

## **Sunday 27th November - Trendsetters Guide**

Previous race trends (2006-15) can often help provide a shortlist of potential winners in the current year's races. Hopefully these brief pointers will assist racegoers at Carlisle today. The figure in brackets after the race details is the favourite's strike rate for the race. Trainers who have won the race before and have an intended runner at the overnight declaration stage are also highlighted. Extended for 2016 are the 'Carlisle Form Figures' showing the horses last six form figures for races run here at Carlisle under NH rules.

**12.20 - 2m 1f Novices' Hurdle (60%):** New race in 2009. Four of the five winners to date were aged 4 years old. Similarly, four of the five had odds of 2/1 or shorter. Only one past winner had carried a penalty for winning before and none had carried a double penalty. Trainer to watch: D McCain (won 2011).

**12.50 - 2m Novices' Chase (100%):** All four past winners were sent off as favourites (all were also 1st/2nd on previous run, 18-38 days earlier). Trainer to Watch: B Ellison (won 2014). Carlisle Form: Dakota Grey (122).

**1.25 - 2m 3f Novices' Hurdle (16%):** All six past winners had run in the last 18-51 days. Five of the six were either 1st/2nd/3rd on their last run. Trainer to watch: Rose Dobbin (won 2013). Carlisle Form: Derrintoher Yank (11).

**1.55 - 2m 4f (Listed) 'Mares' Chase (n/a):** New race in 2015.

**2.30 - 2m 3f Handicap Hurdle ~ Division 1 (n/a):** New race in 2014. Both winners to date were 2/1 favourites. Carlisle Form: Mwaleshi (12); Captain Clayton (651).

**3.00 - 2m 3f Handicap Hurdle ~ Division 2 (n/a):** New race in 2014. Both winners to date were 2/1 favourites. Trainer to watch: G A Swinbank (won 2015). Carlisle Form: Age of Glory (15); Theatre Act (5811).

**3.30 - 3m 1f Handicap Hurdle - Amateur Riders (67%):** New race in 2014 with last year's race divided. All three past winners finished 3<sup>rd</sup> or better on their last completed race and last ran 18-38 days earlier. In the betting, all had odds of 5/1 or shorter. Trainer to Watch: I Duncan (won 2015).

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