

(R1) 14:20 THURLES, 3m 201y

Thurles Racecourse Hunters Chase (Class) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		U17P1-4	IT CAME TO PASS 107 b g Brian Boru - Satellite Dancer	11 12 - 2	Miss M O'Sullivan (5) E M O'Sullivan	126
2		13-3315	MACS LEGEND 67 CD b g Blueprint - Rosealdi	13 12 - 2	Mr J C Barry (5) G Kelleher	109
3		PP1-P14	STAND UP AND FIGHT 70 b g Fiemensfirth - Aylesbury Park	9 12 - 2b	Miss A B O'Connor (5) E Bolger	123
4		112120	ER DANCER (FR) 25 b g Dragon Dancer - Quisiera	7 11 - 13p	Mr R Foley (7) Sean Doyle	-
5		2245U-P	GLORIOUS GALWAY 152 b g Westerner - Peace Time Beauty	9 11 - 13t	Mr B W Harvey (7) D McNamara	112
6		4002-62	JURY DUTY 131 b g Well Chosen - Swan Heart	10 11 - 13tp	Mr J J Codd G Elliott	145
7		1/111-16	ON THE SOD 25 b g Ask - Top Shelf	9 11 - 13	Mr D G Lavery (3) D M Christie	-
8		142-D17	SOME MAN 70 b g Beat Hollow - Miss Denman	8 11 - 13	Mr R James (7) D M Christie	-
9		2-21311	TEMPLEBREDIN 37 b g Stowaway - Ballydunne Present	7 11 - 13	Mr P A King (5) S Curling	109
10		1-11P25	WINGED LEADER 25 b g Winged Love - Classical Beauty	7 11 - 13	Mr B O'Neill D M Christie	-
11		4776-60	AJIJIC 25 b g Bach - Wishbone Ash	12 11 - 9	Mr M J O'Connor Terence Leonard	-
12		P3-712P	SUPER CITIZEN (GB) 37 b g Multiplex - Kallithea	7 11 - 9	Mr M J M O'Sullivan (7) E M O'Sullivan	109
13		P5SP6P	THREE LOUD KNOCKS 25 ch g Mahler - Our Heritage	9 11 - 9	Mr E P O'Brien (7) Brian Mortell	-
14		P292-6P	UNDRESSED (FR) 88 b g Lost World - Latitude	13 11 - 9tp1	Mr J J Clifford (7) J O Clifford	102
15		8P4538	LADY VIOLET 88 br m Stowaway - Clohass Melody	8 11 - 2p1	Mr A Leahy (7) J J Hanlon	74

ATR VERDICT: Ground conditions are not ideal for IT CAME TO PASS but might win on his way to a repeat bid in the Cheltenham Foxhunters. It Came To Pass is clearly high class on his day and while beaten 21L by Stand Up And Fight in November, he reportedly needed that run and with Cheltenham now just three weeks away, an improved performance can be expected. Stand Up And Fight is himself a capable type but was beaten 19L by Billaway at Down Royal in December and would be vulnerable to any smart performers today. Winged Leader finished in front of Stand Up And Fight in that Down Royal race but he too was well beaten in a hot hunters at Naas last month and while heavy ground will play to his strengths, he too might find one or two too good. Jury Duty, winner of the 2018 American National Hurdle, returned to point-to-pointing in October and having chased home Winged Leader then, is interesting today as he makes his hunter chase and could well get involved. Templebredin was a dour winner of a Clonmel hunters on his latest start but faces tougher opposition today. On The Sod was well enough held in that hot Naas race last month and had previously shown smart point-to-point form while Some Man has looked exciting on occasions but has also had his problems and was well held at Down Royal in December.

