

RACE 1 9:30 PM | AED66,000 | ABU DHABI | 1600m

13	SW AL MOHIB (AE)	1600m 4YO+ race suits current profile; solid Top 3 finishes in recent 1600m Maidens. Needs to prove up in class.
2	CLAIR DE LUNE (FR)	Recently 2nd in a 1000m Barrier Trial; needs improvement on 1600m return having finished well back at longer distances this year.
10	LUMAR (FR)	1600m 4YO+ race; 7th in recent Maiden over this trip suggests improvement is needed, stepping up in class after a 1000m Barrier Trial.
7	AZ EBBYAN (AE)	Returns to 1600m in this 4YO+ race but needs significant improvement on recent Maiden class performances to be competitive.
5	AF MI'AAD (AE)	1200m Maiden Top 3 finish on 16 November suggests potential at shorter distances; stepping up to 1600m and 4YO+ class now.

RACE 2 10:00 PM | AED180,000 | ABU DHABI | 1600m

8	SA'BA (FR)	1600m race appears suitable; returns from two unplaced runs in higher Group class. Earlier 1600m and 1900m wins came in lower grade.
1	AMER BURN (US)	Handles 1600m, with a Maiden win two starts back, but needs significant improvement after midfield finish in recent 1600m Condition class race.
4	MEKTOUB EL AHLEM (FR)	Placed 3rd in a 1000m Barrier Trial on 10 December; 1600m Maiden win on 2 November. Steps up to Group 4 class here.
3	YASSA (OM)	Placed 3rd over 1600m Condition on 6 December; proven at this trip but now faces a rise to Class G4 and needs further progress.
5	AZZAM AH (FR)	1200m Condition race win on 29 June followed by a recent 1000m Barrier Trial 2nd. Tackles 1600m Class G4; distance rise and class increase.

RACE 3 10:30 PM | AED66,000 | ABU DHABI | 1600m

1	AAZAAD (FR)	Racing well recently including a last start third beaten 1.58 lengths over 2000m at Sharjah. Can sneak into the finish again.
7	RAFEEQ (FR)	Handy run last start and when only beaten 1.19 lengths at Abu Dhabi over 1600m. Right in the mix again.
3	LATTAM AL WATHBA (AE)	Very average performance finishing 14th position beaten 39.77 length last start. Suited by the drop in distance.
4	LZ BIBI (AE)	Raced midfield last start and was 1.01 lengths behind the winner over 1600m. Can improve.
5	MAASAI DU SOLEIL (FR)	Most recent 1600m Maiden effort produced a midfield finish. Steps up to Handicap class and needs improvement to feature.

RACE 4 11:00 PM | AED70,000 | ABU DHABI | 2400m

3	ES JENJAL (AE)	Average effort last start when 5th from 10 runners and beaten 4.15 lengths over 1600m. Expect to improve here.
1	ALTO (FR)	Recent 2200m LR race saw a midfield finish; strong 1600m Handicap 2nd on 14 November suggests potential over this distance and class.
2	ES FAYEZ (AE)	Going well recently including a last start second beaten 0.44 lengths over 2400m at Abu Dhabi. Genuine type who is sure to run well.
4	RB STRYNGS ATTACHED (US)	Has been out of the money of late including last time out when 11th over 1800m at Al Ain, beaten 55.20 lengths. Great chance to atone.
6	BAUDELAIRE DE GHAZAL (FR)	Strong trainer and jockey combination and should continue the good form here.

RACE 5 11:30 PM | AED66,000 | **ABU DHABI** | 2200m

5	HAITHAM DE MIREVAL (FR)	Debuts over 2200m after midfield efforts over 1600m Maiden and 1000m Barrier Trial; improvement needed stepping up in distance and class.
1	AAMEED (FR)	Resuming after 108 days from a break. Plenty of improvement to come.
10	ZA'AKHIR (FR)	Honest type who returned last time out with a fourth over 1600m at Al Ain. Capable to feature here.
8	SHAMAN (FR)	Should improve sharply on debut run with a decent barrier trial recently.
14	JEELHEM AL SHARQ (AE)	Has the apprentice jockey claims.

RACE 6 12:00 AM | AED66,000 | **ABU DHABI** | 2200m

1	COSMIC DESERT (GB)	Recent 1800m Handicap effort was below par and needs improvement; prior Top 3 finish suggests 2200m Handicap could suit better.
2	KATHAB (IRE)	Placed 2nd over 2000m Handicap and 3rd over 2410m this year; needs to lift after a below-par 1900m effort last month.
8	REBAATT (IRE)	Has been racing midfield recently with last start 6th position over 1600m. Need some luck in running.
3	INJAZATI (IRE)	Comes here after finishing 12th position last time at at Meydan, beaten 35.91 lengths. Place chance.
5	DECIDUOUS (GB)	Didn't threaten last start when beaten 3.48 lengths over 1800m at Meydan. Watch betting.

RACE 7 12:30 AM | AED66,000 | **ABU DHABI** | 1200m

7	OCEAN RUNNER (IRE)	Returns to 1200m 3YO+ race after a recent 800m Barrier Trial win on 3 December; last strong race came in 1200m Handicap, Class rise.
11	WHITEGATE (GB)	Last start finished fourth beaten 4.76 lengths over 1200m at Meydan. Rates highly and is ready to peak.
5	L'KARAMA (GB)	Raced handily last start and can improve here. Watch betting.
4	KING'S CORONATION (GB)	Mediocre effort last start finishing in 8th position beaten 4.78 lengths over 1400m at Abu Dhabi. Should fare a lot better here.
10	TAJDIF (IRE)	Resuming after 56 days from a break. Plenty of improvement to come.