

## COMMENTS & SELECTIONS - NEWMARKET

### RACE 1:AL BASTI EQUIWORLD, DUBAI BRITISH EBF ROSEMARY STAKES (FILLIES' & MARES' LISTED) (STR)

**Crystal Caprice**

**Zanbaq**

**Whitebeam**

CRYSTAL CAPRICE hasn't looked back since winning her maiden at Yarmouth with two impressive handicap successes at Goodwood and Ascot. The manner of those performances suggested a step up in class is unlikely to halt her progression and the daughter of Frankel gets the vote, despite this being the toughest assignment she has encountered to date. Zanbaq didn't get the rub of the green on her latest start at Ascot and the Sandringham runner-up is likely to enter calculations. The Juddmonte pair, Whitebeam and Crenelle, are others who are capable of further improvement.

#### NO. HORSE NAME

- 1 IMPROVISED She has won three times from 6f to 7f on good to firm and good to soft ground. Beaten 8l behind Agartha at 14-1 when eighth of 10 on her latest outing in the Group 3 Coolmore Stud No Nay Never Fairy Bridge Stakes at Tipperary over 7f (good) last month.
- 2 RANDOM HARVEST Successful twice at 1m on good to firm and soft ground. Beaten 10l behind Potapova at 22-1 when 9th of 11 on her latest outing in the Group 3 JRL Group Atalanta Stakes at Sandown over 1m (good) last month.
- 3 ROMANTIC RIVAL Successful at 1m and 1m 1f on soft ground and on the all-weather. Third of 11 behind Bounce The Blues beaten 1l at 150-1 on her latest outing in the Group 3 Sceptre Fillies' Stakes at Doncaster over 7f (good) earlier this month.
- 4 SUNSET BAY Successful twice at 7f on good to firm and soft ground. Beaten 8l behind Bounce The Blues at 125-1 when 10th of 11 on her latest outing in the Group 3 Sceptre Fillies' Stakes at Doncaster over 7f (good) earlier this month.
- 5 ARION A winner at 7f on the all-weather. Finished 9l behind Gregarina when sixth of 8 at 14-1fav on her latest outing at ParisLongchamp over 1m (good to soft) earlier this month.
- 6 CRENELLE A winner at 1m on good ground. Third of 10 behind Rising Star beaten 3/4l at 5-2 on her latest outing at Haydock over 1m (good) last month.
- 7 CRYSTAL CAPRICE She has won three times at 1m on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Won on her latest outing when 6-5fav at Ascot over 1m (good to soft) earlier this month, beating Don't Tell Claire by 1 1/4l. Has won 3 times this season.
- 8 MYSTIC WELLS Successful at 7f and 1m 2f on good to firm ground and on the all-weather. Finished 10l behind Magical Lagoon when last of 6 at 18-1 on her latest outing in the Group 2 Ribblesdale Stakes at Ascot over 1m 4f (good to firm) in June.
- 9 THUNDERSHOWER Successful twice at 1m on good to firm ground. Beaten 5l behind Rising Star at 11-1 when eighth of 10 on her latest outing at Haydock over 1m (good) last month. Has won twice at Nottingham this season.

10 WHITEBEAM She has won three times from 7f to 1m on good and good to soft ground. Won on her latest outing when 7-4fav at Haydock over 7f (good) last month, beating Thunder Legend by 1/2l. Has won 3 times this season.

11 ZANBAQ Successful twice at 7f on good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Finished 4l behind Jumbly when fifth of 9 at 7-4fav on her latest outing in the Group 3 Valiant Stakes at Ascot over 1m (good to firm) in July.

#### **RACE 2: PRINCESS ROYAL AL BASTI EQUIWORLD, DUBAI STAKES (FILLIES' & MARES' GROUP 3)**

**Eternal Pearl**

**Sea Silk Road**

**Royal Scandal**

ETERNAL PEARL landed the hat-trick in a Group 3 at Deauville last month, having improved for both the step up to 1m4f and with racing experience, and Charlie Appleby's filly is expected to continue her fine run of form. Sea Silk Road sports a tongue-tie for the first time having disappointed slightly at Deauville over shorter. The extra couple of furlongs are likely to aid her cause, while Royal Scandal remains unexposed following her victory under a penalty at Kempton.

