

SOUTH AFRICA

VAAL



RACE 1	6:55 PM	(R\$110,000)	VAAL -- 1000M
1	543224	Master's Lady	60 [1] T Mango 16.7% R R Magner 8.8%
2	536536	Elegant Edge	60 [4] S Valjalo (1.5) 10.1% C Binda 13.2%
3	570683	Pennys Choice	60 [5] C Mabaya 22.2% J Crawford 13.0%
4	003084	Charleston Dawn	60 [3] T Lukhele 8.7% C Mayhew 3.2%
5	0634	Caladrius	57 [7] P Mongqawa 35.3% A P Peter 16.9%
6	09	Certainlydifferent	57 [6] N Ngqwangi 14.3% W/w Marwing 6.5%
7	0	Defining Winter	57 [2] X C Machaieie 0.0% R R Magner 8.8%
8	744007	Platinum Shay	57 [8] S Mosia 26.3% P P Labuschagne 4.6%
9		Shiraz Glow	57 [9] V Sithetho 5.0% B Webber 8.6%
10		Windrush Run	57 [10] P Mlangeni 5.9% R Klaasen 11.5%



SELECTIONS	VAAL	1000M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1000M
1 Master's Lady	1 Master's Lady 22%	1 Master's Lady 39%	1 Master's Lady 0:57.71
5 Caladrius		8 Platinum Shay 33%	2 Elegant Edge 0:57.87
2 Elegant Edge		4 Charleston Dawn 17%	8 Platinum Shay 0:59.08
9 Shiraz Glow		3 Pennys Choice 11%	5 Caladrius 0:59.28
		2 Elegant Edge 11%	4 Charleston Dawn 0:59.43

Race Preview: Master's Lady has been costly to follow but deserves a reward for her consistency. She wouldn't be winning out of turn and is unlikely to get a better opportunity to open her account. **Elegant Edge** and **2yo Caladrius** have shown enough to trouble the selection. Newcomer **Shiraz Glow** is worth a market check on debut and don't need to be special to play leading roles either.

RACE 2	7:30 PM	(R\$115,000)	VAAL -- 1000M
1	246665	Echoes Of War	60 [8] S Valjalo (1.5) 10.1% F P Habib 11.8%
2	445560	Willow Charm	60 [6] X C Machaieie 0.0% S J Gray 8.9%
3	243479	Tiger's Captain	60 [5] C Mabaya 22.2% R Klaasen 11.5%
4	978630	All On Red	60 [7] B Cossa 0.0% B B Ruiters 2.6%
5	075900	God's Country	60 [3] T Lukhele 8.7% B Webber 8.6%
6	690	Autograph	57 [4] V Sithetho 5.0% B Webber 8.6%
7	0	Gennady	57 [9] S Mosia 26.3% S M Naidoo 8.9%
8	85646	Time To Fire	57 [1] N Ngqwangi 14.3% W/w Marwing 6.5%
9	2	Astrophile	54.5 [7] P Mongqawa 35.3% A P Peter 16.9%



SELECTIONS	VAAL	1000M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1000M
★ 9 Astrophile	9 Astrophile 67%	9 Astrophile 67%	8 Time To Fire 0:57.36
1 Echoes Of War	3 Tiger's Captain 33%	4 All On Red 33%	6 Autograph 0:58.02
3 Tiger's Captain	1 Echoes Of War 22%		9 Astrophile 0:58.94
2 Willow Charm			1 Echoes Of War 0:59.07
			4 All On Red 0:59.07

Race Preview: Astrophile was well backed on debut and justified that support with a close-up second over track and trip. She would've benefitted from that experience and with any improvement, should go one better. **Echoes Of War** and **Tiger's Captain** have the form and experience to be competitive, along with **Willow Charm** whose latest outing is best ignored.

RACE 3	8:05 PM	(R\$115,000)	VAAL -- 2000M
1	765222	Epidaurus	60 [1] N Ngqwangi 14.3% W/w Marwing 6.5%
2	8535	Evening News	60 [6] P Mlangeni 5.9% S G Tarry 14.4%
3	372536	Heroic Act	60 [7] S Mosia 26.3% T Zackey 8.0%
4	234456	Comic Artist	56.5 [2] S Valjalo (1.5) 10.1% F P Habib 11.8%
5	478	Devious Looks	56.5 [3] V Sithetho 5.0% B Warren 2.5%
6	3385	Sutter's Mill	55 [4] T Ncume 8.3% M/m De Kock 17.2%
7	456	Forest Act	51.5 [5] X C Machaieie 0.0% W/w Marwing 6.5%



SELECTIONS	VAAL	2000M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 2000M
1 Epidaurus	1 Epidaurus 17%	1 Epidaurus 67%	3 Heroic Act 2:04.79
2 Evening News	3 Heroic Act 17%	2 Evening News 33%	4 Comic Artist 2:04.83
3 Heroic Act	4 Comic Artist 17%	4 Comic Artist 25%	1 Epidaurus 2:09.17
4 Comic Artist		3 Heroic Act 19%	2 Evening News 2:09.43

Race Preview: Epidaurus has found only one better in each of his last 3 starts and a repeat of any of those efforts should suffice. He finished ahead of **Evening News**, **Heroic Act** and **Comic Artist** over this trip last month and should have the measure of those rivals again.

