

RACE COMMENT & SELECTION
UNITED KINGDOM RACING SATURDAY 19 APRIL 2025 MEETING
MUSSELBURGH / WOLVERHAMPTON

RACE 1: LIVESCORE BET BEST ODDS DAILY ROYAL MILE HANDICAP (CLASS 3) (3YO ONLY) (FROM MUSSELBURGH RACE 1)

WILTSHIRE LAD - INVITED - ZOWAL

Race Preview: WILTSHIRE LAD was one of the last winners to be trained by Sir Michael Stoute when he landed a nursery at Southwell in October. That was an encouraging performance from the son of Wootton Bassett, who appeals strongly returning off 5lb higher with his new yard in excellent form. The runner-up from that Southwell race also filled the same position behind Invited when he scored at Kempton last month. George Boughey's gelding is highly respected back on turf off 6lb higher. Zowal and Hot Dancer complete the shortlist.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	CASTLE STUART	A winner at 1m on soft ground. Well beaten at 4-1 behind Tuscan Hills when last of 5 on his latest outing at Pontefract over 1m (soft) in October last year.
2	THUNDER WONDER	A winner at 7f on good ground. Third of 7 behind Dividend beaten 3 1/2l at 14-1 on his latest outing at Southwell over 1m earlier this month.
3	INVITED	Successful twice at 1m on the all-weather. A winner at 4-1 at Kempton over 1m on his latest outing last month, beating Brindavan by 1 1/2l.
4	ZOWAL	A winner at 16-5 over this course and distance (good) on his latest outing earlier this month, beating Clouds Hill by 1 1/4l.
5	WILTSHIRE LAD	A winner at 5-2 at Southwell over 1m on his latest outing in October last year, beating Brindavan by 1l. Having his first run for a new stable today, previously with Sir Michael Stoute.
6	WE DARE TO DREAM	A winner at 7f on good to soft ground. Beaten 1 3/4l by Pellitory when second of 10 at 20-1 on his latest outing at Doncaster over 7f (soft) in October last year.
7	OUR MIGHTY MO	Successful at 6f and 7f on soft and heavy ground. Beaten 7l behind Pellitory at 10-1 when seventh of 10 on his latest outing at Doncaster over 7f (soft) in October last year.
8	HOT DANCER	Placed in all three of his starts. Third of 8 behind Gethin beaten 11l at 7-2 on his latest outing at Nottingham over 1m (heavy) in October last year.

RACE 2: VIRGIN BET EVERY SATURDAY MONEY BACK SILVER ARROW HANDICAP (CLASS 3) (4YO PLUS) (FROM MUSSELBURGH RACE 2)

WALEEFY - ALZAHIR - ROCKYMOUNTAINWAY

Race Preview: WALEEFY was still maturing during his three-year-old campaign but the half-brother to Baaeed still managed to win two of his six starts on turf. With time on his side and another year on his back, there could be a lot more to come in 2025 and this appears to be a good starting point for the William Haggas-trained colt. Alzahir has made a flying start to the season with victories at Doncaster and Thirsk. He is likely to have more to offer, while the unexposed Rockymountainway heads the remainder.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	ALZAHIR	Winner of five races from 7f to 1m on good and heavy ground and on the all-weather. Won on his latest outing when 10-3fav at Thirsk over 7f (good) earlier this month, beating Rhythm Master by 1 1/4l. Has also won at Doncaster this season.