#### **NO. HORSE NAME**

1 QUENELLE D'OR She has won three times from 1m 3f to 1m 4f on good to firm and good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Well beaten at 9-1 behind Rosscarbery when last of 12 on her latest outing in the Group 3 Irish Stallion Farms EBF Stanerra Stakes at Leopardstown over 1m 6f (good) in July.

2 ETERNAL PEARL She has won three times at 1m 4f on good to firm and good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Won on her latest outing when 10-11fav in the Group 3 Prix Minerve Group 3 Stakes at Deauville over 1m 4f (good to soft) last month, beating Queen Trezy by 2l. Has won 3 times this season.

3 POPTRONIC She has won three times from 1m 1f to 1m 3f on good ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 11l behind Alpinista at 33-1 when last of 7 on her latest outing in the Group 1 Darley Yorkshire Oaks at York over 1m 4f (good) last month. Has won at Newcastle and Ripon this season.

4 PERIPATETIC Successful at 1m and 1m 4f on good ground and on the all-weather. Won on her latest outing when 11-8fav at Goodwood over 1m 4f (good) last month, beating Speak by 6l.

5 QUEEN OF THE SKIES A winner at 1m 2f on the all-weather. Beaten 5l behind Shaara at 10-1 when eighth of 13 on her latest outing at Yarmouth over 1m 2f (good) earlier this month.

6 ROYAL SCANDAL Successful at 1m 2f and 1m 4f on the all-weather. Won on her latest outing when 6-5fav at Kempton over 1m 4f last month, beating Sea Gifted by 4l.

7 SEA SILK ROAD Successful at 1m and 1m 2f on good and soft ground. Finished 3l behind Trevaunance when fourth of 8 at 6-4fav on her latest outing in the Group 2 Prix de la Nonette Stakes Group 2 at Deauville over 1m 2f (good to soft) last month. Has won at Goodwood and Nottingham this season.

8 VOODOO QUEEN Successful twice at 1m 2f on good to firm and good ground. Finished 6l behind Haskoy when fifth of 11 at 8-1 on her latest outing at York over 1m 4f (good) last month. Has won at Newmarket and Newmarket this season.

### **RACE 3:AL BASTI EQUIWORLD, DUBAI ROCKFEL STAKES (FILLIES' GROUP 2)**

**Commissioning**                      **Olivia Maralda**                      **Rich**

There was plenty to like about COMMISSIONING's debut on the July course when running out an impressive winner. John and Thady Gosden's filly was particularly strong at the finish on that occasion and she is likely to prove a tough nut to crack. Olivia Maralda has found a decent amount of improvement since stepping up to 7f and her second to Meditate at the Curragh gives her strong credentials. Rich was a comfortable winner of her first start at Newbury in May and she has to be of interest, along with Rage Of Bamby.

#### **NO.      HORSE NAME**

1      CELL SA BEELA                      Foaled 26 Jan. A winner at 7f on good ground. Finished 6l behind Polly Pott when fourth of 8 at 18-1 on her latest outing in the Group 2 May Hill Stakes at Doncaster over 1m (good to soft) earlier this month.

2      COMMISSIONING                      Foaled 23 Apr. Dam won at 1m 2f. A winner at 13-2 at Newmarket over 7f (good to firm) on her latest outing in July, beating Prepanse by 3 1/2l.

3      DANCE IN THE GRASS                      Foaled 17 Feb. Successful twice at 7f on good to firm and good ground. Beaten 9l behind Polly Pott at 5-4fav when seventh of 8 on her latest outing in the Group 2 May Hill Stakes at Doncaster over 1m (good to soft) earlier this month. Has won twice at Sandown this season.

4      DUBAI JEMILA                      Foaled 4 Mar. Half-sister to Mister Allegro, won twice over hurdles at 1m 7f and 2m and in an all-weather flat race at 1m. A winner at 11-8 at Ayr over 7f (good) on her latest outing last month, beating Espionne by 1/2l.

