

## SOUTH AFRICA

VAAL



| RACE 1 | 6:40 PM | (R\$80,000)       | Vaal -- 1200m |                    |       |                     |
|--------|---------|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|-------|---------------------|
| 1      | 887722  | Codeword          | 60 [3]        | G Samo-burthia (4) | 6.7%  | S G Tarry 12.6%     |
| 2      | 426553  | Raceway           | 59.5 [6]      | S Moodley          | 12.4% | F Bronkhorst 7.3%   |
| 3      | 804493  | Phuthi            | 58.5 [1]      | K Matsunyane       | 9.1%  | R Klaasen 11.1%     |
| 4      | 608626  | Savara's Princess | 58.5 [8]      | M K Katjedi        | 5.5%  | B Webber 9.4%       |
| 5      | 7537    | Delaware River    | 58 [10]       | P Mxoli            | 11.9% | S T Pettigrew 10.0% |
| 6      | 367924  | Bella Boop Boop   | 57 [9]        | C Maujean          | 6.7%  | C J Lensley 11.1%   |
| 7      | 529447  | Lilac Snow        | 56.5 [4]      | S Khumalo          | 16.5% | W C Marwing 8.2%    |
| 8      | 676     | She's All Mine    | 54 [5]        | M V'rensburg       | 13.6% | B Webber 9.4%       |
| 9      | 258768  | Chilli Marmalade  | 54 [2]        | J R Syster         | 9.2%  | C I Jonker 4.1%     |
| 10     | 0008    | Go Get Ur Armor   | 52 [7]        | J Penny            | 8.0%  | F Bronkhorst 7.3%   |



| SELECTIONS   | VAAL                  | 1200M DISTANCE            | BEST TIME 1200M             |
|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2 Raceway    | 3 Phuthi 33%          | 5 Delaware River 33%      | 3 Phuthi 1:11.57            |
| 3 Phuthi     | 6 Bella Boop Boop 22% | 6 Bella Boop Boop 17%     | 9 Chilli Marmalade 1:11.95  |
| 1 Codeword   | 7 Lilac Snow 22%      | 3 Phuthi 11%              | 7 Lilac Snow 1:11.99        |
| 7 Lilac Snow | 9 Chilli Marmalade 5% | 6 Bella Boop Boop 1:12.51 | 4 Savara's Princess 1:12.59 |

**Race Preview:** Raceway caught the eye when a fast-finishing third in first-time blinkers over 1000m and on the evidence of that performance the step up to this extended trip in her peak outing will suit. Phuthi, Codeword and Bella Boop Boop have the form and experience to trouble the selection, while Delaware River won't need to improve much on her 3yo reappearance to make her presence felt too.

| RACE 2 | 7:15 PM | (R\$80,000)    | Vaal -- 1200m |                    |       |                      |
|--------|---------|----------------|---------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------|
| 1      | 000295  | Ubersmensch    | 60 [4]        | C Zackey           | 17.4% | S G Tarry 12.6%      |
| 2      | 242478  | Trip To States | 54.5 [6]      | K Matsunyane       | 9.1%  | C I Jonker 4.1%      |
| 3      | 07836   | Storm Burst    | 53.5 [2]      | M K Katjedi        | 5.5%  | P P Labuschagne 5.5% |
| 4      | 476     | Lannyboy       | 52 [1]        | P Mxoli            | 11.9% | S J Gray 9.9%        |
| 5      | 095     | In The Willows | 52 [3]        | S Moodley          | 12.4% | S J Gray 9.9%        |
| 6      | 768     | Nepal Cashmere | 52 [7]        | J R Syster         | 9.2%  | F Bronkhorst 7.3%    |
| 7      | 0572    | Underdog       | 52 [5]        | G Samo-burthia (4) | 6.7%  | A P Peter 18.1%      |



| SELECTIONS       | VAAL                 | 1200M DISTANCE      | BEST TIME 1200M          |
|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 Ubersmensch    | 7 Underdog 67%       | 7 Underdog 33%      | 2 Trip To States 1:10.67 |
| 7 Underdog       | 2 Trip To States 18% | 3 Storm Burst 17%   | 7 Underdog 1:12.19       |
| 2 Trip To States | 3 Storm Burst 17%    | 2 Trip To States 8% | 3 Storm Burst 1:12.23    |
| 4 Lannyboy       |                      |                     | 1 Ubersmensch 1:13.76    |

