

## SOUTH AFRICA

## VAAL



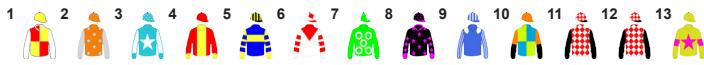
RACE 1		6:15 PM	(R\$95,000)	Vaal Classic -- 1800m			
1	654847	Codeword	60	[ 1] T Mango	33.3%	S G Tarry	12.3%
2	86985	Cool Reggae	60	[ 7] T Lukhela	14.3%	C I Jonker	3.1%
3	704423	Blood Of Eden	58	[ 3] C Mabaya	5.6%	A Ndzelana	3.2%
4	048623	Hubertus Hunt	58	[ 2] N Jobose	0.0%	M N Houdalakis	13.1%
5	247836	Chickasaw	58	[ 8] V Sithetho	0.0%	F Bronkhorst	6.6%
6	90074	Red Enchantress	58	[ 6] S B Mthembu	11.1%	P P Labuschagne	3.7%
7	649744	Comic Artist	58	[ 5] P Mlangeni	8.3%	F P Habib	10.8%
8	9857	Festival Of Light	58	[ 4] T Ncumé	0.0%	S G Tarry	12.3%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1800M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1800M	
★ 3	Blood Of Eden	1	Codeword	17%	1	Codeword	33%
4	Hubertus Hunt	4	Hubertus Hunt	17%	5	Chickasaw	33%
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7	Comic Artist						

**Race Preview:** **Blood Of Eden** is knocking loudly at the door of a maiden win and won't need to improve much on recent performances to open her account. **Hubertus Hunt** and **Comic Artist** fit a similar profile so shouldn't be too far off the action. **Chickasaw** has the form and experience to also acquit herself competitively.

RACE 2		6:50 PM	(R\$105,000)	Vaal Classic -- 1450m			
1	8954	Falconfly	60	[ 12] C Zackey	17.1%	M N Houdalakis	13.1%
2	079	Lady Lancaster	60	[ 4] M K Katjedi	5.5%	R R Magner	10.3%
3	Be My Fate		60	[ 9] M Vrenburg	12.0%	D N Stenger	13.0%
4	744322	Delaware River	59	[ 6] K De Melo	10.0%	S T Pettigrew	9.3%
5	430	Lanteri	59	[ 10] K Matsunyane	9.1%	M Pandaram	9.4%
6	344	Brigitte Anne	59	[ 5] G Lerena	23.5%	J J Van Vuuren	14.5%
7	866853	Amaze Me	59	[ 8] P Mxoli	11.8%	S J Gray	10.0%
8	477868	Total Eruption	59	[ 7] T Mayhew	3.1%	C Spies	6.8%
9	7054	Come Together	59	[ 2] K J Lihaba	7.0%	M Khan	9.4%
10	576590	Erik's Girl	59	[ 11] D Schwarz	7.3%	P P Labuschagne	3.7%
11	Cranberry Point		59	[ 13] J R Syster	11.0%	H Van Der Westh	10.1%
12	0 Eruption In The Sky		59	[ 3] J Mariba	1.9%	R Klaasen	11.2%
13	03 The Reason		59	[ 1] M Yeni	10.9%	S G Tarry	12.3%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1450M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1450M	
4	Delaware River	4	Delaware River	67%	4	Delaware River	33%
6	Brigitte Anne						
13	The Reason						
5	Lanteri						

**Race Preview:** **Delaware River** would not be winning out of turn after consecutive seconds recently, including one over track and trip. **Brigitte Anne** is open to improvement over this extended trip after 3 pleasing sprints, so she must be taken seriously. **Lanteri** and **The Reason** also have scope for improvement and could make their presence felt.

