

RACE 1 10:13 AM | \$85,000 | EAGLE FARM | 1400m

9	READY FOR AIMEE	Sent forward, outgunned late but kept on for second Hcp (C1) at Doomben second-up. Rough place prospect.
8	BOOMSHANKA	Well back and never a factor at Sunshine Coast. First try at 1400m. Has a light weight. Drawn well.
3	HA'PENNY HATCH	Ridden in back half, strong late to fill the minors 3yo Qlty at Sunshine Coast. Form sound at this course and journey. Likes some juice in the track. Highly rated in this line-up.
1	MIDNIGHT SPIRIT	On a quick back-up. Kept finding the line without threatening at Doomben. Looking for this trip now. Makes strong appeal.
6	FIRE BOMBER	Battled home at Doomben in only his second race appearance. Can run a drum.

RACE 2 10:48 AM | \$75,000 | EAGLE FARM | 2200m

10	TOMMY THUG	Strong Benchmark 65 2030 win from midfield at Doomben. Nicely weighted. Can add to tally.
9	SAVANNAH GANGSTER	Dominated the race at Sunshine Coast. Among the dangers.
7	COUNTER	Just wacked away without threatening over 2200m (Bm80) at Sunshine Coast at last start this journey. Has claims.
5	CONNECTICUT	Fresh. Got back in the small field when 2.5 lengths 5th at Doomben. Can be thereabouts.
3	KALUAKOI	Sent forward from the wide gate and slipped clear to a decisive victory at Sunshine Coast. Has early speed. Well placed for a repeat.

RACE 3 11:23 AM | \$85,000 | EAGLE FARM | 1000m

4	STAR OF JAMAICA	Trials (1:1-0-0). Profiteer colt who indicated ability winning a Gold Coast barrier trial 2 Dec. Justin Huxtable sticks for debut. Benefit of decent alley.
7	ONE DAY AT A TIME	Let-up (70-days). Highly encouraging debut performance at Flemington 4 Oct when in the market. Wiser for the experience. Since trialed at Gold Coast 2 Dec. Makes a strong case fresh in this company in this company.
6	DREAM ROCA	Let-up (63-days). Promising debut 0.9 lengths second here 11 Oct when in the market. Subject to improvement. Good draw. Rates highly fresh in this affair.
1	RAROTONGA	Let-up (42-days). Determined winner this venue at his second race start when in the market. Worth a look.
5	TOSEN SABI	On a quick back-up. Left a good impression with narrow debut win at Toowoomba 6 Dec. Can run a drum.

RACE 4 11:54 AM | \$80,000 | ASCOT | 1800m

7	MISSISSIPPI DAWN	Making great progress. Closed strongly from inside midfield to prevail in final bounds this venue. Stays under strong notice for this.
1	HOBBA WEST	Sent forward and stuck to the task bravely in the 3yo+ (Bm72+) this venue at last start this journey. Draws to do no work. This looks very winnable.
4	STARWALKER	Gave good account when 1.2 lengths 4th this track at last start this journey. Looks well placed in this line-up.
3	LONG GENES	Let-up (42-days). Finished too well winning 3yo+ (Rs1mw) here over a longer assignment. Since trialed at Lark Hill 1 Dec. Key player.
2	WHAT A PRINCE	Long time since last saluted. Started \$4.20 when safely held in BenchMark 70+ company at Albany second-up. Can run a drum.

RACE 5 12:31 PM | \$80,000 | **ASCOT** | 1400m

8	NINETYMILESTRAIGHT	Just has to run up to her placing in the Lee-Steere to go very close here. Perfect gate.
7	HARD SOLO	On a quick back-up. 3yo filly has had plenty of racing. Solid last week and this looks easier vs own age.
2	LANFRANCO	Won Hcp (C1) Class 1 Belmont on 12 Nov. Not disgraced this venue in LR class. Breaks from a low barrier. Makes strong appeal.
1	ARTISTRY IN MOTION	Has struck a purple patch of form. Led, responded strongly to score in small field at Bunbury at a cramped quote. Harder here.
3	REFEMME NO ANGEL	Determined effort to secure victory at Belmont Park at this distance. Can fill the minors here in a stronger race.

RACE 6 1:11 PM | \$80,000 | **ASCOT** | 1000m

8	HAIDA GWAIL	First-up (25-weeks). Smart sprinter with a high cruising speed. Two good trial wins. C Parnham sticks. Top pick.
2	WANT A WINNER	Resuming (16-weeks). Promising sprinter, and trialled well. Interestingly C Parnham seems to have picked #8. Include.
1	PIN DEEP	Ex A G Durrant. Genuine short-course sprinter. Last assignment this trip ok, and draws better here. Can improve.
9	VALSASSINA	On a quick back-up. Made good ground in a stronger race last week. Racing pattern makes it hard however. Place.
3	CASH AWAY	Resuming (73-weeks). Ex Misty Bazeley. Brought on with 3 trials but expect will only improve on whatever he does here.

