CANBERRA PROFIT POINTERS

Friday 5th December 2025

RACING AND SPORTS™

Meeting Information:

Track: SOFT 5; Rail: 8m Entire. (Pent: 4.16) Weather: Clouds (Max: 35)

MEETING TOP RATED

The Racing and Sports top-rated runner in each race.

Top Rated Horses	
RACE 1	3. BEARINGS
RACE 2	1. DE LOUVIERE
RACE 3	4. WITCH OF NOVEMBER
RACE 4	9. OCEAN EMPRESS
RACE 6	8. URAFIKI
RACE 7	4. TELLING

GOLDEN MAP HORSES

Horses across the meeting expected to race in a position of advantage as identified by Racing and Sports statistical analysis.

Golden Map	
RACE 1	1. DEVIL RIDER
RACE 4	9. OCEAN EMPRESS
RACE 7	4. TELLING

SECTIONAL STARS

Horses across the meeting that have been identified by Racing and Sports sectional times analysis.

Sectional Stars	
RACE 3	9. MAYBE MAUREEN
RACE 5	3. SOLAR ORBIT
RACE 6	9. KEIKOKU

Race 1 2:02pm	CUSTOM PLUMBING HANDICAP ⭐⭐	DISTANCE: 2000m PRIZEMONEY: $22,000.00

Tb	Frm	Horse Name	Assd	BP	Wt	Trainer	Jockey
1	67138	DEVIL RIDER	$7	5	61.5	DANIELLE SEIB	NICK HEYWOOD
2	605x8	XCITED	-	6	60.5	ROBERT QUINN	SHAUN GUYMER
3	450x4	BEARINGS	$1.85	4	59.0	JOHN SARGENT	DONOVAN DILLON
4	x8055	~~ALLHALLOWTIDE~~	-	8	58.0	~~STEVEN WILSON~~	~~MS ROBYN FREEMAN~~
5	14152	ZIGGY ROSE	$4	7	58.0	DANIELLE SEIB	PIERRE BOUDVILLAIN
6	x5823	~~JUAN PABLO~~	-	6	57.5	~~RICHARD & WILL FREEDMAN~~	~~TEAQUE GOULD~~
7	21x23	FLASHY ICON	-	2	57.0	ROB POTTER	BROCK RYAN
8	73x67	TAUMATA	-	3	57.0	TIM DONNELLY	JACK MARTIN
9	32115	PRETTY PLEASE	-	1	55.5	THERESA BATEUP	MOLLIE FITZGERALD

Race Analysis: Good race to begin and I suspect Bearings will be the one the money comes for. She makes plenty of appeal off a strong first-up effort at Wyong over the mile, let alone the form she brings from last campaign. There's plenty in her favour today that suggests the RAS Ratings from last campaign are in play, with a bigger track and getting to 2000m both big ticks. While there's some handy horses in this field, there's plenty to like about Bearings. Ziggy Rose surprised me back to the mile last start and with the blinkers on, going close to winning. Getting back out to 2000m now is a big bonus for her, though she does look to have bumped into one in Bearings. She looks a nice mare on the rise though and she looks the main danger on RAS Ratings. Can make a case that Devil Rider should be shorter than his early price. Out to 2000m, he gets Heywood on board replacing the apprentice hoop and was a winner in this grade three back at Bathurst. Can play a role.

