



NAAS (IRELAND) - 25 JANUARY 2026

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**1 14:55 - NURSERY OF CHAMPIONS MAIDEN HURDLE - PLACE ACCUMULATOR - LEG 1** (4 years only) **Turf**

Stake: R229,077 3200m

1	BLUE MOON BOY (IRE) 4Bayg	A Kinirons	S O'Keeffe	73	1K22 9G16	8P33
2	DREAMED TO DREAM (USA) 4Bayg	E Mullins	D Meyer	73	9D22 0C20	0G24
3	GAIN LINE (IRE) 4Bayg	P Roche	A P Kelly	73	<b>FIRST RUN</b>	
4	KAI LUNG (FR)% 4Bayg	W P Mullins	D Mullins	73	2L16 1T15	2T20
5	LYNCHE'S KNOCK (IRE) 4Chestnug	G Elliott	J W Kennedy	73	3N34	1L36
6	MON CREUSET (FR) 4Greyg	W P Mullins	P Townend	73		1N24
7	MOULIN LABBE (FR) 4Bayg	W P Mullins	B Hayes	73		1P23
8	MUHAJIM 4Bayg	C Byrnes	P Byrnes	73	4S20 2K22	8D24
9	NILE STAR (NZ) 4Bayg	R O'sullivan	Liam McKenna	73		0P32
10	SARATOGA 4Greyg	P Roche	M P Walsh	73	5N32 5A32	3P33
11	ALBERTA ROSE (IRE) 4Chestnug	D G Murphy	M Kenneally	70	<b>FIRST RUN</b>	
12	HUNTING GOLD (IRE) 4Chestnug	P J Rothwell	T Power Roche	70		5N34
13	KASHEL SPRING (IRE) 4Bayf	D Hogan	P K Donovan	70	1P18 4N22	0L32

**FORECAST BETTING:** 15-8 MON CREUSET; 7-2 SARATOGA; 9-2 KAI LUNG; 6-1 LYNCHES KNOCK; 13-2 MOULIN LABBE; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

**HEADGEAR CHANGE:** PACIFIERS OFF: MUHAJIM.

**TIPS:** 6 MON CREUSET 10 SARATOGA 5 LYNCHES KNOCK

**PREVIEW:** Riding arrangements suggest MON CREUSET is the pick of Willie Mullins' three runners and may prove the one to beat with the yard in good form. He easily won a French bumper and has a similar profile to stablemate Moulin Labbe, while Kai Lung gained more experience on the Flat, winning a maiden over an extended 7f. Saratoga was smart on the level and will step forward from his third at Punchestown on New Year's Eve. Muhaajim is another Flat winner to keep a close eye on in the market, while Lynch's Knock has already won over hurdles having landed an academy event at Leopardstown.

**2 15:25 - NAAS RACECOURSE BUSINESS CLUB LIME-STONE LAD HURDLE (GRADE 3)** (5 years and older) **Turf**

Stake: R715,868 3200m

1	BACCHANALIAN 5Chestnug	D Qually	S O'Keeffe	74.5	1N32 1N31	3F41
2	BRING ON THE NIGHT 9Chestnug	J Nash	D Gilligan	71.5	4C32 5P32	8P38
3	FARREN GLORY (IRE) 9Bayg	G Elliott	J W Kennedy	71.5	2P32 3P38	3N44
4	GLEN KILN (IRE) 7Bayg	D H Kelly	B Hayes	71.5	2P34 0F40	2P38
5	KARBAU (FR) 6Bayg	W P Mullins	P Townend	71.5	0C33 3A33	3P34
6	KEL HISTOIRE (FR) 6Chestnug	W P Mullins	M P Walsh	71.5	1C32 2P34	8C42
7	WORKAHEAD (IRE) 8Bayg	H De Bromhead	D J O'Keeffe	71.5	3N32 1L32	0C33
8	COLA BLAZE (IRE) 7Baym	N Slevin	P Cleary	68	0L32 4D34	7F32

**FORECAST BETTING:** 2-1 KARBAU; 3-1 WORKAHEAD; 9-2 GLEN KILN; 5-1 FARREN GLORY; KEL HISTOIRE; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

**TIPS:** 5 KARBAU 7 WORKAHEAD 4 GLEN KILN

**PREVIEW:** KARBAU gets the vote in a competitive renewal of this Grade 3. The facile Punchestown maiden winner was third twice at Grade 1 level last year and it will be interesting to see how strong he is in the betting ahead of his comeback. Workahead is obviously not the easiest to train but did impress in a Leopardstown maiden last term, while Farren Glory was a Grade 1-winning novice hurdler but didn't reach the same heights over fences and has been absent for nearly a year. Glen Kiln represents connections who would love to win this race and he's continued to progress. Bacchanalian won three times last year, including a Grade 3 here, but needs to bounce back after disappointing on his reappearance at Fairyhouse.