2	LORD BERTIE	He has won three times from 7f to 1m on good to soft and soft ground. Beaten 15l behind Myal at 18-1 when 13th of 17 on his latest outing at Doncaster over 7f (soft) in October last year. Having his first run for a new stable today, previously with Jane Chapple-Hyam.
3	GWEEDORE	Has won 12 races from 7f to 1m on ground varying from good to soft. Beaten 1 1/4l by Our Havana when second of 8 at 8-1 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.
4	LEXINGTON BELLE	She has won four times from 7f to 1m 1f on ground varying from good to soft and on the all-weather. Beaten 7l behind Ashiyma at 18-1 when 15th of 17 on her latest outing at Chantilly over 7f in November last year.
5	WALEEFY	Successful at 6f and 7f on good to firm ground. Third of 6 behind Lord Bertie beaten 1 1/4l at 5-4fav on his latest outing at Ascot over 7f (soft) in September last year.
6	PERSUASION	He has won four times at 7f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Beaten 10l behind Dutch Kingdom at 40-1 when last of 7 on his latest outing at Southwell over 7f last month.
7	ROCKYMOUNTAINWAY	Successful twice at 7f on good to soft and soft ground. Beaten 1l by Rock Melody when second of 8 at 9-2 on her latest outing over this course and distance (good to soft) in October last year.
8	DILIGENT RESDEV	He has won three times from 6f to 7f on good ground and on the all-weather. A winner at 16-1 at Ayr over 6f (good) on his latest outing in September last year, beating Parisiac by 1 3/4l.
9	DAIN MA NUT IN	He has won three times at 1m on good ground. Third of 8 behind Our Havana beaten 2 1/4l at 11-2 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.
10	BENACRE	He has won three times at 7f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft, but last win was over two years ago. Beaten a neck by Jonny Concrete when second of 12 at 6-1 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.

RACE 3: VIRGIN BET DAILY PRICE BOOSTS SCOTTISH SPRINT CUP HANDICAP (CLASS 2) (4YO PLUS) (FROM MUSSELBURGH RACE 3)

JER BATT - AMERICAN AFFAIR - COVER UP

Race Preview: There isn't much to choose between AMERICAN AFFAIR and Jer Batt on bare form and while the latter surely looks capable of paying his way at this level, the former has a better record when fresh and narrowly shades the vote. A winner over C&D on his seasonal debut 12 months ago, Jim Goldie's five-year-old did nothing but progress in 2024 and resumes with the potential to be a stable star in similar handicaps for his highly capable yard. Cover Up, Jm Jungle and Tatterstall are also notable options.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	COVER UP	Winner of six races from 5f to 6f on good and soft ground and on the all-weather. Finished 1 1/2l behind West Acre when fourth of 15 on his latest outing in the Group 3 Race 4 - Nad Al Sheba Turf Sprint Stakes - Group 3 - Turf at Meydan over 5f (good) last month.
2	VINTAGE CLARETS	Has won nine races at 5f on ground varying from good to firm to heavy and on the all-weather. Beaten 11l behind Ferrous at 50-1 when last of 11 on his latest outing at Southwell over 6f earlier this month.
3	AMERICAN AFFAIR	Winner of five races from 5f to 7f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Beaten 6l behind Lethal Levi at 11-4fav when 16th of 25 on his latest outing at Ayr over 6f (good to firm) in September last year.

4	TATTERSTALL	He has won four times at 5f on good to firm and good ground and on the all-weather. Finished 1l behind Thunder Moor when fourth of 13 at 28-1 on his latest outing at Southwell over 5f in August last year.
5	JM JUNGLE	He has won four times at 5f on ground varying from good to firm to soft. Finished 3 1/2l behind Alcazan when fifth of 12 at 11-2 on his latest outing at Ascot over 5f (soft) in October last year.
6	JER BATT	He has won three times at 5f on good and good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Beaten a head by Cover Up when second of 15 at 5-1 on his latest outing at Doncaster over 5f (soft) in October last year.
7	TWILIGHT FUN	Winner of five races from 5f to 6f on good to firm ground and on the all-weather. A winner at 11-4 at Chelmsford City over 5f on his latest outing in February, beating True Promise by 2l.
8	MON NA SLIEVE	Successful twice at 5f on good ground. A winner at 6-1 over this course and distance (good) on his latest outing earlier this month, beating Curious Rover by 1l.
9	VINCE L'AMOUR	He has won three times from 5f to 6f on soft and heavy ground. Third of 10 behind Fahrenheit Seven beaten 2 1/4l at 20-1 on his latest outing at Pontefract over 5f (good) earlier this month.