Race 2 — GEOCON STANDOUT PERFORMERS OF THE YEAR PLATE

2:32pm ⭐⭐⭐ | DISTANCE: 1600m | PRIZEMONEY: $22,000.00

Tb	Frm	Horse Name	Assd	BP	Wt	Trainer	Jockey
1	5274x	DE LOUVIERE	$3	4	59.0	MATTHEW SMITH	MOLLIE FITZGERALD
2	98x85	MICKEY'S PRIDE	-	3	59.0	MICK J SMITH	AMY MCLUCAS
3	58x71	SIMPLY NUTBUSH	$4	2	59.0	JARROD AUSTIN	SHAUN GUYMER
4	96637	BO COUGAR	-	6	57.0	KEITH DRYDEN & LIBBY SNOWDEN	JESSICA BROOKES (A2.0)
5	4x434	MISS DEFY	-	5	57.0	LUKE PEPPER	NICK HEYWOOD
6	x050x	TWISTED LOVE	$4.5	7	57.0	CIARON MAHER	ADAM FARRAGHER
7	56534	SACRED INGOT	-	8	56.5	MITCHELL MALONEY-STONE	RICHARD BENSLEY
8	0	DEZIGNATION	-	9	55.0	MATTHEW SMITH	PIERRE BOUDVILLAIN
9	0x433	KINDAMAGIC	-	1	55.0	MITCHELL MALONEY-STONE	MS ROBYN FREEMAN

Race Analysis: Keen to take on the early favourite with the Matthew Smith-trained De Louviere. His two trials in town have been very sharp, and he looks primed for the mile first-up. He's got the RAS Ratings from his last campaign to figure, albeit over further, and his form ties in through Bearings in race one. Smith strikes at 19% with horses first-up at Canberra in the last five years, and he makes plenty of appeal. Twisted Love is the early favourite, though I wasn't taken with her latest trial at Warwick Farm. She was only fair in her three runs in Queensland in her debut campaign in Australia when stretching out to 2200m and her sharpness over the shorter trips would be the big query. Happy to bet against her in this race despite her being back in grade. Simply Nutbush was very good here on Community Chest Day winning over 1400m after getting the perfect run in transit. This shapes similarly and he can go back-to-back without surprising.

Race 3 — MIKOLO BRICKLAYING HANDICAP

3:07pm ⭐ | DISTANCE: 1000m | PRIZEMONEY: $16,000.00

Tb	Frm	Horse Name	Assd	BP	Wt	Trainer	Jockey
1	617x1	AEGIPAN	$8	9	64.0	PAT MURPHY	DALE COLE (A3.0)
2	63554	ABSTRUSE	$7.5	6	63.0	NATALIE JARVIS	TEAGHAN MARTIN (A1.5)
3	36581	TANGO ON	-	8	62.0	CLAIRE LEVER	EMMA LY (A2.0)
4	2232x	WITCH OF NOVEMBER	$4.5	8	61.5	WAYNE CARROLL	ELLA BENT (A3.0)
5	2429x	ROYAL DETECTIVE	-	12	60.5	JOE CLEARY	
6	258x5	ITSZARBABY	$5	2	60.0	GARY PORTELLI	MOLLIE FITZGERALD
7	679x2	JACOB JOE	-	4	60.0	BECKY BYRNE	PIERRE BOUDVILLAIN
8	4100x	BONNYVILLE	-	7	59.5	ALLAN MCRAE	JEFF PENZA
9	560x3	MAYBE MAUREEN	$6	5	59.0	SCOTT COLLINGS	NICK HEYWOOD
10	42421	PROPHET TIME	-	3	59.0	GRATZ VELLA	JESSICA BROOKES (A2.0)
11	22473	SINGLE BEAT	-	1	58.0	NORM GARDNER	CORIAH KEATINGS
12	309x5	INCANTATA	-	10	56.5	NICK OLIVE	CAITLIN SINCLAIR (A3.0)

Race Analysis: Tricky race with the market very open and no angle to bet with the RAS Ratings. We'll leave this one alone and head invest elsewhere.

