



Signposts Sweetspots

Rely on Rigadin to roll back the years at Warwick

Charlie Mann and Harry Bannister are a partnership worth noting at Market Rasen, operating at a 43 per cent strike-rate. The pair combine with one runner, The Ogle Gogle Man, who goes in the 3.35.

Richard Johnson goes to Warwick for just one ride, Melchior King, who goes in the bumper at 5.30. Trainer Philip Hobbs has a 27 per cent strike-rate with his runners in bumpers at the track.

Rigadin De Beauchene goes in the 3.55 at Warwick. He was sixth in it last year and although the 13-year-old isn't getting any younger, he is 8lb lower than last year and is a proven stayer over this trip on soft ground.

ALL data excludes last night's results

Hot trainers

TRAINERS with best wins-runs % from at least two wins in last 14 days, Flat & Jumps

Table listing hot trainers: Tom Lacey (3-4 75%), Brian Ellison (6-14 43%), Jennie Candlish (3-7 43%), Alan King (3-7 43%), Harry Fry (3-8 38%), Peter Bowen (2-6 33%), Dr Richard Newland (2-6 33%), Nigel Twiston-Davies (2-6 33%), Nick Williams (2-7 29%), Colin Tizzard (5-19 26%), Donald McCain (5-20 25%), Warren Greatrex (2-8 25%)

Cold trainers

TRAINERS with most runs since last win, Flat & Jumps; X=Never trained a winner in GB, Ireland or European Group race; 1st=first runner in GB; excludes those with at least 25% placed runners in past 14 days

Table listing cold trainers: Adrian Wintle (197 50)

Course trainers

TRAINERS with best wins-runs % from at least three course wins

Table listing course trainers: Alan King (32-124 26%), Venetia Williams (9-35 26%), Dr Richard Newland (18-73 25%), Philip Hobbs (24-100 24%), Stuart Edmunds (5-21 24%), Olly Murphy (4-17 24%), Ben Pauling (10-43 23%), Warren Greatrex (8-35 23%), Harry Fry (5-23 22%), Dan Skelton (30-146 21%), Peter Bowen (17-82 21%), Neil Mulholland (9-43 21%), Nigel Twiston-Davies (8-39 21%), Jeremy Scott (8-40 20%)

Trainers off course

Trainers with most course losers since last win (today's code)
X=no course winner (since 1 Jan 1989)

Table listing trainers: Donald McCain (761 39), Ben Case (1070 32)

Tracking trainers

TRAINERS with first course runner in more than two years, showing years since previous runner

Confined to trainers with course winner or having first course runner
Course wins-runs record in past 20 years

Table listing tracking trainers: William Muir (11-130 8% 3.5)

Class of 5-30

Trainers with best winners-horses % under all codes in the past 12 months.

Restricted to trainers with between 5 and 30 individual runners. Total wins in brackets.

Table listing class of 5-30 trainers: Paul Henderson (15) (12-27 44%)

Class of 31-60

Trainers with best winners-horses % under all codes in the past 12 months.

Restricted to trainers with between 31 and 60 individual runners. Total wins in brackets.

Table listing class of 31-60 trainers: Nick Williams (35) (24-42 57%), Dr Richard Newland (43) (23-44 52%), William Muir (29) (24-50 48%), Neil King (24) (18-39 46%), Henry Daly (32) (17-37 46%), Charlie Mann (20) (15-33 45%), Kerry Lee (28) (18-41 44%)

One-trick trainers

TRAINERS (includes those that have had 30 winners under today's code in past 12 months) with just one runner today

Table listing one-trick trainers: Brian Ellison (Ballyvic Boru MRas 2.00), Jamie Snowden (Shockingtimes MRas 3.35), Dr Richard Newland (Aaron Lad MRas 4.10), Tom Lacey (Polydora MRas 4.10), Warren Greatrex (Pennywell MRas 4.40), Neil Mulholland (Champagne George Wwck 3.25), Ben Pauling (Oskar Denarius Wwck 3.25), Fergal O'Brien (Barrakilla Wwck 5.00), Alan King (Nobby Wwck 5.30)

Trainer trace

Horses who have switched trainers since their latest run.

