

DAYS LAST RAN STATISTICS – MAY/JUNE 2022

Regular racing followers may have already picked up on the fact that certain high-profile races are won by horses with a similar 'preparation route'. What I have tried to do here is list races where horses appear to have had a similar preparation race before winning the named races at least three times in the last ten years. As we all know connections of horses like to keep as much information to themselves about future running plans/targets but if their horses follow certain 'patterns' that will often speak for itself!

The statistics will also capture some lower-class races but again the patterns of races can often be very informative.

The text will often refer to number of days since the last run but where that race is also a common trend, I have referred to that fact also. Indeed, where higher profile race days have changed in the last ten years I have included still.

The lists on the following pages are mostly dated as in 2021 with flat meetings first then jumps meetings below them.

DAYS LAST RAN – FLAT RACES

Thursday May 6th Chester – 5f Handicap: Since 2013, three winners had last run 20 days earlier (all in different races/tracks) finishing 1st/3rd & 7th.

Thursday May 6th Chester – (Listed) Dee Stakes over 1m 2f (3yo): Since 2013, three winners had last run 195 days earlier days earlier.

Friday May 10th Chester – 5f Maiden Stakes for 2yo Fillies: Since 2011, three winners had last run 22 days earlier finishing 5th or better.

Friday May 10th Chester – 1m 2f Handicap: Since 2014, three winners had last run 15 days earlier – when race run on Thursday. All were 1st/2nd favourites.

Friday May 10th Chester – 1m Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 20 days earlier. All had odds of 11/2 or shorter.

Saturday May 8th Haydock – (Listed) 'Spring Trophy' over 7f: Since 2014, three winners had last run 14 days earlier, finishing 3rd or better LTO.

Saturday May 8th Haydock – 1m Handicap for 3yo: Since 2014, four winners had last run 16 days earlier, finishing 4th or better LTO.

Sunday May 9th Leopardstown – (Gr 3) 'Derrisstown Stud' Derby Trial over 1m 2f (3yo): Since 2012, five winners had last run 28 days earlier, finishing 1st-1st-1st-5th-1st

Monday May 14th Windsor – (Listed) 1m 3f+ Handicap Stakes: Since 2011, three winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 4th or better. All were 1st/2nd favourites.

Tuesday May 14th Beverley – 8.5f Handicap: Since 2012, five winners had last run 8 days earlier, finishing 4th or better LTO at Beverley.

Tuesday May 14th Beverley – 1m 4f Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 15 days earlier, finishing 6th or better LTO.

Thursday May 13th York – 5f Handicap: Since 2018, three winners had last run 7 days earlier (at Chester) where they finished 2nd/3rd.

Thursday May 13th York – (Gr 2) 'Middleton Fillies Stakes' over 1m 2f: Since 2016, three winners had last run 208 days earlier in a Gr 1 race at Ascot, finishing 3rd or better there.

Thursday May 13th York – (Gr 2) 'Dante Stakes' over 1m 2f for 3yo: Since 2014, three winners had last run 12 days earlier. One won a listed race at Newmarket and the other two finished 5th/10th in the 2000Gns at Newmarket. Longest odds seen were 10/1.

Friday May 14th Hamilton – 1m 4f Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 12 days earlier~ all finishing 5th or better LTO.

Friday May 14th York – 5f Handicap: Since 2015, three winners had last run 20 days earlier, finishing no better than 5th LTO.

Saturday May 15th Newmarket – (Listed) Fairway Stakes over 1m 2f: Since 2014, four winners had last run 14 days earlier. . Two had finished 2nd/3rd in a listed race at Newmarket with the others 2nd/4th in different handicap races.

Saturday May 15th Newmarket – 6f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2012, three winners had last run 14 days earlier at Newmarket. Two were 2nd and the other 4th LTO.

Sunday May 16th Ripon – 6f (Fillies) Handicap: Since 2010, three winners had last run 15 days earlier, finished no better than 4th LTO. All had odds of 13/2 to 8/1.

Monday May 17th Carlisle – 7f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2013, four winners had last run 21 days earlier. Three were 5th LTO with the other a winner LTO.

