

# TIP SHEET

JAPAN - 22nd March 2022

## R1 - FUNABASHI | 13:40 | JPY ¥3,040,000 | RACE 1

3	HAND DE GOAL	Was well in the market on debut last start and got off the mark by 0.8 lengths over 1200m at this track. Winning rider Jyunichi Jitukawa aboard again. Has upside and can remain unbeaten.
1	ALFINO	Rarely far away at this trip. Four-start maiden who finished third over 1200m at this track last time. Best efforts give her a live chance.
10	LOVE ME YUNA	Resumes today after filling a minor placing two times from four starts in her maiden campaign. At the latest outing she finished tenth over 1200m at this track on September 27. Improver who can go on with it.
7	AKARI RADIAN	Resumed at this track over 1200m last time out and finished sixth, beaten 8 lengths. Plenty of improvement to come.
6	HONEY MEMORY	Beaten 7 lengths into fifth when resuming last start over 1200m at this track. Rates highly and should improve.

## R2 - FUNABASHI | 14:10 | JPY ¥3,420,000 | RACE 2

1	TRES MERVEILLEUX	Went down by just a neck when second at Kawasaki over 1400m last time out. Inside draw will assist. Expected to be very competitive.
6	KASUMINO KOSENTA	Finished second over 1200m at this track at his latest appearance on January 13. Goes well first up. Looks very hard to beat.
5	EMMY'S MITSUO	Back from a spell of six months. Closed last prep with a maiden win by a neck over 1200m at this track. Anticipating a bright start to the campaign.
12	MAETEL	Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fourth over 1200m at this track a month ago, beaten 11 lengths. Best form stacks up nicely so worth another chance.
3	SHIKATEBUKURO	Returned from a spell last start and finished sixth over 1400m at Urawa. Fitter and is a genuine hope.

## R3 - FUNABASHI | 14:40 | JPY ¥1,710,000 | RACE 3

8	KITANO SUSPICION	Resumed from a break with a 6 length win over 1200m at this track last start. Still has scope for improvement and will be tough to beat.
5	DANGER MAN	Drops in trip from the last start when second over 1400m at Kawasaki, finishing 2.5 lengths off the winner. Winning hope.
11	B B FABLE	Genuine entire. Course and distance winner whose latest effort was a fifth over 1400m at Kawasaki. Has the ability and a bold showing is expected.
10	SYLVESTER	Last appeared seven months ago when he finished 17 lengths from the winner in seventh over 2400m at Sapporo Dirt. May well prove too smart for these first-up.
4	TAIKI MEISTER	Resumes from a break of ten weeks. Finished fifth at his most recent appearance over 1200m at this track. Strong top-three prospect.

## R4 - FUNABASHI | 15:15 | JPY ¥3,420,000 | RACE 4

11	GRYPHIA	Returned from a -158 day break with a game second over this course and distance after travelling behind the speed. Will be better for the run and rates to go close again.
6	PRESTO REINE	Well fancied last time when she broke through for a maiden win over 1400m at Kawasaki. Can go on with it.
10	ECLAIR SKY	Had been knocking on the door and a deserved win came last start by one length over 1500m at this track. Can make it two on the trot.
12	ESKEN TO BAGO	Drew out and pushed forward early but weakened out of it late when seventh over 1500m at Kawasaki last time. Expected to be in the finish.
7	TRAMPOLINE	Fair effort last start, beaten 3 lengths into second over 1200m at this track. Likely to measure up.

R5 - FUNABASHI | 15:45 | JPY ¥1,900,000 | RACE 5

8	MONUMENT KING	Shooting for a hat-trick of wins after scoring by 4 lengths over 1500m at this track on February 16. In great form and should be right in the thick of things again.
5	SHADOW MONOLITHE	Freshened up after finishing sixth over 1200m at this track last start. Tsubasa Sasagawa goes on this time. Forgive the last run; worth following up.
3	DAYSTAR	Led from the outset last time out at Urawa over 1500m on February 23. Will be in this for a long way.
9	SEISHO PYRO	Hasn't raced since finishing fourth over 1500m at Kawasaki three-and-a-half months ago. Great chance.
2	SECRETUM	Last appeared 15 months ago when he won over 2200m at this track. In the mix on best form.

R6 - FUNABASHI | 16:15 | JPY ¥1,900,000 | RACE 6

10	SAND JOKER	Resumed in impressive fashion last start, scoring by 1.5 lengths here over 1200m. A repeat performance is on the cards.
11	TSUKIMADE TODOKE	Stepping back in trip after finishing fourth over 1400m at Urawa last time out. Can improve on last start and is well-placed to take this out.
8	SHIGERU BUIN	Stepping out at this circuit for the first time. Last appeared when he finished sixth over 1600m at Kawasaki on February 28. Capable of more – worth another chance.
12	KRIS RETURN	Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when eighth over 1200m at this track five weeks ago, beaten 11 lengths. Strong contender on his best form.
5	EMERALDY	Finished midfield last start at Kawasaki over 900m, 4 lengths from the winner. Steps up in distance today. In the mix on best form.

