

Selections

Friday 9 October | Spring Premier Race Night

Selectors	Greg O'Connor	Matt Markham	Matt Smith
Race 1	Scrunch Always Be Batman Sacetas Heaven's Mark	Always Be Batman Scrunch Joyride Semba	Scrunch Spirit Downunder Always Be Batman Semba
Race 2	Tetrick Tactical Bid Axel Rose Lauzelle	Axel Rose Tetrick To The Moon And Back Luvavici	Tetrick Luvavici Axel Rose Tactical Bid
Race 3	Captain Wolf Bord De La Mer Aardie's Memphis King's Command	Captain Wolf Bord De La Mer Aardie's Memphis St Paddy	Bord De La Mer Aardie's Memphis Chaldon Suspicious Capitan
Race 4	Kawatiri Trev Petite Amour Montara Landman	Imperious Girl Petite Amour Kawatiri Trev I'm Connected	Kawatiti Trev Imperious Girl Petite Amour Landman
Race 5	I'm The Boss Suva Baby Daisy Bay Beware The Storm	I'm The Boss Suva Baby Daisy Bay Bliss Philly	I'm The Boss Suva Baby Daisy Bay Beware The Storm
Race 6	Eyes Wide Open Duke Of Burbon Apollo Eleven Mr Mercedes	Eyes Wide Open Duke Of Bourbon Apollo Eleven Mr Mercedes	Eyes Wide Open Duke Of Bourbon Apollo Eleven Mr Mercedes
Race 7	Esmeralda Princess Gracy Chicago Sky Nothing But You	Chicago Sky Princess Gracy Esmeralda Nothing But You	Princess Gracy Nothing But You Utah Jazz Chicago Sky
Race 8	Jumal Franco Lomu Sonofamistery Stumblin In	Jumal Franco Lomu Sonofamistry Stumblin In	Jumal Franco Lomu Ashley Frank Stumblin In
Race 9	Habibti Pat Mighty Logan Tarragindi Donna's Boy	Habibti Pat Mighty Logan Resolve Prestigious	Habibti Pat Mighty Logan Prestigious Ya Right Darl
Race 10	Lucky Luka Faith Not Fear Tour Party Patriot	Tour Party Faith Not Fear Lucky Luka Patriot	Faith Not Fear Tour Party Lucky Luka Coal Fire
Race 11	All Of Me Secret Wish Cath Ride The Waves	Ride The Waves Secret Wish Cath Cherish Me	Secret Wish Wat Next Cath Cherish Me
Race 12	Franco Lennon Cee Whata Mickee Brilliant Chase Ringleader	Cee Whata Mickee Franco Lennon Ringleader B B King	Cee Whata Mickee Brilliant Chase Franco Lennon Ringleader

Race 1 COMMODORE HOTEL WELCOMES NZ HARNESS CLUBS MBL Starts 16:39

Scrunch (8) Freshened since very good winter form. Thrives at this track-distance. On top.
 Spirit Downunder (9) No peace in the running at Timaru. Race conditions suit nicely. Consider.
 Always Be Batman (4) Only got out for the last 100m here last week. Just needs luck to play a part.

Qla 8,9 Tfa 8x9x4x5
Race 2 BETAVET PREPARE - FOR PEAK PERFORMANCE HCP TROT Starts 17:04

Tetrick (12) Nabbed on the line in bold resuming run last week. Chance off the 10m.
 Luvavici (10) Recovered from error for stout 5th last week. Key contender with manners.
 Axel Rose (7) Not a factor at Oamaru after early mistake. Speedy though. Has claims.

Qla 12,10 Tfa 12x10x7x17
Race 3 TYRE GENERAL MBL PACE Starts 17:38

Bord De La Mer (4) Head-scratcher 14 Aug in 1st run out of maidens. Good 29 Sep trial. Consider.
 Aardie's Memphis (12) Impressive late 25 Sep in first run in the grades. May be running on again.
 Chaldon (2) Don't underplay his 9th last week. Much better draw & has gate speed. Blowout.

