RACE BY RACE PREVIEWS: KENILWORTH@2021.06.09

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 1, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R52.000, 12:30GMT+2

Race Summary: DRAGONFLY built on a promising debut to finish a close second over track and trip last time and should make another bold bid with further progress likely. MR FROSTIE has finished on the podium in his last four starts and will give another good sight against less-experienced rivals. BUFFALO THORN and TRAVEL MASTER could get a look in on best form but will need to reaffirm after disappointing recent efforts. Newcomer ALLAROUNDTHEWORLD appeals on paper. DOUBLE SUPERLATIVE and LOCK DOWN are others to take note of. Watch the betting.

Selections:

#9 Dragonfly, #4 Allaroundtheworld, #8 Double Superlative, #2 Mr Frostie

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 2, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R52.000, 13:05GMT+2

Race Summary: TAMIL TIGER and AMANZIMTOTI produced pleasing efforts on debut and are likely to improve with the benefit of that experience. The well-bred latter's introduction was particularly encouraging and could prove hard to beat. Newcomer SILVER DARLING is bred to be useful herself and could pose a threat. Check whether the market speaks in her favour. QUEEN MERCURY could also make her presence felt reverting to the course and distance of her debut third. Speedy SEEKING PEACE is likely to be prominent for much of the way and could take home a cheque.

Selections:

#8 Amanzimtoti, #7 Tamil Tiger, #11 Silver Darling, #6 Queen Mercury

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 3, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R52.000, 13:40GMT+2

Race Summary: Tricky. CAPTAIN DIZZY has done little wrong and boasts solid form at this level over 1000m, so should feature prominently if as effective over 1200m. IZAPHA is a course-and-distance winner who bounced back to winning ways last time and is likely to have more to offer. MOON ROCK has less scope than those rivals but arrives in good form and should be competitive on these terms. FORT RED and BENJAMIN will appreciate a return to this distance. FATEFUL and TICKET TO RIDE are capable sprinters too and not without a chance.

Selections:

#2 Izapha, #1 Captain Dizzy, #7 Moon Rock, #4 Benjamin

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 4, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R52.000, 14:20GMT+2

Race Summary: Wide open. KATIE TO bolted up after a break and will strip fitter. She has scope for further improvement so should be competitive on handicap debut. GRANNY'S MOON and CELTIC NIGHT have room for improvement too and could give a better showing stepping up to 1600m for the first time. GOLDEN DAH caught the eye from the widest draw last time and could have more to offer from a favourable gate. CAPE TO RIO, HAMMIE'S FAN and QUEEN'S CLUB will enjoy a return to this trip. KATHLEEN and TALLAHASSEE also have earning potential.

Selections:

#7 Golden Dah, #9 Hammie's Fan, #3 Katie To, #6 Queen's Club

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 5, Gallops, 1600m, Turf, R57.000, 14:55GMT+2

Race Summary: Another competitive handicap as a case can be made for most. SECRET DEPTHS is as honest as the day is long and remains consistent at this level. Both RILLE and GIMME GIMME GIMME have returned from a break in good order and are likely to acquit themselves well in their peak outings. Last-start winners STARBOARD and PRETTY BETTY have more to do in this company but are

progressive and capable of playing leading roles. LILAC SENSATION has returned this year a more mature filly. She ran well over this trip last time (wide draw) and is likely to build on that.

Selections:

#8 Lilac Sensation, #2 Secret Depths, #6 Starboard, #7 Pretty Betty

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 6, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R85.000, 15:30GMT+2

Race Summary: Small but competitive lineup, dominated by the Snaith yard. WINTER MOSAIC made a winning debut and finished runner-up in her next two starts behind highly regarded stable companions. She has been rested since but talk from the camp is that she will be competitive. KWINTA'S LIGHT was narrowly beaten by that rival on debut. She made an impressive winning comeback over track and trip recently, so may have the edge. Well-related KISSING POINT, SANTA MARIA and MERCURY RISING have all shown enough ability to pose a threat with improvement likely.

Selections:

#3 Kwinta's Light, #6 Winter Mosaic, #1 Kissing Point, #2 Santa Maria

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 7, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R85.000, 16:05GMT+2

Race Summary: Good race. AFRICAN RAIN and RAVENSTHORPE are clearly above average and both were impressive when winning over track and trip last time out. The former won for the second time so carries a penalty but has the form and experience to defy top weight. Both TRIP OF FORTUNE and NEVER ENDING RAIN should improve on last-start wins so could pose a threat, though preference is for the former who beat older rivals when opening his account last time. BARZALONA and DANILO DANILOVITCH could play a role too. Maiden INFINITE PEACE is likely to improve.

Selections:

#1 African Rain, #6 Ravensthorpe, #7 Trip Of Fortune, #2 Barzalona

Kenilworth, 09.06.2021, Race 8, Gallops, 1400m, Turf, R52.000, 16:40GMT+2

Race Summary: Tricky. GIACOMO PUCCINI and ALL LIT UP boast solid form at this level and have been threatening to win again. Both are likely to be competitive, but have not drawn well. The latter could go forward (as he did last start) from his starting berth but will face competition for the lead from JEAN'S MAN, who's drawn on his outside. DOUBLE CHARGE has the benefit of pole position and could enjoy the run. WHAT A MAN and PATH OF CHOICE are likely to challenge on these terms and should keep those rivals honest. DOLLAR BRAND and ELUSIVE TANGO will need luck.

Selections:

#7 Double Charge, #2 All Lit Up, #1 Giacomo Puccini, #8 What A Man

Best Win: #3 KWINTA'S LIGHT Best Value Bet: Best Longshot: #7 GOLDEN DAH