

(R1) 12:40 PUNCHESTOWN, 2m 6f 100y

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TRIFECTA PLACEPOT

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		070/00P	ANGE D'OR JAVILEX (FR) 15 b g Puit D'or - Ixia De Menil	9 11 - 12p	D N Russell G Elliott	-
2		178800	ARCH MELODY 8 b g Arcadio - Shouland	7 11 - 12	B Hayes J Morrison	-
3		2PPF2P	CARLITOS BAY 56 b g Definite Article - Avitta	8 11 - 12bt	D J Mullins Peter Fahey	109
4		200936	FRANKLY ALL TALK 18 b g Fracas - Take My Word	6 11 - 12	A Ring R K Watson	-
5		0/08P- P0	GOLDEN SILENCE 13 b g Shirocco - Guarantia	9 11 - 12	B Browne (5) V C Ward	-
6		P-05375	GUIDED BY YOU 35 b g Getaway - Black Ouzel	6 11 - 12	S W Flanagan N Meade	109
7		3/657-00	KAYF THOU (GB) 18 br g Kayf Tara - Labelthou	8 11 - 12	L P Dempsey G Elliott	-
8		3-6P589	LIAR'S DICE 15 b g Milan - Dancing Baloo	6 11 - 12t	J M Moore Miss E Doyle	-
9		U58487	LOUPGAROU (FR) 13 g g Martaline - Jasminette Doree	7 11 - 12bt	R M Power Mrs J Harrington	109
10		077-184	ROXBORO ROAD 12 b g Oscar - Pretty Neat	6 11 - 12	M P Walsh T M Walsh	-
11		512U36	SMITHSCORNER 16 br g Kadeed - Roundhill	8 11 - 12	J W Kennedy Michael G Kennedy	-
12		48310-2	YOUNG PADDYMC 15 D b g Stowaway - Vicky Serenade	7 11 - 12	D E Mullins T Gibney	-

ATR VERDICT: CARLITOS BAY was travelling nicely over course and distance in November when an error four from home brought an end to his chances, but he was second against useful opposition at Down Royal the time before and should play a leading part here with a clear round. Young Paddymc is sure to be popular having finished second at Limerick, although he seems an out-and-out stayer and may not be seen at his best until tried over marathon trips. Roxboro Road is worth keeping an eye on for shrewd connections having not been asked too many questions when fourth at Tramore on his chasing debut.

Top Tip: CARLITOS BAY (3)

Watch out for: YOUNG PADDYMC (12)



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(R2) 13:15 PUNCHESTOWN, 2m 4f

Total Event Rental Novice Chase (Grade 3) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

TRIFECTA PLACEPOT

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		50/3-211	WINTER ESCAPE 70 D b g Robin Des Pres - Saddleruppat	8 11 - 8	M P Walsh A A Howard	138
2		314F22	CUBOMANIA 1 D roa g Halling - Surrealism	6 11 - 5t	D Meyler G Elliott	139
3		00-31PF	BEN DUNDEE 15 CD ch g Beneficial - Miss Dundee	7 11 - 1t	L P Dempsey G Elliott	-
4		14P9-F5	BEYOND THE LAW 18 b g Westerner - Thegoodwans Sister	7 11 - 1	A Ring M F Morris	-
5		47-1273	BLOW BY BLOW 15 C D ch g Robin Des Champs - Shean Rose	8 11 - 1bt	P Townend G Elliott	143
6		2P0-321	GUN DIGGER 16 D ch g Stowaway - Booley Bay	7 11 - 1p	J W Kennedy G Elliott	-
7		28-U134	JETZ 18 D b g Flemensfirth - Miss Squiff	7 11 - 1	R M Power Mrs J Harrington	145
8		5P85-14	POLI ROI (FR) 46 BF b g Poliglote - Belle Du Roi	7 11 - 1tp	M A Enright G Elliott	-
9		2231-21	A PLUS TARD (FR) 26 bay g Kapgarde - Turboka	5 10 - 8	Rachael Blackmore H de Bromhead	-

ATR VERDICT: Gordon Elliott declared five and the best may be Leopardstown winner GUN DIGGER, who seeks to build on his 18-length romp over Christmas. Stablemate Blow By Blow got the better of the selection in a Grade 3 over hurdles last winter but the Cheltenham Festival winner has been slightly disappointing on his most recent outings, while Ben Dundee's jumping has let him down the last twice. A Plus Tard is another useful recruit to Cheveley Park's squad of jumpers, and the Listed winner in France saw off some useful rivals when scoring at Naas. Winter Escape is hard to rule out in search of a hat-trick having landed a Graded contest at Cork back in November.

