COMMENTS & SELECTIONS – REDCAR

RACE 1:PAT & LES HOLMES MEMORIAL RESTRICTED MAIDEN STAKES

Bobby's Lad Aguaplano Grant Me Serenity

Richard Fahey and Tony Hamilton teamed up to win this race last year and the pair are again in action this time around with the unraced BOBBY'S LAD. The three-year-old son of Ribchester is an intriguing runner on debut and any market support would be significant. Aguaplano arguably brings the best form to the table having been runner-up on his last two starts and had excuses at Bath last time when the bit slipped through his mouth. George Boughey continues to have his string in fine order and the booking of William Buick for Grant Me Serenity has to be of interest.

- 1 MARCELLO SI Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 18l behind Noble Anthem at 80-1 when 13th of 14 on his latest outing at Thirsk over 1m (good) earlier this month.
- 2 AGUAPLANO Placed in three of five starts. Beaten 3I by Bella Veneta when second of 10 at 9-4fav on his latest outing at Bath over 1m (good to soft) last month.
- 3 BOBBY'S LAD Dam won twice at 7f.
- 4 CROSSBEAU Half-brother to Majestic Dawn, won four times between 1m 1f and 1m 3f. Beaten 14l behind Pangloss at 50-1 when seventh of 9 on his racecourse debut at Wolverhampton over 1m 1f last month.
- 5 DRAKEHOLES Half-brother to Defining Moment, won twice at 5f and 6f.
- 6 RESDEV THUNDER Unplaced in both starts. Well beaten at 200-1 behind Diamond Ranger when last of 10 on his latest outing at Catterick over 7f (good to firm) earlier this month.
- 7 REVOQUABLE Placed once in three starts. Well beaten at 17-2 behind Rosie's Return when last of 4 on his latest outing at Musselburgh over 7f (good) in August last year.
- 8 SHIMMERING SANDS Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 17l behind Blenheim Boy at 28-1 when 12th of 13 on his latest outing at York over 7f (good to soft) in October last year.
- 9 GRANT ME SERENITY Half-sister to Hey Teacher, won twice at 1m 4f.
- 10 HAYLEY B Half-sister to Overwrite, won four times at 7f and 1m.

RACE 2: RACING TV STRAIGHT MILE FILLIES' HANDICAP

Rose's Girl Sea Storm Cathayensis

The Ed-Dunlop-trained ROSE'S GIRL gets the vote here having finished runner-up on her last two starts most recently at Newcastle. William Buick was onboard last week and its interesting that he again takes the ride, and off a mark of 60 she remains an attractive proposition. Sea Storm has her first run of the season and if fully tuned up for this she ought to be in the shake-up. Cathayensis perhaps didn't stay the trip last time when attempting a three-timer and this drop back to a mile looks more suitable.

- 1 CATHAYENSIS She has won three times from 7f to 1m on the all-weather. Finished 17l behind Clansman when sixth of 12 at 7-1 on her latest outing here over 1m 2f (soft) last month.
- 2 STRANGERONTHESHORE She has won three times at 1m on good ground. Beaten 9l behind Bavardages at 14-1 when eighth of 10 on her latest outing at Beverley over 1m (good) earlier this month.
- 3 KEY LOOK She has won four times from 7f to 1m on good to firm and good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Finished 2 1/4l behind Langholm when sixth of 15 at 15-2 on her latest outing at Thirsk over 7f (good) last month.
- 4 SEA STORM Placed in four of 11 starts. Beaten 3/4l by Harvest Day when second of 11 at 11-2 on her latest outing at Newcastle over 7f in December last year.
- 5 SWEET MADNESS Successful twice at 1m on good and good to soft ground. Beaten 17l behind Carnival Zain at 20-1 when 10th of 12 on her latest outing at Thirsk over 1m (good to firm) last month.
- 6 HOLLOW STEEL Successful at 6f and 7f on good and good to soft ground. Finished 5l behind River Pride when sixth of 13 at 16-1 on her latest outing at Chelmsford City over 7f in November last year.
- 7 BELHAVEN Yet to place in three starts. Finished 6l behind Samburu when fifth of 11 at 25-1 on her latest outing at Salisbury over 7f (good to firm) last month.
- 8 QUEEN'S COMPANY Unplaced in all four starts. Beaten 16l behind Court Of Session at 22-1 when 9th of 11 on her latest outing at Chelmsford City over 1m last month.
- 9 SAY GOODNIGHT Unplaced in all three starts. Beaten 11l behind Astral Beau at 25-1 when eighth of 12 on her latest outing at Leicester over 7f (good to soft) last month.
- 10 STRIPZEE A winner at 7f on good to firm ground. Finished 5l behind Albegrey when fifth of 8 at 50-1 on her latest outing at Ripon over 1m (good) earlier this month.
- 11 ROSE'S GIRL Placed in three of five starts. Beaten 3 1/2l by Dougies Dream when second of 10 at 10-3 on her latest outing at Newcastle over 1m earlier this month.

