

(R1) 12:15 SANDOWN, 1m 7f 216y

Peter & Thelma Brooks Diamond Anniversary 'National Hunt' Novices' Hurdle

(Class 3) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		00/7U	ACT ACCORDINGLY 8 gr g Sagamix - Anns Girl	6 10 - 12	D Crosse J C Fox	-
2		14-37	ARRIVEDERCI (FR) 39 D gr g Martaline - Etoile D'ainay	4 10 - 12	J J Burke Jonjo O'Neill	-
3		2-	BLACK GERRY (IRE) 237 b g Westerner - Triptoshan	4 10 - 12	Joshua Moore G L Moore	-
4		5331-5	DE BARLEY BASKET (IRE) 47 b g Alkaadhem - Lady Willmurt	6 10 - 12t	D A Jacob Ben Pauling	-
5		5-5	ESPION (FR) 28 ch g Coastal Path - Toutamie	5 10 - 12	T J O'Brien P J Hobbs	-
6		5321-22	FIDDLERONTHEROOF (IRE) 28 D BF b g Stowaway - Inquisitive Look	5 10 - 12	R M Power C L Tizzard	137
7		26-68	GREY GETAWAY (IRE) 26 gr g Getaway - Miss Greylands	5 10 - 12	H Cobden P F Nicholls	-
8		1/	NEEDHAMS GAP (IRE) 595 br g Flemensfirth - Blue Maxi	5 10 - 12	J E Moore G L Moore	-
9		803-8	SILVER NICKEL (IRE) 30 gr g Gold Well - Cooper's Rose	5 10 - 12	Kevin Jones (3) J W Mullins	-
10		08-97	STORM FORCE BEN (IRE) 21 b g Fame And Glory - Torduff Storm	5 10 - 12	T Doggrell (7) P J Hobbs	-
11		22	TIMBERMAN (IRE) 30 b g Califet - Millrock Lady	4 10 - 12	B S Hughes N J Henderson	-
12		5/08-6	WATAR ALLSTAR (IRE) 32 ch g Watar - All Star Lady	5 10 - 12p	J M Davies Miss Z C Davison	-
13		121/5-	DAPHNE DU CLOS (FR) 316 D BF b m Spanish Moon - Katarina Du Clos	6 10 - 5	James Bowen N J Henderson	-

ATR VERDICT: 137-rated Colin Tizzard representative FIDDLERONTHEROOF was touched off by under a length at Wincanton and rates the one to beat on his preceding second to Thyme Hill in the Persian War. Timberman is entitled to build on a promising bumper run on his first start under Rules at Newbury and should know his job over hurdles. His stable companion Daphne Du Clos is a Listed bumper winner but is seemingly fragile, having been sighted only once since 2017.

Top Tip: FIDDLERONTHEROOF (6)

Watch out for: TIMBERMAN (11)

(R2) 12:50 SANDOWN, 2m 3f 173y

Elmbridge Mares' Handicap Hurdle (Class 3) (3YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		1F1175	HENRIETTA BELL (IRE) 41 b m Shantou - Close To Shore	6 11 - 12	D A Jacob H Whittington	126
2		33/75-41	CROSSGALESFAMEGAME (IRE) 30 b m Mahler - Fame Forever	5 11 - 11	C Brace (3) F O'Brien	125
3		UF2133-	OUR DOT'S BABY (IRE) 233 b m Helissio - Our Dot	7 11 - 11	James Bowen Miss Z C Davison	125
4		5328-12	AIMEE DE SIVOLA (FR) 28 ch m Network - Neva De Sivola	5 11 - 10	Chester Williams (5) Nick Williams	124
5		1-878	UNE DE LA SENIERE (FR) 90 ch f Noroit - Smabelle	4 11 - 7	Max Kendrick (3) F O'Brien	121
6		093-114	DEPUTY'S OSCAR (IRE) 28 b m Oscar - Shesourpresent	6 11 - 6	C Gethings Stuart Edmunds	120
7		02212-8	VIVA VITTORIA (IRE) 23 b m Stowaway - La Fisarmonica	5 11 - 5	Adam Wedge Miss E C Lavelle	119
8		1530-84	SHANTUNG (IRE) 13 D ch m Shantou - Sarah's Cottage	6 11 - 5	B S Hughes Mrs L Wadham	119
9		3112PP	THE KINGS BABY (IRE) 10 D b m King's Theatre - Assidua	8 11 - 4	Jack Quinlan H Whittington	118
10		1311-PP	YEATS BABY (IRE) 14 b m Yeats - Cabo	7 11 - 4	J M Davies Miss Z C Davison	118
11		3414-51	ORIENTAL CROSS (IRE) 22 D b m Cape Cross - Orion Girl	6 11 - 1t	Alan Johns Tim Vaughan	115
12		9-643	MIDNIGHTREFLECTION 18 b f Midnight Legend - Hymn To Love	4 10 - 11	J J Burke B I Case	111
13		PU13/69 -	DAYTIME AHEAD (IRE) 387 D gr m Daylami - Bright Times Ahead	8 10 - 4	Bryan Carver (7) R J Hodges	104

