









(R3) 15:10 CHESTER, 7f 1y

Sportesa City Plate Stakes (Listed) (Class 1) (3YO plus)

| No(Dr) | Silk | Form | Horse Details | Age/Wt | Jockey/Trainer | OR |
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| 1 (1) |  | 273100 | MERHOOB (IRE) 15 C D b g Cape Cross - Lady Slippers | 7 9 - 5 | B Doyle J Ryan | 101 |
| 2 (5) |  | 162236 | OH THIS IS US (IRE) 14 CD b h Acclamation - Shamwari Lodge | 6 9 - 5 | C O'Donoghue R Hannon | 110 |
| 3 (4) |  | 105448 | SALATEEN 14 CD ch h Dutch Art - Amanda Carter | 7 9 - 5tp | R P Downey D O'Meara | 100 |
| 4 (7) |  | 948-150 | VANBRUGH (USA) 21 D b c First Defence - Hachita | 4 9 - 5 | Kieran Shoemark C Hills | 107 |
| 5 (2) |  | 2218-81 | BEAUTY FILLY 34 D b f Invincible Spirit - Miss Delila | 4 9 - 0 | R Kingscote W J Haggas | 96 |
| 6 (8) |  | 62541-0 | BLIZZARD 28 D b f Medicean - Moretta Blanche | 4 9 - 0 | DOUBTFUL R M Beckett | 98 |
| 7 (6) |  | 270-552 | HELLS BABE 12 D g m Hellvelyn - Blues In Cee | 6 9 - 0 | Lewis Edmunds M Appleby | 88 |
| 8 (3) |  | 0-54438 | MARIE'S DIAMOND (IRE) 21 C b c Footstepsinthesand - Sindiyima | 3 8 - 11 | Jack Mitchell M Johnston | 104 |

ATR VERDICT: Vanbrugh impressed on his reappearance at Thirsk and finished a fair 10th in the Wokingham at Royal Ascot so could have claims, while Beauty Filly bolted up at Goodwood last time but steps up out of the handicap ranks for this. Oh This Is Us won this race last year and is considered again, but MARIE'S DIAMOND gets the vote. Mark Johnston's colt finished in midfield in the Jersey Stakes last time and his front-running style should be suited to this track.

Top Tip: MARIE'S DIAMOND (8)

Watch out for: VANBRUGH (4)