**Race Preview:** This won't take much winning and Ubersmensch needn't improve much on a comeback outing to open his account. Underdog improved to finish a career-best second last time and a repeat of that performance should put him right in the firing line. Trip To States and Lannyboy complete the shortlist.

| RACE 3 | 7:50 PM | (R\$95,000)          | Vaal -- 1600m |                    |       |                      |
|--------|---------|----------------------|---------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------|
| 1      | 222601  | Nkwenkwezi           | 60 [3]        | C Habib            | 9.8%  | C Binda 10.0%        |
| 2      | 862525  | Madame Pompadour     | 60 [5]        | S Khumalo          | 16.5% | W C Marwing 8.2%     |
| 3      | 8698    | Cool Reggae          | 60 [11]       | P Mxoli            | 11.9% | C I Jonker 4.1%      |
| 4      | 5       | Universal Girl (ire) | 60 [9]        | C Murray           | 15.9% | M/m De Kock 16.3%    |
| 5      | 045434  | Amaze Me             | 57 [7]        | M Yeni             | 11.6% | S J Gray 9.9%        |
| 6      | 076076  | Nothing Compares     | 57 [6]        | G Samo-burthia (4) | 6.7%  | F Bronkhorst 7.3%    |
| 7      | 8677    | Matts Rocket         | 57 [8]        | S Valjalo (4)      | 6.1%  | A P Peter 18.1%      |
| 8      | 00      | Falcon's Sunrise     | 57 [4]        | M V'rensburg       | 13.6% | F Bronkhorst 7.3%    |
| 9      | 97      | Matter Of Trust      | 57 [1]        | K Matsunyane       | 9.1%  | R Klaasen 11.1%      |
| 10     | 7       | Storm Crest          | 57 [10]       | K J Lihaba         | 6.2%  | A Ndzilana 5.1%      |
| 11     | 3       | Sword Of Light       | 57 [2]        | C Zackey           | 17.4% | M N Houdalakis 15.5% |



| SELECTIONS             | VAAL                   | 1600M DISTANCE         | BEST TIME 1600M            |
|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| 11 Sword Of Light      | 1 Nkwenkwezi 67%       | 1 Nkwenkwezi 39%       | 2 Madame Pompadour 1:36.80 |
| 5 Amaze Me             | 2 Madame Pompadour 56% | 2 Madame Pompadour 17% | 5 Amaze Me 1:38.74         |
| 4 Universal Girl (ire) |                        |                        | 7 Matts Rocket 1:39.64     |
| 2 Madame Pompadour     |                        |                        | 1 Nkwenkwezi 1:39.99       |
|                        |                        |                        | 3 Cool Reggae 1:43.04      |

**Race Preview:** Sword Of Light stayed on encouragingly to finish third on debut over 1450m against male rivals and that experience would've brought her on appreciably. She should also improve over this extended trip, especially against female-only opposition. Universal Girl will also know more about it after a satisfactory introduction. Amaze Me and Madame Pompadour both have the ability to stake a claim in the outcome, with Nkwenkwezi ineligible after her recent maiden success.

| RACE 4 | 8:25 PM | (R\$105,000)    | Vaal -- 1600m |                |       |                   |
|--------|---------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|-------|-------------------|
| 1      | 006367  | Afterburn       | 60 [10]       | P Mxoli        | 11.9% | C I Jonker 4.1%   |
| 2      | 964473  | Seventh Fleet   | 60 [5]        | T Mayhew (1.5) | 5.0%  | D N Stenger 9.5%  |
| 3      | 304385  | Mystic Vision   | 60 [4]        | C Zackey       | 17.4% | P F Matchett 9.0% |
| 4      | 77      | Global Love     | 60 [13]       | J Penny        | 8.0%  | P F Matchett 9.0% |
| 5      | 7       | Itsnowornever   | 60 [3]        | K J Lihaba     | 6.2%  | J Borman 2.3%     |
| 6      | 870     | Six Of All      | 57 [8]        | M V'rensburg   | 13.6% | B Webber 9.4%     |
| 7      | 78907   | Royal Society   | 57 [11]       | N Klink        | 5.3%  | C I Jonker 4.1%   |
| 8      | 3       | Bellerophon     | 57 [1]        | S Khumalo      | 16.5% | F P Habib 12.1%   |
| 9      | 77      | Master Predator | 57 [2]        | M Yeni         | 11.6% | M Khan 11.9%      |
| 10     | 5       | Nebraska        | 57 [12]       | C Habib        | 9.8%  | A P Peter 18.1%   |
| 11     | 7       | Scott's Guard   | 57 [7]        | J R Syster     | 9.2%  | J Borman 2.3%     |
| 12     | 4       | War Summit      | 57 [6]        | S Moodley      | 12.4% | S J Gray 9.9%     |
| 13     | 53      | Amazon Queen    | 54 [9]        | K Matsunyane   | 9.1%  | M Pandaram 6.5%   |



