

Carlisle Trendsetters Guide ~ Wednesday 13th September

Previous race trends (2013-22) 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.

2.05 – 6f Novice Stakes for 2yo (Fav 0%): New race in 2018. Two of the four past winners were making their debuts and the others were all 6th or better on their last run. Winner's odds have ranged from 100/30 to 25/1. Drawfacts: Middle 75%; High 25%. Trainers to watch: D Loughnane (won 2019), K Burke (won 2022).

2.40 – 6f Nursery Handicap for 2yo (Fav 18%): Race run ten times before with all winners carrying a different weight (8st 4lbs to 9st 8lbs) so if this trend is to continue look out for horses carrying 9st 7lbs or 9st 9lbs this time! 8/10 past winners finished 5th or better on their last run. Drawfacts: Low 50%; Middle 30%; High 20%. Trainer to watch: K Burke (won 2016).

3.15 – 2m 1f Handicap: New race in 2023.

3.50 – 1m Handicap (Fav 12%): Race run four times before including a 50/1 shock winner in 2022. 4yo horses have won three of the four past races. Weights carried by winners has ranged from 8st 12lbs to 9st 11lbs. Drawfacts: Low 25%; High 75%. Trainer to watch: T Easterby (won 2022).

4.25 – 7f Maiden: New race in 2021 with both winners to date finishing 2nd on their last run and being backed into favouritism.

5.00 – 7f Handicap: New race in 2022.

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