Thursday May 20th Sandown – 1m 2f Handicap (3yo): Since 2014, three winners had last run 27 days earlier, finishing 3rd/4th LTO. All started as favourites.

Friday May 21st Goodwood – 7f Handicap: Since 2013, four winners had last run 19/20* days earlier at Goodwood with two winning LTO and the others 4th & 9th. All had odds of 10/1 or shorter. *Race moved from Thursday to Friday in 2021.

Thursday May 21st Goodwood – (Listed) ' Height of Fashion Stakes over 1m 2f for 3yo Fillies: Since 2014, four winners had last run 13/14* days earlier ~ all had odds of 5/1 or shorter and were 4th or better LTO. *Race moved from Thursday to Friday in 2021.

Friday May 21st Goodwood – (Listed) 'Cocked Hat' Stakes over 1m 3f: Since 2016, three winners had last run 28 days earlier finishing 4th or better LTO.

Saturday May 22nd Curragh – (Gr 1) 'Irish 2000 Gns' over 1m: Since 2012, four winners had last run 21 days earlier (in English 2000 Gns). Two won at Newmarket, one was placed there and the other was unplaced.

Saturday May 22nd Haydock – (Gr 2) 'Temple Stakes' over 5f: Since 2013, four winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 5th or better.

Sunday May 23rd Curragh – (Gr 3) 'Gallinule' Stakes over 1m 2f for 3yo: Since 2014, four winners had last run 14 days earlier finishing 4th or better.

Sunday May 23rd Curragh – (Gr 1) Tattersalls Gold Cup over 1m 2f: Since 2016, three winners had last run 20 days earlier finishing 3rd or better LTO.

Sunday May 23rd Curragh – (Gr 1) Irish 1000 Gns: Since 2013, four winners had last run 21 days earlier ~ in the English 1000 Gns. This includes two winners, a runner up and one unplaced runner from the Newmarket event.

Whit Monday Leicester – 6f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2010, three winners had last run 23 days earlier. None finished better than 3rd LTO.

Whit Tuesday Redcar – 6f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2016, three winners had last run 17 days earlier, finishing 6th or better LTO..

Whit Tuesday Redcar – 1m 2f Maiden: Since 2011, three winners had last run 18 days earlier, with all finishing 2nd LTO.

Whit Tuesday Redcar – 1m 6f Maiden Handicap: Since 2011, three winners had last run 14 days earlier, finishing 6th or better LTO.

Wednesday May 29th Beverley – 5f Handicap: Since 2014, four winners had last run 12 days earlier. On their last runs, one won, two were 6th and the other was unplaced.

Wednesday May 29th Beverley – 7.5f Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 9 days earlier with one winning and the others 3rd LTO.

Wednesday May 29st Hamilton – 6f Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 5 days earlier, finishing 4th or better, albeit all were when the race was run one day later on the Thursday.

Thursday May 27th Sandown – 1m 2f Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 14 days earlier ~ finishing 6th or better LTO.

Friday May 31st Epsom – 8.5f Handicap: Since 2010, three winners had last run 34 days earlier ~ finishing 4th or better LTO.

Wednesday June 2nd Ripon – 6f Handicap (Class 3): Since 2012, four winners had last run 18 days earlier. All had finished 1st or 2nd on either of their last two runs.

Thursday June 3rd Leopardstown – (Listed) 'King George V Cup' over 1m 4f for 3yo: Since 2011, three winners had last run 12 days earlier, finishing 4th or better.

Saturday June 5th Doncaster – 1m Handicap (3yo): Since 2012, four winners had last run 14 days earlier , three won LTO and the other was unplaced.

Saturday June 5th Epsom – 1m 2f Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 14 days earlier with all of them running twice before in the current season and having odds of 5/1 to 12/1.

Saturday June 5th Epsom – (Gr 1) 'Epsom Derby' over 1m 4 for 3yo: Since 2012, three winners had last run 28 days earlier, either in the 2000 Gns or in the Derby Trial at Lingfield, finishing 3rd or better. A further three winners had last run 23 days earlier, either in the Chester Vase or the Dante Stakes, finishing 1st/2nd.

