

(R1) 14:08 AYR, 1m

Christmas Party Day Dancing At Ayr Racecourse Apprentice Handicap (Class 5) (3YO plus)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (1)		222084	SWIFT SALIAN (IRE) 20 D b g Holy Roman Emperor - Dynalosca	5 9 - 13	William Pyle D & N Barron	72
2 (2)		950012	EMPIRESTATEOFMIND (IRE) 9 CD b g Starspangledbanner - Adore	8 9 - 12b	Jack Callan J & S Quinn	71
3 (4)		226106	RUNNINSONOFAGUN (IRE) 12 CD b g Inns Of Court - High Society Lady	4 9 - 11b	Alex Jary T Davidson	70
4 (7)		114-306	ARKENSTAAR 20 D b g Kessaar - Never Lose	6 9 - 10p	Rhys Elliott M Dods	69
5 (5)		6-03093	KINDEST NATION (IRE) 17 br m Sioux Nation - The Dylan Show	5 9 - 10v	Jack Nicholls H Palmer	69
6 (8)		32354	LEOPARDS ROCK 20 b g Territories - Passionada	3 9 - 9	C Horgan (3) E Bethell	72
7 (3)		542225	MOTAWAARED 9 BF b g Mohaather - Papaya	4 9 - 1p	Lauren Young (3) J S Goldie	60
8 (6)		356723	PENELOPE'S SISTER (IRE) 11 CD b m War Command - Lenoire	6 8 - 12	Shay Farmer (3) J S Goldie	57

ATR VERDICT: LEOPARDS ROCK is open to the most improvement and gets the vote in this company. This will be just his third start in a handicap and a mark of 72 isn't restrictive enough to dissuade an interest. Empirestateofmind and Motawaared are old rivals capable of being on the premises, while Kindest Nation is handily weighted in bidding for a first win over a mile.

Top Tip: LEOPARDS ROCK (6)

Watch out for: EMPIRESTATEOFMIND (2)

(R2) 14:38 AYR, 6f

Weddings At Western House Hotel Maiden Stakes (GBB Race) (Class 4) (2YO only)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (2)		6	MELODY MAN 46 b g Sergei Prokofiev - Chicago May	2 9 - 7	Jason Hart J & S Quinn	-
2 (4)			NAVAL ARCHITECT (IRE) ch c Naval Crown - Senadora	2 9 - 7	Mikey Sheehy A Keatley	-
3 (5)		9	PIRATES WHISPER (IRE) 17 b g Blackbeard - Hint of A Tint	2 9 - 7	Rhys Elliott (5) R M Smith	-
4 (1)		7	SNEAKIN PETE 27 b g Kodi Bear - Rosebay	2 9 - 7	A Mullen R M Smith	-
5 (3)		65	LUNA LACY (IRE) 17 br f Minzaal - Maktabba	2 9 - 2	J Garritty Adrian Nicholls	-
6 (6)		204432	WHAT A GIRL WANTS (IRE) 12 b f Persian Force - Hoodna	2 9 - 2h	Rowan Scott N Tinkler	75

ATR VERDICT: WHAT A GIRL WANTS sets the standard and this appears to be a good opportunity for the daughter of Persian Force to get off the mark. Luna Lacy was well held on both previous starts, but is the pick of the rest with experience. However, the form isn't up to much and Naval Architect, whose purchase price rose from 27,000gns as a yearling to 50,000 pounds as a two-year-old, won't need to be out of the ordinary to be a bigger danger.

Top Tip: WHAT A GIRL WANTS (6)

Watch out for: NAVAL ARCHITECT (2)

(R3) 15:08 AYR, 1m 2f

Nairns's Oatcakes Handicap (GBBPlus Race) (Class 4) (3YO plus)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (3)		4-69001	MEHMAS CHAMPION (IRE) 26 D b g Mehmas - Star Lahib	4 9 - 13	D Tudhope D O'Meara	80
2 (7)		211234	STAR CAST 17 CD b f Almanzor - Red Starlight	4 9 - 13	Jake Dickson (5) G Tutty	80
3 (6)		524230	MANO CHICAGO (IRE) 17 b g Study Of Man - Kesarina	4 9 - 11b	A Mullen I Jardine	78
4 (5)		261894	KOKANEE (IRE) 14 D b g Kameko - Stroll Patrol	4 9 - 9	Rowan Scott E A L Dunlop	76
5 (4)		149225	KRISSY (IRE) 9 D b m Calyx - Advertising Space	5 9 - 9p1	Rhys Elliott (5) J S Goldie	76
6 (2)		613049	ZOWAL (FR) 12 ch g Zarak - Sweet Zen	4 9 - 8	Jason Hart J & S Quinn	75
7 (8)		7234-64	TIPSY TIGER 18 D b g Postponed - Tigerfish	5 9 - 7p	Shane Gray W Stone	74
8 (9)		122618	YERMANTHERE (IRE) 17 D ch g Fast Company - Fast Jazz	8 9 - 6	D Allan T D Easterby	73
9 (1)		4-52312	KEEP AN EYE ON IT 41 C BF ch g Century Dream - Mad Jazz	3 9 - 4	D Nolan Tony Coyle & Kaine Wood	76

