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RACE 1 6:20 PM (R\$75,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 1000M

1	264425	Princess Of All	60	[3]	N Jobose	16.7%	M N Houdalakis	12.8%
2	850	Winika	60	[7]	G Dadamasi	0.0%	A G Laird	10.1%
3	057366	Hurricane Power	60	[9]	S Mosia	31.3%	F P Habib	11.9%
4	736354	Empress Wu	60	[1]	T Lukhele	8.3%	J S Roux	0.0%
5	6	Foxy After Dark	60	[8]	T Ncume	11.1%	R R Magner	8.0%
6		Blazing Breeze	57	[4]	S Valjalo (1.5)	9.3%	B Webber	9.2%
7		Bright Comet	57	[5]	T Matsoele	12.5%	F P Habib	11.9%
8	784	Lady Enid	57	[2]	C Mabaya	16.7%	S M Naidoo	9.5%
9	58	Moonface	57	[6]	V Sithetho	6.7%	F Bronkhorst	7.4%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	1000M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1000M
1 Princess Of All	1 Princess Of All 33%	4 Empress Wu 29%	4 Empress Wu 0:58.36
7 Bright Comet	4 Empress Wu 22%	1 Princess Of All 27%	1 Princess Of All 0:58.78
4 Empress Wu	3 Hurricane Power 6%	3 Hurricane Power 7%	3 Hurricane Power 0:58.86
8 Lady Enid			8 Lady Enid 0:59.73
			5 Foxy After Dark 1:00.43

Race Preview: Princess Of All returns from a break after an excusable last start but should play a leading role if bouncing back to her earlier form. Empress Wu and Lady Enid have the form and experience to make their presence felt too. Newcomers Bright Comet is worth a market check on debut.

RACE 2 6:55 PM (R\$75,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 1000M

1	654034	Hammer Blow	60	[5]	S Mosia	31.3%	R R Magner	8.0%
2	803793	Gunboat	60	[4]	N Ngqwangi	0.0%	W/w Marwing	7.6%
3	566583	Second To Nunn	60	[3]	T Lukhele	8.3%	S M Naidoo	9.5%
4	633447	Ringho	60	[8]	S Dwayana	0.0%	C I Jonker	2.0%
5	705808	Turbo Tiger	60	[1]	N Jobose	16.7%	C I Jonker	2.0%
6		Autograph	57	[2]	T Matsoele	12.5%	B Webber	9.2%
7	5322	Buffalo King Cody	57	[7]	P Mongqawa	55.0%	A P Peter	18.0%
8	657	Mfulathela	57	[6]	T Ncume	11.1%	A Ndzilana	4.7%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	1000M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1000M
7 Buffalo King Cody	7 Buffalo King Cody 67%	7 Buffalo King Cody 56%	1 Hammer Blow 0:56.97
1 Hammer Blow	1 Hammer Blow 33%	1 Hammer Blow 33%	4 Ringho 0:57.64
6 Autograph	3 Second To Nunn 33%	4 Ringho 11%	7 Buffalo King Cody 0:57.69
3 Second To Nunn	2 Gunboat 17%	3 Second To Nunn 11%	3 Second To Nunn 0:58.26
	4 Ringho 15%		5 Turbo Tiger 1:00.53

Race Preview: Hammer Blow and Buffalo King Cody have the form credentials to fight out the finish. However, it could pay to side with the 2yo latter who improved to finish 2nd in both starts with blinkers fitted and remains open to further progress after a subsequent gelding. Second To Nunn could have role to play if building on the improvement of the career-best latest outings. Newcomer Autograph is bred to be useful and won't need to be special to make his presence felt either.

RACE 3 7:30 PM (R\$75,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 1450M

1	483026	Beach Walker	60	[6]	T Lukhele	8.3%	J S Roux	0.0%
2	365354	Time Honored	60	[8]	C Mabaya	16.7%	M/m De Kock	17.0%
3	749076	Epidaurus	60	[7]	G Dadamasi	0.0%	W/w Marwing	7.6%
4	507788	Jabberwocky	60	[1]	S Mosia	31.3%	D Nieuwenhuizen	9.5%
5	55	Brave Waam	60	[3]	P Mongqawa	55.0%	A P Peter	18.0%
6	04466	Ehhffteenkjoie	56	[4]	T Matsoele	12.5%	A Ndzilana	4.7%
7	960	Jan Fiskaal	56	[5]	V Sithetho	6.7%	F Bronkhorst	7.4%
8		Trex On Fire	53	[2]	P Mlangeni	5.9%	R Klaasen	11.4%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	1450M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1450M
2 Time Honored	1 Beach Walker 13%		1 Beach Walker 1:28.66
5 Brave Waam			4 Jabberwocky 1:29.22
1 Beach Walker			6 Ehhffteenkjoie 1:30.23
8 Trex On Fire			