RACE 3		7:25 PM	(R\$120,000)	Vaal Classic -- 1450m			
1	453060	Arizona Magic	60	[ 8] C Habib	9.9%	P F Matchett	6.9%
2	4 Pompeii Shield		60	[ 13] D Schwarz	7.3%	P P Labuschagne	3.7%
3	5522	Lance Alot	59	[ 7] P Mxoli	11.8%	S J Gray	10.0%
4	836	Shoreybomba	59	[ 5] G Lerena	23.5%	J Crawford	13.0%
5	526572	Royale Jacket	59	[ 4] K J Lihaba	7.0%	W/w Marwing	8.6%
6	450968	Storm Burst	59	[ 14] L Nhlapo	5.7%	P P Labuschagne	3.7%
7	798600	Scott's Guard	59	[ 15] M K Katjedi	5.5%	J Borman	2.1%
8	4 Errol Flynn		59	[ 11] K De Melo	10.0%	J A Soma	13.0%
9	62 Go Johnny Go		59	[ 6] C Murray	14.8%	M/m De Kock	16.7%
10	40 Highwayman Harry		59	[ 3] M Vrenburg	12.0%	D N Stenger	13.0%
11	7 Mastash		59	[ 9] C Zackey	17.1%	M N Houdalakis	13.1%
12	60 Tiger's Captain		59	[ 12] K Matsunyane	9.1%	J Crawford	13.0%
13	700878 Leanne's Love		56	[ 1] J Mariba	1.9%	R Klaasen	11.2%
14	4807 Yentyl		56	[ 2] C Maujean	6.0%	R Klaasen	11.2%
15	759388 Jabberwocky		60	[ 10] Reserve 1	~-%	D Nieuwenhuizen	7.0%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1450M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1450M	
9	Go Johnny Go	3	Lance Alot	67%	9	Go Johnny Go	67%
2	Pompeii Shield	2	Pompeii Shield	33%	5	Royale Jacket	22%
4	Shoreybomba	4	Shoreybomba	33%	4	Shoreybomba	17%
3	3 Lance Alot						

**Race Preview:** **Go Johnny Go** caught the eye when a fast-finishing 2nd over track and trip last time. He won't need to improve much on that performance in first-time cheekpieces to go one better. **Shoreybomba** is closely matched on that form so shouldn't be far off the mark. **Lance Alot** finished ahead of that rival last time so also warrants respect. However, **Pompeii Shield** could pose a bigger threat if building on the promise of a pleasing debut 4th over 1200m.

RACE 4		8:00 PM	(R\$120,000)	Vaal Classic -- 1800m			
1	638322	Naretoi	60	[ 5] M Vrenburg	12.0%	J Crawford	13.0%
2	84827	Inclusion	60	[ 14] P Mxoli	11.8%	T Zackey	9.0%
3	553678	Gift Of Royal	60	[ 1] J R Syster	11.0%	B Webber	10.9%
4	627775	Cizzie	60	[ 7] J Gates	4.6%	B Webber	10.9%
5	096900	Anonymous	60	[ 15] D Schwarz	7.3%	J S Roux	0.0%
6	075499	Blue Crystal	60	[ 4] L Nhlapo	5.7%	P P Labuschagne	3.7%
7	232558	World Order	58	[ 9] M Yeni	10.9%	F Bronkhorst	6.6%
8	845622	Emerald City	58	[ 6] R Munger	19.4%	R R Magner	10.3%
9	343	Thoonsil	58	[ 10] C Maujean	6.0%	M Pandaram	9.4%
10	465508	Elusive Charm	58	[ 11] B Marx-Jacobson (4)	2.3%	C I Jonker	3.1%
11	585769	King Of Silk	58	[ 8] T Mayhew	3.1%	C Spies	6.8%
12	96	Elusive Glow	58	[ 13] G Lerena	23.5%	F P Habib	10.8%
13	24	Jaffa	58	[ 12] C Habib	9.9%	A G Laird	10.2%
14	8	Special Al	58	[ 3] C Murray	14.8%	M/m De Kock	16.7%
15	656642	War Talk	54.5	[ 2] C Zackey	17.1%	S G Tarry	12.3%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1800M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1800M	
13	Jaffa	1	Naretoi	67%	15	War Talk	67%
9	Thoonsil	7	World Order	33%	1	Naretoi	50%
1	Naretoi	8	Emerald City	27%	3	Gift Of Royal	11%
15	War Talk	15	Gift Of Royal	22%			

**Race Preview:** **Naretoi** has thrived on the Highveld and wouldn't be winning out of turn after consecutive seconds. **Jaffa** has given the impression that this trip will be right up his alley. Filly **War Talk** and lightly raced **Thoonsil** have the form and experience to play leading roles too.

RACE 5		8:35 PM	(R\$130,000)	Vaal Classic -- 1800m			
1	132145	Enflame	60	[ 4] R Munger	19.4%	C/t Dawson	11.1%
2	643346	Kudzu	59.5	[ 6] G Lerena	23.5%	J J Van Vuuren	14.5%
3	455357	Chestnut Bomber	59	[ 5] K De Melo	10.0%	J J Van Vuuren	14.5%
4	114900	Tenjiku	58	[ 2] C Habib	9.9%	A G Laird	10.2%
5	774823	Gerbera	56.5	[ 1] C Zackey	17.1%	S G Tarry	12.3%
6	333723	Read All About It	55	[ 8] C Murray	14.8%	M/m De Kock	16.7%
7	12885	Copper Eagle	54.5	[ 3] K Matsunyane	9.1%	R Klaasen	11.2%
8	21619	Saragossa Cat (arg)	54	[ 7] L Nhlapo	5.7%	J J Van Vuuren	14.5%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1800M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1800M	
5	Gerbera	4	Tenjiku	100%	5	Gerbera	44%
6	Read All About It	2	Kudzu	20%	2	Kudzu	20%
7	Copper Eagle	7	Chestnut Bomber	67%	5	Gerbera	1:52.46
2	Kudzu	6	Read All About It	33%	3	Gift Of Royal	1:52.69