5      ELECTRIC EYES                      Foaled 16 Feb. Dam unraced. A winner at 15-2 at Thirsk over 7f (soft) on her latest outing earlier this month, beating Spirit Of Applause by 1/2l.

6      EXIMIOUS                      Foaled 28 Mar. Half-sister to Raiff, won in NH flat race at 2m. Won on her latest outing when 2-1fav at Salisbury over 7f (good to firm) earlier this month, beating Peony by 2 1/2l.

7      IPANEMA PRINCESS                      Foaled 31 Jan. A winner at 7f on good to firm ground. Beaten 8l behind Munch at 6-1 when last of 7 on her latest outing at Goodwood over 7f (soft) earlier this month.

8      LAKOTA SIOUX                      Foaled 15 Mar. Successful twice at 7f on good to firm and good ground. Beaten 15l behind Tahiyra at 14-1 when last of 11 on her latest outing in the Group 1 Moyglare Stud Stakes at Curragh over 7f (soft) earlier this month. Has won at Newmarket and Lingfield this season.

9 LEITZEL Foaled 9 Mar. Half-sister to Final Orders, won twice over hurdles at 2m and 2m 4f. Successful at 7f and 1m on good to firm and good to soft ground. Won on her latest outing when 4-7fav at Haydock over 1m (good to firm) earlier this month, beating Double March by a neck. Has won twice at Haydock this season.

10 OLIVIA MARALDA Foaled 25 Feb. A winner at 7f on good to firm ground. Beaten 3/4l by Meditate when second of 7 at 9-2 on her latest outing in the Group 2 Alpha Centauri Debutante Stakes at Curragh over 7f (good) last month.

11 RAGE OF BAMBY Foaled 27 Feb. Dam a lightly raced maiden. Successful at 6f and 7f on good ground. Won on her latest outing when 11-10fav at Leicester over 7f (good) earlier this month, beating Daydream Dancer by 3 1/2l. Has also won at Newbury this season.

12 RICH Foaled 11 Mar. Dam won four times between 7f and 1m 2f. A winner at 7-2 at Newbury over 6f (good to soft) on her latest outing in May, beating Woolhampton by 2 3/4l.

13 SWEET HARMONY Foaled 9 Mar. A winner at 6f on good ground. Beaten 6l behind Swingalong at 50-1 when 10th of 13 on her latest outing in the Group 2 Sky Bet Lowther Stakes at York over 6f (good) last month.

14 SYDNEYARMS CHELSEA Foaled 10 Feb. Successful at 6f and 7f on good to soft ground. A winner at 6-1fav in the Group 3 Prix Six Perfections Sky Sports Racing at Deauville over 7f (good to soft) on her latest outing last month, beating Terrestrial by 3/4l. Has also won at Newbury this season.

#### **RACE 4:AL BASTI EQUIWORLD, DUBAI JOEL STAKES (GROUP 2) (STR)**

**Pogo Tempus Oscula**

POGO has been running well in defeat of late over 7f and with this return to a mile very much in his favour, Charlie Hills' gelding is fancied to return to winning ways today. It would be no surprise if Oscula ran well in receipt of weight from her rivals, but Tempus has taken his form to a new level recently under Hollie Doyle and he looks set to be involved again if continuing his progression, with the Archie Watson team in sparkling form.

#### **NO. HORSE NAME**

1 EL DRAMA Successful at 7f and 1m 2f on good to soft and soft ground. Finished 7l behind Real World when sixth of 7 at 10-1 on his latest outing in the Group 3 Strensall Stakes at York over 1m 1f (good) in August last year.

2 MUTASAABEQ He has won four times at 7f on ground varying from good to heavy. Finished 3 1/2l behind Jadoomi when fourth of 5 at evens fav on his latest outing in the Group 2 William Hill Celebration Mile Stakes at Goodwood over 1m (good to soft) last month.

3 POGO Winner of seven races from 7f to 1m on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Beaten 1 1/4l by Kinross when second of 9 at 9-1 on his latest outing in the Group 2 Sky Bet City Of York Stakes at York over 7f (good to firm) last month. Has won at Newmarket and Haydock this season.