RACE 7 1:32 PM | \$18,500 | **ESPERANCE** | 1600m

5	IFF YOU'RE READY	Midfield, unable to muster a threatening rally when 4 lengths 8th this venue. Strips fitter second run back. Has claims.
2	REIGN IN THE CASH	Wins are proving elusive but does look well placed. Came home hot on their heels to grab third 3yo+ Mdn this track. First go 1600m. Decent alley.
1	PERFECT RULER	On pace but failed to run a drum this track second-up when in the market. Ready to peak third-up. On pacer. Rates highly in this affair.
6	SHE'SATROOPER	Not disgraced here at first run for new trainer. Looking for a mile now. Good draw. Has a few runs under her belt this campaign and right in the mix.
7	WRITTEN SIN	Ex D & B Pearce. Trained here now. Still a maiden but surely close to putting that right. Sent out \$9.50 when laboured to finish 5th at Geraldton. Looking for this trip now.

RACE 8 1:51 PM | \$60,000 | **ASCOT** | 1600m

3	ASTRO WORLD	Just missed at Ascot 15 Nov, then ran home well at Pinjarra. Makes a strong case in this easier company.
2	KELORA	Fair performance at Pinjarra at \$4. Drawn to receive every chance. Makes strong appeal on an each-way basis.
6	EXTREME LOVE	Freshened. Narrow miss in the (Rest 1 Metro Win) here 15 Nov. Back 200m, but can compete again.
7	GLANCED	Just got the nod in at Belmont Park at first run for new trainer. Harder race, but has some upside.
5	LA EXCELLENCE	Game win from just off the pace at Pinjarra to break his duck. Tough gate here and much harder race.

RACE 9 2:12 PM | \$18,500 | ESPERANCE | 1100m

11	GOLDEN OPERA	Wins are proving elusive but does look well placed. Picked up strongly from back half to fill the minors this track when in the market. This looks within her reach.
7	ARCTIC FOX	Gave good account when 1.5 lengths 4th this venue when off an extended spell. Will be fitter second-up. Right in the mix.
3	OUR DESPERADO	Led, compounded 13.2 lengths last here at \$12. Will be fitter second-up and takes a 3kg claim. Good gate speed, soft draw. Worth a look.
5	HARLEQUIN PRANCER	First-up (32-weeks). Ex Ms R Lockwood in WA. Recent trial winner. Expecting a prominent showing fresh in this line-up.
1	I HAD A DREAM	First run under new trainer handily placed but lacked the necessary pick-up and battled to line here. Will be fitter second-up. Rough place prospect.

RACE 10 2:28 PM | \$125,000 | ASCOT | 1200m

2	SMOOTH CHINO	Looks like a potential star. Not well weighted at this stage, but it may not matter. Go with him.
7	CESSATION	Mare in career best form. Toughest test to date, but with 53kgs, and a perfect draw, looks very dangerous.
6	ICE PICK NICK	First-up (28-weeks). Impressive fresh record, and C Parnham a good sign. Healthy respect for the market on this one.
1	REPOSSESSION	Well-placed here under the SWP conditions. Would still prefer to see him at a shorter trip. Each-way.
3	TIN CHOOKS	Resuming (85-weeks). Lightly-raced gelding will find these a bit sharp.

RACE 11 2:47 PM | \$22,000 | ESPERANCE | 1100m

2	HILTON	Resuming (38-weeks). Has a picket fence form line. Saluted this track first-up last time in. At optimum distance.
5	EEVALINA	Ex P J Fernie. Trained here now. Issued decent challenge to claim second in the 3yo+ Open Hcp at Ascot. This looks very winnable.
1	WILD IMAGINATION	Grand campaigner. Prominent and went down fighting in the BenchMark 70+ company here. Experienced rider replaces apprentice. Leads, handy.
3	PADDY'S FLYIN'	Mid-division, well held by winner but ran on for third here at \$4.60 at this trip. Can make the podium.
7	MAGIC WILL REIGN	Resuming (28-weeks). Seasoned performer. Could give some cheek at odds fresh in this line-up.

RACE 12 3:05 PM | \$80,000 | ASCOT | 1500m

3	EARTHSTORM	Last two have been solid in stronger races, and no surprise to see her in the finish here.
11	MAGNA'S CHOICE	Brave in defeat 1.1 lengths third (Rs1mw) this track over a longer test. Gets the blinkers on and W Pike. Hard to beat.
5	DUG ANOTHER HOLE	Trailed pace and kicked strongly to just miss here. Races well 2nd up, and is favourably drawn. Solid hope.
9	REGAL STATUE	Both runs have been respectable, and this mare can peak 3rd up over the longer journey. Include.
2	DEAMBER	Surprised the market at Pinjarra. A repeat puts her around the mark again, but she can mix her form.