**Race Preview:** **Copper Eagle** was raised 12 points for finishing 5th in a 3yo Grade 2 last time and he remains open to improvement over this extended trip. **Read All About It** has finished close-up in recent starts over 2000m and will likely play another leading role. However, preference is for **Gerbera** who races off an unchanged mark after finishing 3rd in a Listed race over the same trip. Consistent **Kudzu** also has the earning potential.

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RACE 6 9:15 PM		(R\$135,000)		Vaal Classic -- 1600m				
1	836118	Famous Lady	61.5	[10]	C Habib	9.9%	D Nieuwenhuizen	7.0%
2	286369	Ceuta	59	[8]	C Zackey	17.1%	D Nieuwenhuizen	7.0%
3	621514	Accept Cookies	57	[11]	G Lerena	23.5%	R R Magnier	10.3%
4	066143	Bakwena	56.5	[12]	K De Melo	10.0%	J J Van Vuuren	14.5%
5	141150	It's Her Way	56	[7]	C Murray	14.8%	R Klaasen	11.2%
6	337467	Across The Pond	53.5	[2]	J R Syster	11.0%	S J Gray	10.0%
7	290805	Pointer	53.5	[1]	C Maujean	6.0%	A G Laird	10.2%
8	471848	Streisand	53.5	[9]	M K Katjedi	5.5%	R Klaasen	11.2%
9	115	Littlemissmillion	53	[3]	P Mxoli	11.8%	T Zackey	9.0%
10	453126	Lady Sabrina	52.5	[4]	K J Lihaba	7.0%	W/w Marwing	8.6%
11	173770	Warning Sound	52.5	[6]	M Michel (1.5)	13.8%	S G Tarry	12.3%
12	442414	Boom Boom	52	[5]	K Matsunyane	9.1%	F Bronkhorst	6.6%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1600M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1600M	
1	9 Littlemissmillion			1	Famous Lady	100%	
2	4 Bakwena			9	Littlemissmillion	100%	
3	3 Accept Cookies			4	Bakwena	67%	
4	5 It's Her Way			10	Lady Sabrina	43%	
				3	Accept Cookies	50%	
				6	Across The Pond	33%	

**Race Preview:** Littlemissmillion lost her unbeaten record but was far from disgraced when staying on to finish 5th in a Grade 3 Fillies Mile for 3yo last time. She races off an unchanged mark and would have tightened up with that comeback outing so could improve to resume winning ways. Bakwena, Accept Cookies and It's Her Way have the form and experience at this level to make life difficult for their younger rival.

RACE 7 9:50 PM		(R\$105,000)		Vaal Classic -- 1600m				
1	124090	Alta Capitana	60	[6]	K De Melo	10.0%	S G Tarry	12.3%
2	022228	Sigrid Swing	59.5	[10]	G Lerena	23.5%	H Van Der Westh	10.1%
3	241427	Scarlett Heart	59	[3]	M Yeni	10.9%	F Bronkhorst	6.6%
4	421	Special Star	59	[1]	C Murray	14.8%	M/M de Kock	16.7%
5	7351	Top Shelf Teddy	59	[9]	C Zackey	17.1%	S G Tarry	12.3%
6	531	Amazon Queen	58.5	[5]	K Matsunyane	9.1%	M Pandaram	9.4%
7	347666	Pretty Analia	57.5	[8]	S Khumalo	14.6%	F Bronkhorst	6.6%
8	213725	Opera Fan	57	[7]	K J Lihaba	7.0%	P F Matchett	6.9%
9	631408	Zahra Dominia	55	[4]	P Mxoli	11.8%	T Zackey	9.0%
10	034700	Together Again	52	[2]	B Marx-Jacobson (4)	2.3%	C I Jonker	3.1%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1600M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1600M	
1	4 Special Star			9	Zahra Dominia	50%	
2	6 Amazon Queen			3	Scarlett Heart	67%	
3	2 Sigrid Swing			2	Sigrid Swing	67%	
4	8 Opera Fan			3	Scarlett Heart	33%	
				6	Amazon Queen	50%	
				7	Pretty Analia	21%	
				8	Opera Fan	50%	
				10	Together Again	18%	

**Race Preview:** Well-related Special Star has improved with each outing and remains open to further improvement on her reappearance. Recent maiden scorers Amazon Queen also has scope for progress so are probably better than rated. Opera Fan has bounced back to form recently and is on a competitive mark, so she shouldn't be underestimated. Hard-knockers Sigrid Swing cannot be discounted at this level either.