Top Tip: IT CAME TO PASS (1)

Watch out for: STAND UP AND FIGHT (3)



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(R2) 14:50 THURLES, 2m 5f 146y

Irish Stallion Farms EBF Mares Novice Chase (Class) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		351243	CUSHINSTOWN FINEST 39 D bay m Trans Island - Fa Si La	9 11 - 6p	Jordan Colin Gainford (7) Colin Bowe	117
2		222645	WAITNSEE 12 b m Arctic Cosmos - Madame Stella	7 11 - 6	B J Cooper J P Ryan	125
3		P823-PP	DUBAI DAISY 102 b m Dubai Destination - True Dedication	7 11 - 1t1	Mr M J M O'Sullivan (7) E M O'Sullivan	-
4		475689	GOLD CREEK 53 b m Gold Well - Belle Bora	7 11 - 1	P T Enright Aengus King	93
5		4P-PF31	IMITATION GAME (FR) 116 b m Spanish Moon - Hotel California	6 11 - 1	A McCurtin (5) R P Rath	-
6		325-614	MINX TIARA 40 b m Doyen - Forest Minx	6 11 - 1	S W Flanagan D M O'Brien	110
7		2-P4162	NEW MONEY (GB) 43 b m Malinas - Celtic Native	7 11 - 1p	B J Foley (5) E M O'Sullivan	-
8		0-8F6	NYMPHHALL 17 b m Oscar - Up The Style	6 11 - 1	P K Donovan (7) J P Ryan	-

ATR VERDICT: CUSHINSTOWN FINEST might prove best in a winneable contest. Cushinstown Finest has progressed well in recent months and while she has won just one chase in 11 starts, she has been running well in defeat, is proven testing ground and while she is a proven stayer, has winning form at this type of trip with her rider again claiming a very useful 7lbs. Waitnsee is 1lbs ahead of the selection on adjusted-ratings (including claims) and while she is another able type, her best form is on good ground. She has been well when sent black-type hunting on her latest runs and while today's race is much less competitive, she will encounter unsuitably testing ground. Minx Tiara makes her chase debut but is a contender having shown useful hurdles form. She is rated 119 over hurdles and receiving 5lbs, should get involved at the business end and is nicely experienced over hurdles and also finished third on her point-to-point debut in 2019. New Money was second in a weak race at Naas in January but has place claims today.

Top Tip: CUSHINSTOWN FINEST (1)
Watch out for: WAITNSEE (2)



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(R3) 15:20 THURLES, 2m 149y

We're In This Together Handicap Chase (Class) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		123C13-	CHARLIE STOUT 390 C D br g Spadoun - Full Of Elegance	10 11 - 10t	P E Corbett Shane Nolan	135
2		534-P9P	GOULANE CHOSEN 19 C D b g Well Chosen - Vixen's Cry	12 11 - 10	B J Foley (5) S Spillane	135
3		0-52616	JACK DILLINGER 29 C D b g Westerner - Peppardstown	10 11 - 6	J J Slevin Joseph P O'Brien	131
4		PP-220P	ROCKY'S SILVER 59 g g Acambaro - Lucky Leela	8 11 - 4p	C J Orr (3) James Dullea	129
5		334407	STAR MAX (GER) 25 b g Maxios - Startissima	6 11 - 4t1p	Rachael Blackmore Joseph P O'Brien	129
6		5P3230	CUSP OF CARABELLI 61 C br g Elusive Pimpernel - Lingual Cusp	8 11 - 1	S W Flanagan D M O'Brien	126
7		343308	MY MANEKINEKO (GB) 38 b g Authorized - Echo River	12 10 - 5	M P O'Connor (7) J A Nash	116
8		4750U7	ALLARDYCE (GB) 12 b g Black Sam Bellamy - Woore Lass	9 10 - 2p	P T Enright E J O'Grady	113
9		14-9650	WOLFOFALLSTREETS 44 C b g Kalanisi - Floresse	7 9 - 12t	A W Short P J Rothwell	109
10		031UP1	ESPION DU CHENET (FR) 10 C che g Sunday Break - Reine Irlandaise	7 9 - 12t	R P Treacy Louise G Lyons	109