RACE 4: VIRGIN BET QUEEN'S CUP (HERITAGE HANDICAP) (GBBPLUS RACE) (CLASS 2) (4YO PLUS) (FROM MUSSELBURGH RACE 4)

ALIGN THE STARS - WISE EAGLE - WILD WAVES

Race Preview: Danny Tudhope has been aboard the last two winners of this contest, including Wise Eagle, who he gets back aboard today. Adam Nicol's charge merits the utmost respect despite being 5lb higher this time around, but the vote goes to ALIGN THE STARS. A progressive handicapper last season before coming up short in a couple of Group contests, he returned with a creditable third in the Further Flight at Nottingham recently and is sure to mount another stern challenge with that outing under his belt. Wild Waves was by no means discredited in the St Leger when last seen and he looks a real player back in a handicap, especially with his yard in flying form.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	AIMERIC	Winner of five races from 1m 4f to 1m 5f on good to firm and good ground. Beaten 3 1/2l by Military Academy when second of 7 at 5-2 on his latest outing at Kempton over 1m 4f in November last year.
2	WISE EAGLE	Has won 11 races from 1m to 2m 2f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft and on the all-weather, but last win was over two years ago. Beaten 1/2l by Roaring Legend when second of 7 at 6-1 on his latest flat outing at Newcastle over 2m in January.
3	KIHAFAH	Winner of five races from 1m 4f to 1m 5f on good to firm and good ground. Won on his latest flat outing when 9-4fav at Ayr over 1m 5f (good to firm) in September last year, beating Euchen Glen by 3 1/2l.
4	ALIGN THE STARS	He has won three times from 1m 4f to 1m 6f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Third of 4 behind Al Qareem beaten 1l at 5-1 on his latest outing at Nottingham over 1m 6f (good) earlier this month.
5	WILD WAVES	Successful at 1m 4f and 1m 6f on good ground and on the all-weather. Finished 7l behind Jan Brueghel when sixth of 7 at 40-1 on his latest outing in the Group 1 Betfred St Leger Stakes at Doncaster over 1m 6f (good) in September last year.
6	CHILLINGHAM	He has won three times from 1m 2f to 1m 4f on good to firm and soft ground, but last win was over two years ago. Beaten 9l behind Lord Melbourne at 7-1 when 15th of 23 on his latest outing at Doncaster over 1m 4f (soft) in November last year.

7	INTINSO	Successful at 1m and 1m 4f on the all-weather. Beaten 12l behind Glen Buck at 28-1 when 10th of 11 on his latest outing at Southwell over 1m 4f in February.
8	LAAFY	He has won four times from 1m 2f to 1m 6f on ground varying from good to firm to heavy, but last win was over four years ago. Beaten 12l behind City Of Delight at 40-1 when 13th of 16 on his latest outing at Doncaster over 1m 2f (good) last month.
9	LIEBER POWER	He has won three times from 7f to 1m 4f on good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 12l behind Teumessias Fox at 22-1 when 9th of 14 on his latest outing at Kempton over 1m 3f last month.
10	EMIYN	Winner of five races from 1m to 2m 3f on ground varying from good to soft to heavy. Well beaten at 14-1 behind Gibside when last of 10 on his latest flat outing at York over 2m (soft) in October last year.
11	LOUGHVILLE	She has won three times from 1m 2f to 1m 4f on ground varying from good to firm to heavy. Beaten 7l behind Estrange at 18-1 when seventh of 11 on her latest outing at Doncaster over 1m 2f (soft) in November last year.
12	LA PULGA	Winner of six races from 7f to 1m 6f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft and on the all-weather. Beaten 1 1/2l by Wonder Legend when second of 7 at 5-2 on his latest outing at Southwell over 1m 6f in November last year.
13	FAYLAQ	Winner of five races from 1m 2f to 1m 6f on good and good to soft ground and on the all-weather. Finished 9l behind Zarabanda when fourth of 9 at 9-2 on his latest outing at Hamilton over 1m 1f (soft) in September last year.
14	STRUTH	Successful at 1m and 1m 4f on good to firm and soft ground. Finished 10l behind Subsequent when fourth of 5 at 9-1 on his latest outing at Newmarket over 1m 6f (soft) in August last year.

