

(R3) 15:10 CURRAGH, 5f

Friarstown Stud Sapphire Stakes (Group 2) (Class 1) (3YO plus)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (3)		20-6934	CASPIAN PRINCE 8 CD ch g Dylan Thomas - Crystal Gaze	10 9 - 7t	Alistair Rawlinson M Appleby	106
2 (8)		266911	EL ASTRONAUTE 24 CD ch g Approve - Drumcliffe Dancer	6 9 - 7	Jason Hart J J Quinn	111
3 (5)		44-3427	EQUILATERAL (GB) 33 D b c Equiano - Tarentaise	4 9 - 7	C T Keane C Hills	109
4 (6)		412-104	SOUTHERN HORSE (ARG) 22 D b c Roman Ruler - Southern Beauty	4 9 - 7	K J Manning J S Bolger	102
5 (1)		10-5653	RAPID REACTION 24 D ch f Shamardal - Bratislava	4 9 - 4	A J Slattery J F Grogan	90
6 (9)		14-6211	SOFFIA (GB) 44 CD br f Kyllachy - Rime A Rien	4 9 - 4	D P McDonogh E Lynam	104
7 (4)		144-112	GARRUS 15 D g c Acclamation - Queen Of Power	3 9 - 3	K Shoemark C Hills	109
8 (10)		1136-33	SOLDIER'S CALL (GB) 33 D bay c Showcasing - Dijarvo	3 9 - 3	D Tudhope Archie Watson	114
9 (7)		08-0948	FANTASY 37 D b f Invincible Spirit - Cassandra Go	3 9 - 0	R L Moore A P O'Brien	89
10 (2)		1401-15	LETHAL PROMISE 44 D BF b f Invincible Spirit - Lethal Quality	3 9 - 0h	W J Lee W McCreery	101

ATR VERDICT: SOLDIER'S CALL improved upon his seasonal debut to finish third in the King's Stand at Royal Ascot and there was no fluke about that result, having also made the frame in the Prix de l'Abbaye as a two-year-old. He will be very hard to beat if reproducing either of those performances. Equilateral was not too far behind the selection at Ascot and should not be underestimated, as he will be suited by the fast early pace likely to be set. Caspian Prince and El Astronaute are both talented trailblazers but they could be vulnerable to younger legs.

Top Tip: SOLDIER'S CALL (8)
Watch out for: EQUILATERAL (3)