Race Preview: Time Honored makes his Highveld debut for a new stable after a layoff. On the strength of his Cape Town form, he looks ideally placed to make a winning reappearance. Beach Walker and Brave Waam have shown enough to be competitive, though newcomer 2yo Trex On Fire will not have to be out of the ordinary to play a role

RACE 4 8:05 PM (R\$75,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 1450M

1	02424	Lolly Willowses	60	[2]	V Sithetho	6.7%	A G Laird	10.1%
2	839722	Gathering Winter	60	[5]	T Matsoele	12.5%	B Webber	9.2%
3	445255	Wispinthewillow	60	[4]	P Mongqawa	55.0%	A P Peter	18.0%
4	92066	Baby Red	60	[7]	T Lukhele	8.3%	H Van Der Westh	10.8%
5	545646	Greenside Girl	60	[1]	S Mosia	31.3%	S G Tarry	14.0%
6		Fashion News	60	[3]	C Mabaya	16.7%	J Crawford	12.6%
7	5	Cash Out	56	[6]	P Mlangeni	5.9%	R Klaasen	11.4%
8	073	Stella Victorious	56	[8]	T Ncume	11.1%	A Ndzilana	4.7%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	1450M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1450M
1 Lolly Willowses		1 Lolly Willowses 67%	1 Lolly Willowses 1:29.46
2 Gathering Winter			4 Baby Red 1:30.34
3 Wispinthewillow			7 Cash Out 1:33.53
6 Fashion News			

Race Preview: Lolly Willowses sets the standard on the strength and consistency of her form, and she will be hard to beat on her Highveld return. Gathering Winter and Wispinthewillow could have more to offer over this extended trip. Both have the means to challenge the selection. Though a bigger threat may come from Futura debutante Fashion News, who is her trainer's only runner on the day.

RACE 5 8:40 PM (R\$100,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 1200M

1	809880	King Of Numbers	60	[3]	T Lukhele	8.3%	B Webber	9.2%
2	204210	Ubermensch	60	[5]	C Mabaya	16.7%	S G Tarry	14.0%
3	232115	Trail Runner	58	[1]	S Mosia	31.3%	S G Tarry	14.0%
4	506649	Nkandla Gold	54	[6]	T Matsoele	12.5%	B Webber	9.2%
5	169077	Daring Act	54	[7]	P Mongqawa	55.0%	R Klaasen	11.4%
6	189000	Blup Blup	52	[4]	S Valjalo (1.5)	9.3%	D Nieuwenhuizen	9.5%
7	643487	Time For Charity	52	[2]	V Sithetho	6.7%	F Bronkhorst	7.4%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	1200M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1200M
3 Trail Runner	2 Ubermensch 67%	6 Blup Blup 22%	1 King Of Numbers 1:09.51
7 Time For Charity	3 Trail Runner 33%	1 King Of Numbers 19%	5 Daring Act 1:09.69
2 Ubermensch	7 Time For Charity 28%	7 Time For Charity 17%	7 Time For Charity 1:09.84
5 Daring Act	1 King Of Numbers 13%	3 Trail Runner 17%	2 Ubermensch 1:09.87
	4 Nkandla Gold 7%	2 Ubermensch 13%	3 Trail Runner 1:10.60

Race Preview: Trail Runner sets the standard on the strength and consistency of her form and as the joint best-weighted runner in the race. Hard-knocker Time For Charity is effective over this distance and is also weighted to be competitive. Ubermensch and Daring Act are out of sorts but have the means to get involved.

RACE 6 9:20 PM (R\$75,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 1700M

1	7954	Master Buddy	60	[7]	T Mango	14.3%	A G Laird	10.1%
2	333525	Royale Jacket	60	[6]	P Mongqawa	55.0%	W/w Marwing	7.6%
3	052533	Winding Power	60	[3]	S Mosia	31.3%	F P Habib	11.9%
4	377746	Cronus	60	[1]	P Mlangeni	5.9%	S G Tarry	14.0%
5	075	Captain's Express	60	[2]	T Matsoele	12.5%	F P Habib	11.9%
6	076754	Cuzzie	60	[5]	T Lukhele	8.3%	B Webber	9.2%
7	075	Flying Predator	60	[4]	T Ncume	11.1%	J S Roux	0.0%
8	6	Field Of Dreams	56	[8]	C Mabaya	16.7%	A Ndzilana	4.7%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	1700M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1700M
1 Master Buddy	3 Winding Power 33%	2 Royale Jacket 50%	2 Royale Jacket 1:42.62
3 Winding Power	2 Royale Jacket 20%	6 Cuzzie 13%	6 Cuzzie 1:43.40
2 Royale Jacket			
4 Cronus			

Race Preview: Royale Jacket has been found wanting over 1800m so should enjoy cutting back to the shorter trip with the headgear removed. He has the form and experience to play a leading role. Master Buddy was a career-best 4th stretching out to 1600m last time and remains open to further improvement over the extra 100m. Winding Power has the form and experience to be competitive, fits a similar profile with an accomplished work rider aboard. Cronus appeal most of the remainder.

