RACE BY RACE PREVIEWS: KENILWORTH@2022.08.02

Kenilworth, 02.08.2022, Race 1, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R70.000, 13:00GMT+2

Race Summary: FUTURE SWING was dropped out from the widest draw on debut before producing an eye-catching finish over a similar trip at Durbanville and would've come on appreciably for that outing, so it could pay to follow his progress. BARDOLINO has improved with each start and ought to pose a threat with further progress likely. TUSCAN GOLD, who will be wiser to the task after a decent debut, and CASTLE TIME could make their presence felt too. Watch the betting on newcomer RELEASE ME and respect any market support.

Selections:

#5 Future Swing, #4 Bardolino, #8 Tuscan Gold, #7 Release Me

Kenilworth, 02.08.2022, Race 2, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R70.000, 13:35GMT+2

Race Summary: GIMME'S LASSIE was fancied on debut when a fast-finishing 2nd after a slow start and should confirm that promise by going one better with natural improvement expected. WHAT NOW MY GAL improved on her debut effort when maintaining good pace to finish 3rd over track and trip last time, so will keep the selection honest. Dynasty debutantes ALLENDE and MARY LAMB are bred to be useful and if not too green, could pose a threat to those rivals - watch the betting. TOUCH OF GRACE, JEWLRAY, FUR BABY and SILVER GARBO could improve to play a minor role.

Selections:

#5 Gimme's Lassie, #10 What Now My Gal, #4 Allende, #6 Mary Lamb

Kenilworth, 02.08.2022, Race 3, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R70.000, 14:10GMT+2

Race Summary: A few with winning credentials. TEATRO had to be used early to overcome a wide draw last time when only outrun late into 2nd. He should find the lead more easily from a better draw and could prove too hard to peg back with improvement also expected over the extra 200m. Improving QUATERMAIN has a bit to find on that form but is also likely to improve going this distance and should pose a threat as a result. DONDER STORM and RUN RUDOLPH RUN ought to make their presence felt on current form. Well-bred HAWK CIRCLE would've come on from his debut and could improve to stake a claim, so is respected.

Selections:

#5 Teatro, #6 Quatermain, #8 Hawk Circle, #1 Donder Storm

Kenilworth, 02.08.2022, Race 4, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R70.000, 14:45GMT+2

Race Summary: METAR was unlucky not to have opened her account when stepped up to this trip last time, having to switch before running on late for a fast-finishing 2nd - could make amends over course and distance. LOVE RULES was prominent in the betting on debut and ran accordingly, beaten just under 3 lengths behind a more-experienced 2yo rival with solid form (conceding 2kg). She would've come on since so should make her presence felt. SENHORA VICTORIA and PRINCESS LOUISA, who has cracked a better draw, have both the form and experience to have a say too. Look for improvement from ENTITLED.

Selections:

#1 Metar, #8 Love Rules, #2 Senhora Victoria, #3 Princess Louisa

Kenilworth, 02.08.2022, Race 5, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R120.000, 15:20GMT+2

Race Summary: Good race. Frontrunners ROCKIN' RINGO, AZORES and hat-trick-seeking AENEAS under bottom-weight are likely to vie for the lead. They'll do themselves no favours cutting throats up front but should ensure an honest tempo. Stable companions SOMERSET MAUGHAM and SPEED MACHINE will enjoy a true-run race and could dominate the finish as a result. The latter quickened impressively to run out a facile winner in first-timer blinkers over 1400m last time and will be hard to beat if in similar mood.

Selections:

#1 Speed Machine, #5 Somerset Maugham, #4 Azores, #7 Aeneas

Kenilworth, 02.08.2022, Race 6, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R60.000, 15:55GMT+2

Race Summary: LOVE IS A ROSE beat older rivals as a 2yo when opening her account over track and trip, with the runner-up boosting that form by winning next time out. She is on the up so may well prove better than rated and as such, it could pay to follow her progress on handicap/3yo debut. Lightly raced 6yo mare ACADEMIC GOLD was an impressive winner of a similar contest over course and distance just 2 weeks ago and should go well again despite a 6-point penalty but concedes 6kg to the selection. ZIPPY OVER, REWRITE THE STARS, PANZANELLA and ENCHANTED CREEK are closely matched and capable of having a say.

Selections:

#5 Love Is A Rose, #1 Academic Gold, #6 Panzanella, #2 Zippy Over

Kenilworth, 02.08.2022, Race 7, Gallops, 1100m, Turf, R120.000, 16:35GMT+2

Race Summary: Tricky. On his best form, CAPTAIN TATTERS is more than capable of winning a race of this nature, especially with the blinkers refitted, but his lack of fitness/race readiness after a 16-week break is a concern and will need to be taken on trust. IRISH MORNING and ALL ABOUT AL are both useful, lightly raced sprinters who could be ahead of the handicapper. They arrive in good form and ought to acquit themselves competitively - leading contenders. BARNEY MCGREW is consistent and another honest can be expected. T'CHALLA beat the selection before losing his form but could bounce back after a break.

Selections:

#5 All About Al, #2 Irish Morning, #6 Barney Mcgrew, #4 T'Challa