- SOVEREIGN MOON A winner at 7f on the all-weather. Finished 3 1/2l behind Arlo's Sunshine when fifth of 8 at 17-2 on her latest outing at Southwell over 7f in March.
- 13 LOUBY LOU Unplaced in all 14 starts. Beaten 11l behind Magical Mile at 100-1 when 11th of 16 on her latest outing at Wetherby over 1m (good to firm) earlier this month.

RACE 3: RACINGTV.COM FILLIES' NOVICE STAKES (GBB RACE)

Elegant Verse Remembering Silence Is Golden

The beautifully bred ELEGANT VERSE is fancied to go one better here after a promising run on debut at Newmarket last month. The John Gosden-trained daughter of Galileo was beaten a length by the more experienced Voodoo Queen and should have learned plenty from that outing. The biggest danger appears to be Remembering who was third on debut behind Oaks favourite Emily Upjohn at Sandown. The unraced Silence Is Golden is another to keep an eye on and any market support for the Roger Varian-trained filly should be noted.

- 1 ELENA DE LA VEGA Unplaced in both starts. Finished 12l behind Mythical Madness when fourth of 6 at 300-1 on her latest outing over this course and distance (good to firm) last month.
- 2 ELEGANT VERSE Half-sister to Hypnotist, won at 1m. Beaten 1l by Voodoo Queen when second of 7 at 14-1 on her racecourse debut at Newmarket over 1m 2f (good) last month.
- 3 QUEEN OF CHANGE Half-sister to Century Dream, won ten times between 1m and 1m 2f including a Group 2 race.
- 4 REMEMBERING Half-sister to I Remember You, won at 7f. Third of 12 behind Emily Upjohn beaten 10l at 16-1 on her racecourse debut at Sandown over 1m 2f (good) last month.
- 5 RENDITION Unplaced in both starts. Finished 8l behind Nathanael Greene when fifth of 8 at 6-1 on her latest outing at Chepstow over 1m 2f (good to firm) last month.
- 6 SILENCE IS GOLDEN Full sister to Cape Palace, won at 7f and 1m.
- 7 TEESCOMPONENTSTWO Half-sister to Teescomponentsfly, won at 1m 6f. Well beaten at 14-1 behind Missed The Cut when last of 6 on her racecourse debut at Pontefract over 1m (good to firm) last month.

RACE 4: RACINGTV.COM EBF RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES (GBB RACE)

Legend Of Xanadu

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Little Edi

This looks the ideal opportunity for LEGEND OF XANADU to shed the maiden tag at the fourth time of asking with William Buick in the plate for the first time. Mick Channon's colt was unfortunate to bump into a couple of smart rivals at Ayr, before he was narrowly denied at Hamilton earlier this month. Fomo's racecourse debut at Beverley was not devoid of promise and he could improve second time out, while Little Edi and Prairie Falcon head the remainder.