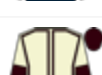
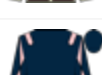
ATR VERDICT: KEEP AN EYE ON IT returned from a break with a cosy win over a mile here last month and was then only denied by a neck when attempting to follow up under a penalty at Carlisle soon after. That run suggested stepping up in trip could be a source of further improvement and his revised mark of 76 still looks workable. Mehmas Champion was a surprise winner at Haydock, but he is another still weighted to go well. Star Cast and Topsy Tiger complete the shortlist.

Top Tip: KEEP AN EYE ON IT (9)

Watch out for: MEHMAS CHAMPION (1)

(R4) 15:38 AYR, 7f 50y

Autumn Breaks At Western House Hotel Handicap (Class 4) (3YO plus)

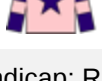
No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (5)		745225	MISUNDERSTOOD (FR) 7 D BF b g Hello Youmzain - Waldjagd	4 10 - 1h	D Tudhope D O'Meara	81
2 (3)		306167	COUNT PALATINE (IRE) 7 CD b g Profitable - Sovana	5 10 - 1	Sean Kirrane M Dods	81
3 (2)		530325	QUEST FOR FUN 10 C D ch g Lope De Vega - Craic Agus Spraoi	8 9 - 11t	D Allan T D Easterby	77
4 (7)		146123	HOMESTRAIT (IRE) 10 D b f Coulsty - Paradisia	3 9 - 10p	Tom Kiely-Marshall (3) B Ellison	79
5 (9)		333243	ABDUCTION (FR) 8 CD b g Acclamation - Perfect Day	8 9 - 8	Jake Dickson (5) J S Goldie	74
6 (6)		310	TIP FOSTER 25 D b g Dream Ahead - Mango Twist	3 9 - 6	D Nolan D & N Barron	75
7 (10)		645-707	STANAGE 82 D b g Kingman - Helleborine	5 9 - 5	Joanna Mason M & D Easterby	71
8 (4)		095098	WOBWOBWOB (IRE) 28 C D b g Prince Of Lir - Ishimagic	8 9 - 4vt	Mikey Sheehy A Keatley	70
9 (8)		387653	ONE NIGHT THUNDER 20 D BF ch g Night Of Thunder - Elis Eliz	6 9 - 4	Connor Beasley G Tutty	70
10 (1)		2-09210	CIRCLE OF TRUST (IRE) 52 CD b g Dark Angel - Reality Of Dreams	3 8 - 13b	K Stott K A Ryan	68

ATR VERDICT: QUEST FOR FUN is back on a winning mark and is consistent enough to have a big impact here, with the forecast ground conditions very much to his liking. Abduction is a three-time C&D winner who cannot be ruled out, while Homestrait has held her form well of late and shouldn't be underestimated. Count Palatine and Misunderstood are others with each-way chances.

Top Tip: QUEST FOR FUN (3)
Watch out for: ABDUCTION (5)

(R5) 16:08 AYR, 7f 50y

Book Your Event At Ayr Racecourse Handicap (Class 6) (3YO plus)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (8)		344217	NOVAK 15 CD gr g Mastercraftsman - Parknasilla	7 10 - 0	Cara Tuke (7) I Jardine	65
2 (3)		509083	HIGHFIELD VIKING 12 CD b g Aclaim - Pure Illusion	6 9 - 11b	Jason Hart J & S Quinn	62
3 (10)		226843	MILFORD GRANGE 28 b g Nando Parrado - Desert Mission	3 9 - 11b1	Billy Garritty M & D Easterby	65
4 (9)		458882	SHOWTOWN (IRE) 15 b g Showcasing - Romsey	3 9 - 11p	T Eaves K A Ryan	65
5 (2)		681445	WISE CRACK (IRE) 12 D b g Blue Point - Veiled Intrigue	3 9 - 10	Shane Gray Mrs R Carr	64
6 (5)		6-25337	SAILOR BATT (IRE) 20 b g Coulsty - Nora Batt	3 9 - 6	Connor Beasley D & N Barron	60
7 (7)		443021	LOPE Y LINDA 21 CD br f Lope Y Fernandez - Dhuma	3 9 - 4	D Allan T D Easterby	58
8 (1)		680773	KELPIE GREY 11 CD gr g Havana Grey - Malelane	6 9 - 3v	P Mulrennan J S Goldie	54
9 (11)		268755	TOY SOLDIER (IRE) 8 D b g Soldier's Call - Royal Highness	4 8 - 13	Lexie Clarkson (7) L Russell & M Scudamore	50
10 (6)		673767	TAP DANCER 11 b f Territories - Hazy Dancer	4 8 - 13p	Lauren Young (5) J S Goldie	50
11 (4)		406508	RUNNINMAN (IRE) 10 b g Mehmas - Merry Jaunt	3 8 - 6t	A Mullen D W Whillans	46

