

YORK EBOR MEETING - 10 YEAR TRENDS – PART 2

A summary of key trends is detailed below for each race over the four-day meeting - trends alone will not usually find winners but they may help you to draw up a short-list and then use your own skill and judgement to find that elusive winner! The figure after each race name/detail is the favourites win rate e.g. 5 wins in 10 years = 50%.

The main race of the day is also highlighted. A general draw guide is given for each race splitting the field into three parts: low, middle & high. For more comprehensive details of the draw affects please use the members only N&M Racing Club Drawfacts Data website: <http://the-nrc.weebly.com>

FRIDAY

1M 4F 'SKY BET' H/CAP (5%): Usually a trappy start to the day with just one joint favourite winning since 2013. 4yo have the best record in the race with 9/11* wins (others were aged 5yo *Includes a dead heat in 2015. In terms of the draw, 17/38 winners/placed horses have come from the lowest third of the draw since 2013 with Middle 13/38 and High 8/38. Stall 10 has produced three winners and three placed horses in the last ten years. In the betting, 5/11 winners had double digit odds with one being a 33/1 shot. Draw: Low 40%; Middle 50%; High 10%.

2 MILE 'WEATHERBYS' HAMILTON LONSDALE CUP' (Gr 2) (50%): 4/10 past winners last ran in the Goodwood Cup, finishing, 2nd, 6th, 1st and 1st. Last year's winner *Quickthorn* is seeking a 2nd win in the race. Only one winner since 2013 had finished worse than 6th in their last race. The last ten winners were all aged between 4-7yo. John Gosden has won four of the last five renewals of the race. Draw: Low 40%; Middle 30%; High 30%.

Year	Form	Horse + Days since last run	Age/Weight	Jockey	Odds	Trainer	Draw
2013	221222	Ahzeemah (22)	4 9 3	S de Sousa	4/1	S Bin Suroor	7 of 7
2014	5/104-31	Pale Mimosa (36)	5 9 0	P Smullen	2/1 Fv	D K Weld (Ire)	5 of 8
2015	40000/2	Max Dynamite (55)	5 9 3	L Dettori	8/1	W P Mullins (Ire)	2 of 11
2016	200-236	Quest For More (22)	6 9 3	G Baker	9/2	R Charlton	7 of 7
2017	3200-12	Montaly (48)	6 9 3	P J McDonald	16/1	A Balding	4 of 9
2018	133-111	Stradivarius (24)	4 9 6	L Dettori	4/11Fv	J Gosden	7 of 9
2019	111-111	Stradivarius (24)	5 9 6	L Dettori	4/9Fv	J Gosden	3 of 5
2020	1113-41	Enbihaar (20)	5 9 0	J Crowley	15/8Fv	J Gosden	2 of 7
2021	1200-14	Stradivarius (64)	7 9 3	L Dettori	4/6Fv	J & T Gosden	1 of 5
2022	40-2211	Quickthorn (36)	5 9 5	T Marquand	9/4	H Morrison	1 of 8

6F 'GIMCRACK STAKES' (Gr 2) 2yo (30%): All ten past winners were 3rd or better on their last run 12-43 days earlier. 9/10 winners had odds of 7/1 or shorter. Two of the last seven winners were runners up in the Richmond Stakes at Goodwood 22 days earlier. Stall 4 has produced three winners since 2013. Draw: Low 20%; Middle 60%; High 20%.

5F 'NUNTHORPE STAKES' (Gr 1) (20%): 4/10 past winners also last ran at Goodwood in the King George Stakes (21 days earlier), so that race is worth looking at closely. In the Goodwood race two had won, one was 3rd and the other unplaced there. Overall, 9/10 past winners finished 3rd or better LTO. Last run of winner usually within 12-66 days earlier. As the table below highlights this race can throw up shock winners with two having odds of 40/1 (all others were 9/1 or shorter). The last 2yo winner was in 2007. *Highfield*

Princess is seeking a follow up win and if winning will be the third horse to notch up 'the double' in the last 10 years. Draw: Low 30%; Middle 60%; High 10%.

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2013	502210	Jwala (21)	4 9 8	S Drowne	40/1	R Cowell	8 of 20
2014	62-4011	Sole Power (66)	7 9 11	R Hughes	11/4 Fv	E Lynam (Ire)	10 of 15
2015	1511-12	Meccas Angel (34)	4 9 10	P Mulrennan	15/2	M Dods	10 of 20
2016	121-201	Meccas Angel (34)	5 9 8	P Mulrennan	9/2	M Dods	7 of 20
2017	21-1323	Marsha (21)	4 9 8	L Morris	8/1	Sir M Prescott	8 of 12
2018	11-2322	Alpha Delphini (41)	7 9 11	G Lee	40/1	B Smart	7 of 16
2019	144-121	Battaash (21)	5 9 11	J Crowley	7/4	C Hills	1 of 11
2020	2110-11	Battaash (21)	6 9 11	J Crowley	1-2Fv	C Hills	3 of 8
2021	011-101	Winter Power (41)	3 9 6	S De Sousa	9/1	T Easterby	6 of 15
2022	521161	Highfield Princess (12)	5 9 12	J Hart	5/1	J J Quinn	15 of 15

1M 2F FILLIES HANDICAP (0%): New race in 2020. All winners to date were drawn low (stalls 1 & 3) and were 6th or better LTO. All carried a weight of 8st 12lbs to 9st 9lbs. Draw: Low (100%).