Includes current trainer's record with new

Story of the Symbols

Rolling 365-day record of various categories and symbols that appear on Racing Post cards POI=profit on investment.

Table showing rolling 365-day record of various categories and symbols: Wind operation (20 Wins, 17 Places, 152 Runs, 13%, +1.8 POI%), Gelding first race (104 Wins, 156 Places, 1095 Runs, 9%, -28.1 POI%), Blinkers first-time (147 Wins, 249 Places, 1751 Runs, 8%, -30.9 POI%), Visor first-time (83 Wins, 152 Places, 972 Runs, 9%, -33.8 POI%), Hood first-time (139 Wins, 254 Places, 1699 Runs, 8%, -29.8 POI%), Tongue-strap first-time (284 Wins, 478 Places, 3332 Runs, 9%, -28.5 POI%), Cheekpieces first-time (304 Wins, 530 Places, 3185 Runs, 10%, -25.0 POI%), Course winner (2358 Wins, 3686 Places, 18219 Runs, 13%, -22.8 POI%), Distance winner (4992 Wins, 7695 Places, 39813 Runs, 13%, -21.5 POI%), CD winner (1330 Wins, 2123 Places, 9985 Runs, 13%, -20.2 POI%), BF last run (2229 Wins, 2585 Places, 11065 Runs, 20%, -15.0 POI%), Debutant (549 Wins, 966 Places, 7148 Runs, 8%, -32.8 POI%), Days off (1-14) (2879 Wins, 4732 Places, 25364 Runs, 11%, -29.6 POI%), Days off (15 to 50) (6845 Wins, 11276 Places, 60671 Runs, 11%, -26.3 POI%), Days off (51 to 100) (944 Wins, 1446 Places, 9595 Runs, 10%, -26.6 POI%), Days off (101 to 365) (1330 Wins, 2116 Places, 13456 Runs, 10%, -30.5 POI%), Days off (365+) (63 Wins, 119 Places, 901 Runs, 7%, -33.2 POI%), Trainer first-time (517 Wins, 731 Places, 5200 Runs, 10%, -25.9 POI%)

recruits under today's code

Table listing recruits under today's code: Sugar Storm (Wwck 2.20), Fergal O'Brien (Martin Keighley 1-28 4%), Oskar Denarius (Wwck 3.25), Jennifer Mason (Ben Pauling 9-44 20%), Thisonetime (Wwck 3.25), Dan Skelton (Andrew J Martin 0-5 0%), Chief Brody (Wwck 4.30), Grace Harris (William Muir 0-0 0%)

Prime time

Trainers who in the two week period (14 days) either side of today's date for the past five years (current season plus four) have shown a level-stakes profit or a strike-rate in excess of 20%.

Table listing prime time trainers: Caroline Bailey (12-60 20% +29.00), Ian Williams (38-193 20% +55.50), Tim Easterby (12-62 19% +39.90), Stuart Edmunds (6-34 18% +27.40), William Muir (3-22 14% +21.00), Richard Phillips (6-64 9% +29.80)

Training debutants

WINS-RUNS course record of trainer's debutants in 2yo, 3yo, NH Flat race, hurdle or chase (ignores runners with PTP form). Includes all those to have had a winning course debutant or an overall debutant strike rate in excess of 15%.

