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Keeneland Phoenix Stakes (Group 1) (Class 1) (2YO only)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (5)		184	ADMIRAL NELSON (GB) 10 C b c Kingman - Shamandar	2 9 - 5	E J McNamara A P O'Brien	96
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, orange disc, striped sleeves & cap Timeform says: <i>Thrice-raced winner. 5¼ lengths fourth of 7 to Supremacy in Richmond Stakes (6/1) at Goodwood (6f, good to firm) 10 days ago. Open to further progress.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 17.00)					Notes:	
2 (8)		2511	GIORGIO VASARI 6 D b c Air Force Blue - Dream The Blues	2 9 - 5b	M C Hussey A P O'Brien	92
Jockey Colours: Purple, white seams, striped sleeves, white cap Timeform says: <i>Useful form, winning at Limerick and Naas on last 2 starts. A fair bit more will be required at this level, though.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 26.00)					Notes:	
3 (10)		911	LAWS OF INDICES 22 CD b c Power - Sampers	2 9 - 5	W J Lee K J Condon	106
Jockey Colours: White, emerald green epaulettes, emerald green armlet, emerald green & white striped cap Timeform says: <i>Progressing well, seeing off Lucky Vega by ½ length in Group 2 Railway Stakes over C&D (good to soft) 22 days ago. Open to further improvement.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 8.50)					Notes:	
4 (9)		12	LUCKY VEGA 22 D b c Lope De Vega - Queen Of Carthage	2 9 - 5	S Foley Mrs J Harrington	-
Jockey Colours: Emerald green, emerald green & white check sleeves, white cap Timeform says: <i>Naas debut winner. Good ½-length second of 7 to Laws of Indices in Railway Stakes at this C&D (good to soft, 3/1) 22 days ago, clear of rest. Surely more to come after only 2 starts.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 10.00)					Notes:	
5 (2)		2	ST MARK'S BASILICA (FR) 14 BF b c Siyouni - Cabaret	2 9 - 5	W M Lordan A P O'Brien	-
Jockey Colours: Purple, white seams, striped sleeves, purple cap Timeform says: <i>Highly promising sort. Second of 9 in maiden (6/4) at this C&D (good to soft) on debut 14 days ago, clear of rest. Open to significant improvement.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 9.00)					Notes:	
6 (4)		11	STEEL BULL 11 gre c Clodovil - Macarthurs Park	2 9 - 5	L F Roche M O'Callaghan	105
Jockey Colours: Red, yellow panel, yellow chevrons on sleeves, red cap Timeform says: <i>Made it 2 from 2 when justifying favouritism in Group 3 Molecomb at Goodwood (5f, good) 11 days ago. Steps up to 6f now and highly likely has more to offer.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 4.50)					Notes:	
7 (3)		112	THE LIR JET 21 b c Prince Of Lir - Paper Dreams	2 9 - 5	O J Orr M L W Bell	106
Jockey Colours: Claret, gold braid, claret sleeves, claret cap, gold tassel Timeform says: <i>Winner of Norfolk at Royal Ascot before edged out by reopposing Ventura Tormenta in Prix Robert Papin at Chantilly (6f, good) 21 days ago. Likely to be on the premises again.</i> ★★★★★ (Forecast 5.00)					Notes:	
8 (7)		6151	VENTURA TORMENTA 21 D b c Acclamation - Midnight Oasis	2 9 - 5	D P McDonogh R Hannon	107

Jockey Colours: Light blue, orange epaulettes

Timeform says: Improved again when just denying The Lir Jet in Prix Robert Papin at Chantilly (6f, good) 21 days ago. Looks sure to give another good account. ★★★★★ (Forecast 7.50)


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9 (1)		8311	ALOHA STAR 21 CD b f Starspangledbanner - Zain Art	2 9 - 2	C D Hayes J A Stack	103
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Jockey Colours: Grey, pink star & sleeves, pink star on cap

Timeform says: Improving type who took the step up to Group 2 level in his stride when pipping Frenetic over C&D 21 days ago. Potential for better again. ★★★★★ (Forecast 17.00)

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10 (6)		51	BUBBLES ON ICE 27 ch f Starspangledbanner - Medicean Star	2 9 - 2	R P Whelan J A Stack	-
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Jockey Colours: Dark blue & pink halved, sleeves reversed, white cap, dark blue spots

Timeform says: Twice-raced winner. Won 5-runner minor event (3/1) at Killarney (1m, good to soft) 27 days ago, keeping on well. Back down in trip. Lot to find at this level. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 101.00)

Notes:

TIMEFORM VIEW: A wide-open renewal of the first Group 1 2-y-o race of the year in Europe. VENTURA TORMENTA edged out The Lir Jet in the Robert Pain and gets a narrow vote to become only the second British-trained winner of this race since the turn of the century. Railway Stakes 1-2 Laws of Indices and Lucky Vega should also have a say, while Steel Bull arrives on the back of a recent Group 3 win at Goodwood.

Timeform 1-2-3:

- 1: VENTURA TORMENTA (8)
- 2: THE LIR JET (7)
- 3: LAWS OF INDICES (3)

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