RACE 13 3:22 PM | \$22,000 | ESPERANCE | 1100m

2	ROYAL ACCOLADE	Rounded them up easily here when \$4.60 at second run back. Claiming apprentice engaged again. This looks very winnable.
11	BUSTER'S GIRL	Alertly away to lead, stuck on for the minors 3yo+ Hcp (C2) this track in second run from spell. Nice gate and under less weight. Can challenge.
7	THE LIONS' GATE	Went close at Northam two back. Raced in back half and was never in a position to mount a serious challenge at Ascot. Very fit and could give some cheek at odds.
9	PENNED	Forwardly placed, continued to stick on for second 3yo+ Hcp (C5) here. Claiming apprentice engaged again. Can lead or take a sit. Among the dangers.
6	TROPICAL SUN	On a quick back-up. Ridden in back half, strong late to fill the minors 3yo+ Hcp (C3) at Bunbury. Not as well drawn this time. Hard fit and one for exotics.

RACE 14 3:37 PM | \$80,000 | ASCOT | 1200m

8	TIMELESS GEM	On a quick back-up. Ran well in a similar race 1st-up. Good 2nd-up record and well drawn. Must include.
6	SIX SHOOTER	Solid run resuming when sat wide. Unbeaten 2nd-up. Gets C Parnham. Should be a big improver.
12	THE CALABRESE	Gelding has yet to put in a bad one this campaign. Racing pattern however makes it tough. Each-way claims.
1	WUBIN GOLD	2nd-up specialist should improve a lot here as usual, but does have a plenty of weight.
7	THERMOSPHERE LAD	Overcame the wide draw this track for a handy win. Drawn more favourably but also a much harder race.

RACE 15 4:17 PM | \$125,000 | ASCOT | 1600m

2	MACHINE GUN GRACIE	Took all before her as a filly in the Autumn. Hard to line-up vs the older mares, but bolted in a recent trial. Respect.
4	LUVNWAR	The best weighted mare in the race. Will need luck from the gate, but just needs to hold recent form.
3	BONJOY	Think the mile should suit now. Sticky gate probably sends her back, but should be motoring late.
9	CHOLLIMA	Not sure why she went so far back last start. Still ran ok. Can surprise if she gets luck in running.
1	STORYVILLE	Has the big weight, but has earned it. Find this a lot easier than the Railway. Likely to bounce back.

RACE 16 4:40 PM | \$22,000 | ESPERANCE | 1400m

7	PRIZED JEWEL	No match but kept on for a distant second in the 3yo+ Hcp (C5) this track in second run from spell. Should find this a bit easier. Makes strong appeal.
9	DADIRRA	Led and cruised to an effortless victory this venue. Claiming apprentice engaged again. Good draw. Meeting easier opposition here.
4	KALLAROO	Got the wobbles late after leading this track when off an extended spell. Fitter second-up. Awkwardly drawn this time. Can play a role.
3	DOTHRAKI	Experienced campaigner. Reserved midfield and picked up intently for a 1.5 lengths second this track. Drawn to effect. Very fit and can run a drum.
1	TRUE CHANCE	First-up (40-weeks). Trained on track but awkwardly drawn and a hefty impost. Only for wider exotics fresh in this company.

RACE 17 4:58 PM | \$1,500,000 | ASCOT | 1400m

10	COSMIC CRUSADER	On a quick back-up. Shooting for hat-trick this venue. Closed strongly from inside midfield to prevail in final bounds this track. A distance specialist.
2	WESTERN EMPIRE	On a quick back-up. Winner too strong but ran on for the minors here over a longer assignment. Coming back in distance. Needs the breaks this time.
11	ROPE THEM IN	Not disgraced here. Can run a drum.
9	REY MAGNERIO	Out the back, closed with raking strides for third Winterbottom Stakes here. Has his first look at 1400m here. Can challenge.
3	JOKERS GRIN	Won a 1100m Open at Ascot two back. Ran on fairly from back half this track when in the market. Should relish the rise in distance. Worth a look.

RACE 18 5:17 PM | \$22,000 | ESPERANCE | 1600m

2	RAZMAS	Scrubbed up from the wide gate and boxed on bravely for a 0.1 lengths win this venue. Winner at only other start at Esperance. Speedy. Highly rated in this line-up.
9	WIFE SAYS YES	Got back, ran on late with purpose to claim third this venue at second run back. Should appreciate stepping up in distance. Key player.
1	HOBELAR	Went home tamely this track at \$21. Looking for a mile now and takes a large claim. Easier here. Can challenge.
7	HEAVENBENT	Settled back and passed a few late in the 3yo+ Hcp (C2) here in second run from spell. Can make her presence felt.
3	ALOTTA FIGHTING	Reined back to last from the wide gate, wound up late to place this venue second-up. Breaks from a low barrier. Has claims.

RACE 19 5:40 PM | \$60,000 | ASCOT | 1200m

10	RETURN OF THE MACH	Amazing win when resuming when came from well back. Big step up in grade here, but she has good ability.
3	MAGNIQUE	Got too far back last start. If she can sit on pace like previous runs, and run it right out, should go close.
1	JUST SAINT JAMES	Racing well with runs spaced. Should go close as long as he doesn't get cluttered up on the fence.
12	SALTY MISS	Mare is racing really well, but getting too far back. If she can sit closer, then might surprise at a price.
4	HEY PINO	Stepping up from midweek class, but this patiently-handled 5yo keeps improving. Pike goes on. respect.