Top Tip: GUN DIGGER (6)

Watch out for: A PLUS TARD (9)

(R3) 13:45 PUNCHESTOWN, 2m 4f

Adare Manor Opportunity Handicap Chase (0-116) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

TRIFECTA JACKPOT 4 PLACEPOT

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		3F611F	PEACOCKS SECRET 38 D b g Court Cave - Secret Can't Say	7 11 - 12b	B Browne (2) J J Hanlon	116
2		948585	I'M AN IZZ WIZZ 28 D ch g Desert King - Lovely Native	11 11 - 7	A W Short L Lennon	111
3		14P-67P	DUNDRUM LAD 50 D b g Westerner - Oscars Princess	9 11 - 6	L P Gilligan (4) Ms M Mullins	110
4		40-6804	MARKET'S FIELD 17 D br g Stowaway - Carey's Lodge	7 11 - 6	D J McInerney E Bolger	110
5		4P-7P43	OSCAR LANTERN 18 C b g Milan - Handy Cash	10 11 - 4p	R P Treacy E McNamara	108
6		352-154	TAKE THE CASH 15 D b g Cloudings - Taking My Time	10 11 - 2p	D P Maxwell (4) Andrew McNamara	106
7		1UF425	WELL TOM 13 b g Well Chosen - Overthemas	7 10 - 11t	D P Holden (4) Aengus King	101

ATR VERDICT: PEACOCKS SECRET was travelling well and in the mix when falling on his hat-trick bid at Clonmel. He must have leading claims off just a 1lb higher mark and is sure to go close, over a distance he thrives at, if none the worse for that fall. Market's Field was a winner of his only chase start, which came over this trip, and he may be the pick of the JP McManus duo. Oscar Lantern and Take The Cash are worthy of a market check as well.

Top Tip: PEACOCKS SECRET (1)

Watch out for: MARKET'S FIELD (4)

(R4) 14:20 PUNCHESTOWN, 3m 1f 100y

Punchestown Amateur National (Q.R.) Handicap Chase (Class 1) (5YO plus)

TRIFECTA JACKPOT 4 PLACEPOT

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		PB4836	TEACHER'S PET 18 b m Oscar - Castlecrossings	8 12 - 0t	Miss A B O'Connor (5) J P Dempsey	128
2		320726	MAJOR DESTINATION 12 b g Dubai Destination - Clara Allen	8 11 - 12b1t	Mr E Walsh (7) N Meade	126
3		9-24252	WHISPERINTHEBREEZE (GB) 16 gre g Kayf Tara - Silver Spinner	6 11 - 12p	Mr F Maguire (3) Mrs J Harrington	126
4		225-103	AHERLOW 22 b g Oscar - Inchagreine	7 11 - 9	Mr M J O'Hare (3) H de Bromhead	123
5		2259-4P	UNDRESSED (FR) 16 BF b g Lost World - Latitude	11 11 - 5	Mr P W Mullins W P Mullins	119
6		156058	AMAULINO (FR) 15 bay g Saint Des Saints - Sea Well	6 11 - 2h1	Mr F Stack (7) R K Watson	116
7		3F-5623	SNUGSBOROUGH HALL 18 C BF b g Beneficial - Saddlers Arc	8 11 - 2h	Mr R W Barron (7) L P Cusack	116
8		312212	SE MO LAOCH 12 C D BF ch g Golden Tornado - Trapped	8 11 - 1p	Mr E Mahon (7) Brian M McMahon	115
9		673465	HUGO 'N TAZ (GB) 18 b g Kayf Tara - Ryde To Arms	8 10 - 10tp1	Mr J Hogan (7) Denis Hogan	110
10		P514P4	DOUBLE PORTRAIT 22 b g Portrait Gallery - Dummy Run	7 10 - 4bt	Mr N Brennan (7) S J Mahon	104
11		1U63R7	THE BALLYBOYS 15 BF b g Westerner - Flame Supreme	9 10 - 4t1	Mr A M King (7) R Hackett	104

Long Handicap: The Ballyboys 9 - 13

ATR VERDICT: It might pay to side with SE MO LAOCH in what looks a tricky puzzle for punters to solve. The eight-year-old has been running consistently well for a number of months, gets on well with this jockey (won and placed twice in three starts), and another bold bid is expected. Snugsborough Hall chased home the selection here and backed that up with another solid placed effort at Down Royal. He is likely to be in the shake-up again, while handicap debutant Whisperinthebreeze and Major Destination, equipped with first-time blinkers, are just a couple more with claims.

