

# DAYS LAST RAN STATISTICS – MAY/JUNE 2024

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 2023 with flat meetings first then jumps meetings below them.

# DAYS LAST RAN – FLAT RACES

**Friday May 5<sup>th</sup> Newmarket – 1m 2f (Listed) Stakes for 3yo C&G:** Since 2014, three winners last ran at Newmarket 17 days earlier, finishing 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup> Leopardstown – (Gr 3) Derby Trial over 1m 2f (3yo):** Since 2015, three winners had last run 28 days earlier, finishing 1st-5th-1st

**Wednesday Chester Festival – 5f Handicap (3yo):** Since 2018, three winners had last run 12 days earlier (finished 3<sup>rd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1<sup>st</sup>). All had odds of 9/2 or shorter (one being favourite).

**Thursday Chester Festival – 5f Handicap:** Since 2018, three winners had last run 20 days earlier (all in different races/tracks) finishing 7<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>.

**Thursday Chester Festival – 7.5f Handicap (3yo):** Since 2018, three winners had last run 22 days earlier at Newmarket where they finished 3<sup>rd</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup>.

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

**Saturday May 7<sup>th</sup> Haydock – 1m Handicap for 3yo:** Since 2014, four winners had last run 16 days earlier, finishing 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

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

**Tuesday May 16<sup>th</sup> Beverley – 8.5f Handicap:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 8 days earlier, finishing 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO at Beverley.

**Tuesday May 16<sup>th</sup> Sandown – 1m 2f Handicap (3yo):** Since 2014, four winners had last run 27 days earlier, finishing 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> LTO. All had odds of 7/2 or shorter.

**Thursday May 18<sup>th</sup> York – 5f Handicap:** Since 2018, three winners had last run 7 days earlier (at Chester) where they finished 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Thursday May 18<sup>th</sup> 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 3<sup>rd</sup> or better there.

**Thursday May 18<sup>th</sup> 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 5<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> in the 2000Gns at Newmarket. Longest odds seen were 10/1.

**Friday May 13<sup>th</sup> Hamilton – 5f Novice Stakes (2yo):** Since 2016, three winners had last run 14 days earlier, all sent off as favourites having finished 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> on their only previous run.

**Friday May 13<sup>th</sup> York – (Gr 2) Yorkshire Cup over 1m 6f:** Since 2018, *Stradivarius* has won three times after a break of 209 days.

**Friday May 13<sup>th</sup> York – 5f Handicap:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 20 days earlier, finishing no better than 5<sup>th</sup> LTO.

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

**Saturday May 20<sup>th</sup> Newmarket – 6f Handicap for 3yo:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 14 days earlier at Newmarket. Two were 2<sup>nd</sup> and the other 4<sup>th</sup> LTO.

**Monday May 16<sup>th</sup> Carlisle – 7f Handicap for 3yo:** Since 2013, four winners had last run 21 days earlier. Three were 5<sup>th</sup> LTO with the other a winner LTO.

**Wednesday May 18<sup>th</sup> Ayr – 5f Handicap (3yo):** Since 2019, three winners had last run 11 days earlier with all having odds of 5/1 or shorter.

**Friday May 26<sup>th</sup> Goodwood – 7f Handicap:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 19/20\* days earlier at Goodwood with two winning LTO and the other 4<sup>th</sup>. All had odds of 10/1 or shorter. \*Race moved from Thursday to Friday in 2021.

**Thursday May 26<sup>th</sup> 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 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO. \*Race moved from Thursday to Friday in 2021.

**Friday May 26<sup>th</sup> Goodwood – (Listed) 'Cocked Hat' Stakes over 1m 3f:** Since 2016, three winners had last run 28 days earlier finishing 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Whit Saturday Chester – 7.5f Handicap:** Since 2014, three winner had last run 14 days earlier. All were 3<sup>rd</sup> or better LTO.

