

RACE 1 8:40 PM | SAR95,000 | RIYADH | 1200m

3	SHANKO	Consistent on turf last year and has the beating of Amichi on two pieces of form. Shaped nicely when second of 17 on dirt back in October and should be feared off this mark.
2	AMICHI	Placed in two course-and-distance turf races last season and warmed up for this with a fair run on dirt last month. Smart grass horse in the UK prior to moving here.
7	PRAETORIAN	Sole victory came over 1300m at Brighton in the UK in August 2024. Hasn't fared poorly in three local runs and isn't without a chance now that he switches to turf.
6	YUAFIQUK ALLAH	Two wins from eight starts but has largely been campaigned on dirt. Sole turf start saw him finish fourth of 12 over course and distance in March.

RACE 2 9:05 PM | SAR40,000 | RIYADH | 1200m

10	MORJAAN	Promising debut when third of nine in a course-and-distance Open last month. The horse to beat now dropped into Maiden.
4	AL NOMAS	Overcame a slow start and trouble in running to finish second of 12 over course and distance in October. There should be more to come.
20	ANA ALFAISAL	Caught the eye with a strong finishing effort when third of 15 in a 1600m Maiden here last week. Definite place contender but this trip may be too sharp.
8	EZZ ALMUHAMADIA	Eased out of contention after showing early speed over 1600m on debut last month. Interesting runner now dropped to sprinting trips.

RACE 3 9:35 PM | SAR95,000 | RIYADH | 2100m

2	BOLTAWAY	Strong stayer who finished second of 10 in a course-and-distance Open this time last year. Ran fairly on dirt last time and should prefer this test.
1	ARPENTEUR	Classy French import who recorded his first local victory over 1600m here two weeks ago. Now switches onto his favoured.
8	COOL LEGEND	Ran away with a 0-90 Handicap over 3000m on this track in January before finishing third behind Boltaway over course and distance. Not without a chance now back on turf.
3	LOUGH DERG	Irish import with one victory from 16 outings. Hasn't won since November 2020 and others appeal more, but he has talent.

RACE 4 10:00 PM | SAR75,000 | RIYADH | 1400m

7	SWAR ALAMAL	Seven-race Maiden who shaped with some promise when fifth of 18 in a 0-75 Handicap here last week. Major player in this grade if she repeats the feat.
12	RB SLYCK	Placed on three occasions here last season in solid Maiden races and might be capable of throwing down a challenge off this mark.
10	JALMOOD	Best form has come over longer trips but he is well treated off his current mark and could outstay most.
20	NAYEL HAMAS	Impressive course-and-distance winner on debut here in January. Only run three times since and may have to give off a lenient mark.

RACE 5 10:30 PM | SAR1,000,000 | RIYADH | 1600m

14	MUTAKAMILAH	Precocious filly with three wins from five starts this season. Caught the eye finishing well last time over 1400m and should be suited by this step up in trip.
20	YAMAMAT ALMOGHTRAH	Powered clear to make a winning debut over 1200m here three weeks ago. Steps up in trip and has drawn the inside gate. Interesting runner.
16	TAQAARIR	Classy filly who is unbeaten in three starts. Steps up in trip and runs at Riyadh for the first time, but is clearly the filly to beat.
11	MOQANTARAH	Classy filly who made a winning start over 1400m here in October. Fair second last time in Cup and should play a major role here.

RACE 6 11:00 PM | SAR1,000,000 | RIYADH | 1600m

3	ALMAD'AGI	Strong-staying colt who won the King Khalid Military Academy Cup over course and distance last month. No improvement is needed to feature.
15	REDA AL AZIZ	Overcame a wide draw to make a winning debut over 1600m at Taif in September. Completely unexposed and seemingly the first choice of rider Camilo Ospina.
10	MDAHIR	Off the mark at the fourth attempt when he surged late to win a 1400m Maiden here last month. Should stay this new trip.
14	RAEI ALTHAMINAH	Clung on for a narrow success in the 1400m Taif Cup in September. Didn't appear to stay 1600m when fourth behind Almad'agi last time.