| SELECTIONS      | VAAL                | 1600M DISTANCE      | BEST TIME 1600M         |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| 8 Bellerophon   | 2 Seventh Fleet 33% | 2 Seventh Fleet 33% | 2 Seventh Fleet 1:38.07 |
| 13 Amazon Queen | 8 Bellerophon 33%   | 3 Mystic Vision 8%  | 3 Mystic Vision 1:38.67 |
| 10 Nebraska     | 3 Mystic Vision 19% |                     | 6 Six Of All 1:39.51    |
| 12 War Summit   |                     |                     | 7 Royal Society 1:40.72 |
|                 |                     |                     | 13 Amazon Queen 1:42.04 |

**Race Preview:** Bellerophon was the subject of market support when staying on to finish an encouraging third over 1400m on debut and the step up to this distance, with that experience to count on, should unlock improvement. Nebraska and War Summit fit a similar profile after pleasing debuts over shorter. Filly Amazon Queen has the experience of racing over this trip and benefits from a handy sex allowance.

| RACE 5 | 9:00 PM | (R\$80,000)        | Vaal -- 1600m |                    |       |                      |
|--------|---------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------|
| 1      | 154062  | Dylan's Champ      | 63 [6]        | G Samo-burthia (4) | 6.7%  | F P Habib 12.1%      |
| 2      | 465924  | Spy Story          | 61 [4]        | M Yeni             | 11.6% | S J Gray 9.9%        |
| 3      | 568511  | Sheets And Goggles | 59.5 [3]      | S Khumalo          | 16.5% | F Bronkhorst 7.3%    |
| 4      | 424313  | Mattiazo           | 59 [1]        | C Zackey           | 17.4% | D Nieuwenhuizen 6.8% |
| 5      | 572231  | Hopscotch          | 58.5 [5]      | M V'rensburg       | 13.6% | F Bronkhorst 7.3%    |
| 6      | 692432  | Gamer              | 58 [7]        | S Moodley          | 12.4% | S J Gray 9.9%        |
| 7      | 906486  | Oklahoma Twister   | 56.5 [2]      | J R Syster         | 9.2%  | H Van Der Westh 7.0% |
| 8      | 966518  | King Bluetooth     | 55 [8]        | P Mxoli            | 11.9% | C I Jonker 4.1%      |



| SELECTIONS           | VAAL                 | 1600M DISTANCE            | BEST TIME 1600M              |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1 Dylan's Champ      | 1 Dylan's Champ 38%  | 3 Sheets And Goggles 100% | 1 Dylan's Champ 1:34.95      |
| 3 Sheets And Goggles | 4 Mattiazo 33%       | 4 Mattiazo 50%            | 7 Oklahoma Twister 1:35.32   |
| 4 Mattiazo           | 8 King Bluetooth 25% | 1 Dylan's Champ 42%       | 6 Gamer 1:35.35              |
| 6 Gamer              | 6 Gamer 22%          | 6 Gamer 31%               | 2 Spy Story 1:36.30          |
|                      | 2 Spy Story 18%      | 2 Spy Story 17%           | 3 Sheets And Goggles 1:36.43 |

**Race Preview:** With the benefit of in-form apprentice Girish Samo-Burthia's 4kg allowance, Dylan's Champ is an attractive betting proposition over this trip. Spy Story and stablemate Gamer are experienced hard-knockers with the means to make life difficult for the selection, though the same could be said of hat-trick seeking Sheets And Goggles and familiar foe Mattiazo who is 3.5kg better off with her last-start conqueror. Improving last-start scorer Hopscotch is also respected.