**Whit Saturday Curragh – (Gr 3) Marble Hill Stakes over 6f:** Since 2018, three winners had last run at the Curragh 19 days earlier, where they all won LTO.

**Whit Saturday Curragh – (Gr 1) 'Irish 2000 Gns' over 1m:** Since 2014, four winners had last run 21 days earlier (in English 2000 Gns). Two won at Newmarket and two finished 2<sup>nd</sup> there.

**Saturday May 21<sup>st</sup> Goodwood – (Listed) Tapsters Stakes over 1m 4f:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 14 days earlier – finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> or better LTO.

**Whit Saturday Haydock – (Gr 2) 'Temple Stakes' over 5f:** Since 2013, four winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 5<sup>th</sup> or better.

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

**Sunday May 22<sup>nd</sup> Curragh – (Gr 1) Tattersalls Gold Cup over 1m 2f:** Since 2016, three winners had last run 20 days earlier finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> or better LTO.

**Sunday May 22<sup>nd</sup> 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.

**Thursday May 26<sup>th</sup> Sandown – (Listed) National Stakes over 5f (2yo):** Since 2016, three winners last ran 12 days earlier, finishing 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> LTO.

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

**Whit Monday Windsor – 6f Novice Stakes (2yo):** Since 2016, three winner had last run 17 days earlier. All had one previous run, no better than 5<sup>th</sup> LTO.

**Whit Tuesday Leicester – 1m 2f Handicap:** Since 2019, three winners had last run 29 days earlier finishing 6<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

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

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

**Whit Tuesday Redcar – 1m 6f Maiden Handicap:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 14 days earlier, finishing 5<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

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

**Wednesday June 1<sup>st</sup> Ripon – 6f Handicap (Class 3):** Since 2013, four winners had last run 18 days earlier. All had finished 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> on either of their last two runs.

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

**Friday June 2<sup>nd</sup> Epsom – 6f 'Woodcote Stakes' for 2yo:** Since 2016, three winners had last run 18 days earlier, finishing 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> LTO.

**Friday June 2<sup>nd</sup> Epsom – (Gr 1) 'Epsom Oaks' over 1m 4f for 3yo Fillies:** Since 2017, three winners had last run 23 days earlier with all 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> LTO.

**Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup> Epsom – (Gr 3) Princess Elizabeth Stakes over 8.5f:** Since 2017, three winners had last run 28 days earlier with all of them running twice before in the current season and having odds of 4/5 to 4/1. All had finished 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup> Epsom – (Gr 1) 'Epsom Derby' over 1m 4 for 3yo:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 23 days earlier, either in the Chester Vase or the Dante Stakes, finishing 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Wednesday June 7<sup>th</sup> Kempton – 7f Novice Stakes:** Since 2019, three winners had last run 19 days earlier, finishing either 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> LTO.

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

**Wednesday June 8<sup>th</sup> Hamilton – 1m 3f Handicap:** Since 2013, three winners had last run 15 days earlier, with two winning and the other unplaced LTO.

**Thursday June 15<sup>th</sup> Haydock – 1m Handicap:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 13 days earlier, finishing 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Thursday June 15<sup>th</sup> Leopardstown – (Gr 3) 'Ballycorus' Stakes over 7f:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 26 days earlier, finishing no better than 3<sup>rd</sup> LTO.

**Thursday June 15<sup>th</sup> 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 16<sup>th</sup> Chepstow – 5f Handicap:** Since 2021, three winners had last run at Chepstow 6 days earlier where they finished 2<sup>nd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> .

**Friday June 16<sup>th</sup> Sandown – 5f Handicap:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 7 days earlier finishing 2<sup>nd</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> LTO. All had odds of 9/2 or shorter.

**Friday June 16<sup>th</sup> York – 7f Handicap:** Since 2014, four winners had last run 20 days earlier at York finishing no better than 4<sup>th</sup>. All had odds of 9/2 to 15/2.