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RACE 7 9:55 PM (R\$100,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 2000M

1	357066	American Rebel	62.5	[5]	S Mosia	31.3%	W C Marwing	9.8%
2	306024	Ariovistus	62	[7]	P Mongqawa	55.0%	A P Peter	18.0%
3	825475	Zip Code	60	[3]	T Matsoele	12.5%	D Nieuwenhuizen	9.5%
4	229110	Cartagena	59	[6]	T Lukhele	8.3%	H E Adamson	19.2%
5	221306	Naretoi	58	[4]	C Mabaya	16.7%	M/m De Kock	17.0%
6	241368	Real Stunner	58	[8]	T Ncume	11.1%	M/m De Kock	17.0%
7	590980	Pepper Tree	52	[1]	N Ngqwangi	0.0%	W/w Marwing	7.6%
8	845889	Hopscotch	52	[9]	V Sithetho	6.7%	F Bronkhorst	7.4%
9	370069	Red Sparrow	50	[2]	P Mlangeni	5.9%	B Webber	9.2%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	2000M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 2000M
2 Ariovistus	2 Ariovistus 67%	1 American Rebel 33%	1 American Rebel 2:02.17
3 Zip Code	3 Zip Code 67%	8 Hopscotch 33%	2 Ariovistus 2:02.53
4 Cartagena	5 Naretoi 50%	4 Cartagena 22%	7 Pepper Tree 2:02.79
6 Real Stunner	6 Real Stunner 50%	9 Red Sparrow 18%	6 Real Stunner 2:03.08
	4 Cartagena 24%	6 Real Stunner 17%	9 Red Sparrow 2:03.59

Race Preview: Ariovistus running well in defeat at a higher level with blinkers fitted. He races without the headgear but a repeat of either performance could suffice. Zip Code and Real Stunner are closely matched on the form of a recent 1800m meeting, and they could have a say in outcome if seeing out the extra 200m. Best-weighted Cartagena had excuses for a disappointing last start and is capable of playing a role.

RACE 8 10:30 PM (R\$100,000) VAAL CLASSIC -- 1600M

1	158199	Sky Pillar Rock	63	[8]	S Valjalo (1.5)	9.3%	R Klaasen	11.4%
2	4621	Tracksuit Dave	60	[7]	P Mongqawa	55.0%	A P Peter	18.0%
3	541044	Space Mission	58	[6]	C Mabaya	16.7%	S G Tarry	14.0%
4	531427	Pearl In Her Crown	58	[4]	T Mango	14.3%	F Bronkhorst	7.4%
5	326451	Blood Of Eden	56	[9]	T Ncume	11.1%	A Ndzilana	4.7%
6	154504	Apostrophe	56	[2]	X C Machaieie	0.0%	S G Tarry	14.0%
7	214080	The Mightiest	56	[3]	N Ngqwangi	0.0%	W/w Marwing	7.6%
8	841975	Northern Kitten	54	[5]	S Mosia	31.3%	F P Habib	11.9%
9	965760	Sheets And Goggles	52	[1]	V Sithetho	6.7%	F Bronkhorst	7.4%



SELECTIONS	VAAL CLASSIC	1600M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1600M
2 Tracksuit Dave	2 Tracksuit Dave 67%	2 Tracksuit Dave 100%	8 Northern Kitten 1:34.56
3 Space Mission	1 Sky Pillar Rock 52%	6 Apostrophe 50%	9 Sheets And Goggles 1:35.11
4 Pearl In Her Crown	6 Apostrophe 50%	1 Sky Pillar Rock 33%	4 Pearl In Her Crown 1:35.61
8 Northern Kitten	4 Pearl In Her Crown 33%	7 The Mightiest 28%	1 Sky Pillar Rock 1:35.67
	7 The Mightiest 33%	4 Pearl In Her Crown 27%	7 The Mightiest 1:36.73

Race Preview: Tracksuit Dave improved for the step up to this trip when running out a wide-margin winner of his last start. He remains open to further progress in his peak outing and is ideally placed to follow up. Space Mission and Pearl In Her Crown have shown enough to pose a threat to that rival, especially in receipt of weight from the selection. Northern Kitten complete the shortlist.