

(R5) 15:30 EXETER, 3m 54y

Heart Of Oak, Exeter Novices' Handicap Chase (Class 5) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		44/9322-	MYTHE BRIDGE 206 BF b g Black Sam Bellamy - Lago D'oro	7 12 - 0	Stan Sheppard H D Daly	100
Jockey Colours: Blue & orange (quartered), blue and white striped cap Expert View: Well backed and ran to form when second, beaten 4l in a handicap chase over 3m2f at Chepstow last time; has a chance. ★★★★★ (Forecast 9/4)					Notes:	
2		F42111-	MOVE WITH THE BEAT (IRE) 210 D br g Doyen - Roxy Beat	6 11 - 13	Joe Anderson (3) Jamie Snowden	99
Jockey Colours: Yellow, red chevrons, yellow cap Expert View: Ran to form when winning a conditions race at Cothelstone by 4l last time; prolific in points but bit to prove under rules. ★★★★★ (Forecast 4/1)					Notes:	
3		F37/5P6 -	HILL OF TARA 206 D b g Kayf Tara - Patsie Magern	8 11 - 13	Charlie Deutsch Miss V Williams	99
Jockey Colours: Yellow, purple star, purple and yellow diabolo on sleeves, yellow cap, purple star Expert View: All but fell late when tiring and eased, likely found the ground too quick when comfortably held in a handicap chase over 3m2f at Fontwell last time; has a bit to find. ★★☆☆☆ (Forecast 10/1)					Notes:	
4		1/4422-2	SPECIAL JOHN (IRE) 193 D b g Soldier of Fortune - Royal Choice	6 11 - 7	Dylan Johnston (3) S Thomas	93
Jockey Colours: White and maroon stripes, white and light blue chevrons on sleeves, white cap, yellow star Expert View: Made mistakes but had every chance and was below form when second, beaten 14l in a handicap hurdle over 2m6f at Stratford last time; trainer in form and strong claims with promise of more to come over fences. ★★★★★ (Forecast 5/1)					Notes:	
5		057-223	LOUGH OWEL (IRE) 25 D b g Hillstar - Luanna	7 11 - 3t	Rian Corcoran (7) D P Summersby	89
Jockey Colours: Grey and red (quartered), red sleeves, grey stars, grey cap, red stars Expert View: Ran to form when third, beaten 7l in a handicap chase over 3m2f at Fontwell on most recent run; effective at 3m on good ground and consistent since switching to fences. ★★★★★ (Forecast 13/2)					Notes:	
6		22PU1-4	TUSCAN ROSE (IRE) 22 D b m Milan - Ma Furie	7 11 - 0	S Bowen N P Mulholland	86
Jockey Colours: Royal blue and white (quartered), white sleeves, royal blue spots Expert View: Made mistakes and was outpaced on a modest chase debut when fourth, beaten 51l in a handicap chase over 2m6f at Fontwell last time; effective at 3m, acts on good to soft; inconsistent but should come on for that outing. ★★★★★ (Forecast 14/1)					Notes:	
7		P/243-	FAT FACED COLUMBO (IRE) 262 b g Mahler - Cesana	5 10 - 12	James Best R Mitford-Slade	84
Jockey Colours: Yellow, purple epaulets and armlets Expert View: Outpaced but showed improvement from debut when third, beaten 42l in a maiden hurdle over 2m4f at Ffos Las most recently; returning from a long layoff and looks a value selection based on balance of form. ★★★★★ (Forecast 16/1)					Notes:	

8		22P43-P	UNIVERSAL SECRET (IRE) 19 ch g Universal - Quiet Beauty	8 10 - 8p	Harry Reed Mrs H R J Nelmes	80
Jockey Colours: Brown, light green seams, brown sleeves and cap Expert View: <i>Pulled up in a handicap chase over 2m at Newton Abbot last time; out of form.</i> ★★★★☆ (Forecast 16/1)					Notes:	
9		21-4554	MOONLIGHT ARTIST 13 C D b g Pether's Moon - Karla June	7 10 - 5tp	Brendan Powell J Tizzard	77
Jockey Colours: Black, gold diamond hoop, diamonds on sleeves Expert View: <i>Made mistakes and was outpaced but ran to form when fourth, beaten 12l in a handicap chase over 3m1f at Warwick last time; effective at 3m, acts on good ground but inconsistent and not one to rely on building on that run.</i> ★★★★☆ (Forecast 10/1)					Notes:	
10		33/708P -	VOLEUR DE TERRES (IRE) 230 D b m Ocovango - Moonlight Whispers	7 10 - 2	Alice Stevens (5) Miss C Dyson	74
Jockey Colours: Red, silver hooped sleeves, red cap, silver star Expert View: <i>Pulled up in a handicap hurdle over 2m7f at Fakenham last time; has a lot to find switched to fences.</i> ★★★★☆ (Forecast 25/1)					Notes:	
Long Handicap: Voleur De Terres 9 - 8						
EXPERT VIEW: Point winner SPECIAL JOHN proved consistent in his short hurdling career and could now get off the mark under rules switched to the larger obstacles. He recorded a rating higher than his current mark on his penultimate start over hurdles and the form of that race has worked out well. Top weight Mythe Bridge has gone close on both starts over fences so far so looks the obvious danger while Fat Faced Columbo is also of interest at a bigger price. He shaped like a stayer on his last hurdles run and it is notable that the yard switches him to fences so quickly in his career.						
1-2-3 Selections: 1: SPECIAL JOHN (4) 2: MYTHE BRIDGE (1) 3: FAT FACED COLUMBO (7)						
					 EXPERT VIEW	



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