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| RACE 6 | 9:35 PM | (R\$80,000)    | Vaal -- 2000m |                                              |
|--------|---------|----------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------|
| 1      | 45211   | Lava Lamp      | 63 [ 7 ]      | S Valjalo (4) 6.1% R Klaasen 11.1%           |
| 2      | 526596  | Chabal         | 60 [ 4 ]      | M Yeni 11.6% F P Habib 12.1%                 |
| 3      | 658134  | Rosy Lemon     | 59.5 [ 8 ]    | S Moodley 12.4% F Bronkhorst 7.3%            |
| 4      | 960202  | Volte Face     | 59 [ 12 ]     | J R Syster 9.2% H Van Der Westh 7.0%         |
| 5      | 111466  | Cartagena      | 58 [ 2 ]      | C Maujean 6.7% H E Adamson 9.2%              |
| 6      | 737570  | Fushimi Inari  | 58 [ 11 ]     | T Mayhew (1.5) 5.0% S T Pettigrew 10.0%      |
| 7      | 977911  | Kiss Of Fire   | 57.5 [ 6 ]    | G Samo-burthia (4) 6.7% P P Labuschagne 5.5% |
| 8      | 897506  | Vava Vegas     | 55 [ 1 ]      | C Zackey 17.4% J Borman 2.3%                 |
| 9      | 48971   | That's Magical | 54.5 [ 5 ]    | K J Lihaba 6.2% M/a Azzie 12.5%              |
| 10     | 619245  | Gold De Grace  | 54.5 [ 9 ]    | N Klink 5.3% C I Jonker 4.1%                 |
| 11     | 890352  | Full Go        | 53.5 [ 10 ]   | M K Katjedi 5.5% B B Ruiters 4.9%            |
| 12     | 576637  | The Merciful   | 52.5 [ 3 ]    | P Mxoli 11.9% T Zackey 8.2%                  |



| SELECTIONS     | VAAL                  | 2000M DISTANCE       | BEST TIME 2000M         |
|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Lava Lamp    | 9 That's Magical 100% | 1 Lava Lamp 100%     | 3 Rosy Lemon 2:03.01    |
| 7 Kiss Of Fire | 6 Fushimi Inari 29%   | 7 Kiss Of Fire 67%   | 2 Chabal 2:03.24        |
| 3 Rosy Lemon   | 4 Volte Face 29%      | 9 That's Magical 50% | 5 Cartagena 2:04.05     |
| 5 Cartagena    | 7 Kiss Of Fire 25%    | 2 Chabal 33%         | 12 The Merciful 2:04.41 |
|                | 5 Cartagena 23%       | 5 Cartagena 25%      | 7 Kiss Of Fire 2:04.91  |

**Race Preview:** Lava Lamp and Kiss Of Fire are riding the crest of a wave after back-to-back victories and both are expected to give this a good go in their bid to complete the hat-trick, especially with the aid of their riders' 4kg allowance. Class-dropper Chabal, hard-knocking mares Rosy Lemon and Cartagena, and maturing last-start winner That's Magical have earning potential too. The Merciful and Full Go are dangerous under light weights.

| RACE 8 | 10:45 PM | (R\$80,000)       | Vaal -- 1100m |                                          |
|--------|----------|-------------------|---------------|------------------------------------------|
| 1      | 077041   | In The Ether      | 61.5 [ 6 ]    | G Samo-burthia (4) 6.7% G J Maroun 13.2% |
| 2      | 094317   | Western Wishes    | 61.5 [ 4 ]    | T Mayhew (1.5) 5.0% M Pandaram 6.5%      |
| 3      | 225329   | Captain Efficient | 61 [ 3 ]      | C Habib 9.8% F P Habib 12.1%             |
| 4      | 560234   | Princess Lola     | 60.5 [ 8 ]    | M Yeni 11.6% R R Magner 9.3%             |
| 5      | 921322   | Time For Charity  | 60.5 [ 2 ]    | S Moodley 12.4% F Bronkhorst 7.3%        |
| 6      | 242415   | Phala Millions    | 59.5 [ 1 ]    | M K Katjedi 5.5% B Webber 9.4%           |
| 7      | 727313   | Jet Cat           | 57 [ 10 ]     | J R Syster 9.2% H Van Der Westh 7.0%     |
| 8      | 057367   | Stroke Of Mercy   | 54 [ 7 ]      | C Maujean 6.7% C J Lensley 11.1%         |
| 9      | 984025   | Together Again    | 53.5 [ 9 ]    | P Mxoli 11.9% C I Jonker 4.1%            |
| 10     | 707687   | Daring Act        | 53 [ 5 ]      | K Matsunyane 9.1% R Klaasen 11.1%        |