Table listing training debutants: Dan Skelton (Cbs Wwck 4-7 57%), Dan Skelton (NH F Wwck 5-17 29%), Dan Skelton (Hdl Wwck 3-15 20%), Philip Hobbs (NH F Wwck 2-10 20%), Alan King (NH F Wwck 1-13 8%)

Trainers & jockeys

TRAINER-JOCKEY combinations with best % from at least three course wins

Table listing trainers & jockeys: Charlie Mann-Harry Bannister (MRas 43%), Philip Hobbs-Richard Johnson (Wwck 31%), Neil Mulholland-Noel Fehily (Wwck 29%)

Peter Bowen-Sean Bowen (MRas 24% all MRas; trainer 21%; jockey 20%)

Dan Skelton-Harry Skelton (Wwck 24% all Wwck; trainer 21%; jockey 22%)

Sue Smith-Danny Cook (MRas 23% all MRas; trainer 11%; jockey 16%)

Nigel Twiston-Davies-Sam Twiston-Davies (Wwck 20% all Wwck; trainer 15%; jockey 20%)

Hot jockeys

JOCKEYS with best wins-rides % from at least three wins in last 14 days, Flat & jumps

Table listing hot jockeys: Andrew Tinkler (Wwck 3-5 60%), Sean Bowen (MRas 5-9 56%), Ross Chapman (MRas 6-13 46%), Noel Fehily (Wwck 6-17 35%), Jamie Moore (Wwck 4-15 27%), Tom Scudamore (MRas 3-12 25%), Danny Cook (MRas 5-21 24%), Harry Cobden (Wwck 3-14 21%)

Cold jockeys

JOCKEYS with most losers since last win, Flat & jumps; X=Never ridden a winner in GB or Ireland; 1st=first ride in GB; excludes those with at least 25% placed runners in past 14 days

Table listing cold jockeys: Mitchell Bastyan (Wwck 94 72), Connor King (MRas 230 70), Brendan Powell (Wwck 61 51), Robert Hawker (MRas 223 42), David Noonan (MRas 53 37), Mr Ed Bailey (Wwck 136 24)

Course jockeys

JOCKEYS with best wins-rides % from at least three course wins

Table listing course jockeys: Fergu Gregory (MRas 3-6 50%), Conor Ring (MRas 3-11 27%), Nico de Boinville (Wwck 12-46 26%), Richard Johnson (Wwck 36-156 23%), Noel Fehily (Wwck 26-112 23%), Harry Skelton (Wwck 28-125 22%), Sam Twiston-Davies (Wwck 23-116 20%), Sean Bowen (MRas 11-55 20%)

Jockeys off course

Jockeys with most course losers since last win



(today's code)

X=never ridden course winner
Since a win: DAYS RIDES
Leighton AspellWwck 757 49
Richie McLernonMRas 1038 44

Journeyman jockeys

JOCKEYS booked to ride at more than one meeting
Showing time of last ride at first meeting and earliest ride at next
Max KendrickMRas 2.00-Wwck 5.30
Richard JohnsonMRas 2.30-Wwck 5.30

One-trick jockeys

JOCKEYS (excl amateurs, apprentices & conditionals) with one ride at a meeting
Connor KingBallyvic Boru MRas 2.00
Richard Johnson Rio Quinto MRas 2.30
Nick Scholfield Shockingtimes MRas 3.35
David EnglandLeskinferre MRas 4.10
Will KennedyVolcanic MRas 4.10
Sean QuinlanAengus MRas 4.10
Conor Shoemark
.....Skipthecuddles MRas 4.10
Andrew Thornton
.....Head To The Stars MRas 4.10
Adam Wedge
.....Fille Des Champs MRas 4.40
Leighton Aspell ..Piton Pete Wwck 2.20
Tom Bellamy ..Earcomestom Wwck 2.20
Dave CrosseFire Ahead Wwck 2.20
Thomas Garner ...Zamalgith Wwck 2.20
Jamie MooreCourt Duty Wwck 2.20
Charlie PosteSimafar Wwck 2.20
Brendan Powell ..Ballyhome Wwck 2.20
Jack QuinlanLuma's Gift Wwck 2.20
Harry Cobden ..On Demand Wwck 2.50
Nico de Boinville
.....Oskar Denarius Wwck 3.25
Trevor Whelan
.....The Boss's Dream Wwck 3.55
Wayne Hutchinson ..Nobby Wwck 5.30
Richard Johnson
.....Melchior King Wwck 5.30