Long Handicap: Runninman 8 - 5

ATR VERDICT: LOPE Y LINDA was able to build on an encouraging Southwell second to score in commanding fashion at Catterick, and a subsequent 5lb rise might not be enough to stop her from following up. Highfield Viking's mark has plummeted this term, but there were more encouraging signs when third over C&D. He was dropped a further 1lb and looks a real threat under suitable conditions. Kelpie Grey and Milford Grange are others to consider.

Top Tip: LOPE Y LINDA (7)

Watch out for: HIGHFIELD VIKING (2)

(R6) 16:40 AYR, 6f

Book Racing On Saturday 31 October Handicap (Class 4) (3YO plus)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (2)		041321	BELSITO (GER) (EX5) 8 D b g Areion - Best moving	6 10 - 2p	T Eaves K A Ryan	82
2 (3)		472959	WOVEN 11 CD ch g Dutch Art - Regal Silk	10 10 - 1p	Connor Beasley M Dods	81
3 (6)		321-6	BIG HARRY 111 D BF b g Harry Angel - East Coast Lady	3 9 - 10h	Shane Gray W Stone	78
4 (8)		300074	ROBERTO CARO (IRE) 8 D b g Inns Of Court - Bett's Gift	5 9 - 10	Mikey Sheehy A Keatley	76
5 (5)		006902	LORD BERTIE (FR) 25 D b g Wootton Bassett - Bhageerathi	6 9 - 9h	Mark Winn D O'Meara	75
6 (4)		122089	PARISIAC (IRE) 23 C D b g Kodiak - Colgin	7 9 - 9p	Jack Nicholls (3) I Jardine	75
7 (7)		391506	STIRRUP CUP 8 D b g Washington Dc - Hip Flask	4 9 - 7bt	D Allan T D Easterby	73
8 (1)		420252	ASHEN (IRE) 8 C ch g Phoenix Of Spain - Fly On The Night	4 9 - 1	P Mulrennan J S Goldie	67

ATR VERDICT: BELSITO pulled clear with an in-form rival when making most of the running to score at Hamilton. Kevin Ryan's gelding had been in excellent form prior too and can continue in the same vein. Lord Bertie and Ashen both hit the woodwork last time and should make their presence felt, and don't rule out the veteran Woven, who won't find this as taxing as when he contested the Bronze Cup recently.

Top Tip: BELSITO (1)

Watch out for: LORD BERTIE (5)

(R7) 17:13 AYR, 1m 7f

Racing TV Handicap (Class 6) (3YO plus)

No(Dr)	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1 (1)		945232	TIME TURNER 30 ch g Lope De Vega - Yourtimeisnow	4 10 - 2b	D Tudhope E Bethell	64
2 (2)		523493	FURHAAN 11 b g Showcasing - Galaxy Highflyer	4 9 - 13	Lauren Young (5) J S Goldie	61
3 (3)		2449	CELESTIAL CEN 50 ch f Intello - Celestial Sighting	3 9 - 9	Pierre-Louis Jamin A Watson	65
4 (7)		431336	EBONY MAW 11 CD b g Ifraaj - Skirrid	9 9 - 5bt	Jason Hart Ewan Whillans	53
5 (6)		3-34654	AIGHEAR 27 CD b m Farhh - Kabjoy	8 9 - 3	P Mulrennan (5) J S Goldie	51
6 (5)		33-444	AUSSIE PEARL (IRE) 57 ch f Australia - Similu	3 9 - 1	Connor Beasley C Johnston	57
7 (4)		832786	SPEECHMAN (USA) 33 b g Kingman - Not Ready	6 8 - 11v	Tom Kiely-Marshall (3) P A Kirby	45

ATR VERDICT: Time Turner was only collared close home at Beverley and is respected in his bid to go one place better, but the Jim Goldie-trained AIGHEAR can land this prize for a third time. She's 6lb higher than when successful 12 months ago, but she was a real eyecatcher when staying on from well off the pace to finish fourth behind Ebony Maw (third) over 1m5f at Hamilton and is sure to benefit from a return to further. Stable companion Furhaan also caught the eye last time.

Top Tip: AIGHEAR (5)

Watch out for: TIME TURNER (1)