RACE 4	8:40 PM	(R\$110,000)	VAAL -- 1500M
1	242424	Lolly Willowes	60 [2] V Sithetho 5.0% A G Laird 11.4%
2	075357	Life And Letters	60 [6] S Mosia 26.3% W C Marwing 10.9%
3	053566	Global Royalty	60 [3] N Ngqwangi 14.3% W/w Marwing 6.5%
4	9	Lazer Light	60 [4] C Mabaya 22.2% W/w Marwing 6.5%
5	40	Bright Comet	56 [5] S Valjalo (1.5) 10.1% F P Habib 11.8%
6	58	Cash Out	56 [7] P Mlangeni 5.9% R Klaasen 11.5%
7	469	Versatility	56 [1] M Jafta -- C I Jonker 2.4%



SELECTIONS	VAAL	1500M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1500M
1 Lolly Willowes		2 Life And Letters 33%	2 Life And Letters 1:31.60
3 Global Royalty			
2 Life And Letters			
5 Bright Comet			

Race Preview: Lolly Willowes made eye-catching late headway when finishing fourth over 1400m on this course last time, suggesting the step up to this trip will be more to her liking. **Life And Letters** and **Global Royalty** have the means to make their presence felt but have more of a place chance than a winning one. **Bright Comet** could be anything stretching beyond a sprint trip for the first time.

RACE 5	9:15 PM	(R\$115,000)	VAAL -- 1500M
1	254240	Royale Jacket	60 [10] C Mabaya 22.2% W/w Marwing 6.5%
2	3978	Night Skizzle	60 [8] V Sithetho 5.0% B Warren 2.5%
3	786800	Forever Red	60 [5] ----- B Webber 8.6%
4	754568	Cuzzie	60 [2] T Lukhele 8.7% B Webber 8.6%
5	76980	Sivaji	60 [4] M Jafta -- C I Jonker 2.4%
6	400	Spirit Of The Sea	60 [9] L Motaung 0.0% W/w Marwing 6.5%
7	77	Echo Of The Wild	56 [1] S Valjalo (1.5) 10.1% C Spies 9.8%
8	958	Mega Awesome	56 [6] T Ncume 8.3% M/m De Kock 17.2%
9	765944	Silver Comet	56 [7] P Mongqawa 35.3% A P Peter 16.9%
10	734	Steel Pier	56 [3] S Mosia 26.3% F P Habib 11.8%



SELECTIONS	VAAL	1500M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1500M
10 Steel Pier	1 Royale Jacket 22%	1 Royale Jacket 33%	9 Silver Comet 1:31.00
1 Royale Jacket	4 Cuzzie 17%		1 Royale Jacket 1:31.03
8 Mega Awesome			4 Cuzzie 1:31.63
7 Echo Of The Wild			

Race Preview: Royale Jacket is better than his last start over a sprint trip suggests. This distance will be more to his liking so a more competitive effort can be expected. **Echo Of The Wild** and **Mega Awesome** have scope for improvement and have shown enough to make their presence felt. **Steel Pier** has stronger form in open company and was a game-in-defeat second over 1600m last time. A similar performance will make him hard to beat.

RACE 6	9:50 PM	(R\$110,000)	VAAL -- 1300M
1	628352	Meghan's Diamond	60 [4] C Mabaya 22.2% M/m De Kock 17.2%
2	256	Be All You Can Be	60 [6] S Valjalo (1.5) 10.1% F P Habib 11.8%
3	433549	Gimmesumluv	60 [5] N Jobose 14.3% M N Houdalakis 12.6%
4	34949	Miss River Dancer	60 [8] S Mosia 26.3% C J Lensley 10.8%
5	85034	Winika	60 [1] V Sithetho 5.0% A G Laird 11.4%
6	9	Grains Of Paradise	57 [7] T Lukhele 8.7% C J Lensley 10.8%
7	90	Let Your Love Flow	57 [2] T Demont 0.0% F P Habib 11.8%
8	764973	Miss Dutton	57 [3] N Ngqwangi 14.3% W/w Marwing 6.5%



SELECTIONS	VAAL	1300M DISTANCE	BEST TIME 1300M
1 Meghan's Diamond	2 Be All You Can Be 67%		
2 Be All You Can Be	3 Gimmesumluv 33%		
3 Gimmesumluv			
4 Miss River Dancer			

Race Preview: Meghan's Diamond made an encouraging Highveld introduction and would have tightened up with the benefit of that reappearance. She will be hard to beat with any improvement over this extended trip. **Be All You Can Be** is lightly raced, with scope to improve but has shown enough to be competitive. **Gimmesumluv** and **Miss River Dancer** have the form and experience to make their presence felt too.

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RACE 7		10:25 PM	(R\$115,000)		VAAL -- 1300M	
1	026245	Beach Walker	60	[8]	T Lukhele	8.7% J S Roux 1.1%
2	665835	Second To Nunn	60	[7]	G Dadamasi	0.0% S M Naidoo 8.9%
3	575654	Wish You Were Here	60	[3]	N Ngqwangi	14.3% W/w Marwing 6.5%
4	07565	Captain's Express	60	[5]	T Demont	0.0% F P Habib 11.8%
5	5	Glastonbury Fire	60	[9]	C Mabaya	22.2% M/m De Kock 17.2%
6	6	A Roman Twist	57	[4]	P Mongqawa	35.3% A P Peter 16.9%
7	094	Hattori Hanzo	57	[1]	S Valjalo (1.5)	10.1% F P Habib 11.8%
8	0	North Star Fury	57	[2]	M Jafta	~% C I Jonker 2.4%
9	90	Steel Spring	57	[6]	S Mosia	26.3% F P Habib 11.8%



SELECTIONS

5 Glastonbury Fire

6 A Roman Twist

1 Beach Walker

3 Wish You Were Here

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1 Beach Walker 13%

1300M DISTANCE

BEST TIME 1300M

Race Preview: Glastonbury Fire and A Roman Twist made encouraging sprint debuts and are bred to improve over this extended trip with that experience to count on. Beach Walker and Wish You Were Here have shown enough to play leading roles.