

## Carlisle Trendsetters Guide ~ Monday May 20<sup>th</sup>

Previous race trends (2014-23) 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. Drawfacts comments show the past record of winning stalls in the race – stalls divided as low-middle-high.

**6.30 - 5f Novice Stakes for 2yo Fillies (n/a):** New fillies only race in 2024.

**7.00 – 5f Handicap (n/a):** New class 4 race in 2023.

**7.30 – 6f Handicap (0%):** New race in 2019 (no race in 2020). All four winners had finished 6<sup>th</sup> or better on their last run. In the betting two winners started as 2<sup>nd</sup> favourite with the others 18/1 & 22/1 shots. Drawfacts: Middle 50%; High 50%. Trainer to watch: N Tinkler (won 2019).

**8.00 - 1m (Class 4) Handicap (25%):** New race in 2017. In the betting four winners had odds of 7/2 or shorter with the others 16/1 & 20/1 shots. *Detective* won the 2022 race and holds an entry this time – now 4lbs higher in the handicap ratings. The horse was also 2<sup>nd</sup> in last year's renewal (now 4lbs lower in the ratings). Five of the six past winners had finished 4<sup>th</sup> or better on their last run. Drawfacts: Low 50%; High 50%. Trainer to watch: D Sayer (won 2022).

**8.30 – 1m Handicap for 3yo (n/a):** New class 6 race in 2024.

**9.00 - 7f Novices' Stakes (n/a):** In recent years this race was run as a maiden's event but in 2018-19 was a novices' race with the favourite's winning on both occasions. Drawfacts: No advantage seen.

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