Thursday June 6th Ripon – 6f Handicap: Since 2017, all three winners had last run 9 days earlier. All were 3rd or better LTO and carried a weight of 9st 5lbs to 9st 9lbs.

Saturday June 8th Haydock – Gr 3 'Pinnacle Fillies Stakes' over 1m 4f: Since 2012, three winners had last run 28/35 days earlier in a listed race at Goodwood where they finished 1st/2nd.

Monday June 10th Pontefract – 6f Handicap: Since 2010, three winners had last run 7 days earlier, finishing 6th or better LTO .

Wednesday June 9th Hamilton – 6f (Amateurs) Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 6 days earlier, finishing 5th or better.

Wednesday June 9th Hamilton – 1m 3f Handicap: Since 2012, four winners had last run 15 days earlier, with two winning, one 2nd and the other unplaced LTO.

Thursday June 10th Haydock – 1m Handicap: Since 2014, three winners had last run 13 days earlier, finishing 2nd/3rd.

Thursday June 13th Leopardstown – Gr 3 'Ballycorus' Stakes over 7f: Since 2014, three winners had last run 26 days earlier, finishing no better than 3rd LTO.

Thursday June 13th Leopardstown – 1m 7f (QR) Maiden: Since 2017, three winners had last run 31 days earlier, finishing 2nd & 4th (x2) LTO.

Thursday June 10th Newbury – (Listed) 1m 2f 'Abingdon' Stakes for 3yo Fillies: Since 2014, three winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 4th or better LTO.

Thursday June 10th Newbury – 1m 2f (Amateur Riders) Handicap: Since 2014, three winners had last run 6 days earlier, with odds ranging from 13/8 to 25/1..

Friday June 14th Sandown – 1m 2f Handicap for 3yo+: Since 2010, three winners had last run 15 days earlier, all winning LTO.

Saturday June 12th Sandown – (Listed) Scurry Stakes over 5f for 3yo: Since 2012, four winners had last run 30 days earlier at York. All had odds of 5/1 or shorter.

Sunday June 13th Doncaster – 1m 4f Maiden: Since 2013, three winners had last run 29 days earlier, finishing no better than 3rd LTO.

Sunday June 13th Salisbury – (Listed) Cathedral Stakes over 6f: Since 2014, three winners had last run 29 days earlier, finishing no better than 6th LTO.

Tuesday June 15th Royal Ascot – (Gr 1) 'Queen Anne' Stakes over 1m: Since 2012, six winners had last run 31 days earlier at Newbury in the Lockinge Stakes where three had won with the others 5th, 6th & 13th.

Tuesday June 15th Royal Ascot – (Gr 1) 'Kings Stand' Stakes over 5f: Since 2013, three winners had last run 24 days earlier at Haydock in the Temple Stakes, finishing 7th or better.

Tuesday June 15th Royal Ascot – (Gr 1) 'St James Palace' Stakes over 1m for 3yo: Since 2014, four winners had last run 24 days earlier, finishing either 1st/2nd in the Irish 2000 Gns.

Tuesday June 15th Thirsk – 7f Handicap: Since 2010, five winners had last run 10 days earlier, with all but one 6th or better LTO. A further three winners had last run 20 days earlier (two finished 4th with the other unplaced LTO).

Wednesday June 16th Royal Ascot – (Gr 2) 'Queen Mary' Stakes over 5f for 2yo Fillies: Since 2011, three winners had last run 33 days earlier either winning a listed race at York or a conditions race at Newbury.

Wednesday June 19th Royal Ascot – Gr 2 'Duke Of Cambridge' Fillies Stakes over 1m: Since 2010, three winners had last run 45 days earlier either finishing 1st or 2nd in the Dahlia Stakes at Newmarket.

Wednesday June 16th Hamilton – 1m Handicap (3yo+): Since 2012, four winners had last run 16 days earlier. One was unplaced and the others 1st/2nd/3rd LTO.

Wednesday June 16th Hamilton – 1m 4f Apprentice Handicap: Since 2013, three winners had last run 7 days earlier with all finishing 5th or better LTO.

Friday June 18st Royal Ascot – (Gr 1) 'Coronation Stakes' over 1m for 3yo Fillies: Since 2013, three winners had last run 47 days earlier in the Newmarket 1000 Gns, finishing 7th or better.