**3 15:55 - IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF MAIDEN HURDLE** (4 years and older) **Turf**

Stake: R286,352 3800m

1	ARCADIAN EMPEROR (FR) 5Bayg	W P Mullins	M P Walsh	75.5		4L40
2	DID I ASK YOU THAT (IRE) 8Bayg	W P Mullins	P Townend	75.5	3P44	0P44
3	EMBRACE THE DAY (IRE) 5Bayg	G Cromwell	K M Donoghue	75.5		0P34
4	GENEPI GEORGE (IRE) 7Bayg	M M Lynch	S W Flanagan	75.5	8L32	5N32
5	KILGAME (FR) 6Blackg	H De Bromhead	D J O'Keeffe	75.5	5G32	3L32
6	LE ROI DU LIVET (FR) 5Bayg	P Fenton	B Hayes	75.5	2T32	4N32
7	NEWBROOK DIAMOND (IRE) 6Bayg	G Elliott	J W Kennedy	75.5	2N38	3P32
8	PATTON (IRE) 5Bayg	A Slattery	C M Quirke	75.5		6C34
9	REGNO (IRE) 5Bayg	Colm Murphy	R Berry	75.5		5L32
10	SHARU (IRE) 5Bayg	H De Bromhead	M P O'Connor	75.5		7D34
11	SHUTTLE DIPLOMACY (ARG) 6Bayg	T Cooper	D King	75.5	0G32	7C32
12	THANKYOUFORTHEDAYS (IRE) 5Bayg	J P Dempsey	D Meyer	75.5	4F32	0L32
13	TRUE HARMONY (IRE) 6Bayg	S Neville	J J Slevin	75.5	<b>FIRST RUN</b>	
14	RATHBAWN SOLDIER (IRE)% 5Baym	P T Foley	S D Torrens	72.5		0N32
15	THE FLY WINDOW (IRE) 5Baym	P Lawlor	S O'Keeffe	72.5		6P36
16	WALKINGMAYOTOMILAN (IRE) 5Baym	R O'Sullivan	D Gilligan	72.5	<b>FIRST RUN</b>	

**FORECAST BETTING:** 5-2 SHUTTLE DIPLOMACY; 3-1 NEWBROOK DIAMOND; 4-1 ARCADIAN EMPEROR; 5-1 KILGAME; 8-1 DID I ASK YOU THAT; 10-1 GENEPI GEORGE; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

**TIPS:** 11 SHUTTLE DIPLOMACY 7 NEWBROOK DIAMOND 5 KILGAME

**PREVIEW:** SHUTTLE DIPLOMACY isn't the most consistent of performers but did win twice in bumpers, including at this venue, and was placed behind Bambino Fever at the Cheltenham Festival. The Tom Cooper-trained gelding put a couple of disappointing efforts over hurdles behind him when second in a strong maiden at the Limerick Christmas meeting. Point-to-point winner Newbrook Diamond has been placed on all three hurdle starts, including when runner-up to Future Prospect here earlier this month, while Kilgame is another to consider on his third to Murat at Leopardstown. Arcadian Emperor won a Lismore point in good style and now switches to hurdles after finishing fourth in a Leopardstown bumper.

**4 16:25 - ALBERT BARTLETT TRIPLE CROWN SERIES AT PUNCHESTOWN FESTIVAL 2026 QUALIFIER HANDICAP HURDLE - JACKPOT - LEG 1** (4 years and older) **Turf**

Stake: R286,352 3800m

1	THEFLYINGBEE (IRE) 9Baym	F G Hand	Mr J R Martin	75.5	2N32	5P38	5P42
2	BEYOND YOUR DREAMS (IRE) 5Baym	P Roche	M P Walsh	74.5	9C32	0P38	9P42
3	GRANVILLE STREET (IRE) 8Chestnug	Ciaran Murphy	Eoin Walsh	74	6T32	0F41	6N32
4	KING KALI (IRE) 10Bayg	S Byrnes	K Sexton	73.5	1L36	4N32	1L32
5	MATT CONNOR (IRE) 6Bayg	J P Dempsey	K M Donoghue	73	5G32	1L32	4L32
6	DOCTOR CHURCHILL (IRE) 8Bayg	E & P Harty	C Cullinan	72.5	7N32	3F48	0P38
7	CLUB MANAGER* 6Bayg	R O'Sullivan	M Kenneally	72	2W33	8N40	2N32
8	REBEL GOLD (IRE) 13Bayg	P T Foley	E Staples	71.5	5G40	5C36	3G32
9	RONY HAS (FR) 6Chestnug	C Byrnes	P Byrnes	71.5	4L44	7F32	8L42
10	PEACEINTHEVALLEY (FR) 7Bayg	H De Bromhead	J J Slevin	69	7N32	5T40	4L32
11	MYSTIC MALINA (IRE) 7Brownm	D G Murphy	P T Enright	68.5	6C32	0C40	1C33
12	JUSTATAN (FR) 7Chestnug	E Mullins	D Meyer	68	5L32	3C33	0L32
13	MON SHERIFFE 5Bayg	P J Rothwell	S D Torrens	64.5	4C38	6N40	3N32

