

## Carlisle Trendsetters Guide ~ Monday May 21st

Previous race trends (2008-17) 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 5-day declaration stage. Also repeated in 2018 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 – stalls divided as low-middle-high. \* If any of the races are divided (as last year) then the race times may alter.

- **2.45 - 5f Novice Stakes for 2yo (50%):** New race in 2016 and whilst run only twice before, both winners to date were well backed as 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> favourites. The two winners also came out of either the highest or lowest stall number used in the race. Drawfacts: Low 50%; High 50%. Trainers to watch: R Fahey (won 2017) & K Burke (won 2016).
- **3.15 - 5f Fillies Handicap for 3yo (n/a):** New race in 2018.
- **3.45 – 2m 1f Handicap (n/a):** New race in 2017. *Jan Smuts* was 5<sup>th</sup> in the race last year (when rated 62) and is currently rated at 47. Trainer to watch: K Dalglish (won 2017). Carlisle Form: Question Of Faith (71); In Focus (896002); Gold Chain (76515).
- **4.15 - 1m Handicap (n/a):** New race in 2017. *Pensax Boy* won the race in 2017 off a handicap mark of 80 and is currently rated at 82. Trainer to watch: D M Loughnane (won 2017). Carlisle Form: Pensax Boy (16); Saint Equiano (19); Diamonds A Dancing (1).
- **4.45 - 7f Novice Stakes for 3-5yo (n/a):** New race in 2018 – previously run as a maidens race. Carlisle Form: Byrons Choice (1).
- **5.15 - 7f Handicap for 3yo (16%):** New race in 2013 with the race divided last year. All past winners last ran 13-32 days earlier finishing 5<sup>th</sup> or better on their last run. Of these, three of the six last ran 21 days earlier, so keep an eye on *Meccas Spirit* if she gets in the race (likely to be out of the handicap). Trainers to watch: R Fahey/K Ryan

(each won a divided race in 2017); T Easterby (2016); K Burke (2014). Drawfacts: Low 16%; Middle 68%; High 16%.

- **5.45 – 7f Handicap for 4yo+ (0%)**: New race in 2016 with both winners to date finishing 2<sup>nd</sup> on their last run (11-14 days earlier). Also both were aged 4yo and carried a weight between 8st 11lbs & 9st 1lb. Trainer to watch: K Dalglish (won 2017). Carlisle Form: Alexandrakollontai (510133); Mishaal (41); Reinforces (64122). Drawfacts: Middle 50%; High 50%.

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