

**RACE BY RACE PREVIEWS: KENILWORTH@2026.05.19**

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 1, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R125,000, 12:30GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 5 SNOWBIRD has run two excellent races in succession, the yard thinks highly of this filly, she will be hard to beat with more improvement to come. 4 IN HOT WATER ran a great race on debut, she caught the eye late behind Mystic Inferno on the 1st of April, she has a big winning chance in this field. 12 EL COHETE showed tremendous speed in her last start behind Fog In Finland, even though she was a touch disappointing on that occasion, the conditions turned up very soft and that didn't help her, in hope that we get firmer conditions for this meeting on Tuesday, she can easily bounce back to her best form and be competitive. 7 JULIET OF VERONA ran well on debut, she will appreciate the extra 200m, watch her closely at a decent price.

**Selections:** #5 SNOWBIRD, #4 IN HOT WATER, #12 EL COHETE, #7 JULIET OF VERONA

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 2, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R140,000, 13:05GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 11 REDFORD must have a big winning chance in this field, he has run two excellent races behind two smart horses, there is no doubt he will be super competitive with more improvement to come. 5 RUBEE KING travelled like a winner on debut when finishing just over one length behind Earn The Weekend, he will improve tremendously going into his second run on Tuesday, include him into all bets. 10 BLACKBIRD ran a fair race on debut, he will love the step up in trip to 1200m. 1 ROYAL LIGHT was beaten just under nine lengths by his stable companion (Kalahari King) up the straight at Hollywoodbets Kenilworth on the 30th of March, even though he wants further, he will be doing some good work late, watch him closely.

**Selections:** #11 REDFORD, #5 RUBEE KING, #10 BLACKBIRD, #1 ROYAL LIGHT

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 3, Gallops, 1000m, Turf, R120,000, 13:40GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 9 RABDAN just needed his run back after a lengthy break on the 18th of April, he was only beaten just over six lengths by the very smart Tag And Release, this race lacks consistent and strong form, with natural improvement still to come from this young horse, he will be hard to beat. 7 PITERAQ never runs a bad race, she has been frustrating to follow from a win aspect, but she tries hard and her form is consistent, she will be right there amongst the places again. 3 RACHETTU ran a much better race behind Hedrivesmecrazy last time, if he brings that performance to the track again, he will be competitive. 6 GIMME MORE APACHE wouldn't need to be special to win on debut in this field, watch the market closely.

**Selections:** #9 RABDAN, #7 PITERAQ, #3 RACHETTU, #6 GIMME MORE APACHE

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 4, Gallops, 1400m, Turf, R100,000, 14:15GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 7 REDLIGHT LANE unfortunately lost her race last time in the boardroom, she drops in trip to 1400m on Tuesday, with some luck in running from a tricky draw, she will run a big race here. 2 NICCI'S LAW finished just behind Redlight Lane on the 27th of April, she is better off at the weights here, even though she is well tried in the maiden ranks, this looks an ideal opportunity for her to finally get it right from a neat draw. 6 SCANDALIZE has run two nice races with the blinkers fitted, she could improve even further now that she steps up in trip to 1400m, watch her closely. 8 AUTUMN RUSH will need a patient ride from a tough draw, if she settles early and she finds herself in a good rhythm turning for home, she will be right there in the finish at a decent price.

**Selections:** #7 REDLIGHT LANE, #2 NICCI'S LAW, #6 SCANDALIZE, #8 AUTUMN RUSH

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 5, Gallops, 1400m, Turf, R140,000, 14:50GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 1 KING'S QUEST won impressively at Hollywoodbets Durbanville on the 21st of March, he was given four points for that smart victory, even though he steps up in class now, he looks extremely progressive, include him into all bets from a neat draw. 2 MENTE ET MANU is a beautiful gelding with a great action, he has no weight on his back, and he drops in trip for this race on Tuesday, he has a big winning chance on his current form. 9 CHASINGTHERAINBOW has been rested and he has changed stables, top jockey Richard Fourie gets the ride on this smart gelding, he will be switched off early, and he will be storming home late, there is no doubt he can win a race like this quite easily. 3 IN A TIMELY MANNER was far from disgraced in the Listed East Cape Guineas at Fairview Racecourse on the 20th of March, his chances must be respected from a good draw.