**FORECAST BETTING:** 9-2 MYSTIC MALINA; 11-2 KING KALI; 6-1 CLUB MANAGER; 13-2 MATT CONNOR, MON SHERIFFE; 8-1 PEACEINTHEVALLEY; 10-1 REBEL GOLD, JUSTATAN; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

**HEADGEAR CHANGE:** PACIFIERS OFF: CLUB MANAGER.

**TIPS:** 4 KING KALI 7 CLUB MANAGER 5 MATT CONNOR

**PREVIEW:** CLUB MANAGER has proved frustrating to follow this season, filling the runner-up spot three times including behind River Vale here last month, with King Kali five lengths back in fourth. The Ross O'Sullivan-trained gelding handles testing ground and cheekpieces are now replaced by blinkers. King Kali has won either side of the aforementioned outing including at the Limerick Christmas meeting, with Peaceinthevalley behind in fourth, while Matt Connor won on his penultimate start at Limerick and again put in a solid effort at Leopardstown last time. Mystic Malina and Mon Sheriff are others to consider.

**5** 16:55 - ALOGA EQUESTRIAN (PRO/AM) FLAT RACE (4 years and older) *Turf*

Stake: R190,893 3800m

1	BEECHWOOD ROAD	5Bay	Peter Fahey	Mr Adam Ryan	76.5	5L40
2	DOCTOR ELVIS (FR)	7Chestnut	G Elliott	Mr J M Halford	76.5	3P38
3	LARGY STAR (IRE)	7Bay	G Cromwell	Mr D G Lavery	76.5	<b>FIRST RUN</b>
4	LOVE SIGN D'AUNOU	5Bay	W P Mullins	Mr P W Mullins	76.5	<b>FIRST RUN</b>
5	TOUCH THE CLOUDS (IRE)	5Bay	R O'sullivan	Mr L P Shanahan	76.5	3N32
6	VIENNA STORM	5Bay	W P Mullins	Miss J Townend	76.5	<b>FIRST RUN</b>
7	ESPRIT DE RUE (IRE)	8Bay	P McCreery	Ms S Peyroles	73	7T32
8	EYECANBOOGIE (IRE)	6Grey	E McNamara	C M Hogan	73	3K32
9	FLY AWAY HOME (NZ)	6Bay	C Byrnes	Mr A D Bustin	73	4P32
10	HAZY DAISY (IRE)	7Bay	E Griffin	Ms N M Bradley	73	0P36

**FORECAST BETTING:** 13-8 LOVE SIGN D'AUNOU; 9-2 DOCTOR ELVIS; 5-1 BEECHWOOD ROAD; 11-2 VIENNA STORM; 6-1 LARGY STAR; 7-1 TOUCH THE CLOUDS; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

**TIPS:** 4 LOVE SIGN D'AUNOU 2 DOCTOR ELVIS 3 LARGY STAR

**PREVIEW:** LOVE SIGN D'AUNOU may be able to make a winning start for Willie Mullins. The French-bred gelding won his sole point-to-point start at Loughanmore last April and that looked like a decent contest, with the runner-up landing a maiden hurdle in October. Doctor Elvis returns after a long absence, but could be a danger. He was third behind two smart sorts in Predators Gold and Mossy Fen Park over hurdles at Punchestown back in November 2023, and cost 260,000 euros at the Caldwell dispersal sale. Dual point-to-point winner Largy Star has to be respected on his first outing for Gavin Cromwell.