First-time Wind Ops

HORSES running for the first-time since undergoing a wind surgery
Data excludes horses trained outside GB
Trainer's wins-runs record with horses running for the first time since a wind surgery compared to record with all
Data first made available on 19 Jan 2018
Golden VisionWwck 2.50
Dan Skelton 1-11 9%; all 18%
Minella FiveoMRas 5.10
Sue Smith 0-1 0%; all 12%

First-time blinkers

Horses wearing blinkers, hood or visor for the first time
Trainer's wins-runs record with 1st-time blinkers/hood/visor is compared with trainer's strike rate with all runners
Current and previous year, any code
Polydora (b)MRas 4.10
Tom Lacey 1-3 33%; all 20%
Only Orvieto (b)MRas 4.40
Ruth Jefferson 0-1 0%; all 13%
Oologist (h)Wwck 4.30
John Gallagher 0-3 0%; all 8%
Worthabobortwo (h)Wwck 5.30
Andrew J Martin 0-0 0%; all 13%

Tongue-tied

HORSES wearing tongue strap for the first time
Trainer's wins-runs record with 1st-time tongue strap is compared with trainer's strike rate with all runners
Current and previous year, any code
Robert de BruceMRas 2.00
Donald McCain 0-13 0%; all 17%

RussiantomMRas 2.30
Susan Corbett 0-18 0%; all 10%
Lincoln CountyMRas 5.10
Oliver Greenall 1-17 6%; all 8%
The Boss's DreamWwck 3.55
Neil King 0-2 0%; all 11%

Cheekpieces

HORSES wearing cheekpieces for the first time
Trainer's wins-runs record with 1st-time cheekpieces is compared with trainer's strike rate with all runners
Current and previous year, any code
Mr LoveMRas 3.35
Lucy Wadham 0-7 0%; all 12%
The Ogle Gogle ManMRas 3.35
Charlie Mann 1-7 14%; all 14%
Bridane RebelMRas 4.40
Jennie Candlish 2-10 20%; all 14%
Away For SlatesWwck 3.25
Dan Skelton 4-25 16%; all 20%
Now McGintyWwck 3.25
Stuart Edmunds 0-6 0%; all 14%
Western MorningWwck 4.30
Oliver Greenall 1-9 11%; all 8%

Money talks

HORSES whose odds shortened by more than 50% on last outing; W=won, L=lost
Showing trainer's wins-runs record with next outing of winning & losing gambles
Rigadin de BeaucheneWwck 3.55
Bang, 9.2.18: op 16/1 tchd 18/115/2 L
Venetia Williams W 0-0 0%; L 0-1 0%

Travellers' check

Today's farthest travellers (top 10 & ties; minimum distance 200 miles).
Trainer's wins-runs record with horses travelling at least this far in GB is compared with overall GB strike-rate in last 10 years

Las TunasMRas 3.05 265
R Mike Smith 0-10 0%; all 7%
What A DivaMRas 4.40 259
Peter Bowen 198-936 21%; all 14%
VivantMRas 4.40 243
Harry Fry 16-82 20%; all 24%
Status QuoMRas 5.10 243
Harry Fry 16-82 20%; all 24%
Sizing CusimanoMRas 2.00 226
Colin Tizzard 24-96 25%; all 13%
ZanstraMRas 4.10 226
Colin Tizzard 24-96 25%; all 13%
Fille Des ChampsMRas 4.40 221
Evan Williams 164-819 20%; all 13%
Voodoo DollMRas 5.10 221
Evan Williams 164-819 20%; all 13%

Trying a trip

HORSES who have run at least once this season and now race over 2f+ (4f+ jumps) more than before
RussiantomMRas 2.30 +4f
VivantMRas 4.40 +4f

Handicap debut

Horses running in a British handicap for the first time under today's code/obstacles whose trainer has a 15%+ strike rate with such runners.
Showing trainer's win-run record with handicap debutants (current season plus four)
Golden VisionWwck 2.50
Dan Skelton 16-90 18%; -£4.97
On DemandWwck 2.50
Colin Tizzard 8-52 15%; -£6.00