RACE 8 10:25 PM		(R\$112,500)		Vaal Classic -- 1450m				
1	123837	Arashi	61	[3]	G Lerena	23.5%	A P Peter	17.4%
2	317795	Mountain High	61	[1]	C Zackey	17.1%	S G Tarry	12.3%
3	323542	Princess Ilaria	59.5	[2]	K Matsunyane	9.1%	F Bronkhorst	6.6%
4	125521	Cape Saffron	58	[7]	J R Syster	11.0%	S T Pettigrew	9.3%
5	077983	Princess Keira	57.5	[4]	M Michel (1.5)	13.8%	S G Tarry	12.3%
6	041133	Lady Blunt	56.5	[5]	M V'rensburg	12.0%	B Webber	10.9%
7	43212	Vamanos	55.5	[8]	M Yeni	10.9%	R R Magnier	10.3%
8	544680	Fair Proposal	53.5	[6]	R Munger	19.4%	R R Magnier	10.3%



SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1450M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1450M	
1	4 Cape Saffron			4	Cape Saffron	67%	3 Princess Ilaria 1:25.20
2	3 Princess Ilaria			2	Mountain High	44%	5 Princess Keira 1:27.20
3	7 Vamanos			7	Vamanos	44%	7 Vamanos 1:28.09
4	1 Arashi			3	Princess Ilaria	39%	2 Mountain High 1:28.66
				6	Lady Blunt	33%	4 Cape Saffron 1:29.25

**Race Preview:** Cape Saffron won at this level recently and a 3-point penalty isn't likely to prevent another bold showing. Consistent Princess Ilaria is versatile and competitive off her current mark, so she could fight out the finish. Vamanos acquitted herself well on handicap debut over 1200m and this longer trip could be more to her liking. Arashi isn't taken lightly either off her career-low mark.

RACE 9 10:50 PM		(R\$100,000)		Vaal Classic -- 1200m				
1	068380	Union Rose	60.5	[2]	M Michel (1.5)	13.8%	M N Houdalakis	13.1%
2	773221	Inspiration	60	[5]	C Zackey	17.1%	S G Tarry	12.3%
3	2156	Never Never Land	60	[1]	G Lerena	23.5%	S T Pettigrew	9.3%
4	317931	Western Wishes	60	[12]	K Matsunyane	9.1%	M Pandaram	9.4%
5	201640	Prized Platinum	59.5	[4]	C Maujean	6.0%	C Binda	11.4%
6	322180	Tana Maree	59.5	[8]	M K Katjedi	5.5%	S G Tarry	12.3%
7	555973	Palace Revolt	59	[7]	S Khumalo	14.6%	F Bronkhorst	6.6%
8	868835	Prophet	59	[13]	T Mayhew	3.1%	C Spies	6.8%
9	468907	Lava Fire	57.5	[3]	P Mxoli	11.8%	T Zackey	9.0%
10	437808	Sail The Sky	56	[10]	B Marx-Jacobson (4)	2.3%	C I Jonker	3.1%
11	234439	Princess Lola	54.5	[11]	R Munger	19.4%	R R Magnier	10.3%
12	505340	Falcon Strike	54	[9]	J R Syster	11.0%	R Klaasen	11.2%
13	870670	King Bluetooth	52	[6]	Reserve 1	--%	C I Jonker	3.1%

SELECTIONS		VAAL CLASSIC		1200M DISTANCE		BEST TIME 1200M	
1	2 Inspiration			6 Tana Maree	100%	10 Sail The Sky 1:08.55	
2	4 Western Wishes			6 Tana Maree	42%	4 Western Wishes 1:09.30	
3	3 Never Never Land			9 Lava Fire	33%	13 King Bluetooth 1:09.55	
4	7 Palace Revolt			11 Princess Lola	25%	8 Prophet 1:09.59	
				10 Sail The Sky	24%	12 Falcon Strike 1:09.68	

**Race Preview:** Inspiration was a wide-margin winner of an 1160m maiden and remains open to improvement. She is probably better than her current mark so is taken to follow up on handicap debut. Fellow last-start scorer Western Wishes won a stronger race over track and trip last time, so she is best kept onside despite an unfavourable wide draw. Palace Revolt has the mean to trouble the aforementioned fillies. Never Never Land could enjoy cutting back in distance and may get the run of the race from gate No 1.

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