RACE 5: DARLEY EBF MAIDEN STAKES (GBB/GBBPLUS RACE) (CLASS 2) (3YO ONLY) (FROM MUSSELBURGH RACE 5)

AMALFINA - CANAVAN - IVATT

Race Preview: Cases can be made for all of these so only a tentative vote can go to AMALFINA. Outpaced over the mile at Doncaster on her debut in October, the daughter of Nathaniel will relish a step up in trip and she appeals as the type to progress over middle distances this term. Canavan might be a longer term prospect, but he showed clear promise last season and is another likely to benefit from a considerable rise in distance, while Ivatt appeals most of the remainder.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	CANAVAN	Yet to place in three starts. Finished 6l behind Jachin when fourth of 11 at 17-2 on his latest outing at Catterick over 7f (soft) in October last year.
2	IVATT	Beaten 2 1/4l by Tremorgio when second of 7 at 16-1 on his racecourse debut at Newmarket over 1m 2f (soft) in October last year.
3	WISE COUNSELLOR	Placed once in two starts. Beaten 1/2l by Our 'Enery when second of 4 at 18-1 on his latest outing at Wolverhampton over 1m 4f last month.
4	AMALFINA	Finished 6l behind Janey Mackers when fourth of 8 at 15-2 on her racecourse debut at Doncaster over 1m (soft) in October last year.

5	CASPI STAR	Placed once in three starts. Beaten 1 3/4l by Lady Vivian when second of 7 at 7-2 on her latest outing at Southwell over 1m 4f last month.
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RACE 6: LIVESCORE BET FILLIES' HANDICAP (CLASS 3) (4YO PLUS) (FROM MUSSELBURGH RACE 6)

EPIDAVROS - REACH - ALESSIA FERNANDA

Race Preview: EPIDAVROS put in a promising display when fifth on her seasonal debut at Southwell a couple of weeks ago and, with the benefit of that outing, Katie Scott's filly could be hard to stop here. Reach struggled on her final couple of starts last year but should not be underestimated on her return to action, while similar comments apply to Alessia Fernanda.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	YORKSHIRE LADY	Winner of six races from 7f to 1m 2f on ground varying from good to firm to heavy. Beaten 1/2l by Two Brothers when second of 14 at 7-1 on her latest flat outing at York over 1m 2f (soft) in October last year.
2	REACH	She has won four times from 1m 2f to 1m 4f on good to firm and good to soft ground. Beaten 17l behind Zouzanna at 9-2 when 10th of 12 on her latest outing at Newmarket over 1m (good to firm) in September last year.
3	ZAPPHIRE	Successful at 7f and 1m on good to firm and good to soft ground. Finished 1 1/2l behind Ziggy's Phoenix when fourth of 10 at 4-1 on her latest outing at Newmarket over 1m (soft) in October last year.
4	SAMRA STAR	A winner at 1m 1f on the all-weather. Beaten 6l behind Arcadian Nights at 5-1 when eighth of 9 on her latest outing at Chelmsford City over 1m 2f in January. Having her first run for a new stable today, previously with Richard Hughes.
5	ALESSIA FERNANDA	A winner at 1m on yielding ground. Beaten 14l behind Rhythm King at 20-1 when 13th of 17 on her latest outing at Curragh over 1m (yielding - soft) in November last year. Having her first run for a new stable today, previously with D K Weld in Ireland.
6	EPIDAVROS	Successful at 1m and 1m 1f on good to soft and soft ground. Finished 2 3/4l behind Down To The Kid when fifth of 12 at 66-1 on her latest outing at Southwell over 1m earlier this month.