Best of rivalries

Head-to-head record of horses who have run against one another three or more times in the past two years.
First figure is number of times horse has beaten rival; bracketed figure is number of race wins.
3.55 Warwick
Cyclop 2 (0) v 1 (0) Russe Blanc

Bad turn

HORSES whose best RPR racing the same way round as today (no wins) is 10lb+ below today's card RPR
Minimum 3 runs each on LH & RH tracks
Supakalanistic (8/1)MRas 4.10 RH
LH w-r: 1-4 RPR 118; RH 0-3 RPR 104
Calipso Collonges (5/4) MRas 5.10 RH
LH w-r: 2-4 RPR 115; RH 0-5 RPR 91
Piton Pete (10/11)Wwck 2.20 LH
LH w-r: 0-3 RPR 110; RH 1-5 RPR 131

Anything to report

HORSES whose last outing has official explanation from connections. See form for details
Mr LoveMRas 3.35
AengusMRas 4.10
Head To The StarsMRas 4.10
TimeforwestWwck 2.50
Daisy de SivolaWwck 3.25
Hillary ViewWwck 3.25
ThisonetimeWwck 3.25
ZerachielWwck 3.55
Blue AprilWwck 4.30

Repeat performance

HORSES who ran in same race in previous seasons
FlemerinaMRas 4.40
17: 1 of 7, OR94, 9/4F Danny Cook
Milly BalooMRas 4.40
17: 3 of 7, btn 9L, OR108, 100/30 Brian Hughes
16: 2 of 5, btn 2 1/2L, OR105, 9/4F Ryan Day
Rigadin de BeaucheneWwck 3.55
17: 6 of 11, btn 109 1/2L, OR123, 15/2 Robert Dunne
Talk Of The SouthWwck 3.55
17: 2 of 11, btn 8L, OR115, 11/1 Nick Scholfield
Vice Et VertuWwck 3.55
17: P of 11, OR113, 7/1 Paddy Brennan

Week link

HORSES with 2+ wins in this period (7 days before & after today) in previous seasons, showing form figures that preceded the most recent
211 RoxyfetMRas 3.05
2m 3f 51y Catt 9.3.16; 2m 178y Sedg 6.3.16

Fresh start

SHOWING days since last run of horses off the track for 180+ days, who have won previously after such an absence.
Data is current plus last four years, any code, incl PTP
CharlemarMRas 4.10 358
2.11.16 won after 181 days off

Out & about

Horses running today who were non-runners or withdrawn after being declared in last seven days.
Reason for absence (if known) and forecast SP (if appropriate)
Trainers wins-runs record with such runners, current season plus
The Ogle Gogle Man
.....Charlie Mann MRas 3.35
Font 7 Mar unsuitable ground (7/1) 3-26 11%

Multiple entries

Horses running today who have three or more further engagements this week (total in brackets)
What A Diva (3) Peter Bowen MRas 4.40

Following favourites

RACES that show a profit for favourites
Wwck Non-H'cap Hdles +17.92
Wwck Non-H'cap Chses +8.74

Wwck NH Flat +6.38
MRas H'cap Hdles +3.57

Bouncers

HORSES running for the second time within 60 days following a 200 day layoff, who in previous circumstances had shown a 14lb+ deterioration in RPR.
Galway JackWwck 5.00
13/12/14 2 of 7, 139 26/12/14 5 of 9 119;
GrandiosoWwck 5.00
11/01/17 2 of 15, 128 01/02/17 4 of 11 113;

Postmark pick

RP RATING's most clear in handicaps
Calipso CollongesMRas 5.10 4
Midnight TargetWwck 2.50 4

Card and fast

Horses top-rated by TopSpeed whose previous best performance was also the best on the whole card (light figure = today's adjusted TS; bold = number of lbs best run was ahead)
Grand TurinaMRas 4.10 106 0
Persian SnowWwck 5.00 107 0

