

RACE BY RACE PREVIEWS: GREYVILLE@2021.10.17

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 1, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R80.000, 12:35GMT+2

Race Summary: Competitive start to the meeting and a bunch of well-bred first-timers thrown into the mix - follow the betting moves closely. PASHTUNWALI is going about it the right way and he finished ahead of COIN SPINNER at this venue. However, the latter had to overcome a wide draw and didn't get the best of passages. He could turn it around. BLACKWHITEDYNAMITE showed promise on debut. He had things go wrong and now gelded could be a different prospect. THE BRIEF, PURPLE OPERATOR and BARRINGTON have shown enough to be considered for Trifectas and Quartets.

Selections:

#5 Coin Spinner, #8 Pashtunwali, #7 Blackwhitedynamite, #6 Purple Operator

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 2, Gallops, 1000m, Turf, R80.000, 13:10GMT+2

Race Summary: Horses in good form have drawn well but none has won at Greyville so this makes it complicated. In saying that, BINGIN BEACH is a youngster with more to come. She needed her last start (which was a decent effort) after a rest and has much in her favour so can score. DUNYAA is knocking hard at the door and if not minding the drop in trip she could prove a hard nut to crack. It could get close between VARVACIOUS and SWEET SYMPHONY again. The latter got going late in that but won her maiden at this track so should improve. IRISH BELLE and CAPTAIN ARIANO are not without claims.

Selections:

#2 Bingin Beach, #5 Sweet Symphony, #1 Dunyaa, #3 Varvacious

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 3, Gallops, 1900m, Turf, R80.000, 13:45GMT+2

Race Summary: BAY BREEZE is going a whole lot further but she seems a sensible filly and more importantly, is meeting the right kind of field. ROY'S ROCKER also runs as if she will cope with the distance and is holding form well. Could get close. MISS JACQUELINE wasn't far off ROY'S ROCKER and overall hasn't done badly over shorter. Could enjoy it. AMBLE INN has run two good races in a row and wasn't stopping at the end of those so should pose a real threat again. More with earning potential.

Selections:

#5 Bay Breeze, #4 Roy's Rocker, #3 Miss Jacqueline, #7 Amble Inn

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 4, Gallops, 2200m, Turf, R80.000, 14:20GMT+2

Race Summary: YOUNG NELSON was a bit disappointing last time. But he ran two good races in a row prior and perhaps the return to turf will see him at his best. He deserves another chance. GREY LINNGARI did finish ahead of him and also had EXTRACT beaten a couple of times so may just finally land his maiden win. Stablemate FANTASTIC IMPACT has shown enough to rate with a big chance in this line up. Blinkers have done the trick with him and could now be ready for the turf track. ALLSAIDANDDONE was another big improver recently. He could keep improving for a stable that's hit form.

Selections:

#2 Fantastic Impact, #6 Young Nelson, #9 Grey Linngari, #1 Extract

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 5, Gallops, 2200m, Turf, R80.000, 14:55GMT+2

Race Summary: BLUE PLANET is back on the turf and a much better effort can be expected. His second career win is overdue now and he looks well placed. QUERARI'S COWBOY wasn't disgraced on the turf at Scottsville and can build on that in a lesser division. ARROW'S MARK has been proving versatile and had BLUE PLANET well behind him last time but needs to confirm on the turf. DECORATED

also impressed on the poly but is better than recent turf runs which may have been over the wrong trip. CHEWBACA is back at his best track and is capable of winning. His stable is in good form.

Selections:

#8 Blue Planet, #3 Decorated, #9 Querari's Cowboy, #10 Chewbaca

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 6, Gallops, 1900m, Turf, R78.000, 15:30GMT+2

Race Summary: INTEGRITY didn't mind the switch from poly to turf, winning a gutsy contest, and is set to complete a hat-trick of wins. It was her first win in a higher class but this is stronger and she will have her work cut out. TWICETHEQUALITY was unlucky not to win her last race and on a line through SILVER MARIA should have just as much chance of winning this. SILVER MARIA has been costly to follow but may just be in need of a good pace. She may just that this time with AQUAE SULIS and ELUSIVE CURRENT capable of making it hot. JACK'S BIRD is useful on her day and could pop up.

Selections:

#5 Integrity, #2 Twicethequality, #3 Jack's Bird, #6 Silver Maria

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 7, Gallops, 1900m, Turf, R100.000, 16:05GMT+2

Race Summary: Good renewal of the Michaelmas. DONALD MCDONALD has been ultra-consistent and has been carrying big weights. He wasn't disgraced on the poly last time and can go one better. GENTLEMAN'S WAGER has been in incredible form on the turf and the frontrunner may just hold off NATIVE TONGUE again. The latter, another decent individual, may just prefer this longer trip. He needs to be taken seriously. Overdue SIR MICHAEL has some great runs in the bank and perhaps will enjoy the extra distance. WEALTHY and LYRICAL DANCE may need it after the break but need to be watched.

Selections:

#5 Donald Mcdonald, #3 Gentleman's Wager, #2 Native Tongue, #6 Sir Michael

Greyville, 17.10.2021, Race 8, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R80.000, 16:40GMT+2

Race Summary: Tough race to close. Highly regarded FATE OF FORTUNE did not disgrace himself against stronger in his second start. He has more to come but showed plenty inexperience and now drops in trip trying turf. CAPTAIN WHO turned in an encouraging effort when jumping from the worst of barriers last time. He may prefer poly but has useful form on the turf and should have every chance. HIGH VELOCITY is capable and seems best over this 1200m. He may be well placed to win. DISPICABLE is an interesting entry. He can boast a good record but races after almost two years off. More in it.

Selections:

#6 Captain Who, #7 Fate Of Fortune, #5 High Velocity, #11 Dispicable

Best Win: #2 BINGIN BEACH

Best Value Bet: #8 BLUE PLANET

Best Longshot: #8 BLUE PLANET