**Saturday June 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

**Saturday June 17<sup>th</sup> York – 6f 'Oakmere Homes' Handicap:** Since 2016, five winners had last run 28 days earlier at Newmarket where they finished 3<sup>rd</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> .

**Tuesday Royal Ascot – (Gr 1) 'Queen Anne' Stakes over 1m:** Since 2017, five winners had last run 31 days earlier at Newbury in the Lockinge Stakes where three had won with the others 6<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>.

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

**Wednesday Royal Ascot – (Gr 2) 'Duke Of Cambridge' Fillies Stakes over 1m:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 45 days earlier either finishing 1<sup>st</sup> , 2<sup>nd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> in the Dahlia Stakes at Newmarket.

**Wednesday June 21<sup>st</sup> Hamilton – 1m 4f Apprentice Handicap:** Since 2014, three winners had last run at Hamilton 7 days earlier with all finishing 5<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Thursday June 22<sup>nd</sup> Leopardstown – 1m 7f (QR) Maiden Stakes:** Since 2017, three winners had last run 31 days earlier finishing 4<sup>th</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> LTO.

**Friday Royal Ascot – (Gr 2) King Edward VII Stakes (3yo) over 1m 4f:** Since 2016, five winners had last run in the Epsom Derby (13/20 days earlier) where they finished 10<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> .

**Friday June 23<sup>rd</sup> Redcar – 7f Selling Stakes (2yo):** Since 2014, three winners had last run 7 days earlier at York in the Rous Selling Stakes finishing 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> there. One was favourite here and the others both 4/1 shots.

**Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup> Newmarket – 5f Handicap for 3yo:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 7 days earlier with all finishing 7<sup>th</sup> or worse. Odds of winners were 9/2 to 8/1.

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

**Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup> Redcar – 7f Handicap:** Since 2014, four winners had last run 8 days earlier, finishing 7<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Monday June 20<sup>th</sup> 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 22<sup>nd</sup> 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 3<sup>rd</sup> .

**Wednesday June 22<sup>nd</sup> Carlisle – 1m 'Carlisle Bell' Handicap:** Since 2013, three winners had last run 11 days earlier. In their last race, all were either 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> .

**Wednesday June 22<sup>nd</sup> Carlisle – 7f (Fillies) Handicap:** Since 2013, three winners had last run 9 days earlier. In their last race all finished 4<sup>th</sup> or better. Also, since 2014, a further three winners had run 11 days earlier with two finishing 4<sup>th</sup> and the other unplaced.

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

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

**Monday June 27<sup>th</sup> Pontefract – 6f Conditions Stakes for 2yo:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 13 days earlier ~ all finished 6<sup>th</sup> or worse LTO.

**Tuesday June 28<sup>th</sup> Brighton – 1m 2f Handicap:** Since 2013, three winners had last run 21 days earlier. All were 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Thursday June 30<sup>th</sup> Haydock – 5f (Apprentices) Handicap:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 7 days earlier, finishing 6<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Saturday July 1<sup>st</sup> Chester – 1m 4f Handicap:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 14 days earlier. All carried a weight of 9st 7lbs to 9st 13lbs. A further 3 winners had last run 22 days earlier all with odds of 4/1 to 17/2.

**Saturday July 1<sup>st</sup> Curragh – (Gr 2) 'Airlie Stud' Stakes for 2yo Fillies:** Raced upgraded from Gr3 in 2020. Since 2013, three winners had last run 11\* days earlier ~ finishing no better than 4<sup>th</sup>

**Saturday July 1<sup>st</sup> Curragh – (Gr 1) 'Pretty Polly' Stakes over 1m 2f:** Since 2014, four winners had last run 23\* days earlier ~ finishing 4<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Sunday July 2<sup>nd</sup> Curragh - (Gr 1) Irish Derby over 1m 4f for 3yo:** Since 2014, seven winners last ran 21/28 days earlier in the Epsom Derby\*, with five finishing either 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> at Epsom. We have also seen the 6<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> placed finishers from Epsom winning here.