Race 4 — MGI JOYCE DICKSON HANDICAP

3:44pm ★★★ — DISTANCE: 1000m — PRIZEMONEY: $22,000.00

Tb	Frm	Horse Name	Assd	BP	Wt	Trainer	Jockey
1	8x	ALL EXCEED	$8	7	59.0	NICK OLIVE	CORIAH KEATINGS
2		DON'T	–	11	59.0	JASON COYLE	
3		ENTIRELY OAK	-	6	59.0	GREG STEPHENS	PIERRE BOUDVILLAIN
4	x7425	COOL BLAZE	-	9	58.0	GARY PORTELLI	AMY MCLUCAS
5		RUSSIAN REIGN	–	6	57.5	RICHARD LITT	ADAM FARRAGHER
6	2x	MASHEAN	$4.5	3	57.0	ANNABEL & ROB ARCHIBALD	MOLLIE FITZGERALD
7	08	KING'S EXCEED	-	1	56.5	DARRYL ROLFE	RICHARD BENSLEY
8	7x	INFANT WARRIOR	–	6	55.5	MARC & MITCHELL CONNERS	BROCK RYAN
9		OCEAN EMPRESS	$1.9	4	55.5	JARROD AUSTIN	SHAUN GUYMER
10		WEE WINN	-	5	55.5	PETER SNOWDEN	WILL PRICE
11	58x16	BEDDA MIA	-	2	55.0	ANTHONY MOUNTNEY	MS ROBYN FREEMAN
12	4x66x	CAPITAL BABE	-	8	55.0	KEITH DRYDEN & LIBBY SNOWDEN	JACK MARTIN

Race Analysis: There looks to be a good betting opportunity here with the Jarrod Austin debutant Ocean Empress. She sat on the speed in her latest heat at Warwick Farm and ran away to win convincingly under a strong hold. There looked to be more under the hood and that's an ominous sign for her opponents. What makes her more attractive here, is that she beat Mashean in that latest heat with the Archibald filly being urged along in the straight. Everything sets up beautifully for Ocean Empress and she can make a statement on debut. All Exceed was heavily bet on debut at Albury but went amiss and has been off the scene for a year. Comes from a good family that the Olive camp have plenty to do with. May not be his race here but watch and learn for future events.

Race 5 — KENNARDS HIRE PLATE

4:24pm ★ — DISTANCE: 1300m — PRIZEMONEY: $22,000.00

Tb	Frm	Horse Name	Assd	BP	Wt	Trainer	Jockey
1	68x6	EASY TIME	-	5	59.0	GRATZ VELLA	CORIAH KEATINGS
2	80x79	ROMANTIC TOM	-	9	59.0	DARRYL ROLFE	RICHARD BENSLEY
3	3x	SOLAR ORBIT	-	3	59.0	MARY BRAY	PIERRE BOUDVILLAIN
4	4886x	THAT'S OUTSTANDING	-	6	59.0	GARY PORTELLI	ADAM FARRAGHER
5	7x9	ALAMAGAN	-	4	57.5	JOSEPH IBLE	JACK MARTIN
6	5x0	NIGHTSPHERE	–	13	57.5	CIARON MAHER	WILL PRICE
7		ONOMA	$4.5	8	57.5	ANNABEL & ROB ARCHIBALD	MOLLIE FITZGERALD
8	746x3	SIR TUA	$6	1	57.5	RICHARD & WILL FREEDMAN	SHAUN GUYMER
9	36	SKIBIDI	-	2	57.5	GRATZ VELLA	JEFF PENZA
10		STAR OF MEDICI	–	6	57.5	LUKE PEPPER	
11		VEGA SICILIA	–	15	57.5	RICHARD & WILL FREEDMAN	
12	55222	CAMILLA	$4	7	57.0	PETER SNOWDEN	DONOVAN DILLON
13	x6l33	LOVEHUNTER	$7.5	11	57.0	LUKE PEPPER	NICK HEYWOOD
14	43734	LETHAL LOVE	–	7	55.5	RICHARD & WILL FREEDMAN	BROCK RYAN
15	0x	WHACK ATTACK	-	10	57.5	GAI WATERHOUSE & ADRIAN BOTT	LOUIS-PHILIPPE BEUZELIN

Race Analysis: This is another race I'm happy to dodge with a few improving/progressive 3YO's who you can make a case for. Watch, learn and go wide in the quaddie if you're playing.