- 5 CROUPIER Successful at 7f and 1m on good ground. A winner at 11-1 at Windsor over 1m (good) on his latest outing earlier this month, beating New Pursuit by a head.
- 6 MOON WATCH A winner at 1m on good ground. Beaten 1 3/4l by Dukeman when second of 3 at 5-6fav on his latest outing at Newcastle over 1m earlier this month.
- 7 AMAYSMONT He has won four times from 6f to 1m 1f on good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Finished 8l behind Sound Angela when sixth of 13 at 4-1 on his latest outing at Newcastle over 1m in July.
- 8 VINTAGE CHOICE A winner at 7f on good ground. Beaten 7l behind Liamarty Dreams at 2-1fav when seventh of 9 on his latest outing here over 7f (good) in May.
- 9 PROCLAIMER Has won eight races from 6f to 1m on the all-weather. Beaten 8l behind Totally Charming at 8-1 when 11th of 12 on his latest outing at Lingfield over 1m in April.
- 10 YAASER He has won four times from 7f to 1m on good to firm and good ground. Third of 14 behind Raising Sand beaten 1 3/4l at 11-1 on his latest outing at Newcastle over 1m earlier this month. Has won 3 times this season.
- 11 GARDEN OASIS Has won eight races from 1m to 1m 2f on good to firm and good ground. Beaten 14l behind Gainsbourg at 18-1 when 11th of 15 on his latest outing at Pontefract over 1m (good) earlier this month.
- 12 SUCELLUS Winner of five races from 7f to 1m 2f on good to firm and good ground and on the all-weather. Third of 6 behind Alazwar beaten 2 3/4l at 13-2 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good to firm) earlier this month.
- 13 DELOREAN A winner at 9-2 over this course and distance (good) on his latest outing last month, beating Nuvolari by a neck.
- 14 FODEN Successful twice at 7f on good and soft ground. A winner at 11-1 at Beverley over 7f (good) on his latest outing in April, beating Evocative Spark by 1/2l.

### **RACE 3: HALDANE FISHER HANDICAP**

**Baltic Bird**

**Speycaster**

**Sea King**

BALTIC BIRD comes with risks attached after disappointing when last seen in the Queen's Vase at Ascot in June, but the son of Frankel created a good impression when previously winning at Yarmouth and his opening mark looks workable on that performance. Speycaster may prove a different proposition in the first-time blinkers and he is one to be wary of, with Sea King another to consider after recently being gelded.

**NO. HORSE NAME**

- 1 BALTIC BIRD A winner at 1m 3f on good ground. Well beaten at 15-2 behind Eldar Eldarov when last of 12 on his latest outing in the Group 2 Queen's Vase at Ascot over 1m 6f (good to firm) in June.
- 2 SEA KING Successful at 1m 2f and 1m 4f on good to firm ground and on the all-weather. Finished 4 1/2l behind Pride Of Priory when fourth of 7 at 11-10fav on his latest outing at Newcastle over 1m 4f in July.
- 3 NOVA LEGEND A winner at 1m 6f on good ground. Beaten 2 1/4l by Champagne City when second of 7 at 10-11fav on his latest outing at Salisbury over 1m 6f (good to firm) last month.
- 4 ZAIN NIGHTS Successful at 1m and 1m 4f on good to firm and heavy ground. Third of 11 behind Diamond Bay beaten 1 1/2l at 17-2 on his latest outing at Lingfield over 2m last month.
- 5 TEUMESSIAS FOX A winner at 1m 2f on the all-weather. Beaten 16l behind Secret State at 12-1 when last of 13 on his latest outing at Goodwood over 1m 4f (good to firm) in July.
- 6 POST IMPRESSIONIST A winner at 1m on good ground. Third of 5 behind Kitsune Power beaten 3l at 16-5 on his latest outing at Beverley over 1m 2f (good) last month.
- 7 DOUBLE CHERRY A winner at 1m 4f on soft ground. Finished 5l behind La Yakel when fourth of 11 at 11-1 on his latest outing at Ascot over 1m 4f (good to soft) earlier this month.
- 8 SPEYCASTER A winner at 1m on the all-weather. Finished 4 1/2l behind Nathanael Greene when fourth of 14 at 9-1 on his latest outing over this course and distance (soft) in July.
- 9 FLAMBOROUGH Placed twice in five starts. Beaten 3/4l by Sea Stone when second of 7 at 6-1 on his latest outing at Kempton over 1m 4f earlier this month.
- 10 HAARAR Successful at 1m 3f and 1m 5f on good ground and on the all-weather. Finished 4l behind Sandstorm when fourth of 7 at 2-1fav on his latest outing at Chelmsford City over 1m 6f last month. Has won at Chelmsford City and Windsor this season.