RACE 7: VIRGIN BET HANDICAP (CLASS 4) (4YO PLUS) (FROM MUSSELBURGH RACE 7)

ZARZYNI - KNICKS - ONLY SPOOFING

Race Preview: ZARZYNI was arguably an unlucky loser when a close third over C&D last Sunday as he met with plenty of trouble in running. With a clear passage here, the veteran could provide his supporters with some valuable compensation. However, Knicks also did not get the clearest of runs when narrowly ahead in second that day and is another to consider. Only Spoofing took the spoils on that occasion but a 4lb penalty could leave him vulnerable.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	MOONSTONE BOY	He has won three times at 5f on soft and heavy ground and on the all-weather. Finished 4 1/2l behind Trilby when fourth of 8 at 10-1 on his latest outing at Haydock over 5f (heavy) in October last year.
2	BALON D'OR	Successful twice at 5f on good and good to soft ground. Beaten 4 1/2l behind Crimson Sand at 18-1 when seventh of 9 on his latest outing at Chelmsford City over 6f in October last year.
3	ZARZYNI	He has won four times from 5f to 7f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Third of 14 behind Only Spoofing beaten 1l at 9-2 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.

4	ARECIBO	Winner of six races from 5f to 6f on ground varying from good to firm to soft and on the all-weather, but last win was over three years ago. Beaten 6l behind Only Spoofing at 11-1 when eighth of 14 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.
5	PROFITABLE EDGE	She has won three times at 5f on ground varying from good to firm to soft. Beaten 9l behind Mon Na Slieve at 17-2 when last of 8 on her latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.
6	WATER OF LEITH	Has won ten races from 5f to 6f on good to firm and good ground and on the all-weather. Finished 4l behind Only Spoofing when fourth of 14 at 14-1 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.
7	ETERNAL SUNSHINE	Winner of five races from 5f to 6f on good to firm and good ground. Beaten 6l behind Only Spoofing at 13-2 when 9th of 14 on her latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.
8	OUR ABSENT FRIENDS	Winner of five races from 5f to 6f on good to soft and soft ground and on the all-weather. Beaten 6l behind Monks Dream at 15-2 when seventh of 8 on his latest outing at Newcastle over 5f last month.
9	KNICKS	Successful at 5f and 6f on good and soft ground. Beaten a short head by Only Spoofing when second of 14 at 15-2 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.
10	ONLY SPOOFING	Has won 14 races at 5f on good to firm and good ground. Won on his latest outing when 4-1fav over this course and distance (good) earlier this month, beating Knicks by a short head. Carries a 4lb penalty today for that success.
11	ZAPHEA	Winner of five races at 5f on ground varying from good to heavy. A winner at 33-1 over this course and distance (good to soft) on her latest outing in November last year, beating Royal Duke by a nose.
12	CLASSY AL	He has won four times from 5f to 7f on ground varying from good to firm to good to soft. Beaten 10l behind Only Spoofing at 20-1 when 13th of 14 on his latest outing over this course and distance (good) earlier this month.

RACE 8: RACE AND REST - WOLVERHAMPTON HOLIDAY INN NOVICE STAKES (GBB RACE) (CLASS 4) (3YO PLUS) (FROM WOLVERHAMPTON RACE 2)

RED SAND - WARRIOR MODE - ARUNDEL

Race Preview: RED SAND won a decent novice at Goodwood in May and although not seen since, Ed Walker's colt could be useful and, being related to a couple of winners on the all-weather, it would come as no surprise were he good enough to defy a penalty. Warrior Mode provided Sir Mark Prescott with a winning debutant over C&D recently so he should not be underestimated, while Arundel, who shaped with promise over a mile at Southwell recently, is also noted.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	JOLLY ROGER	Won on his latest outing when 5-4fav at Kempton over 7f in December last year, beating Winston's Warrior by 3l.
2	RED SAND	A winner at 7-2 at Goodwood over 6f (good) on his latest outing in May last year, beating Arabian Sun by 2 1/2l.
3	WARRIOR MODE	Half-brother to Tranquil Night, won twice at 7f and 1m. A winner at 5-2 over this course and distance on his latest outing last month, beating Excellent Believe by 1 1/2l.

