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Bet365 Handicap Chase (Class 2) (5YO plus)

TRIFECTA JACKPOT 6 PLACEPOT QUADPOT SCOOP 6

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		343120-	TENOR NIVERNAIS (FR) 287 CD b g Shaanmer - Hosanna li	11 11 - 12	Aidan Coleman Miss V Williams	157
2		2P-5PP2	SHANTOU FLYER (IRE) 19 D b g Shantou - Carrigmorna Flyer	8 11 - 8tp	Mitchell Bastyan (5) Richard Hobson	153
3		124-11	ACTING LASS (IRE) 9 D b g King's Theatre - Darrens Lass	7 10 - 12t	N D Fehily Harry Fry	143
4		00-PU11	ROBINSHILL (IRE) 54 ch g Robin Des Champs - I Remember It Well	7 10 - 12t	Mr Z Baker (5) N A Twiston-Davies	143
5		22112P-	MINELLA DADDY (IRE) 390 C b g Flemensfirth - Old Moon	8 10 - 8b	Sean Bowen P Bowen	139
6		222191	GUITAR PETE (IRE) 35 D gr g Dark Angel - Innishmore	8 10 - 8	Ryan Day (3) N G Richards	139
7		158-236	KILCREA VALE (IRE) 35 BF b g Beneficial - Inflation	8 10 - 6	J McGrath N J Henderson	137
8		313-111	FOREST DES AIGLES (FR) 36 b g Balko - Rose des Aigles	7 10 - 2t	2nd Preference Miss Lucinda V Russell	133
9		5-53517	FORTUNATE GEORGE (IRE) 28 CD b g Oscar - Fine Fortune	8 10 - 2v	L P Aspell Miss E C Lavelle	133

ATR VERDICT: A tricky contest but the marginal preference is for GUITAR PETE, who appears to have been rejuvenated since switching to Nicky Richards' yard last year. The former Triumph Hurdle third won at Wetherby in November and was successful again at Cheltenham last time, although he may have been a slightly lucky winner on that occasion due to Starchitect unfortunately sustaining a fatal injury. That said, he beat the rest very well and a 5lb rise is fair, while it can be easily argued that this race is a lot weaker. The in-form pair of Acting Lass and Robinshill both have to be respected, while Fortunate George has an each-way shout.

Top Tip: GUITAR PETE (6)
Watch out for: ACTING LASS (3)