**6** 17:25 - FINLAY FORD AT NAAS NOVICE CHASE (GRADE 3) (5 years and older) *Turf*

Stake: R572,704 5000m

1	FLICKER OF HOPE (FR)	7Baybrown	M Fahey	D Meyler	71.5	3W32 1F40 1N50
2	ARGENTO BOY (IRE)	7Grey	W P Mullins	P Townend	70	5P48 0P46 1P48
3	BLAZE THE WAY (IRE)	8Bay	Mags Mullins	D Mullins	70	2S35 4P36 1C52
4	BOSSOFTHEBROWNIES (IRE)	7Bay	M F Morris	D J O'Keeffe	70	1F48 3P48 3N50
5	EAGLE FANG (IRE)	6Bay	W Durkan	P Byrnes	70	5F40 1T44 5C42
6	LONESOME BOATMAN (FR)	10Bay	Sean Allen	D King	70	4L48 1C56 3F60
7	THE ENABLER (IRE)	7Bay	G Elliott	J W Kennedy	70	3P38 1F42 4P39
8	THE GREAT NUDE (IRE)	6Baybrown	C Bowe	S W Flanagan	67	4G32 3P36 1N40

**FORECAST BETTING:** 5-2 FLICKER OF HOPE; 3-1 ARGENTO BOY; 4-1 BLAZE THE WAY; 6-1 BOSSOFTHEBROWNIES; 7-1 THE ENABLER; 10-1 EAGLE FANG; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

**TIPS:** 1 FLICKER OF HOPE 2 ARGENTO BOY 3 BLAZE THE WAY

**PREVIEW:** A competitive renewal and FLICKER OF HOPE can give weight away to his rivals. Mark Fahey's gelding beat a good field over C&D and did well to win over two and a half miles at Fairyhouse previously, but really comes into his own with a stiffer test of stamina. The obvious danger is Blaze The Way, who also blossomed when stepped up in trip at Cheltenham last month. He beat a strong field in good style in handicap company and should be a big player now in this grade. Argento Boy won well at Punchestown and is another who has to come into calculations.

**7** 17:55 - CLINTON HIGGINS CHARTERED ACCOUNT-ANTS NOVICE HANDICAP CHASE (5 years and older) *Turf*

Stake: R305,444 4000m

1	KARL DESTOURELLES (FR)	6Bay	P Fenton	B Hayes	75.5	6N42 4N42 6L42
2	RAGLAN ROAD (IRE)	8Bay	H De Bromhead	M P Walsh	73.5	0P41 7N32 6F44
3	TALK IN THE PARK (IRE)	8Bay	R O'Sullivan	M Kenneally	73.5	4L48 0P42 2F42
4	GORAIBHMAITHAGAT (IRE)	6Bay	Colm Murphy	S D Torrens	73	5N32 8F44 8P48
5	BRIDIE'S BEAU (IRE)	7Bay	G Cromwell	K M Donoghue	72	8P34 1C36 2N41
6	BUILT BY BALLYMORE (IRE)	8Bay	M Brassil	J J Slevin	72	4P32 9N40 4P48
7	JACOVEC CAVERN	7Bay	P Hennessy	R J Condon	70	6C40 1G40 3F44
8	PROPHET'S CORNER (IRE)	9Brown	Sean Allen	D J O'Keeffe	70	2C48 5P46 7P48
9	MICKIE ANGEL (IRE)	8Grey	D Hogan	P K Donovan	69.5	3F48 7C34 2L45
10	THREE IN A ROW (IRE)	8Bay	A L Moore	R A Doyle	66	4N40 7C36 2P40
11	RUSHEEN (IRE)	8Brown	T O'Brien	P T Enright	63.5	8F52 6N48 0F42

**FORECAST BETTING:** 7-2 BRIDIE'S BEAU; 9-2 RAGLAN ROAD; 5-1 THREE IN A ROW; 6-1 MICKIE ANGEL; 13-2 TALK IN THE PARK; 8-1 PROPHET'S CORNER; 10-1 GORAIBHMAITHAGAT; 12-1 AND UPWARDS OTHERS.

**HEADGEAR CHANGE:** PACIFIERS ON: TALK IN THE PARK; BUILT BY BALLYMORE. PACIFIERS OFF: RUSHEEN.

**TIPS:** 5 BRIDIE'S BEAU 10 THREE IN A ROW 3 TALK IN THE PARK

**PREVIEW:** Gavin Cromwell bounced back to form during the week and BRIDIE'S BEAU may be able to give him another winner. The Blue Bresil gelding won at Clonmel early last month before losing out narrowly at Naas just 12 days later. He is 3lb higher, but looks capable of another big run. Talk In The Park ran a solid race, despite not troubling winner The Enabler, in a hot rated contest at Fairyhouse. Connections try cheekpieces and he could play a big part. Three In A Row was narrowly denied at Punchestown on New Year's Eve and has to be respected.

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