Long Handicap: Wolfofallstreets 9 - 11, Espion Du Chenet 9 - 9

ATR VERDICT: ESPION DU CHENET might follow up his course and distance win 10 days ago. A hurdle winner at leading French jumps venue Auteuil back in 2017, he has since been lightly raced but has returned to form in recent times and has recently twice won two-miles handicap chases on heavy ground. Today's race is more competitive that his most recent win but he remains open to more improvement being a largely unexposed 7yo and has a light weight. Top weight Charlie Stout hasn't run for a year but would have solid claims if reappearing at his best while Cusp Of Carabelli was well held on his most recent start but had previously shown up well on testing ground and can get involved from his rating. Jack Dillinger won over a similar trip here in December but was well held on his most recent start here last month. Star Max seems fairly ground-versatile and while winless in 11 chase outings, did run well in his only two previous handicap chase outings and today runs in a first-time tongue-tie.

Top Tip: ESPION DU CHENET (10)
Watch out for: CHARLIE STOUT (1)



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(R4) 15:50 THURLES, 2m 4f 218y

Markaye Contracts Ltd Michael Purcell Memorial Novice Hurdle (Grade 3) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		14213	JACKSONS GOLD 58 C b g Gold Well - Miss Abrahamovic	7 11 - 5	I J Power Ms Curran	131
2		17-1P3	FIGHTER ALLEN (FR) 29 BF b g Vision D'etat - Reaction	6 11 - 2	P Townend W P Mullins	-
3		151123	GOODBYE SOMEDAY 116 D b g Stowaway - Liss A Paoraigh	7 11 - 2	D F O'Regan J E Kiely	140
4		4-12514	WEST CORK WILDWAY 19 C br g Yeats - Dollar's Worth	7 11 - 2t	D J O'Keefe Paul O'Flynn	132
5		7PP	D'ALLEY BOY 67 ch g El Salvador - Kerso	5 11 - 0	Mr C J Shine L J Archdeacon	-
6		141	GRAND PARADIS (FR) 17 gr g Martaline - Outre mer	5 11 - 0t	J W Kennedy G Elliott	-
7		231	LIMESTONE ROCK 25 b g Leading Light - Accordeon Royale	5 11 - 0	P T Enright M F Morris	-
8		5-15210	RESCUE PACKAGE (FR) 18 g m Montmartre - Cosavita	6 10 - 12	D E Mullins A Mullins	127

ATR VERDICT: Envoi Allen's half-brother FIGHTER ALLEN has shown enough to suggest he can win this Grade 3. Fighter Allen hasn't as yet shown high class ability and while he pulled up at Navan in December, did return to form with a useful third-placing over 2m7f here last month. The form of that race received a boost with the runner-up finishing second at Grade 2 level last weekend and dropping in trip shouldn't inconvenience an in-form Fighter Allen today. Goodbye Someday is rated 140 and has shown useful form himself. He was placed at Listed and Grade 3 levels on his most recent start and while he seems trip and ground-versatile, is vulnerable to smart types. Grand Paradis won in a first-time tongue-tie at Fairyhouse recently and while he is open to improvement, faces a stiffer task today. Similarly Limestone Rock steps up from his promising maiden hurdle win at Naas last month and he too faces a stronger test here. Jacksons Gold and West Cork Wildway both ran good races in defeat in competitive handicaps on their latest starts but might find a few to strong here. Rescue Package was hampered when well beaten on her latest start and will be black-type chasing here.

Top Tip: FIGHTER ALLEN (2)



Watch out for: GRAND PARADIS (6)



