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Galileo Irish Ebf Futurity Stakes (Group 2) (Class 1) (2YO only)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (4)		311	ARMORY 29 CD b c Galileo - After	2 9 - 3	R L Moore A P O'Brien	108
2 (9)		021	GEOMETRICAL 9 ch c Dawn Approach - Symmetrical	2 9 - 3	K J Manning J S Bolger	-
3 (2)		1	IBERIA 34 CD b c Galileo - Beauty Bright	2 9 - 3	D O'Brien A P O'Brien	-
4 (8)		6532	JUNGLE COVE 34 g c Mastercraftsman - Purple Glow	2 9 - 3	S Foley Mrs J Harrington	-
5 (6)		11	JUSTIFIER 12 D ch c Free Eagle - Pale Orchid	2 9 - 3t	C T Keane G M Lyons	-
6 (7)		123	LOPE Y FERNANDEZ 24 CD b c Lope De Vega - Black Dahlia	2 9 - 3	J A Heffernan A P O'Brien	-
7 (3)		4133	REBEL TALE (USA) 12 ch c Tale Of The Cat - Purr And Prowl	2 9 - 3	B M Coen A Slattery	88
8 (5)		11	ROMAN TURBO 34 C b c Holy Roman Emperor - Swish	2 9 - 3	R P Whelan M Halford	100
9 (1)		512	TORONTO 29 b c Galileo - Mrs Marsh	2 9 - 3	W M Lordan A P O'Brien	97

ATR VERDICT: Aidan O'Brien has an outstanding record in this race, winning it with the likes of Anthony Van Dyck, Churchill and Gleneagles since 2014. With that in mind, preference is for ARMORY, who looks bound for the top level based on his impressive victory in the Tyros Stakes at Leopardstown last month. Lope Y Fernandez is an obvious threat to his stablemate but, if the selection is a potential Group 1 performer, he could be vulnerable judged by his performance in the Vintage Stakes. Justifier merits a crack at this level based on his Listed win last time out and he is the pick of the remainder.

Top Tip: ARMORY (1)

Watch out for: LOPE Y FERNANDEZ (6)