R7 - FUNABASHI | 16:50 | JPY ¥2,470,000 | RACE 7

1	NEIGE FRAISE	Followed a second at this track two runs ago with a win last start over 1200m at this track, finishing a neck ahead of her rivals. Sure to get all the favours from barrier one.
2	YUINO MUSASHI	Hasn't raced since finishing sixth over 1200m at Niigata Dirt 11 months ago. Very strong performer at this stage of the prep. Looks a key runner.
8	FURMINT	Ran on strongly to grab second last time out over this course and distance. Record at this track is sound. Sure to go well.
10	SEA OF CLOUDS	Has not raced since finishing 12 lengths away in 12th over 1200m at Nakayama Dirt on April 3. Can return in winning form.
9	FAIRY TRAIL	Has looked good in her eight career starts, most recently scoring by a nose over 1400m at Kawasaki. Key chance and expected to run well.

R8 - FUNABASHI | 17:25 | JPY ¥4,560,000 | RACE 8

6	NORTHERN VIGOROUS	Opened this campaign impressively last time out with a win over 1200m at this track. Has won second up in the past and is capable of building on that record.
4	TOKEN RYU	Goes well at this trip with multiple top-three finishes. Failed to threaten last time out when 11th over 1600m at Kawasaki. Capable of taking this out.
7	MY SHIP	Finished midfield last start at Urawa over 800m, 6 lengths from the winner. Stretches out over further today. Expected to do much better.
5	MAD EYE	In the money two starts back at this track but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 1200m at this track last time. Can atone.
9	DAVAY RADUGA	Has been about the mark in small fields of late. Last start finished third at this track over 1600m. Worth plenty of thought.

## R9 - FUNABASHI | 18:00 | JPY ¥5,130,000 | RACE 9

11	HAPPINESS MIND	Resumes today after a successful maiden campaign, winning three times from 17 starts. At the latest outing she finished ninth over 1800m at this track on December 1. Open to improvement and expected to feature.
1	SUCCESSOR	Ran a better race last start to finish third at Urawa over 1400m. Nicely placed and rates highly off that run. Further improvement expected.
7	ISMOIL TESORO	Broke back into the top-three last start when third at this track over 1600m, beaten 3.5 lengths. Nice effort last time. Can go on with the job now.
8	ADMIRE PRIV	Freshened up since finishing 11th 33 day ago over 1600m at this track. Forgive the last run; worth following up.
9	TAKE A TURN	Has been out of the money recently including last start when fourth over 1600m at this track five weeks ago, beaten 4.5 lengths. Expect he will make amends.

## R10 - FUNABASHI | 18:35 | JPY ¥1,710,000 | RACE 10

10	SHIZUYOSHI	Lightly raced four-year-old entire who recorded an impressive win first up last start over 1400m at Kawasaki, scoring with something in reserve. Looks to be in for a big campaign. Must be respected.
5	GLORY X	Scored his maiden success last time out over 1500m at this track. Freshened up since that run. Worth following up.
8	URBAN BLACK	Put the writing on the wall last start when he finished a close second at Urawa over 1500m. The in-form Seiji Yamazaki takes the ride. Expected to feature.
4	SPLIT S	Finished second over 1400m at Urawa two back then missed the frame last time out over 1400m at Urawa. Hard to beat on his best form.
9	PEACH KING	Finished third over 1600m at Ohi at his latest run on December 30. Good fresh performer. Can return with a bold run.

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

5	GRAND COZY	Consistent five-year-old entire who added to his impressive record last start when successful over 1500m at Kawasaki. Nicely placed and is sure to measure up.
8	BRAVOURE	Missed the frame two back when sixth at Kawasaki but turned in a better effort last time to finish in the money over 1800m at this track. Sure to go very well.
10	GO MY WAY	Consistent entire who is generally about the money. Good effort when third last start at Kawasaki over 1500m. Sure to run his usual honest race.
6	AGITO	A long time between drinks. Last start finished 3 lengths back in second over 1500m at Urawa. Gets his chance.
7	RGYAL DAR	Was safely held when resuming over 1800m at this track, finishing 11th and beaten 12 lengths. Has won second up before and should improve with the run under his belt.

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

5	REFLET CHANCE	Scored over 1800m at this track two back then found one better last time out over 2200m at this track. Best form stacks up nicely. Big chance.
10	BELLWOOD ASAHI	Finished second at Urawa two back before missing out at this track last time out over 2200m. Can bounce back.
7	VILLANCICO	Not a prolific winner with just three victories from 45 starts. Last start scored a rare win over 1800m at this track. Capable enough on his day and is a key runner.
8	LAMBDA	Went close last time when second over 2000m at Kawasaki. Right in the mix again.
6	IT'S ON	Has been thereabouts without winning, the latest effort a 7 length sixth at this track after being prominent on straightening. Can measure up.