

(R4) 14:50 FAIRYHOUSE, 2m

SBK Maiden Hurdle (Class) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		PP/00	DUKE OF DOYEN 51 b g Doyen - Benefitthewest	9 11 - 12	J G Gilligan (7) Darren Collins	-
2		P/	FREMANTLE DOCTOR 651 b g Famous Name - Beneficial Breeze	6 11 - 12t1	S D Torrens J C McConnell	-
3		4/7-709	GET IT RIGHT 178 b g Getaway - Mystic Lass	6 11 - 12	M P O'Connor (3) S Aherne	-
4		100/7-66	HOULANBATORDECHAIS (FR) 32 D g g Great Pretender - Nadlee	7 11 - 12h	S F O'Keeffe W P Mullins	-
5		97560	LAKE MANZALEH (GB) 15 b g Ribchester - Suez	5 11 - 12t	C D Maxwell P Griffin	-
6		8-	RED GLORY 613 b g Harzand - Perfect Touch	6 11 - 12	Rachael Blackmore H de Bromhead	-
7		1-	SHOOT THE BLUES (GB) 461 D b g Blue Bresil - Polly Doodle	7 11 - 12	M J M O'Sullivan Barry Connell	-
8		F-	TOUCH ME NOT 328 br g Malinas - Mini Shan	5 11 - 12	Sam Ewing G Elliott	-
9		1-5	UNDENIABLE ALIBI (FR) 55 D BF b g Saint Des Saints - Fleur Des Villes	5 11 - 12	J W Kennedy G Elliott	-
10		1/178-5	WESTERN DIEGO 48 BF b g Westerner - Ask Me Sister	7 11 - 12h	B Hayes W P Mullins	-
11		2558	STAGECOACH MARY 15 b m Pether's Moon - Marys Choice	6 11 - 5h	K C Sexton G B Caldwell	-
12		40	COLLABORATIVE 12 b g Fastnet Rock - Magen's Star	4 10 - 13	P T Enright O McKiernan	-

ATR VERDICT: WESTERN DIEGO may be able to get back on track here after a disappointing show on his hurdling debut at Cork last month. The Westerner gelding, seventh in last year's Cheltenham bumper, ran much too freely and made a few errors on his first outing over timber, easing down in the closing stages to finish a well beaten fifth. He should be capable of a good bit better. Shoot The Blues looked a nice prospect when winning a bumper on debut back in October 2022. He has a long absence to overcome but commands respect from an in-form yard. Jack Kennedy takes the mount on Undeniable Alibi from the two Gordon Elliott runners. The Saint de Saints gelding won a point-to-point last year but was turned over at a short price on his 'track' debut in a bumper here early last month. He may do better now over jumps.

Top Tip: WESTERN DIEGO (10)

Watch out for: SHOOT THE BLUES (7)