(R5) 16:25 THURLES, 2m 7f 87y

I.N.H. Stallion Owners EBF Maiden Hurdle (Class) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		2-631	CHURCHSTONEWARRIOR 29 C br g Mahler - Western Approaches	6 12 - 0	D F O'Regan Jonathan Sweeney	-
2		2/53	AIN'T THAT A SHAME 44 b g Jeremy - Castletown Girl	7 11 - 6	Rachael Blackmore H de Bromhead	-
3		8	CARIOCA KING 158 b g Mahler - Derrigra Sublime	6 11 - 6b1	S F O'Keefe P Nolan	-
4		2-F3753	DR SHIROCCO 81 ch g Shirocco - Uncommitted	6 11 - 6	C A Landers (5) A Slattery	-
5		65/4	JOHN ADAMS 11 b g Presenting - Liss Alainn	7 11 - 6p1	Mr R James (7) Colin Bowe	-
6		600	SAUNDERSCOURT RULE 12 b g Rule of Law - Lady Derrinlaur	6 11 - 6	B Hayes Jonathan Fogarty	-
7		P131F4	THEDANCINGFARRIER 37 ch g Dansant - Ringmetomorrow	9 11 - 6	Mr R J Kiely (5) Paul Stephen Kiely	-
8		23	WALL OF FAME 123 b g Fame And Glory - Sanadja	6 11 - 6	J W Kennedy G Elliott	-
9		56-251	WELSH REIGN 74 b g Imperial Monarch - Marians Gem	6 11 - 6	P T Enright J J Mangan	-
10		3-07	WE'VE THAT OPTION 112 b g Doyen - Biddy's Option	7 11 - 6	I J Power Gavin Dower	-
11		4PP/357	WINTER FOG 12 b g Papal Bull - Banphrionsa	7 11 - 6	Mr J G Murphy (7) Daniel G Murphy	-
12		27	EARTHS FURIES 11 b g Dylan Thomas - Verney Roe	5 11 - 4	J C Canavan (7) E M O'Sullivan	-
13		09	PRINCE OF GEMS 11 b g So You Think - Warmley's Gem	5 11 - 4	M P Fogarty Jonathan Fogarty	-
14		36	SIR JACK WEST 29 b g Westerner - Star Sprinkled Sky	5 11 - 4	P D Kennedy Elmarie Holden	-
15		P	THEFOURFACEDIAR 28 br m Yeats - Another Voyage	5 10 - 11t	D E Mullins G Ahern	-
16			VICTORY SIGN g m Cloudings - Serendipity	5 10 - 11	S D Torrens (5) L Casey	-
17		P-16	BROOMFIELDS KAN 11 g g Arakan - Roses And Wine	6 11 - 6	Reserve 1 E M O'Sullivan	-

18		4-314R0	CALL ME MERRY 25 b m Sholokhov - Merry Queen	6 10 - 13	Reserve 2 P F Cashman	-
19			PENNYWELL GIRL b m Gold Well - Icy Affair	7 10 - 13	Reserve 3 S Curling	-

ATR VERDICT: CHURCHSTONEWARRIOR can defy a winners' penalty and win here. A short-head runner-up on his only point-to-point start, he has since shown promising bumper and hurdles form and having finished third on hurdles debut in November, won his 2m3f bumper by 16L here last month. Today's extra distance will suit ideally and he has also proven himself on testing ground. Ain't That A Shame has himself shown useful form, having identically finished a short-head runner-up on his own point-to-point debut. He returned to action following a 678 days absence last December and since progressed to finish a useful third at Fairyhouse last month. The form of that Fairyhouse race is reasonable and receiving 8lbs from the selection, should give him a race. Wall Of Fame has shown useful ability in two point-to-point runs for Donnchadh Doyle. He chased home two subsequent maiden hurdle winners on each of his two point starts and should get involved for the placings again here. Thedancingfarrier is a triple point-to-point winner whp will be well suited by today's trip but might bump into a few too strong.