7F MAIDEN FOR 2YO (40%): Two debutants have won the race with all others finishing 4th or better on their last run (14-35 days earlier). In the betting six winners had odds of 4/1 or shorter with the remainder all 11/1 to 25/1. Draw: Low 60%; Middle 20%; High 20%.

1M HANDICAP FOR 3YO (15%): New race in 2013. All past winners last raced 20-55 days earlier. Six winners had odds of 8/1 or shorter but the others were largely unfancied at 12/1, 16/1, 25/1 & 33/1. Stall 3 has provided three of the last nine winners. Whilst not producing a winner since 2013, stall 1 has provided eight placed horses, so worth including in your placepots! All 9 winners carried 9st 6lbs or less. Six past winners had also won LTO. Draw: Low 70%; Middle 10%; High 20%.

SATURDAY

1M 1F 'STRENSALL STKS' (Gr 3) (30%): D O'Meara is the leading trainer with 3 wins (all also ridden by D Tudhope). Well backed horses tend to fare well in this race with 8/10 winners having odds of 11/2 or shorter with the longest SP seen at 10/1. All ten past winners had last run 9-35 days earlier. Also, all ten winners had at least one 1st or 2nd placed run in the current season. Draw: Low 50%; Middle 20%; High 30%.

1M 6F 'MELROSE H/CAP' FOR 3YO (20%): Many horses will be trying the trip for the first time which no doubt adds to the weak record of the favourites. 8/10 winners were 6th or better LTO. 6/10 winners had double digit odds of 10/1 to 28/1. A last run within the last 14-44 days was also a common feature. Draw: Low 20%; Middle 40%; High 40%.

7F 'CITY OF YORK STKS' (Gr 3) (38%): Status of race increased to Gr 3 in 2016 then Gr 2 in 2019. With 9/10 winners having odds of 6/1 or shorter it generally pays to watch the betting market closely (other was a 9/1 shot). In the last ten years no winner had come from the highest third of the draw. No winner since 2004 had won here after also winning LTO. The last three winners had all run 25 days earlier in the Gr 2 Lennox Stakes at Goodwood with one 2nd there and two 4th. *Kinross* is seeking a repeat win in the race although there have been no dual winners since 1986 when my records commenced. Draw: Low 50%; Middle 50%; High 0%.

1M 6F 'EBOR H/CAP' (10%): Interestingly for a long-distance race, the draw can be a key factor with only 7/40 winners/placed horses coming out of the lowest third of the stalls so a mid-high draw seems a slight

advantage. No past winner aged older than 7yo. Besides being a weak race for favourite backers (and no 2nd favourites have won in the last ten years) the race has recently provided several surprise winners with 6/10 winners having odds of 10/1 or greater. Irish trainers also tend to do fairly well with 4 wins in the last 10 years. 7/10 winners had run 3 times or less in the current flat season. All carried a weight of 9st or more. Draw Low 20%; Middle 20%; High 60%.

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2013	2132-12	Tiger Cliff (67)	4 9 0	T Queally	5/1	Lady Cecil	18 of 22
2014	1222-13	Mutual Regard (37)	5 9 9	L Steward (3)	20/1	J P Murtagh (Ire)	16 of 22
2015	11/21/11-	Litigant (491)	7 9 0	O Murphy	33/1	J Tuite	6 of 22
2016	3100-10	Heartbreak City (22)	6 9 6	A J McNamara	15/2	A J Martin (Ire)	15 of 22
2017	202-024	Nakeeta (77)	6 9 5	C Rodriguez (5)	12/1	I Jardine	18 of 22
2018	006-434	Muntahaa (44)	5 9 9	J Crowley	11/1	J Gosden	21 of 22
2019	41-0235	Mustajeer (57)	6 9 5	C Keane	16/1	G M Lyons (Ire)	2 of 24
2020	/123-1	Fujaira Prince (66)	6 9 8	A Atzeni	11/2Fv	R Varian	12 of 24
2021	14-3316	Sonnyboyliston (42)	4 9 8	B Coen	10/1	J P Murtagh (Ire)	14 of 24
2022	16-1001	Trawlerman (21)	4 9 3	L Dettori	9-1	J & T Gosden	20 of 24

6F H/CAP (n/a): New race in 2022. *Summerghand* is seeking a repeat win this year.

5F 'JULIA GRAVES ROSES STKS' for 2yo (Listed) (20%): 8/10 winners also won at least one of their last three races (the others were both maidens). 8/10 past winners had run at least three times before. Apart from the 2015 winner at 33/1, all others were well backed at 13/2 or shorter. No past winner had been rested for more than 44 days since their last run. Since 2016, three winners had last run 24 days earlier in the Molecomb Stakes at Goodwood (finishing 5th 7th 2nd there). Draw: Low 30%; Middle 50%; High 20%.

1M 2F H/CAP (35%): 9/10 winners had a 5th place or better from either of last two outings with a last run within the last 14-43 days. There have been 10/1 and 20/1 winners with all others sent off at 8/1 or shorter. If we include placed horses the last 10 years results show 19/38 drawn low; 11/38 drawn middle and 8/38 drawn high. Draw: Low 50%; Middle 30%; High 20%.

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