| SELECTIONS         | VAAL                    | 1100M DISTANCE | BEST TIME 1100M          |
|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| 2 Western Wishes   | 10 Daring Act 50%       | 7 Jet Cat 11%  | 7 Jet Cat 1:03.65        |
| 5 Time For Charity | 1 In The Ether 30%      |                | 9 Together Again 1:04.49 |
| 1 In The Ether     | 7 Jet Cat 24%           |                | 1 In The Ether 1:04.58   |
| 4 Princess Lola    | 3 Captain Efficient 24% |                |                          |
|                    | 6 Phala Millions 23%    |                |                          |

**Race Preview:** Veteran mare In The Ether produced a fast finish to win under the same apprentice last time and another bold bid is expected off an unchanged mark. Western Wishes will appreciate reverting to this shorter trip in her peak outing, so a more competitive showing is on the cards. Veteran mares Princess Lola and Time For Charity also have the form and experience to acquit themselves well at this level. Captain Efficient and Phala Millions also have legitimate Eachway credentials.

| RACE 7 | 10:10 PM | (R\$100,000)     | Vaal -- 1200m |                                         |
|--------|----------|------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 1      | 482595   | Hong Kong        | 63 [ 9 ]      | G Samo-burthia (4) 6.7% A P Peter 18.1% |
| 2      | 312541   | Palace Prince    | 61 [ 10 ]     | S Moodley 12.4% S J Gray 9.9%           |
| 3      | 900374   | Biofarmer        | 61 [ 1 ]      | C Maujean 6.7% H E Adamson 9.2%         |
| 4      | 391374   | Arilena          | 60 [ 4 ]      | T Mayhew (1.5) 5.0% M Pandaram 6.5%     |
| 5      | 142609   | Legendary        | 60 [ 8 ]      | S Khumalo 16.5% C Binda 10.0%           |
| 6      | 3231     | Xenophon         | 59.5 [ 5 ]    | C Zackey 17.4% S G Tarry 12.6%          |
| 7      | 78331    | Silver Longsword | 59 [ 6 ]      | M Yeni 11.6% R R Magner 9.3%            |
| 8      | 431043   | Sunset Warrior   | 58 [ 3 ]      | M K Katjedi 5.5% B Webber 9.4%          |
| 9      | 358702   | Beamonesque      | 58 [ 2 ]      | C Murray 15.9% M/m De Kock 16.3%        |
| 10     | 056513   | Falcon Strike    | 55.5 [ 7 ]    | K Matsunyane 9.1% R Klaasen 11.1%       |



| SELECTIONS       | VAAL                 | 1200M DISTANCE         | BEST TIME 1200M          |
|------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2 Palace Prince  | 2 Palace Prince 67%  | 2 Palace Prince 67%    | 1 Hong Kong 1:09.49      |
| 6 Xenophon       | 4 Arilena 60%        | 6 Xenophon 67%         | 4 Arilena 1:09.57        |
| 1 Hong Kong      | 10 Falcon Strike 40% | 7 Silver Longsword 67% | 3 Biofarmer 1:09.58      |
| 10 Falcon Strike | 3 Biofarmer 25%      | 3 Biofarmer 33%        | 10 Falcon Strike 1:09.59 |
|                  | 5 Legendary 22%      | 10 Falcon Strike 33%   | 9 Beamonesque 1:09.80    |

**Race Preview:** Hong Kong and Arilena should hold their own against male opposition, especially under claiming apprentices. Last-start maiden winners Xenophon and Silver Longsword are maturing and open to further improvement on their handicap debuts, so will likely make their presence felt too. However, fellow recent scorer Palace Prince could hardly have been more impressive when winning over track and trip last time out and, on the evidence of that display, an 8-point penalty is unlikely to halt his momentum. Sunset Warrior, Falcon Strike and Beamonesque can earn.