Friday June 18th Royal Ascot – 1m Sandringham Handicap for 3yo Fillies: Since 2013 three winners had last run 32 days earlier, all in different races. Two of the wins were when the race was previously run on the Wednesday.

Friday June 18th Redcar – 7f Selling Stakes: Since 2012, four winners had last run 7 days earlier at York in the Rous Selling Stakes finishing 4th, 8th, 9th & 13th there. Two were favourites here and the others both 4/1 shots.

Saturday June 19th Newmarket – 5f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2014, three winners had last run 7 days earlier with all finishing 7th or worse. Odds of winners were 9/2 to 8/1.

Saturday June 19th Royal Ascot – (Gr 3) 'Jersey' Stakes over 7f: Since 2015, three winners had last run 46/49* days earlier in the 2000 Gns, finishing 3rd, 7th & 10th. * Race moved from Wednesday to Saturday in 2019.

Saturday June 19th Royal Ascot – (Gr 1) 'Diamond Jubilee' Stakes over 6f: Since 2013, three winners had last run 38 days earlier in a Gr 2 contest at York. One finished 2nd there whilst the remainder were all 5th in that race.

Saturday June 19th Royal Ascot – 'Wokingham' Handicap over 6f: Since 2012, four winners had last run 28 days earlier in races at The Curragh, York & Haydock. All finished either 1st or 2nd in their respective races.

Saturday June 19th Redcar – 7f Handicap: Since 2012, four winners had last run 8 days earlier, finishing 6th or better LTO.

Monday June 24th Wolverhampton – 1m 2f (Amateur Riders) Selling Stakes: Since 2015, three winners had last run 19 days earlier. All had odds of 8/1 or shorter.

Wednesday June 23rd Carlisle – 1m Handicap (Carlisle Bell Consolation Race): Since 2013, three winners had last run 11 days earlier. In their last race two were unplaced and the other 3rd.

Wednesday June 23rd Carlisle – 1m 'Carlisle Bell' Handicap: Since 2013, three winners had last run 11 days earlier. In their last race, all were either 2nd or 3rd.

Wednesday June 23rd Carlisle – 7f (Fillies) Handicap: Since 2013, three winners had last run 9 days earlier. In their last race all finished 4th or better. Also, since 2014, a further three winners had run 11 days earlier with two finishing 4th and the other unplaced.

Thursday June 24th Hamilton – 1m 1f Maiden for 3/4yo: Since 2012, three winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 3rd/4th LTO.

Friday June 28th Curragh – (Gr 2) 'Airlie Stud' Stakes for 2yo Fillies: Raced upgraded from Gr 3 in 2020. Since 2013, three winners had last run 11* days earlier ~ finishing no better than 4th

Friday June 25th Doncaster – 6f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2015, three winners had last run 24 days earlier. All finished 4th or better LTO.

Saturday June 26th Chester – 1m 4f Handicap: Since 2014, three winners had last run 14 days earlier. All carried a weight of 9st 7lbs to 9st 13lbs.

Saturday June 26th Curragh - (Gr 1) Irish Derby over 1m 4f for 3yo: Since 2012, seven winners last ran 21/28 days earlier in the Epsom Derby*, with five finishing either 1st/2nd/3rd at Epsom. We have also seen the 6th and 10th placed finishers from Epsom winning here.

Saturday June 26th Windsor – 5f Conditions Stakes for 2yo Fillies: Since 2013, three winners had last run 15 days earlier. All had finished either 1st or 2nd on their last run.

LTO. All of these wins were on Sundays with race now run 1 day earlier on Saturday.

Sunday June 27th Curragh – (Gr 1) 'Pretty Polly' Stakes over 1m 2f: Since 2014, four winners had last run 23* days earlier ~ finishing 4th or better LTO.

Monday June 28th Pontefract – 6f Conditions Stakes for 2yo: Since 2015, three winners had last run 13 days earlier ~ all finished 6th or worse LTO.

Thursday July 1st Haydock – 5f (Apprentices) Handicap: Since 2015, three winners had last run 7 days earlier, finishing 6th or better LTO.