ATR VERDICT: CROSSGALESFAMEGAME had 12 lengths in hand when opening her account in a maiden hurdle at Market Rasen last month and is expected to remain competitive now moving into handicap company. Aimee De Sivola continues on an upward curve and a 4lb rise for finishing runner-up at Wincanton is unlikely to prevent her from mounting a bold bid. Oriental Cross and Our Dot's Baby look best of the rest.

Top Tip: CROSSGALESFAMEGAME (2)

Watch out for: AIMEE DE SIVOLA (4)

(R3) 13:20 SANDOWN, 2m 7f 98y

Pertemps Network Handicap Hurdle (Class 2) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		230-163	BOYHOOD (IRE) 32 b g Oscar - Glen Dubh	8 11 - 12	J J Burke T R George	139
2		8U3100-	FLEMCARA (IRE) 245 D b g Flemensfirth - Cara Mara	7 11 - 9t	Adam Wedge Miss E C Lavelle	136
3		31/048-1	LORD OF THE ISLAND (IRE) 27 CD b g Heron Island - Miss Morose	11 11 - 9	C Brace (3) F O'Brien	136
4		2276/F7 -	DREAM BERRY (FR) 392 gr g Dream Well - Kalberry	8 11 - 9t	B J Geraghty Jonjo O'Neill	136
5		7P1044/	TAJ BADALANDABAD (IRE) 598 ch g Shantou - Last Chance Lady	9 11 - 6tp	J M Davies D Pipe	133
6		474116-	EUR GONE WEST (IRE) 227 D b g Westerner - Floating Euro	6 11 - 6ht	David Noonan D Pipe	133
7		2P6-861	SILVA ECLIPSE 13 D gr g Multiplex - Linen Line	6 10 - 12	Sam Coltherd (3) Mrs S J Smith	125
8		0773P-7	FORTUNATE GEORGE (IRE) 45 BF b g Oscar - Fine Fortune	9 10 - 10	Henry Platt (10) Miss E C Lavelle	123
9		42-1531	GO WHATEVER (IRE) 19 b g Gold Well - And Whatever Else	5 10 - 6	H Cobden C Gordon	119
10		2U2-33P	SPECIAL ACCEPTANCE 41 b g Malinas - Doubly Guest	6 10 - 4	T J O'Brien P R Webber	117
11		P267-56	CRYSTAL LAD (FR) 26 ch g Kapgarde - Qrystale Mag	7 10 - 1	J E Moore G L Moore	114

ATR VERDICT: GO WHATEVER won going away in a novice hurdle over the extended 2m4f at Plumpton and is a potential improver now stepped up in trip as he makes his handicap bow. Silva Eclipse has been nudged up 3lb for scoring at Uttoxeter but is expected to remain competitive, while C&D winner Lord Of The Island is unlikely to be fazed by the step back up in trip after coming out on top over 2m4f here.

Top Tip: GO WHATEVER (9)

Watch out for: LORD OF THE ISLAND (3)

(R4) 13:50 SANDOWN, 1m 7f 119y

Read Road To Cheltenham At racingtv.com Henry VIII Novices' Chase (Grade 1)

(Class 1) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		121P-24	BEAKSTOWN (IRE) 30 b g Stowaway - Midnight Reel	6 11 - 2t	Non Runner D Skelton	139
2		1410-21	ESPRIT DU LARGE (FR) 24 D b g No Risk At All - Tuffslolyoly	5 11 - 2	Adam Wedge Evan Williams	144
3		4210-F2	GRAND SANCY (FR) 28 D b g Diamond Boy - La Courtille	5 11 - 2h	H Cobden P F Nicholls	152
4		8B36-11	NUBE NEGRA (SPA) 38 D br g Dink - Manly Dream	5 11 - 2t	Harry Skelton D Skelton	146
5		1/1612-3	RETURN TICKET (IRE) 52 D b g Getaway - Capelvenere	6 11 - 2	B S Hughes Ruth Jefferson	130
6		1/474-61	SUMMERVILLE BOY (IRE) 36 CD b g Sandmason - Suny House	7 11 - 2	J J Burke T R George	153
7		140-131	TORPILLO (FR) 17 CD ch g Alanadi - Astherate	4 10 - 10h	D A Jacob N A Twiston-Davies	147