4	ARUNDEL	Unplaced in both starts. Third of 7 behind Sibling Rivalry beaten 3 1/2l at 9-1 on his latest outing at Southwell over 1m last month.
5	BOWFELL	Half-brother to Bowland Park, won four times between 7f and 1m 2f.
6	KENTUCKY RIVER	Unplaced in both starts. Finished 2 3/4l behind Aegean Prince when fourth of 13 at 5-1 on his latest outing at Kempton over 1m 3f in December last year.
7	KILIMA	Half-brother to Banzari, won five times between 1m and 1m 3f including a Group 3 race.
8	REDS AND WOLVES	Half-brother to Indiana Grey, won four times at 7f and 1m. Finished 10l behind Carron when fifth of 11 at 11-1 on his racecourse debut over this course and distance earlier this month.
9	SKIBO	Placed once in two starts. Third of 7 behind Gazeley beaten 2l at 11-4 on his latest outing at Goodwood over 1m (good to soft) in August last year.
10	WAVE RIDER	Placed once in two starts. Third of 13 behind Sallaal beaten 1 1/2l at 9-4fav on his latest outing at Yarmouth over 7f (soft) in October last year.
11	ZERO ZERO	Half-brother to Philipsburg, won six times at 5f and 6f. Well beaten at 22-1 behind Marvelman when 10th of 12 on his racecourse debut at Kempton over 7f last month.
12	SKYLER	Dam a lightly raced maiden. Finished 6l behind Scattering Light when sixth of 7 at 15-2 on her racecourse debut here over 6f last month. Having her first run for a new stable today, previously with James Tate.

RACE 9: DOWNLOAD THE AT THE RACES APP HANDICAP (CLASS 5) (4YO PLUS) (FROM WOLVERHAMPTON RACE 3)

GINCIDENT - NOVAK - HOW'S THE GUVNOR

Race Preview: A confident vote goes to GINCIDENT, who was able to justify strong market support to win on his stable debut at Leicester earlier this month. He's now 3lb higher back on the all-weather but that should be no barrier to further success, and a low draw ought to be favourable too. Drawn next door to the selection, Novak should be a threat from an unchanged mark, having struck the woodwork at Southwell last time out. How's The Guvnor looked in need of the outing here last month, but it would come as no surprise were he to show more today.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	GINCIDENT	Winner of five races from 7f to 1m 1f including 3 wins on the all-weather. Won on his latest outing when evens fav at Leicester over 7f (good to firm) earlier this month, beating Marlay Park by a neck.
2	NOVAK	Has won eight races from 6f to 7f including 4 wins on the all-weather. Beaten 1/2l by The Organiser when second of 9 at 13-2 on his latest outing at Southwell over 7f last month.
3	HOW'S THE GUVNOR	A winner at 6f. Beaten 20l behind Mr Baloo at 12-1 when last of 8 on his latest outing here over 1m 1f last month.

4	DOUBLE TIME	He has won four times from 1m to 1m 1f including 3 wins on the all-weather (2 PO). Finished 11l behind Asteverdi when last of 6 at 9-2 on his latest outing at Nottingham over 1m (soft) in October last year. Having his first run for a new stable today.
5	ULTRAMARINE	Winner of five races from 6f to 7f on the all-weather (3 PO). Finished 4 1/2l behind Westmorian when fifth of 7 at 9-2 on his latest outing at Southwell over 6f last month.
6	PERENNIAL	A winner at 7f. Beaten 10l behind Al Ameen at 11-1 when seventh of 13 on his latest outing at Kempton over 7f earlier this month.
7	ENTHUSED	He has won three times from 1m 2f to 1m 4f, but last win was over two years ago. Beaten 6l behind Ata Rangi at 50-1 when eighth of 12 on his latest outing at Kempton over 1m earlier this month.
8	HARBOUR VISION	Has won 14 races from 7f to 1m 1f including 13 wins on the all-weather (5 PO). Beaten 7l behind Mister Mojito at 28-1 when 9th of 11 on his latest outing at Lingfield over 7f earlier this month.