- 1 A DAY TO DREAM Foaled 19 Apr. Half-brother to Van Huysen, won four times at 1m and 1m 2f.
- 2 DANTE STAR Foaled 25 Mar. Dam won five times at 6f and 7f. Beaten 14l behind Zuffolo at 14-1 when last of 10 on his racecourse debut at Thirsk over 5f (good to firm) last month.
- 3 FIERY BOND Foaled 19 Mar. Dam won three times between 5f and 6f.
- 4 HOWYADOIN Foaled 12 Apr. Dam unraced. Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 9I behind Rogue Spirit at 16-1 when 9th of 13 on his latest outing at Beverley over 5f (good) earlier this month.
- 5 IMENSO Foaled 19 Jan. Dam a lightly raced maiden. Finished 2 3/4l behind Duchray when fourth of 8 at 17-2 on his racecourse debut at Pontefract over 5f (good to soft) last month.
- 6 LEGEND OF XANADU Foaled 27 Apr. Placed twice in three starts. Beaten a short head by Jm Jungle when second of 8 at 4-1 on his latest outing at Hamilton over 5f (good) earlier this month.
- 7 LITTLE EDI Foaled 17 Feb. Dam won at 7f.
- 8 PRAIRIE FALCON Foaled 22 Mar. Half-brother to Perregrin, won at 1m.
- 9 RIEVAULX RAVER Foaled 21 Feb. Dam unraced. Beaten 12l behind Zuffolo at 28-1 when 9th of 10 on his racecourse debut at Thirsk over 5f (good to firm) last month.
- 10 BARA LACHA Foaled 14 Mar. Dam won at 6f and 7f. Placed once in two starts. Beaten 9l behind Rogue Spirit at 4-1 when eighth of 13 on her latest outing at Beverley over 5f (good) earlier this month.
- 11 FOMO Foaled 12 Feb. Dam won twice at 5f and 6f. Finished 5l behind Rogue Spirit when sixth of 13 at 100-1 on her racecourse debut at Beverley over 5f (good) earlier this month.

COMMENTS & SELECTIONS – CARLISLE

RACE 2:BLACKWELL HANDICAP

Fashion Advice Runninwild Melody King

FASHION ADVICE drops down in class following her below-par run at Ripon over 6f, where she finished 10 lengths off the leader. She is now rated 4lb higher than her last winning mark over this distance at Musselburgh. Runninwild seems the biggest threat having won at this course, albeit over 6f, off a 2lb lower mark, whereas Melody King seeks to regain some winning form but his last two runs have been disappointing.

- 1 RHYTHM Successful at 5f and 6f on good to firm and good ground.

 Beaten 7l behind Asadjumeirah at 28-1 when 9th of 10 on her latest outing at Thirsk over 6f (good) last month.
- 2 MELODY KING He has won three times from 5f to 7f on good and soft ground. Finished 6l behind Never Dark when fifth of 9 at 4-1 on his latest outing at Musselburgh over 5f (soft) in October last year.
- 3 VENTURA FLAME Winner of six races at 5f on ground varying from good to firm to heavy. Beaten 7l behind Pearl Of Qatar at 16-1 when last of 7 on her latest outing at Ayr over 6f (good) last month.
- 4 FASHION ADVICE She has won three times at 5f on good and soft ground and on the all-weather. Finished 11l behind Rumaythah when last of 5 at 9-2 on her latest outing at Ripon over 6f (soft) in May last year.
- 5 EAST STREET REVUE Has won nine races from 5f to 6f on ground varying from good to firm to soft. Beaten 9l behind Tees Spirit at 16-1 when last of 7 on his latest outing at Beverley over 5f (good) last month.
- 6 RUNNINWILD Successful twice at 6f on good ground. Finished 4 1/2l behind Ready Freddie Go when sixth of 12 at 12-1 on his latest outing at Thirsk over 5f (good to firm) last month.
- 7 STALINGRAD Placed in six of 13 starts. Beaten 9l behind Spartan Fighter at 11-2 when 10th of 12 on his latest outing at Newcastle over 6f in October last year.
- 8 GOOD EARTH Winner of five races at 5f on ground varying from good to firm to soft and on the all-weather. Beaten 1 1/4l by Elegant Erin when second of 9 at 7-2 on his latest outing at Beverley over 5f (good to firm) earlier this month.
- 9 AMAZING ALBA She has won three times from 5f to 6f on ground varying from good to firm to soft. Beaten 13l behind Miss Bella Brand at 25-1 when 11th of 12 on her latest outing at Redcar over 6f (good) in September last year.

RACE 3: PENRITH HANDICAP

After John Merry Secret Custodian

Merry Secret won on his last outing at Thirsk, beating the reopposing AFTER JOHN by a length. Nonetheless, the aforementioned gelding now only gives his rival 1lb as opposed to a previous 4lb, so looks weighted to reverse the form. Custodian receives a 5lb lower mark following his defeat at Redcar over 7f and could find his way back to some form.