Top Tip: CHURCHSTONEWARRIOR (1)
Watch out for: AIN'T THAT A SHAME (2)



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(R6) 16:55 THURLES, 2m 103y

Connolly's RED MILLS Ladies Handicap Hurdle (80-102) (Class) (4YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		5-46521	DAMUT 37 D b g Gamut - Society Hunter	13 12 - 0ht	Ms H Mooney (7) M Winters	102
2		03F-471	FIGHTING FIT (GB) 76 D br g Kayf Tara - Moyliscar	6 12 - 0t	Miss A B O'Connor (5) J P Dempsey	102
3		55-6754	NICCOLAI 17 D b m FLEMENSIRTH - Kalygarde	7 11 - 13t	Emma Twomey (7) H de Bromhead	101
4		3349U2	SILK WORM 21 D b m Fame And Glory - Royale Acadou	6 11 - 12	Miss J Townend (7) Miss E Doyle	100
5		059-P2P	CARNET DE STAGE 10 b g Scorpion - Comeragh Girl	6 11 - 11	Miss M O'Sullivan (5) E M O'Sullivan	99
6		776308	I DON'T GET IT 12 b g Stowaway - Sharps Express	7 11 - 4	Sarah Kavanagh (7) N McCluskey	92
7		846U69	JOESWAYORNOWAY 27 b m Getaway - Ellens Perk	5 11 - 2	Miss P Elvin (7) E Sheehy	91
8		P/0F-410	DANEGELD (GB) 43 D b g Danehill Dancer - Kirkinola	9 10 - 13	Ms L O'Neill J Morrison	87
9		770	SHEAN GLORY 81 b m Fame And Glory - Dante's Queen	5 10 - 12t	Miss S Ahern (7) S Aherne	87
10		4F40PP	KNOCKRAHA BOSS 10 D br g Golan - Hits And Memories	12 10 - 11p1	Miss E A Lalor (5) Richard A Foley	85
11		070/0P0	ARIZONA FLYER 422 b m Fame And Glory - Mucho Macabi	6 10 - 9	Miss N A Barry (7) M Winters	83
12		036326	FIREBALL BREEZE 74 b m Milan - Oh So Breezy	6 10 - 7p1	Miss A O'Sullivan (7) M C Griffin	81
13		075325	DE BENNETTE 37 b m Beneficial - Ros Nua	12 10 - 6tp1	Miss S Larkin (7) James Grace	80
14		4959-58	FLY ROUND THE BEND 187 ch m Refuse To Bend - Hunzy	10 10 - 6tp	Miss E McCutcheon (7) J J Walsh	80
15		860-9P0	HUGHIES BAY 10 b g Jeremy - Mrs Pankhurst	11 10 - 6v1t	Miss C Daffy (7) Daniel Howard	80
16		0-76P60	NATURAL BREEZE 76 ch g Shirocco - Alpha Style	6 10 - 6p	Miss T Quail (7) P J Rothwell	80

ATR VERDICT: NICCOLAI won a handicap hurdle rated 95 at Wexford in March 2019 and having competed over fences since November 2019, has run well from her 110s chase rating in recent months. Today she reverts to hurdles from an 11lbs lower mark and with her rider claiming a helpful 7lbs, has solid claims on suitably testing ground. Fighting Fit is an obvious danger having won readily at Punchestown in December. He had previously disappointed at Fairyhouse in November but seemed to benefit from the application of a first-time tongue-tie when winning and should go well today despite a 9lbs hike. Damut won a handicap chase at Clonmel (beating today's rival Carnet De Stage, which pulled up subsequently) and while he competes from a 13lbs lower hurdles mark here, could lack some pace reverting to hurdles, aged 13. Silk Worm has yet to win in 11 hurdle outings but is nonetheless a useful performer in this grade and can get involved. Danegeld disappointed on his latest start but had previously beaten today's rival De Benette to win at Punchestown.

Top Tip: NICCOLAI (3)

Watch out for: FIGHTING FIT (2)