RACE 10: SKY SPORTS RACING SKY 415 FILLIES' HANDICAP (CLASS 5) (3YO ONLY) (FROM WOLVERHAMPTON RACE 4)

I'LL GIVE IT A GO - MAGIC RUNNER - ROMANTIC SPIRIT

Race Preview: A 5lb rise for winning over C&D recently is a concern for Romantic Spirit but she should not be discounted. However, preference is for I'LL GIVE IT A GO, who has shown plenty of promise in novice/maiden company and an opening mark of 67 should be workable on her handicap bow. Magic Runner was narrowly denied over this track and trip when last seen in December and is another with strong form claims.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	I'LL GIVE IT A GO	Placed twice in three starts. Third of 7 behind Live Aid beaten 2l at 4-5fav on her latest outing at Southwell over 1m last month.
2	MAGIC RUNNER	Placed once in four starts. Beaten a head by Magna Gee Gee when second of 7 at 17-2 on her latest outing over this course and distance in December last year.
3	ZARAQUELLE	Yet to place in three starts. Beaten 11l behind Misty Sky at 25-1 when eighth of 12 on her latest outing at Newmarket over 7f (soft) in October last year.
4	SILENT AFFAIR	Yet to place in three starts. Finished 9l behind Marhaba Ghaiyyath when fourth of 9 at 25-1 on her latest outing over this course and distance last month.
5	ROMANTIC SPIRIT	A winner at 14-1 over this course and distance on her latest outing last month, beating Flaïne by a head.
6	IT'S LIFE	Yet to place in four starts. Beaten 20l behind Sharma D'amour at 66-1 when eighth of 9 on her latest outing at Lingfield over 1m earlier this month.

RACE 11: SKY SPORTS RACING VIRGIN 535 HANDICAP (CLASS 6) (4YO PLUS) (FROM WOLVERHAMPTON RACE 5)

SLOWDOWNBARNEY - MOON OVER THE SEA - GRAND DUCHESS OLGA

Race Preview: SLOWDOWNBARNEY had plenty in hand when winning over C&D 12 days ago and the Irish raider is very hard to oppose, despite a 7lb rise. Moon Over The Sea also scored over this track and trip on his most recent outing and could prove to be the main threat to the selection, although Grand Duchess Olga and Black Smoke should not be discounted.

NO.	HORSE NAME	RACE COMMENT
1	SLOWDOWNBARNEY	A winner at 4-1 over this course and distance on his latest outing earlier this month, beating Sydney Seabreeze by 5l.
2	EMACULATE SOLDIER	Placed twice in eight starts. Finished 8l behind Green Team when sixth of 7 at 20-1 on his latest outing here over 1m 4f last month.
3	LASER FOCUS	He has won three times from 1m 2f to 1m 4f. Beaten 7l behind Egoiste at 40-1 when 10th of 12 on his latest outing at Kempton over 1m 4f earlier this month.
4	PAYMENT PLAN	He has won three times at 2m on the all-weather. Finished 12l behind Star Legend when last of 5 at 7-2 on his latest outing at Chelmsford City over 1m 6f last month.
5	GRAND DUCHESS OLGA	She has won three times from 1m 6f to 2m on polytrack. Third of 9 behind Daaris beaten 4 1/2l at 10-1 on her latest outing over this course and distance last month.
6	MOON OVER THE SEA	Winner of seven races from 1m to 1m 6f including 6 wins on the all-weather (1 PO). A winner at 10-3 over this course and distance on his latest outing last month, beating Alex The Great by 1/2l.
7	BLACK SMOKE	He has won four times from 1m 2f to 1m 6f including 3 wins on the all-weather. Finished 6l behind Fine Print when fourth of 9 at 18-1 on his latest outing over this course and distance earlier this month.