- 1 DEVIL'S ANGEL Winner of six races from 5f to 7f on good to firm and good ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 6l behind Celsius at 11-2 when 10th of 11 on his latest outing at Ascot over 5f (good to firm) last month.
- 2 PATSY FAGAN Winner of six races at 6f on soft ground and on the all-weather. Won on his latest outing when 4-1fav at Southwell over 6f last month, beating Badri by 1 1/4l.
- 3 GHATHANFAR Winner of five races from 5f to 7f on good to firm and good ground and on the all-weather. Won on his latest outing when 5-2fav at Wetherby over 5f (good to firm) earlier this month, beating King Of Tonga by 3/4l.
- 4 REDZONE Winner of five races at 6f on good to firm ground and on the all-weather. A winner at 13-2 at Newcastle over 6f on his latest outing last month, beating Athollblair Boy by 3l.
- 5 CAPTAIN VALLO Successful twice at 6f on good ground and on the all-weather. Finished 2 1/4l behind Merry Secret when fourth of 15 at 25-1 on his latest outing at Thirsk over 6f (good to firm) last month.
- 6 AIKIDO Successful at 6f and 7f on the all-weather. Finished 6l behind Nigel Nott when last of 6 at 33-1 on his latest outing at Newcastle over 6f in January.
- 7 FOX HILL Winner of six races from 5f to 6f on ground varying from good to firm to soft. Beaten 14l behind Rolfe Rembrandt at 16-1 when last of 9 on her latest outing at Wetherby over 5f (good to firm) last month.
- 8 DREAM TOGETHER He has won three times at 6f on good to firm ground. Won on his latest outing when 10-3fav at Haydock over 6f (good to firm) last month, beating Macho Pride by a neck.
- 9 BLACKHEATH He has won four times from 6f to 7f on firm and good to firm ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 6l behind Vindobala at 12-1 when 10th of 12 on his latest outing at Newcastle over 7f in December last year.
- 10 KING OF TONGA He has won four times from 5f to 7f on ground varying from good to firm to heavy. Beaten 3/4l by Ghathanfar when second of 7 at 4-1 on his latest outing at Wetherby over 5f (good to firm) earlier this month. Has won twice at Pontefract this season.
- 11 MACHO PRIDE Successful at 5f and 6f on good ground and on the all-weather. Beaten a neck by Dream Together when second of 15 at 4-1 on his latest outing at Haydock over 6f (good to firm) last month.

- 12 AFTER JOHN Successful twice at 6f on good to firm and soft ground. Beaten 1l by Merry Secret when second of 15 at 3-1fav on his latest outing at Thirsk over 6f (good to firm) last month.
- 13 KILCONQUHAR He has won four times at 6f on good ground and on the all-weather. Beaten a neck by Kats Bob when second of 9 at 16-1 on his latest outing at Hamilton over 6f (good to soft) earlier this month.
- 14 NEARLY A GONNA Successful twice at 6f on good to firm and good ground. Finished 12l behind Run This Way when sixth of 17 at 9-2 on his latest outing at Pontefract over 6f (soft) in October last year.
- MERRY SECRET Winner of five races from 6f to 7f on good to firm ground and on the all-weather. A winner at 17-2 at Thirsk over 6f (good to firm) on his latest outing last month, beating After John by 1l.
- 16 BLAZING HOT He has won four times at 5f on the all-weather. Beaten 1/2l by Pearl Of Qatar when second of 7 at 11-1 on his latest outing at Ayr over 6f (good) last month.
- 17 CUSTODIAN A winner at 6f on good ground, but that win was over two years ago. Beaten 17l behind Asmund at 125-1 when last of 7 on his latest outing at Redcar over 7f (good to firm) in September last year.

RACE 4:THURSBY HANDICAP

Detective Makeen Tangled

DETECTIVE boasts an extremely impressive course record having not finished outside the first two home in eight runs at the Cumbrian track, and is tipped to enhance that record. He beat a race-fit Goodwood Glen at Hamilton just over a fortnight ago and a 4lb rise may not be enough to stop this consistent six-year-old son of Kingman. Makeen looks to be the biggest danger having been a cosy winner at Musselburgh last month. Tangled is another worth consideration.

