

(R7) 16:40 WARWICK, 2m 4f

Feldon Dunsmore Budbrooke Handicap Chase (Class 2) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		F/113P-8	VIRGILIO (FR) 15 CD b g Denham Red - Liesse De Marbeuf	11 11 - 12t	William Marshall (7) D Skelton	149
2		1-14853	THE BAY BIRCH (IRE) 28 C D b m Beneficial - Tournant Vic	9 11 - 6t	Stan Sheppard M Sheppard	143
3		001-567	BIGMARTRE (FR) 56 D b g Montmartre - Oh La Miss	9 11 - 6	G Sheehan H Whittington	143
4		4-14215	STORM CONTROL (IRE) 29 BF b g September Storm - Double Dream	7 11 - 2tp	J E Moore Miss Kerry Lee	139
5		28-3UP1	SIR IVAN 48 b g Midnight Legend - Tisho	10 10 - 13tp	Bryan Carver (5) Harry Fry	136
6		01-0075	AZZURI 41 b g Azamour - Folly Lodge	8 10 - 13t	Harry Skelton D Skelton	136
7		45P-7P2	SPRINGTOWN LAKE (IRE) 56 D b g Gamut - Sprightly Gal	8 10 - 12	T J O'Brien P J Hobbs	135
8		42F1R2	CLOUDY GLEN (IRE) 20 D b g Cloudings - Ribble	7 10 - 12	Charlie Deutsch Miss V Williams	135
9		59-U312	BEAU BAY (FR) 29 D b g Bernebeau - Slew Bay	9 10 - 11ht	Charlie Hammond (3) Dr R D P Newland	134
10		578-3P1	SHANNON BRIDGE (IRE) 52 D ch g Flemensfirth - Bridgequarter Lady	7 10 - 10tp	Bridget Andrews D Skelton	133

ATR VERDICT: Sir Ivan was a 16-1 hurdles winner at Wincanton when last seen, but he hasn't been the most consistent throughout his career and left the impression that he wouldn't be certain to follow up. Bigmartre has had a wind operation and has dropped to a tempting mark, but a more reliable option might be SPRINGTOWN LAKE. Second on heavy ground at Chepstow over Christmas, the eight-year-old is 2lb below his last winning mark and could thrive under a likely front-running, aggressive ride here.

Top Tip: SPRINGTOWN LAKE (7)

Watch out for: SIR IVAN (5)