**RACE 4: DOCKLANDS TRAIL LIVERPOOL EBF MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (GBB RACE)**

**Renesmee**

**Annie Maher**

**Centrefold**

16 fillies head to post in this competitive contest, with plenty of connections arriving here thinking their charge has a good chance of landing the prize, but perhaps none more so than those connected to RENESMEE. Kevin Philippart De Foy's two-year-old was beaten in a blanket finish over 6f at Ascot last time when she was third of 13, and a repeat of that effort would see her go close. Annie Maher

has made a pleasing start to her career and another bold bid can be expected from Michael Bell's runner, while Centrefold is another to note.

**NO. HORSE NAME**

- 1 ANNIE MAHER Foaled 9 Feb. Placed in all three of her starts. Third of 14 behind Sweet Harmony beaten 1 1/2l at 11-2 on her latest outing at Yarmouth over 6f (good) last month.
- 2 BELINDA BELL Foaled 15 Apr. Half-sister to Barbanera, won at 5f.
- 3 CENTREFOLD Foaled 2 Feb. Dam unraced. Unplaced in both starts. Third of 7 behind Funny Story beaten 2 1/4l at 4-5fav on her latest outing at Chelmsford City over 6f earlier this month.
- 4 CHANDELEUR ISLAND Foaled 28 Apr. Half-sister to Shamshon, won ten times at 5f and 6f.
- 5 COUPLET Foaled 18 Feb. Dam won five times between 5f and 1m.
- 6 DAKOTA ELEGANCE Foaled 10 Feb. Half-sister to Ligeia, won twice at 6f and 1m. Finished 1 3/4l behind Magical Merlin when fifth of 9 at 18-1 on her racecourse debut at Windsor over 6f (good to soft) last month.
- 7 GOLDEN BULLET Foaled 22 Feb. Dam won three times at 5f and 6f including a Group 3 race. Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 9l behind Zouky at 25-1 when eighth of 11 on her latest outing over this course and distance (good to firm) earlier this month.
- 8 LADY MANYARA Foaled 9 Apr. Half-sister to St Brelades Bay, won five times at 6f and 7f. Placed once in two starts. Third of 11 behind Alpha Capture beaten 2 1/2l at 12-1 on her latest outing at Carlisle over 6f (good) last month.
- 9 LADY URSULA Foaled 19 Apr. Dam unraced.
- 10 MA FAMILLE Foaled 6 Apr. Dam won at 7f.
- 11 ONEFORSUE Foaled 20 Mar. Yet to place in three starts. Finished 4 1/2l behind Amichi when fifth of 18 at 80-1 on her latest outing at Newmarket over 6f (good) last month.
- 12 PURE ANGEL Foaled 12 Feb. Dam won at 7f. Finished 7l behind Lost Angel when fifth of 13 at 4-1 on her racecourse debut at Nottingham over 5f (good to firm) in April.
- 13 RENESMEE Foaled 13 Mar. Half-sister to Magnetique, won seven times between 1m 1f and 1m 3f. Placed once in two starts. Third of 13 behind Revenite beaten a neck at 7-1 on her latest outing at Ascot over 6f (good) earlier this month.
- 14 SHOT Foaled 2 Mar. Half-sister to Warrior Brave, won twice at 5f and 6f. Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 5l behind Revenite at 40-1 when 10th of 13 on her latest outing at Ascot over 6f (good) earlier this month.

15 SPECIAL EVENT Foaled 11 Mar. Dam unraced. Beaten 11l behind Rage Of Bamby at 18-1 when eighth of 12 on her racecourse debut at Leicester over 7f (good) earlier this month.

16 TIME IN MOTION Foaled 20 Mar. Dam unraced.