**Wednesday July 5<sup>th</sup> 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 4<sup>th</sup> or better on its last run.

# DAYS LAST RAN – NH RACES

**Friday May 11<sup>th</sup> Downpatrick – 2m 6f Maiden Hurdle:** Since 2015, three winners had last run here 33 days earlier. All started here as 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> favourites.

**Saturday May 12<sup>th</sup> Haydock – 3m Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2016, five winners had last raced at Cheltenham 24 days earlier where they finished 4<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Saturday May 12<sup>th</sup> Hexham – 3m Handicap Chase:** Since 2016, three winners had last run at Hexham seven days earlier, with one pulling up and the others placed 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> LTO.

**Saturday May 7<sup>th</sup> Warwick – 2m 3f Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2016, four winners had last run 28 days earlier, finishing 6<sup>th</sup> / Unplaced / 2<sup>nd</sup> / 5<sup>th</sup> LTO.

**Sunday May 11<sup>th</sup> 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 13<sup>th</sup> 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 5<sup>th</sup>. All were 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> favourites.

**Wednesday May 17<sup>th</sup> Perth – 2m 4f Maiden Hurdle:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 21 days earlier, finishing 6<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Thursday May 18<sup>th</sup> Perth – 2m (Mares) Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2017, three winners had last run here 21 days earlier, finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Friday May 13<sup>th</sup> Aintree – 3m 1f Handicap Chase:** Since 2018, three winners had last run at Aintree 34 days earlier where they finished no better than 5<sup>th</sup> LTO.

**Monday May 16<sup>th</sup> Killarney – 2m 7f Hunter Chase:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 10 days earlier finishing 1<sup>st</sup>, UR & 3<sup>rd</sup> LTO.

**Sunday May 22<sup>nd</sup> Fakenham – 2m 4f (Ladies) Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2014, three winners had last run 19 days earlier (finishing 5<sup>th</sup> or better LTO).

**Wednesday May 31<sup>st</sup> Cartmel – 2m 6f Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2017, three winners had last run at Cartmel 4 days earlier, where they finished 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Thursday June 2<sup>nd</sup> Uttoxeter – 2m 7f Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2019, three winners had last run 19 days earlier, finishing 6<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup> Hexham – 2m 4f Handicap Chase:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 11 days earlier, with all 3<sup>rd</sup> or better LTO.

**Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup> Hexham – 3m Handicap Chase:** Since 2015, three winners had last run 11 days earlier, with all three winning LTO.

**Monday June 5<sup>th</sup> Listowel – 3m Hunter Chase:** Since 2016, five winners had last run 21 days earlier at Killarney, finishing 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> LTO.

**Saturday June 17<sup>th</sup> – 2m Handicap Chase:** Since 2016, three winners had last run 17 days earlier finishing either 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> LTO.

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

**Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup> Perth – 3m Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2019, three winners last ran 13 days earlier at Perth, finishing 5<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Friday June 30<sup>th</sup> Cartmel – 2m 5f Handicap Chase;** Since 2015, three winners had last run 13 days earlier finishing 5<sup>th</sup> or better LTO.

**Sunday July 2<sup>nd</sup> Cartmel – 2m 5f Handicap Chase;** Since 2015, four winners had last run at Cartmel 27/34 days earlier where they finished 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> .

**Sunday July 2<sup>nd</sup> Cartmel – 3m 1f Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2016, four winners had last run at Cartmel 27/34 days earlier finishing 6<sup>th</sup> PU 2<sup>nd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> .

**Sunday July 2<sup>nd</sup> Uttoxeter – 2m Handicap Hurdle:** Since 2018, three winners had last run 7 days earlier. All were 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> LTO and started as sole/joint favourites.



