

Carlisle Trendsetters Guide ~ Thursday 31st August

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.

2.45 – 1m (Gentleman Amateur Riders) Handicap: New race in 2021. Both winners to date carried a weight of 10st 7lbs to 11st 1lb and both had odds of 9/1 or greater.

3.15 – 6f Novice Stakes for 2yo (Fav 50%): Race run 7 times before with 6 winners having odds of 7/1 or shorter. One debutant has won a race with 5/6 others finishing 6th or better LTO. Drawfacts: Low 29%; Middle 42%; High 29%. Trainers to Watch: K Burke (2016), B Smart (2018), T Easterby (2019) & R Fahey (2022) have all won once.

3.45 – 6f Handicap (Fav 25%): Race run 4 times before. All past winners had odds of 9/2 or shorter and were 5th or better on their last run (6-24 days earlier). Drawfacts: Low 50%; Middle 25%; High 25%. Trainer to watch: M Dods (won 2019).

4.15 – 7f Nursery Handicap (Fav 0%): Race run 3 times before as a class 5 race. All winners were 4th or better on their last run (19-57 days earlier) with odds ranging from 4/1 to 14/1. Drawfacts: Low 33%; High 67%. Trainer to Watch: M Dods (won 2018).

4.48 – 7f Handicap: New race in 2023.

5.20 – 1m 1f Handicap: New race in 2021. Both winners to date were aged 3yo and finished 4th or better on their last run (19-23 days earlier). Both also carried a weight of 9st 1lb to 9st 6lbs. Trainer to watch: K Burke (won 2021).

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