**Selections:** #1 KING'S QUEST, #2 MENTE ET MANU, #9 CHASINGTHERAINBOW, #3 IN A TIMELY MANNER

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 6, Gallops, 1800m, Turf, R100,000, 15:25GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 2 BACKINTHEFASTLANE quickened up smartly to win well with the blinkers fitted on the 18th of April, he was given six points for that impressive win, the form of that race has worked out well, he has a big winning chance again. 3 BATON ROUGE stayed on well for third in a tough on the 3rd of May, if he brings that run to the track again on Tuesday, he will go very close to winning. 8 LOUI'S STAR ran a lovely race straight out of the maiden ranks at Hollywoodbets Durbanville on the 25th of March, her form is good with the blinkers on, if she gets some luck in running from a tricky draw, she should be amongst the places. 7 HEAVENLY PRINCE did well to finish just under six lengths behind Backinthefastlane last time, on his best form, he can sneak into the Quartet.

**Selections:** #2 BACKINTHEFASTLANE, #3 BATON ROUGE, #8 LOUI'S STAR, #7 HEAVENLY PRINCE

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 7, Gallops, 1200m, Turf, R100,000, 16:05GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 10 AVIGNON won a good race on the 18th of April, he was gutsy in the finish, he absolutely loves the straight course at Hollywoodbets Kenilworth, he should be competitive again. 11 OZARK is knocking on the door for his next career victory, top jockey Richard Fourie has been booked to ride this beautiful gelding on Tuesday, on his current form, he has a massive winning chance in this field. 7 VERCICAT was given a terrific ride by jockey Tristan Godden on the 27th of April, this young gelding looks progressive, he can win again, include him into all bets. 3 SHIFTING PATH might be the value play in this tricky race, he has dropped even further in the ratings, he will be doing some good work late, watch him closely at a fair price.

**Selections:** #10 AVIGNON, #11 OZARK, #7 VERCICAT, #3 SHIFTING PATH

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 8, Gallops, 1000m, Turf, R150,000, 16:40GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 10 MAGICAL PLACE won like a smart sprinter in the making on the 15th of April, that was his first run back after a lengthy break and gelding, even though he was given six points for that good win last time, he could be absolutely anything, include him into all bets. 5 DEMANDING DAVE always comes to the track with a big reputation, he was a touch unlucky when finishing just over one length behind Dance Variety in the Easter Sprint on the 1st of April, he will be just off the speed early, and he will be flying at them late. 6 NORTH POINT is held in high regard, he loves this trip of 1000m, at the weights on his last run, he should finish much closer to Magical Place. 3 FLYING

FINLEY has improved tremendously with every start, he has furnished into a nice sprinter, he should be right there in the finish on his current form.

**Selections:** #10 MAGICAL PLACE, #5 DEMANDING DAVE, #6 NORTH POINT, #3 FLYING FINLEY

**HOLLYWOODBETS KENILWORTH, 19.05.2026, Race 9, Gallops, 1000m, Turf, R125,000, 17:15GMT+2**

**Race Summary:** 3 ALL ABOUT AL is as honest as they come, he tries hard, Adam Marcus has done a superb job with this gelding, he will be competitive in this race on his current form. 4 LYRICAL GANGSTER is much better than his last run, if he bounces back to his best form, he can win a race like this quite easily. 6 TAKE THAT quickened up smartly to win impressively on the 3rd of May, that was her first run back after a long break, she has lots of scope for further improvement, include her into all bets, it would come as no shock if she were to win again. 10 FORT RED is tough, he has no weight on his back here, if he gets away from the field at the right time, he will be hard to peg back.

**Selections:** #3 ALL ABOUT AL, #4 LYRICAL GANGSTER, #6 TAKE THAT, #10 FORT RED

**Best Win:** Race 3 #9 Rabdan

**Best Value Bet:** Race 6 #2 Backinthefastlane