Top Tip: SE MO LAOCH (8)

Watch out for: SNUGSBOROUGH HALL (7)

(R5) 14:50 PUNCHESTOWN, 2m

Sky Bet Moscow Flyer Novice Hurdle (Grade 2) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

TRIFECTA JACKPOT 4 PLACEPOT

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		65-1752	FELIX DESJY (FR) 18 CD ch g Maresca Sorrento - Lamadoun	6 11 - 2	S W Flanagan G Elliott	135
2		2/2-1	HARRIE (FR) 31 che g Le Havre - Honorable Love	7 11 - 2	R Walsh W P Mullins	-
3		26-2126	JAN MAAT (GER) 17 D BF g g Electric Beat - Jeanine	6 11 - 2	Rachael Blackmore H de Bromhead	120
4		4-15421	JETEZ 17 D b g Getaway - Miss Squiff	6 11 - 2	R M Power Mrs J Harrington	136
5		6-21	SWORDSMAN 12 br g Doyen - Battle Over	5 11 - 0	J W Kennedy G Elliott	-
6		1215-1	BUILDMEUPBUTTERCUP (GB) 36 D ch m Sixties Icon - Eastern Paramour	5 10 - 7	P Townend W P Mullins	-

ATR VERDICT: Willie Mullins has an excellent record in this contest, winning seven of the last 10 renewals, and the Closutton maestro has two big chances this time around with Buildmeupbuttercup and HARRIE. The former was a smart bumper performer last season for Mick Channon and won a 29-runner maiden on her hurdling debut/first outing for this stable last month. She receives the mares' allowance and makes plenty of appeal, but slight preference is for her stablemate, who travelled and jumped with real purpose when winning his maiden hurdle over 2m5f at Tramore, two assets that will stand him in great stead now dropping back in distance. The French import also moves as though he will improve for this switch to a faster surface. Leopardstown handicap winner Jetez has a definite chance, while Swordsman might prove best of the Gigginstown trio.

Top Tip: HARRIE (2)









Watch out for: BUILDMEUPBUTTERCUP (6)

(R6) 15:20 PUNCHESTOWN, 2m

Sportinglife.com Maiden Hurdle (Class 1) (5YO plus)

TRIFECTA JACKPOT 4 PLACEPOT

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		1/4-231	ACTIVE FORCE 15 br g Oscar - Terracotta Queen	6 11 - 12	S W Flanagan N Meade	-
2		U209UF	CLASSIC CONCORDE 16 b g Shantou - Morning Calm	6 11 - 12	D P Maxwell (7) Andrew McNamara	-
3		7-P8	MADDENSTOWN 18 br g Presenting - Supreme Dreamer	6 11 - 12t	D Meyler A Fleming	-
4		9	MUTADAFFEQ 18 b g New Approach - Saajidah	6 11 - 12	A E Lynch G P Cromwell	-
5		6-0	NO ADMISSION 18 br g Kaieteur - Pomme Pomme	6 11 - 12	R A Doyle (5) L Comer	-
6			NO WAY JACK b g Thewayyouare - Joint Destiny	7 11 - 12t	C D Maxwell P Martin	-
7		3-008	ROBBIES MAGIC 12 b g Robin Des Pres - Rainbow Times	6 11 - 12	D J McInerney (3) R Hackett	-
8		7	SONG OF NAMIBIA 18 br g Cape Cross - Spring Symphony	8 11 - 12	M A Enright G Elliott	-
9		7	THE TARTAN SPARTAN 15 ch c The Carbon Unit - The Real Thing	6 11 - 12	D J Mullins Andrew Hughes	-
10			CIRCLING MOON D b g Lope De Vega - Jebel Musa	5 11 - 10	B Browne (5) O McKiernan	-
11			CRAY b g Rip Van Winkle - Amaya	5 11 - 10	G N Fox G P Cromwell	-
12		6/1-	ELIXIR D'AINAY (FR) 421 che g Muhtathir - Perle Du Bocage	5 11 - 10	M P Walsh W P Mullins	-
13		UF	HUMBLE BEGININGS 35 b g Sans Frontieres - Dubh Alainn	5 11 - 10	R P Treacy (3) D M O'Brien	-
14		970	KEARNEY (GB) 18 ch g Medicean - Moonlight Mystery	5 11 - 10t	J M Moore N Meade	-
15		7	POSEIDON 17 ch g Born To Sea - Maskaya	5 11 - 10	C A Landers (5) C Byrnes	-
16		6	PROSECUTION (GB) 18 b g Lawman - Convention	5 11 - 10	L P Dempsey John Patrick Murtagh	-
17			STEPHENSTOWN (GB) b g Malinas - Moyliscar	5 11 - 10	N P Madden E Griffin	-