- 1 QUEEN'S SARGENT Winner of six races at 7f on ground varying from good to firm to heavy. Beaten 9l behind Il Bandito at 16-1 when seventh of 11 on his latest outing at Redcar over 7f (good to soft) last month.
- 2 CASSY O He has won four times from 7f to 1m on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Finished 6l behind Eilean Dubh when sixth of 13 at 10-1 on his latest outing at Hamilton over 1m (good) earlier this month.
- 3 JUMP THE GUN Successful at 6f and 1m on good ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 10l behind Eilean Dubh at 15-2 when 11th of 13 on his latest outing at Hamilton over 1m (good) earlier this month.
- 4 HELLO ZABEEL A winner at 7f on good to firm ground. Finished 6l behind Red Mirage when sixth of 8 at 9-4fav on his latest outing at Chelmsford City over 7f last month.
- 5 TANGLED Winner of six races from 6f to 1m on ground varying from good to firm to soft. Finished 7l behind Global Spirit when fourth of 6 at 11-2 on his latest outing at Pontefract over 1m (good to firm) last month.
- 6 SUCELLUS He has won four times from 7f to 1m 2f on good to firm and good ground and on the all-weather. Finished 5l behind Delgrey Boy when fifth of 12 at 12-1 on his latest outing at Redcar over 1m (good) in October last year.
- 7 MAKEEN Successful twice at 1m on good to firm and good to soft ground. Won on his latest outing when 5-2fav at Musselburgh over 1m (good to soft) last month, beating Saisons D'Or by 1 1/4l.
- 8 END ZONE He has won three times from 6f to 1m 1f on soft ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 8l behind Carnival Zain at 20-1 when 9th of 13 on his latest outing at Catterick over 7f (good to soft) last month.
- 9 DETECTIVE He has won four times from 1m 1f to 1m 3f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. A winner at 10-3 at Hamilton over 1m 3f (good to soft) on his latest outing earlier this month, beating Goodwood Glen by a neck.

RACE 5: DURDAR MAIDEN STAKES (GBB RACE)

Topomania Manaslu Twilight Falls

TOPOMANIA shaped with plenty of promise on debut when runner-up behind Golden Voice at Newcastle last month and should have learned from that experience. He was slowly away on that occasion and, given any natural progression from that run, he could prove hard to beat. Manaslu was a tad keen on his first start of the season at Hamilton when third behind Cubana Habana and this drop back in trip should suit. The unraced Twilight Falls is worth a check in the betting.

- 1 AIGHEAR Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 18I behind Million Thanks at 50-1 when eighth of 10 on her latest outing at Musselburgh over 1m (good to firm) earlier this month.
- 2 MILLIEMIX Unplaced in both starts. Well beaten at 250-1 behind Million Thanks when last of 10 on her latest outing at Musselburgh over 1m (good to firm) earlier this month.
- 3 ACOUSTIC Unplaced in both starts. Beaten 17l behind Honky Tonk Man at 66-1 when 11th of 14 on his latest outing at Newcastle over 7f in November last year.
- 4 ALLO ARRY Full brother to Hong Kong Harry, won five times between 6f and 1m 1f.
- 5 CALDERBANK Dam a lightly raced maiden. Well beaten at 80-1 behind Cubana Habana when last of 6 on his racecourse debut at Hamilton over 1m (good to soft) earlier this month.
- 6 MANASLU Unplaced in both starts. Third of 6 behind Cubana Habana beaten 6l at 2-1 on his latest outing at Hamilton over 1m (good to soft) earlier this month.
- 7 MR QUIGLEY Dam won at 1m 1f.
- 8 THUNDERHILL Unplaced in both starts. Well beaten at 100-1 behind Post Impressionist when eighth of 10 on his latest outing at Ayr over 1m (good) last month.
- 9 TOPOMANIA Half-brother to Ben Lilly, won six times at 1m 6f and 2m. Beaten 3I by Golden Voice when second of 5 at 10-3 on his racecourse debut at Newcastle over 7f last month.
- 10 JAZZ SAMBA Dam unraced.
- 11 KAZE WO ATSUMETE Dam a lightly raced maiden.
- TWILIGHT FALLS Half-sister to Marshal Dan, won seven times at 7f.