

Carlisle Trendsetters Guide ~ Sunday July 24th

Previous race trends (2006-15) can often help provide a short-list of potential winners in the current year's races. The percentage figure in brackets after the race details is the favourite's 'strike rate' in the race for the last ten years. Trainers who have won the race before are also highlighted if they had an entry at the overnight declaration stage. Also repeated in 2015 is our unique Carlisle flat form figures for their last six races at the track (shown in brackets after the horse's name) for those that have won here before Drawfacts comments included show the past record of winning stalls in the race - divided as low-middle-high.

2.10 – 6f Novices' Stakes for 2yo (n/a): New race in 2016.

2.40 – 5f Nursery Handicap for 2yo (33%): New race in 2013 with all winners to date having three past runs and odds of 9/2 or shorter. Drawfacts: Low 67%; High 33%. Trainers to watch: Mrs A Duffield (won 2015) & K Dalglish (2014).

3.15 – 1m 3.5f Handicap (25%): New race in 2012. All winners had finished 4th or better on their last run and had odds of 7/1 or shorter. All aged either 3 or 4yo. *Skiddaw Valleys* was placed 5th in the race last year off a rating of 74 and is now rated at 73. Drawfacts: Low 25%; Middle 50%; High 25%. Carlisle Form: Sennokian Star (1); Skiddaw Valleys (159).

3.50 – 1m 1f Handicap for 3yo (37%): Race run nine times before with all winners finishing 5th or better on their last run. No past winner had been off the track for more than 39 days and all carried a weight of 8st 11lbs or more. Drawfacts: Low 22%; Middle 44%; High 34%. Trainers to watch: R Fahey (won 2015, 2012 & 2008) & K Dalglish (2014).

4.25 – 1m 1f+ Maiden (86%): Only run 7 times before with all winners to date being 3yo's and finishing 2nd/3rd on their previous run. Longest winner's odds were 5/1 with all others starting as favourites. Drawfacts: Low 28%; Middle 44%; High 28%. Trainers to watch: R Fahey (won 2015); W Haggas (2013) & GA Swinbank (2010).

5.00 - 1m Handicap (n/a): New race in 2015. Carlisle Form: Osteopathic Remedy (6149); Circuitous (707407). Trainer to watch: B Ellison (won 2015).

5.35 – 7f Handicap (20%): Historically this has been a very open race. All winners aged 4yo or older with 5yo having the best record. Lowest weight carried by past winners was 8st 9lbs. Drawfacts: Low 40%; Middle 40%; High 20%. Trainer to watch: K Ryan (won 2015). Carlisle Form: In Focus (2017).

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