Qla 4,12 Tfa 4x12x2x13
Race 4 AOTEA ELECTRIC MBL TROT Starts 18:03

Kawatiri Trev (11) Took down Prestigious 18 Sep & that form's been franked. Big threat with gaps.
 Imperious Girl (7) All the speed in the world, but errors in both spring runs. Give another go.
 Petite Amour (8) Did plenty of work when a brave 3rd here 18 Sep. More reliable than some. EW.

Qla 11,7 Tfa 11x7x8x5
Race 5 NZB S'BRED HARNESS MILLION 2YOF MBL PACE (L) Starts 18:37

I'm The Boss (2) Earned her top billing with 02 Oct success in front. Drawn to go three straight.
 Suva Baby (4) Rattling home in both her starts back. Draw could make things interesting. EW.
 Daisy Bay (6) Didn't enjoy sitting parked 18 Sep. Going excellent races prior. Place prospect.

Qla 2,4 Tfa 2x4x6x3
Race 6 NZB S'BRED HARNESS MILLION 2YO MBL TROT (L) Starts 19:05

Eyes Wide Open (7) Looked a cut above most of these in first two starts. Big hope with manners.
 Duke Of Bourbon (12) Testing punters' patience with gait issues. No doubting his talent. Win or bust.
 Apollo Eleven (4) 3 workouts since smart first campaign. Won his only left-handed start. Each way.

Qla 7,12 Tfa 7x12x4x3
Race 7 NZB S'BRED SOUTHERN MARES CLASSIC MBL PACE (L) Starts 19:30

Princess Gracy (12) Warmed up for this with sharp 3rd behind Arafura. Should be running on.
 Nothing But You (9) Trial winner since gritty 4th last time. Yet to win from barrier 9 but consider.
 Utah Jazz (11) Lightly raced, but has shown plenty of talent. Two workouts to prepare. EW.

Qla 12,9 Tfa 12x9x11x9
Race 8 BRAXTON FARRIERS 3YO FLYING STAKES MBL PACE (G1) Starts 20:04

Jumal (7) As tough as he is brilliant, judging by 25 Sep win. Top pick despite draw.
 Franco Lomu (2) Ran Jumal to within a whisker last time. Gets the draw on him again. Key threat.
 Ashley Frank (4) Didn't give it away sitting parked last week. Better draw. Can sneak into Top 4.

Qla 7,2 Tfa 7x2x4x1
Race 9 RENWICK FARMS TROTTERS' CLASSIC HCP TROT (G3) Starts 20:32

Habibt Pat (4) Gets into this superbly after D G Jones Cup win. Every chance to double-up.
 Mighty Logan (14) Made up many lengths late 25 Sep. Should deal with 20m quickly. A key threat.
 Prestigious (3) Huge effort despite mistake to win last week. Watch him early, but has claims.

Qla 4,14 Tfa 4x14x3x11
Race 10 NZB S'DBRED HARNESS MILLION 2YO C&G MBL PACE (L) Starts 21:04

Faith Not Fear (9) Looked hugely talented in 3 runs. Got clear from this draw 18 Sep. Top pick.
 Tour Party (3) Not at his sharpest last week, but has been one of the leading lights. Go again.
 Lucky Luka (10) Not much luck at times 18 Sep, but was great late. Early position key. Chance.

Qla 9,3 Tfa 9x3x10x14
Race 11 WOODLANDS STUD 'HILARIOUS GUEST' CLASSIC MBL PACE Starts 21:32

Secret Wish (9) Great job at Oamaru albeit from the ace. Never pulled out 29 Sep trials. Threat.
 Wat Next (1) Early work no help at Alex Park. Winner here at this meeting last year. Chance.
 Cath (8) Picked herself up off the canvas for 2nd last week. Loves track/distance. EW.

Qla 9,1 Tfa 9x1x8x13
Race 12 PEBBLE BEACH AT ALABAR & NEVELE R MBL PACE Starts 21:57

Cee Whata Mickee (3) Handy 7th to Franco Lomu in late July & that reads well. A genuine contender.
 Brilliant Chase (4) Edging closer with both runs back & looks like a 3YO with upside. Right in this.
 Franco Lennon (2) Warmed up nicely for 5th last week. No deeper here either. Each way player.

Qla 3,4 Tfa 3x4x2x12