Top marks

Horses top-rated and selected by both RPR and TopSpeed
Talk Of The SouthWwck 3.55 5/1

Most popular nap

MOST popular tip in Racing Post/Coral Naps Competition
Data excludes yesterday's results
DoesyourdogbiteMRas 4.10 4
From Jan 1: W 43; L 71; £1 bet +14.36

Tipsters' trainers

TIPSTERS in our Racing Post/Coral Naps Competition who are showing a profit from at least two wins from stable of today's nap (current & previous year)
Sirius.....Muckle Roe Wwck 3.55
Nigel Twiston-Davies 4-9 +£2.25
West Country.....Status Quo MRas 5.10
Harry Fry 14-34 +£0.40
The GuardianSupakalanistic MRas 4.10
Nigel Twiston-Davies 5-5 +£16.25



TRAINERSPOT

In form

Trainers in form (last 14 days, min 2 wins, 5 runners), ranked by % (bold) of horses Running To Form; RTF is defined as running to within 7lb of racecard Racing Post Rating.

For horses who ran yesterday, and for horses with no pre-race Racing Post Rating; RTF defined as: any placing; or finishing within 3l of winner over 6.5f (1430y); or finishing with 4l between 6f111y (1431y) & 1m110y(1870y); or finishing with 5l between 1m110y (1871y) & 1m4f110y(2750y); or finishing with 6l between 1m4f111y(2751y) & 2m (3520y); or within an extra 1/2l per furlong above 2m.

After trainer's name are finishing positions of all runners in last 14 days, most recent on right; dash separates days; ♦=no runners on day

Table with columns W-R, RTF, and Trainer Name with finishing positions. Includes Alan King (100%), Warren Greatrex (88%), Nick Williams (86%), Peter Bowen (83%), Jennie Candlish (71%), Donald McCain (70%), Colin Tizzard (68%), Nigel Twiston-Davies (67%), Brian Ellison (64%), and Olly Murphy (64%).

Out of form

Trainers out of form (last 14 days, max 2 wins, min 5 runners), ranked by lowest % (bold) of horses Running To Form (RTF). ♦=no runners on day

Table with columns W-R, RTF, and Trainer Name with finishing positions. Includes Evan Williams (0%), Kerry Lee (0%), Ben Pauling (17%), and Dan Skelton (18%).

Race trace

Trainers who have won this race at least twice in last ten seasons, showing wins-runs, £1 bet, all finishing positions (latest on right, dash separates years, ♦=no runner that year), and today's runner(s).

Table for Market Rasen and Warwick with columns for time, odds, and trainer name with finishing positions. Includes Jonjo O'Neill and Venetia Williams.

Course specialists

Trainers with best course wins-runs % in particular race type, at today's course, and in profit to £1 bet;

BOLD data=current season only; LIGHT=last four seasons, plus current. Flat season is defined as from January 1

Table with columns for time, odds, and trainer name with finishing positions. Includes Brian Ellison, Olly Murphy, Mark Walford, Jamie Snowden, Peter Bowen, Tim Easterby, Evan Williams, Venetia Williams, Jonjo O'Neill, Dan Skelton, Paul Henderson, Alan King, and Dan Skelton.

Jockey bookings

Significant jockey/trainer combinations, in profit to £1 bet; BOLD data = current season only; LIGHT = last four seasons, plus current.

Ⓢ=data is course specific (therefore bold data with Ⓢ = today's course, current season). Flat season is defined as from January 1.

Includes those with more than one win, a strike-rate of at least 25% and a level-stakes profit.

Table with columns for time, odds, and jockey/trainer name with finishing positions. Includes Harry Bannister/Charlie Mann, Ciaran Gethings/Stuart Edmunds, Tom Scudamore/Tim Easterby, Fergus Gregory/Olly Murphy, Nico de Boynville/Ben Pauling, Noel Fehily/Neil Mulholland, Miss Isabel Williams/Evan Williams, Andrew Tinkler/Henry Daly, and Gavin Sheehan/Paul Webber.