ATR VERDICT: An intriguing clash of some hot chasing prospects and it would be no surprise to see Torpillo attempt to make all as he did when impressing on his fencing bow at Warwick. He may not get an easy time of things up front, with the likes of chasing debutant Grand Sancy and Summerville Boy sure to be snapping at his heels, and if this is run at a breakneck pace, it could play into the hands of Dan Skelton's smooth-travelling hat-trick seeker NUBE NEGRA. The five-year-old has looked an accomplished jumper in his two appearances over the larger obstacles and could announce himself at the top table with success in this.

Top Tip: NUBE NEGRA (4)

Watch out for: TORPILLO (7)

(R5) 14:25 SANDOWN, 1m 7f 216y

Jumeirah Hotels And Resorts December Handicap Hurdle (Listed) (Class 1) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		22116-1	SONG FOR SOMEONE (GER) 20 D ch g Medicean - Sweni Hill	4 11 - 12	James Nixon (5) T Symonds	147
2		F410-36	MALAYA (FR) 15 CD b m Martaline - Clarte D'or	5 11 - 5	H Cobden P F Nicholls	140
3		3111-01	SMARTY WILD 24 D b g Fair Mix - Blaeberry	5 10 - 13	T J O'Brien P J Hobbs	134
4		4/533-32	THEO'S CHARM (IRE) 18 D BF b g Presenting - Kates Charm	9 10 - 11p	J M Davies N J Gifford	132
5		P/2300F -	DISTINGO (IRE) 285 D b g Smart Strike - Distinctive Look	6 10 - 11	Joshua Moore G L Moore	132
6		3113/	AIGUILLE ROUGE (FR) 694 ch m Falco - Avanguardia	5 10 - 7	J E Moore G L Moore	128
7		2U57-2	PROTEKTORAT (FR) 27 BF b g Saint Des Saints - Protektion	4 10 - 7h	Harry Skelton D Skelton	128
8		098688	MAN OF PLENTY 14 CD ch g Manduro - Credit-A-Plenty	10 10 - 2bt	C Gethings Mrs S Leech	123
9		33-1401	SLEEP EASY 23 D b g Rip Van Winkle - Strictly Lambada	7 10 - 2b	C Brace (3) Mrs S Leech	123
10		64-5114	RUACANA 4 D BF b g Cape Cross - Farrfesheena	10 10 - 2p	Miss Millie Wonnacott (7) Miss Z C Davison	123
11		8/732P-1	MACK THE MAN (IRE) 29 D b g Flemensfirth - Nifty Nuala	5 10 - 1	Adam Wedge Evan Williams	122
12		22F3-2	ASHUTOR (FR) 14 gr g Redoute's Choice - Ashalanda	5 10 - 1p1	Bryan Carver (7) P F Nicholls	122
13		2253-24	GROVEMAN 176 (164F) D BF b g Holy Roman Emperor - Raving Monsun	4 10 - 0	B S Hughes Jedd O'Keeffe	121

Long Handicap: Groveman 9 - 13

ATR VERDICT: Paul Nicholls holds a strong hand with Malaya, who is only 4lb higher than when winning the Imperial Cup over C&D in the spring, and Ashutor, who shaped with real promise on his first outing since wind surgery at Huntingdon. Man Of Plenty took this off this mark 12 months ago but has failed to impress of late, with the stable potentially holding better claims with Sleep Easy, who is making his first appearance for the yard. A tentative nod goes the way of PROTEKTORAT, who was only beaten a head in a track-and-trip maiden hurdle and could be leniently treated ahead of this first appearance in the handicap ranks. Smarty Wild and Song For Someone both arrive on the back of victories and command respect, with the tough Theo's Charm sure to relish conditions and worthy of a place on the shortlist too.