18		1-4	VISION D'HONNEUR (FR) 18 BF bay g Vision D'etat - Hembra	5 11 - 10	J W Kennedy G Elliott	-
19		08	WRITE IT DOWN 16 b g Getaway - Kylebeg Krystle	5 11 - 10	J J Slevin Joseph P O'Brien	-
20		08	MOLLYELLA 15 b m Mahler - Niamh's Leader	6 11 - 5	M J Bolger S Byrne	-
21		0	DARLING DAYS (USA) 18 ch m English Channel - Pileiton	5 11 - 3	H P Cleary (7) Michael G Cleary	-
22		F0-U9	UPGRADED 18 b m Acclamation - Dream Club	5 11 - 3t	M F Mooney A J Martin	-
23		90	LUIS VAN ZANDT 18 b g Scorpion - Banrion Na Boinne	5 11 - 10t	Reserve 1 A J Martin	-
24		7570	BLACKYELLOWRED 7 br g Mustameet - Katies Crown	6 11 - 12	Reserve 2 D J Barry	-
25		0-0	FIANCHETTO 36 b m Strategic Prince - Jiran	6 11 - 5p	Reserve 3 Mrs D Foster	-

ATR VERDICT: ACTIVE FORCE boasts some rock-solid bumper form, chasing home the likes of Sancta Simona and Battleoverdoyen before winning at Limerick over the Christmas period, and with a point-to-point victory under his belt, he looks sure to play a leading role on his hurdling debut. Elixir D'Ainay won a bumper in France before joining Willie Mullins and a Grade 1 entry at next month's Dublin Racing Festival suggests that he has been showing plenty at home. Vision D'Honneur also merits consideration having performed well on his Irish/hurdling debut at Leopardstown on St Stephen's Day.

Top Tip: ACTIVE FORCE (1)

Watch out for: ELIXIR D'AINAY (12)

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(R7) 15:50 PUNCHESTOWN, 2m 4f 40y

Leinster Leader Mares Handicap Hurdle (Class 1) (4YO plus)

TRIFECTA

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		263043	TARA DYLAN 12 b m Dylan Thomas - Tara's Wells	7 11 - 10t	D J Mullins T Mullins	115
2		92-0711	STUCKER HILL 31 C bay m Milan - In A Rush	7 11 - 5	D E Mullins W J Lanigan	110
3		603453	MYSLOEGIN 7 D b m Golden Tornado - Kilmore Lady	7 11 - 3t	Rachael Blackmore J R Finn	108
4		143-480	ALOHAMORA 7 ch m English Channel - America Alone	5 10 - 13	Gavin Peter Brouder (7) J A Nash	107
5		072637	DRAKAINA 18 br m Oscar - Night Leader	8 10 - 11t	H Morgan (7) Paul Power	102
6		783-243	MAG BRADY 17 b m Kalanisi - Grangeclare Star	8 10 - 10t	S F O'Keeffe (7) D Hickey	101
7		P6-1806	CITIZEN AL 17 b m Milan - Foreign Citizen	6 10 - 9	Mr M J M O'Sullivan (7) E M O'Sullivan	100
8		U45385	ROBIN ON THE HILL 18 D b m Robin Des Pres - Final Leave	7 10 - 6h	M A Enright A Fogarty	97
9		3-62279	TORQUAY (GB) 18 b m Aqlaam - Torcross	6 10 - 5	C P McNamara (7) E McNamara	96
10		7-03907	IKNOWWHEREIAMNOW 7 b m Arcadio - Presenting Mojito	5 9 - 11h	L P Dempsey J P Dempsey	91

ATR VERDICT: STUCKER HILL arrives here on the back of two victories in the last couple of months and the daughter of Milan is hard to oppose in her bid for a hat-trick. Mag Brady has run well in defeat in both starts this campaign and she should be thereabouts once again, while Tara Dylan is on a workable mark if she can rediscover her best form.

Top Tip: STUCKER HILL (2)

Watch out for: MAG BRADY (6)