RACE 7 11:30 PM | SAR75,000 | RIYADH | 1600m

4	ALBAAZ ALASH HAB	Second of 20 in this grade over 1400m here in October. Didn't fare badly in a Condition race last time and looks dangerous back in Handicap.
10	SHIBL OMAR	Just one win from 19 outings but that came in a 20-runner Maiden in January. Should be capable of going close off this mark.
6	ABOU NADA	Consistent performer with two victories at Taif this summer. Consistent at this level lately and cannot be discounted.
14	ROBOT	Back to winning ways over course and distance here two weeks ago. Cannot discount on that evidence but this is slightly tougher.

RACE 8 12:10 AM | SAR1,000,000 | RIYADH | 2400m

15	TAHZEEM	Prolific performer who racked up five consecutive victories prior to finishing fifth of 17 behind Mountain Top last time. Returning to this trip should see him at his best.
5	ASHJAA	Unexposed type who finished third of 17 in a Group 2 over 2000m last month. Has a neck to find with Aljamaanee on that evidence but might be better suited by this longer trip.
4	ALMAQAM	Recent course-and-distance winner and potential improver after just 11 outings. Only eighth in this race last season but may have improvement in the interim.
12	MOUNTAIN TOP	Posted a clear career-best display when beating Aljamaanee and Ashjaa over 2000m in Cup last month. Open to further improvement but this trip is a worry.

RACE 9 12:40 AM | SAR1,000,000 | RIYADH | 2400m

15	WOOTTON'SUN	Outpointed Jack Red Cloud in this race 12 months ago when the pair drew miles clear of the remainder. Made a winning comeback here last month and should put up a bold bid.
8	JACK RED CLOUD	Cracking stayer who is looking to improve on his runners-up finish in this race 12 months ago. Recently successful over track and trip at Cup level. Major player.
1	CAUSEWAY	Progressive stayer who followed a course-and-distance victory with a runner-up finish in the trial for this behind Sayyah. Leading contender.
4	HAQEET	Classy four-time winner who handled the step up to 2000m nicely when successful in an Open here in October. Highly regarded and open to more improvement over this trip.

RACE 10 1:10 AM | SAR95,000 | RIYADH | 2400m

5	EL JABARTEE	Improving and talented colt who beat several of these with ease over course and distance last month. Hit with a 7lb rise in the weights but should find the winner's circle again.
3	LABEEBB	Third of 20 behind El Jabartee over track and trip in this grade last month. Renews rivalry with that runner off 7lb better terms.
2	MIGHTY RIVER	Plugged on to finish fifth of 20 behind El Jabartee over course and distance last month. Unlikely to reverse that form but could run a place.
4	THARWAN	Unexposed colt who finished second of 18 in this grade last month. That came over 2000m and he now needs to prove his stamina over this far.

RACE 11 1:35 AM | SAR85,000 | **RIYADH** | 1800m

16	MIN MITHLAHA	Talented filly with two 1600m course victories to her name. Posted a career-best display when winning last time and can follow up.
7	MIDHASS	Course-and-distance winner last month and subsequently second of 20 in a deep Condition race. Leading player.
2	SHOQAB	Course-and-distance winner of a 0-75 Handicap last month. Gutsy in a finish and top-rated in this field.
17	MUAENIZ	Yet to win in 10 attempts but boasts some talent and shouldn't be too far away.

RACE 12 2:00 AM | SAR105,000 | **RIYADH** | 1600m

4	ICHAN DE BOZOULS	Speedy type who has paid for going off too hard in trickier contests this season. Drops in grade and distance. Potential to stay in front.
2	GHAZAL AL KHAIR	Three-time winner who has placed at Listed level. Boasts solid form over this trip and shouldn't be far away.
8	ISTEGLAL	Three wins from six starts and more than capable of playing a role off his current mark. Stays this trip well.
3	SUWAITY KHALED AL KHALEDIAH	Eight-time winner with course-and-distance Cup successes to his name. Below par in sprints earlier this season but may improve for the extra distance.