Top Tip: PROTEKTORAT (7)
Watch out for: ASHUTOR (12)

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(R6) 15:00 SANDOWN, 1m 7f 119y

Betfair Tingle Creek Chase (Grade 1) (Class 1) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		1211-21	DEFI DU SEUIL (FR) 20 C D b g Voix Du Nord - Quarvine Du Seuil	6 11 - 7	B J Geraghty P J Hobbs	163
2		2315-12	DOLOS (FR) 32 CD b g Kapparde - Redowa	6 11 - 7t	Harry Skelton P F Nicholls	158
3		1/2224-1	JANIKA (FR) 32 b g Saddler Maker - Majaka	6 11 - 7	James Bowen N J Henderson	166
4		22F1-P2	ORNUA (IRE) 28 D ch g Mahler - Merry Heart	8 11 - 7	Aidan Coleman H de Bromhead	154
5		14422-2	POLITOLOGUE (FR) 20 CD gr g Poliglote - Scarlet Row	8 11 - 7ht	H Cobden P F Nicholls	166
6		1/14232-	SCEAU ROYAL (FR) 224 CD b g Doctor Dino - Sandside	7 11 - 7	D A Jacob A King	164
7		211/25-1	UN DE SCEAUX (FR) 221 CD b g Denham Red - Hotesse De Sceaux	11 11 - 7	P Townend W P Mullins	171
8		111/U23	WAITING PATIENTLY (IRE) 246 D b g Flemensfirth - Rossavon	8 11 - 7p	B S Hughes Ruth Jefferson	165

ATR VERDICT: DEFI DU SEUIL accounted for Politologue (second) in the Shloer Chase at Cheltenham last month and is fancied to confirm that form here for Philip Hobbs. The versatile six-year-old proved 20 days ago that he has enough pace to cope with two miles, and probably has the most scope for improvement in this field at the age of just six. Un De Sceaux has had a magnificent career and showed that he had no intention of slowing down when landing Grade 1 honours at Punchestown in April, while Sceau Royal would appreciate drying ground and could be overpriced given his impressive record fresh.

Top Tip: DEFI DU SEUIL (1)
Watch out for: SCEAU ROYAL (6)

(R7) 15:35 SANDOWN, 3m 4f 166y

Betfair London National Handicap Chase (Class 2) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		6103P-1	HOUBLON DES OBEAUX (FR) 27 C b g Panoramic - Harkosa	12 11 - 12p	H F Nugent (5) Miss V Williams	150
2		614P-53	ROYAL VACATION (IRE) 28 b g King's Theatre - Summer Break	9 11 - 9b	R M Power C L Tizzard	147
3		11/76P3	STEP BACK (IRE) 224 CD ch g Indian River - Stepitoutmary	9 11 - 6p	J E Moore M Bradstock	144
4		P14P1P	CAROLE'S DESTRIER 238 CD b g Kayf Tara - Barton May	11 11 - 4p	R T Dunne N P Mulholland	142
5		1730-35	DRAGON D'ESTRUAL (FR) 15 b g Enrique - Rose d'estruval	6 11 - 2	D A Jacob N J Henderson	140
6		8441-62	SHARP RESPONSE (IRE) 14 b g Oscar - Lambourne Lace	8 11 - 0	Adam Wedge Mrs S J Smith	138
7		4/RP31-U	CONINGSBY 15 ch g Midnight Legend - Motcombe	6 10 - 12b	Stan Sheppard (3) Tom Lacey	136
8		31262-6	VINNIE LEWIS (IRE) 48 b g Vinnie Roe - Ballyann Lewis	8 10 - 9	Aidan Coleman H Whittington	133
9		25314-4	CLASSIC BEN (IRE) 24 C BF b g Beneficial - Dark Daisy	6 10 - 8p	C Gethings Stuart Edmunds	132
10		42774-4	SHANROE SANTOS (IRE) 20 C b g Definite Article - Jane Hall	10 10 - 8b	B S Hughes Mrs L Wadham	132
11		9P/693-P	GET ON THE YAGER 42 b g Tamure - Florentino	9 10 - 6t1p1	Harry Skelton D Skelton	130
12		197-679	RATHLIN ROSE (IRE) 20 C b g Bonbon Rose - A Plus Ma Puce	11 10 - 4b	David Noonan D Pipe	128
13		38624/2	DARK FLAME (IRE) 27 C b g Gold Well - Glorys Flame	10 10 - 2	J M Davies R Rowe	126
14		455514	DOING FINE (IRE) 43 b g Presenting - Howaya Pet	11 10 - 0tp	P K Donovan (7) N P Mulholland	124

ATR VERDICT: STEP BACK put in a career-best performance when winning the big end-of-season handicap over C&D in April 2018 and could get his own way in front under Jamie Moore, who partnered Mark Bradstock's charge on that occasion. He has had a wind operation over the summer and the ground appears to have come right for him. Classic Ben was fourth on his reappearance at Bangor but can be opposed off this mark at the likely prices, while Royal Vacation ran a blinder for third in the Badger Ales at Wincanton and won't be deterred by the additional yardage.

Top Tip: STEP BACK (3)

Watch out for: ROYAL VACATION (2)

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