

Monday 18th June 2018 - Trendsetters Guide

Previous race trends (2008-17) 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 5-day declaration stage, are also highlighted. Extended for 2018 are the 'Carlisle Form Figures' showing the horses last six form figures for races run here at Carlisle. Drawfacts past winner statistics assume the field is split into three parts – Low/Middle/High.

2.15 – 6f Novice Stakes for 2yo (n/a): A new race in 2017. Both past winners were favourites and came from stall 3. They also last ran 18-19 days earlier finishing 5th or better. Trainer To Watch: K R Burke (won 2016). Drawfacts: Low 100%.

2.45 – 6f Novice Stakes for 3yo+ Fillies (n/a): New race in 2018.

3.20 – 6f Handicap (42%): A race that often gets divided so 14 renewals seen in the last 10 years. Of these, 10 winners were either 1st/2nd favourites. A recent run can also be a positive factor with 7/14 winners running within the last 7 days (a 5 day break has proved the most beneficial). *Uncle Charlie* has been raised 4lbs for winning here recently and is now on the same mark as when finishing 11th in this race last year. Carlisle Form: Ventura Secret (11); Yes You (1559); *Uncle Charlie (8031); Cliff (33212); Dodgy Bob (71). Trainers To Watch: R Fahey (won 2016); P Midgley (won 2011). Drawfacts: Low 14%; Middle 43%; High 43%. *Uncle Charlie also entered in the 3.50 race.

3.50 – 1m Handicap (15%): No such a good race for favourite backers, although all ten past winners had odds of 8/1 or shorter. None of the past winners had won on its last start. Carlisle Form: Uncle Charlie (see 3.20 race); Jacob Black (1165); Natajack (1). Trainer To Watch: Ann Duffield (won 2013). Drawfacts: Low 10%; Middle 30%; High 60%.

4.25 – 7f (Fillies) Handicap for 3yo (10%): Three past winners had odds of 12/1 to 16/1 so this race can often be an open affair. A recent run usually helps, with the last nine winners off the track for no more than 28 days. A 6th placed run or better on their last start was seen for the last nine winners also. Trainers To Watch: M W Easterby (won 2017 & 2011); R Fahey (won 2010 & 2009); T Easterby (won 2013). Drawfacts: Low 30%; Middle 40%; High 30%.

5.00 – 1m 3f Handicap for 3yo (67%): A new race in 2012. There have, however, been seven winners to date as there was a dead-heat in 2013! Of these winners, all but one had odds of 4/1 or shorter. A 6th place or better, on their last run, was seen for all past winners. Carlisle Form: Poetic Steps (1). Trainers To Watch: W Haggas (won 2017); Sir M Prescott (won 2015). Drawfacts: Low 25%; Middle 59%; High 16%.

3.30 – 1m 3f Handicap for 4yo+ (n/a) A new race in 2018. Carlisle Form: Savannah Moon (31); Thorntoun Care (142).

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