RACE BY RACE PREVIEWS: GREYVILLE POLYTRACK@2022.12.05

HOLLYWOODBETS GREYVILLE POLYTRACK, 05.12.2022, Race 1, Gallops, 1400m, Poly, R80,000, 12:45GMT+2

Race Summary: Summary: FIRE TONIC (3) made smart improvement second time out after making a promising debut and should make a strong bid in a small field. ACTION TIME (8) made big improvement at his second start in soft ground. The switch to the poly should suit and he looks a big threat to the selection. SIR THEODORE (4) found his last run too far. He is lightly raced and back over a more suitable trip he could be the surprise package. RAPTOR ISLAND (2) failed to fire with first time blinkers and they come off as he goes the extra furlong.

Selections:

#3 FIRE TONIC, #8 ACTION TIME, #4 SIR THEODORE, #2 RAPTOR ISLAND

HOLLYWOODBETS GREYVILLE POLYTRACK, 05.12.2022, Race 2, Gallops, 1600m, Poly, R78,000, 13:20GMT+2

Race Summary: Summary: Small field and BARBATTI (3) will never get a better chance to shed his maiden. He comes from a very much in-form yard and should be hard to beat. L'ULTIMO (6) is lightly raced and not far back in five outings. He should have a strong money chance. IZUIZORIZUAINT (7) was much improved when dropped in trip last Wednesday and did find some traffic in running. He must have a place chance on that effort. EBONY BAY (2) has been showing signs of coming to hand and could surprise.

Selections:

#3 BARBATTI, #6 L'ULTIMO, #7 IZUIZORIZUAINT, #2 EBONY BAY

HOLLYWOODBETS GREYVILLE POLYTRACK, 05.12.2022, Race 3, Gallops, 1600m, Poly, R80,000, 13:55GMT+2

Race Summary: Summary: CAESURA (4) has been on good form on the poly of late and with his 1.5kg allowance he could prove difficult to beat. He ran last Wednesday and was unlucky not to finish a touch closer after finding traffic and can do much better here if he backs up. BRANDENBURG (3) goes well over course and distance and has a strong money chance. ACTION STATIONS (8) was much improved last run and has a handy galloping weight. He still has scope. RODRIGUEZ (9) is better than his last effort on the turf and is back on his preferred surface. Has a strong apprentice aboard.

Selections:

#4 CAESURA, #3 BRANDENBURG, #8 ACTION STATIONS, #9 RODRIGUEZ

HOLLYWOODBETS GREYVILLE POLYTRACK, 05.12.2022, Race 4, Gallops, 1900m, Poly, R80,000, 14:30GMT+2

Race Summary: Summary: JUST VIRGINIA (1) is something of a poly specialist and is at home over this trip. She has a light weight and is relatively lightly raced. CHELSEA FLOWER (2) has taken a drop in the handicap and with a 2.5kg claimer up, should go well. YOU DESERVE IT (8) has been improving slowly with her new stable. She was running on nicely over shorter on the turf last run but has done well on the poly and the trip will suit. RISE (7) has been knocking at the door and has a money chance.

Selections:

#1 JUST VIRGINIA, #2 CHELSEA FLOWER, #8 YOU DESERVE IT, #7 RISE

HOLLYWOODBETS GREYVILLE POLYTRACK, 05.12.2022, Race 5, Gallops, 1200m, Poly, R78,000, 15:05GMT+2

Race Summary: Summary: WARSHIP (1) makes the trip from Gauteng to race on the poly, scene of her last win. Her Gauteng form has been solid but the synthetic surface could bring out the best. WINTER'S DESTINY (3) has won her last two and has obviously come well. However, she took an eight-point hit in the handicap for her last effort which is concerning. TOTO (5) was game in defeat last run behind the speedy Aisling. She met Winter's Destiny on level terms when last they met and is now 4kg better off. AREA FIFTY ONE (7) has not been far back recently and has a money chance.

Selections:

#1 WARSHIP, #5 TOTO, #3 WINTER'S DESTINY, #7 AREA FIFTY ONE

HOLLYWOODBETS GREYVILLE POLYTRACK, 05.12.2022, Race 6, Gallops, 1000m, Poly, R80,000, 15:45GMT+2

Race Summary: Summary: ONE TOO MANY (4) is at home over course and distance and looks well weighted to score his fourth win. He has finished behind VALIENTE (2) at his last two attempts but with a 2.5kg claimer aboard over his best trip the tables can be turned. VALIENTE (2) has come good of late for his apprentice rider and will put in another bold bid. RENAISSANCE MAN (3) returns from a lengthy break and is lightly raced. He has shown ability and if anywhere ready should make a race of it. HOOVES OF TROY (5) is never far off them. He looks held but has a money chance.

Selections:

#4 ONE TOO MANY, #2 VALIENTE, #3 RENAISSANCE MAN, #5 HOOVES OF TROY

HOLLYWOODBETS GREYVILLE POLYTRACK, 05.12.2022, Race 7, Gallops, 1400m, Poly, R78,000, 16:20GMT+2

Race Summary: Summary: PATRONAGE (7) has hardly been out of the money at recent starts. She goes well over course and distance and has had a one-point relief in the handicap With Venniker up, he may be the one to beat. AL'S MY DADDY (4) does his best on the poly and is way better than his last effort. Will go close. PRINCE VIHAAN (2) has had two outings since being returned from PE and was an easy winner last start. He can follow up with a useful 2.5kg claimer aboard. JOSHUA HOTSNAKE (1) steps up in trip but has come good of late for a much in form stable. IMMEASURABLE (3) is way better than his last effort. This trip may be a touch short but he had smart form over shorter before.

Selections:

#7 PATRONAGE, #4 AL'S MY DADDY, #2 PRINCE VIHAAN, #1 JOSHUA HOTSNAKE