Thursday July 1st Epsom – 1m 4f 'Ladies Derby' Handicap: Since 2016, three winners have won the race after running at York in the Queen Mother Handicap for lady riders 19/26 days earlier, finishing 4th or better on its last run.

Thursday July 1st Haydock – 1m (Fillies) Handicap: Since 2012, three winners had last run 17 days earlier, finishing 5th or better LTO.

Thursday July 1st Tipperary – (Listed) Tipperary Stakes over 5f: Since 2014, three winners had last run 14 days earlier, finishing 4th or better.

Friday July 2nd Beverley – 1m 4f Handicap: Since 2016, three winners had last run 10 days earlier, all finishing 6th or better on their last run.

Friday July 2nd Haydock – 1m Handicap: Since 2015, three winners had last run 22 days earlier ~ two finished 2nd and the other was unplaced on their last run.

Saturday July 3rd Haydock – 1m 6f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2018, three winners had last run 16 days earlier at Royal Ascot ~ all were unplaced on their last run.

Saturday July 3rd Haydock – (Gr 2) 'Lancashire Oaks' over 1m 4f: Since 2013, three winners had last run 51 days earlier ~ all finished 6th or better on their last run.

Saturday July 3rd Haydock – 6f Conditions Stakes: Since 2012, six winners had last run 14 days earlier ~ all had odds of 3/1 or shorter.

Saturday July 3rd Sandown – 'Coral Challenge' Handicap over 1m: Since 2015, three winners had last run 21 days earlier, with all finishing 4th or better on their last run.

Saturday July 3rd Sandown – (Listed) 'Coral Distaff' over 1m for 3yo: Since 2012, three winners had last run 17 days earlier, with all unplaced on their last run.

Saturday July 3rd Sandown – (Gr 1) 'Coral-Eclipse' over 1m 2f: Since 2013, three winners had last run 17 days earlier at Royal Ascot, with all finishing 4th or better on their last run.

Saturday July 3rd Sandown – 7f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2012, four winners had last run 14 days earlier, with all finishing 6th or better on their last run.

Saturday July 3rd Sandown – 1m 2f Handicap for 3yo: Since 2012, three winners had last run 15 days earlier, with all finishing 6th or better on their last run.

DAYS LAST RAN – NH RACES

Sunday May 9th Plumpton – 2m 5f (Conditional Jockeys) Handicap Hurdle: Since 2015, three winners had last run 15 days earlier. All had odds of 8/1 or shorter.

Monday May 13th Killarney – Gr 3 Chase over 2m 4f+: Three of the last four races were won by a horse that last raced 20 days earlier, finishing no better than 5th. All were 1st/2nd favourites.

Wednesday May 12th Newton Abbott – 2m 2f Handicap Hurdle: Since 2017, all three winners had last run 19 days earlier with one pulling up and the others both 4th LTO. All had odds of 11/1 to 50/1 when winning here.

Wednesday May 12th Perth – 2m 4f Maiden Hurdle: Since 2014, three winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 6th or better LTO.

Thursday May 13th Perth – 3m Novices' Chase: Three of the last five* winners (2016-18) had all last run 26 days earlier. All had odds of 9/4 or shorter. *No meeting in 2020 due to covid-19.

Sunday May 16th Stratford – 2m (Mares) Novices' Selling Hurdle: Since 2015, three winners had last run 6 days earlier.

Wednesday June 2nd Cartmel – 2m 6f Handicap Hurdle: Since 2017, three winners had last run at Cartmel 4 days earlier, where they finished 3rd or 4th.

Saturday June 5th Hexham – 3m Handicap Chase: Since 2015, three winners had last run 11 days earlier, with all three winning LTO.

Monday June 3rd Listowel – 3m Hunter Chase: Since 2016, three winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 1st/2nd LTO.

Thursday June 17th Ffos Las – 2m 3f Handicap Chase: Since 2016, three winners had last run here 19 days earlier, finishing 5th or better LTO.

Sunday June 30th Uttoxeter – 2m Handicap Hurdle: Since 2013, four winners had last run 7 days earlier. All were 1st/2nd LTO and started as sole/joint favourites.

