

# Carlisle Trendsetters Guide ~ Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September

Previous race trends (2015-24) can often help provide a short-list of potential winners in the current year's races. The percentage figure after the race details is the favourite's 'strike rate' in the race. Trainers who have won the race before are also highlighted if they had an entry at the final declaration stage. Drawfacts comments show the past record of winning stalls in the race – stalls divided as low-middle-high.

In handicap races, horses that have won before off the same/higher ratings are flagged as 'well handicapped' with racecard numbers only stated.

In the last five seasons some key statistics are:

Leading Jockey – S James - 19 wins from 122 rides.

Leading Trainer – T Easterby – 22 wins from 329 runners

**2.00 – 1m (Novice Amateur Riders) Handicap:** New race in 2024. Well handicapped: 1-3-4-5-7.

**2.30 – 6f Novice Stakes for 2yo (Fav 61%):** Race run 9 times before with 8 winners having odds of 7/1 or shorter. One debutant has won a race with 7/8 others finishing 6<sup>th</sup> or better LTO. Drawfacts: Low 22%; Middle 45%; High 33%. Trainers to Watch: K R Burke has won twice. W Haggas, M Dods, T Easterby & R Fahey have all won once.

**3.00 – 6f Handicap (Fav 33%):** Race run 6 times before. All past winners had odds of 9/2 or shorter and were 6<sup>th</sup> or better on their last run (6-25 days earlier). Drawfacts: Low 33%; Middle 50%; High 17%. Trainer to watch: M Dods – one win.

**3.30 – 5f Handicap:** New race in 2025. Well handicapped: 1-2-3-4-11-12.

**4.05 – 7f Nursery Handicap:** Only run once before as a class 4 race in 2022.

**4.37 – 7f Handicap:** New class 5 race in 2023. Trainer to watch: J Goldie – one win. Well handicapped: 1-2-3-5-11.

**5.07 & 5.37 – 1m 1f Handicap (fav 10%):** New race in 2021. Three of the five winners to date were aged 3yo. None of the five winners finished better than 3<sup>rd</sup> LTO. Four of the five winners had odds of 13/2 or shorter. Drawfacts: Low 60%; Middle 40%. Trainers to watch: R Fahey, T Easterby & I Jardine (1 win). Well handicapped: Div 1 #4 Div 2 # 2 & 3.

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