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(R7) 17:25 THURLES, 2m 103y

Irish Stallion Farms EBF Mares Flat Race (Class) (4YO to 7YO)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1			COURTRACK LADY b m Flemensfirth - Dancingonthemoon	6 11 - 11	Mr J C Barry (5) D Leahy	-
2		6/52-375	DELIGHTFANTASTIC 38 b m Yeats - Dancingwithbubbles	6 11 - 11	Mr H C Swan (7) J J Walsh	-
3		F-2	JUDY'S GIRL 68 b m Scorpion - Knockmehill Lady	6 11 - 11	Mr D Allen (7) Miss M M Gannon	-
4		5-63	MOLLYS GLORY 56 b m Fame And Glory - Pellerossa	6 11 - 11	Mr J J Codd M C Grassick	-
5		7	NIGHT HOLLOW 159 ch m Beat Hollow - Executive Jet	6 11 - 11t1	Mr E Mahon (7) S K Ryder	-
6		P-	OURBOSTONROSE 361 b m Jeremy - Coolharbour Lady	7 11 - 11t1	Mr R James (7) D Buckley	-
7		U31	POLLA MILANO 74 b m Milan - Issaquah	6 11 - 11	Mr P W Mullins Denis Hogan	-
8			SHANTOU PIER b m Shantou - Piralash Lady	7 11 - 11	Mr B O'Neill P Nolan	-
9		F3-3352	SHE'S A CRACKER 161 b m Arcadio - Hot or What	6 11 - 11	Mr J P Berry (7) J A Berry	-
10			DENVER CITY g m Imperial Monarch - Lil's Bridge	5 11 - 10h1	Mr D M Fitzgerald (7) M P Fitzgerald	-
11		0	ECONOMIC REACTOR 54 g m Getaway - Umadachar	5 11 - 10b1	Mr J Hogan (7) L Young	-
12			LEADING PROSPECT ch m Leading Light - Curvacious	5 11 - 10	Mr M J M O'Sullivan (7) Michael G Kennedy	-
13			OUTBACK FLYER b m Jet Away - Outback Ivy	5 11 - 10	Mr D O'Connor Yvonne Latta	-
14		47	PREMIER QUEEN 38 ch m Presenting - Premier Victory	5 11 - 10	Mr T Hamilton Mrs P Dobbs	-
15			THEWAYYOUACT b m Thewayyouare - All Night Dancer	5 11 - 10	Mr J G English (7) D M O'Brien	-
16		5	DURRAGH 27 b f Camelot - Laylati	4 10 - 11	Ms L O'Neill J A Stack	-
17			KICKING PRINCESS b m Califet - Allthewhile	5 11 - 10	Reserve 1 Ms S Duggan	-

18		4	WHOSGOTYANOW 17 b m Getaway - Park Athlete	5 11 - 10	Reserve 2 H de Bromhead	-
19		5	PATIENT LADY 74 b m Kalanisi - Impressive Choice	7 11 - 11	Reserve 3 G Elliott	-

ATR VERDICT: MOLLYS GLORY has shown promise in her career thus far and can make a winning debut for new connections, with Jamie Codd a notable booking. She ran well on debut, finished sixth in a Listed bumper last November and then ran another solid race when third in a useful bumper at Punchestown on New Year's day, with the runner-up being placed at Graded level over hurdles last weekend. Derek O'Connor rides well-bred Outback Flyer, a half-sister to three winners including Grade 2 winner Glen Forsa and while she might have point-to-pointed in a non-Covid world, she is likely to have good ability and could well win on debut. Well bred Courtbrack Lady may also have been diverted from point-to-points and is also notable on debut. She is a sister smart Demachine and whose dam is a half-sister to Gold Cup winner Lord Windermere and Grade 1 winner Sub Lieutenant. Patrick Mullins rides Polla Milano, which debuts for trainer Denis Hogan, having won her point-to-point for Liz Lalor. Polla Milano's winning form is suspect as the runner-up has been beaten in 24 maiden points, but Polla Milano did win easily and could have enough ability to win a bumper. Barry O'Neill rides Shantou Pier, a half-sister to a bumper/hurdle winner. Delightfantastic is nicely experienced and while she has proven ability, might bump into a few too strong while She's A Cracker has a similar profile and might also find a few too good. Judy's Girl showed ability when second in a point-to-point in December. Second reserve Whosgotyanow would a contender if getting a run, having run with plenty promise on hurdles debut 17 days ago.

Top Tip: MOLLYS GLORY (4)

Watch out for: OUTBACK FLYER (13)




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