







(R7) 15:55 ASCOT, 2m 5f 8y

Betfair Ascot Chase (Grade 1) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		434/5-11	ASO (FR) 46 D b g Goldneyev - Odyssee Du Cellier	9 11 - 7	Charlie Deutsch Miss V Williams	163
2		F-31213	CHARBEL (IRE) 35 b g Iffraaj - Eoz	8 11 - 7p	David Bass K C Bailey	161
3		214-371	CYRNAME (FR) 28 CD b g Nickname - Narquille	7 11 - 7t	H Cobden P F Nicholls	165
4		11/12P-2	FOX NORTON (FR) 28 b g Lando - Natt Musik	9 11 - 7	R M Power C L Tizzard	166
5		1241-14	POLITOLOGUE (FR) 52 CD gr g Poliglote - Scarlet Row	8 11 - 7t	Sam Twiston-Davies P F Nicholls	168
6		11/111-U	WAITING PATIENTLY (IRE) 52 CD b g Flemensfirth - Rossavon	8 11 - 7	B S Hughes Ruth Jefferson	170

ATR VERDICT: WAITING PATIENTLY ran out an impressive winner of this race 12 months ago and, although luckless in the King George subsequently (badly hampered and unseated Brian Hughes at the ninth), everything looks in the place for him to run another massive race. Politologue possibly didn't quite see out the 3m trip in the King George (finishing fourth) and will be much happier cutting back to a distance over which he edged out Charbel in the Grade 2 Christy 1965 Chase here two runs ago. Aso and Cyrname should ensure that there is a good gallop, while Fox Norton is respected following his pleasing reappearance behind the mighty Altior in the Clarence House.

Top Tip: WAITING PATIENTLY (6)

Watch out for: POLITOLOGUE (5)

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