold performance expected first-up.
2	BRIG O'DOON	Has not been far away in recent runs. Freshened up since finishing second at this track over 1800m five weeks ago. Sure to prove tough to beat.
12	GO MY WAY	Got home by 2.5 lengths at this track two starts ago. Disappointed last time at this track when 6 lengths from the winner in fifth. Worth following up.

## R12 - FUNABASHI | 19:50 | JPY ¥3,420,000 | RACE 12

10	HURLY BURLY	Tends to mix his results a bit although first visit to this track last start yielded a win. Should put in a bold showing on latest run.
2	BELLWOOD ASAHI	Bursting to break through with three placings at last runs, the latest a narrow loss over 1400m at Urawa on January 18. Narrowly beaten latest and expected to go close again.
4	QUICK WORKER	Yet to break through this campaign but hasn't been far away including a last start third over 1500m at this track. Sure to measure up again.
5	DEEP STATE	Changes rider since being well held last time in ninth over 2200m at this track. Better than the last run suggests.
9	IT'S ON	Last appeared four months ago when he finished 4 lengths from the winner in sixth over 1600m at this track. Best form gives him an each-way hope while fresh.