Race 6 — TAB FEDERAL

Race 6			TAB FEDERAL ★★				DISTANCE: 1200m	
5:04pm							PRIZEMONEY: $30,000.00	

Tb	Frm	Horse Name	Assd	BP	Wt	Trainer	Jockey
1	4217x	LOOSE LOVE	–	2	61.0	TODD SMART	CLAIRE RAMSBOTHAM (A1.5)
2	222x8	BLOW IN	$7.5	5	60.0	ROB POTTER	NICK HEYWOOD
3	6x771	KATTEGAT	-	8	58.5	NATALIE JARVIS	TEAGHAN MARTIN (A1.5)
4	x2747	CHAMPIONS LEAGUE	-	4	57.5	ANDREW BOURKE	MOLLIE FITZGERALD
5	77292	STARLIGHT GIRL	-	1	57.5	MATTHEW KELLEY	JEFF PENZA
6	670x5	IMASUPERSTAR	$5	2	57.0	ROB POTTER	BROCK RYAN
7	0x301	LAMBAY	–	5	56.5	B JOSEPH & P & M JONES	AMY MCLUCAS
8	x0x10	URAFIKI	$4	10	56.0	DANIELLE SEIB	SHAUN GUYMER
9	734x5	KEIKOKU	$6	3	55.0	LUKE PEPPER	JACK MARTIN
10	14606	KING TAURUS	$5.5	6	55.0	DANNY WILLIAMS	DALE COLE (A3.0)
11	467x4	ONYA LIONAL	-	9	55.0	GRATZ VELLA	CORIAH KEATINGS
12	35x37	HIS HONOUR	-	7	55.0	GEOFFREY CROTHERS	PIERRE BOUDVILLAIN

Race Analysis: Looks an open Federal with a couple of different angles. King Taurus comes up the early favourite, though I'm happy to take him on with 1200m being a little query. While he's raced in metropolitan grade his past few, he's had his chances in Country grade and jumped a $4.40 chance in a BM74 at Wagga four back with Boudvillain on board. Carries no weight with the apprentice hoop riding today, but there's enough knocks to think he'll drift. Urafiki had support first-up at Moruya and bolted in, clocking good splits in the process over 1300m. Outclassed in the Barn Dance las start, but he's been freshened and comes back to a suitable level today. He'll get back from the draw, but if he can reel off the splits we saw first-up then he'll take plenty of beating. Imasuperstar wasn't far off King Taurus at Wagga and hasn't been sighted since. He comes into this second-up with a favourable alley and with the upside to improve. Another who looks an improver with Keikoku who was the eye-catcher in the Single Gaze here on Community Chest Day. The splits back up what the eye saw there and this shapes as a good opportunity to put his best foot forward.

Race 7 — HEFFERNAN LENDING SOLUTIONS HANDICAP

Race 7			HEFFERNAN LENDING SOLUTIONS HANDICAP ★★★				DISTANCE: 1400m	
5:44pm							PRIZEMONEY: $22,000.00	

Tb	Frm	Horse Name	Assd	BP	Wt	Trainer	Jockey
1	96x9x	ANGEL DOWN	-	5	62.5	KEITH DRYDEN & LIBBY SNOWDEN	JESSICA BROOKES (A2.0)
2	1x391	CASHBOOK	$4.5	7	61.0	TODD SMART	DALE COLE (A3.0)
3	0x121	STORMBRINGER	–	1	60.0	MATTHEW DALE	
4	63315	TELLING	$3	8	60.0	PETER SNOWDEN	DONOVAN DILLON
5	7287x	TWIN TURBO	–	2	60.0	EDWARD O'ROURKE	
6	4x489	HELL'S ITCH	-	1	59.0	JOHN P THOMPSON	BROCK RYAN
7	02x46	COSSACK WARRIOR	-	4	58.0	LUKE PEPPER	NICK HEYWOOD
8	42342	SUPAIRO	-	6	58.0	ANNABEL & ROB ARCHIBALD	MOLLIE FITZGERALD
9	6400x	SWIFT GUN	–	8	58.0	DANIELLE SEIB	CLAIRE RAMSBOTHAM (A1.5)
10	17x26	TOKYO STAR	$5.5	2	58.0	FABIO MARTINO	LOUIS-PHILIPPE BEUZELIN
11	33x81	TULIPWOOD	–	13	57.0	ANNABEL & ROB ARCHIBALD	
12	46x34	AHELLBENDA	–	5	56.0	RICHARD LITT	ADAM FARRAGHER
13	0x212	RILEYCAT	–	11	56.0	PAT MURPHY	
14	58x80	EGYPTIAN'S REWARD	–	2	55.5	JOSEPH IBLE	
15	29597	NIGHTS INFERNO	-	9	57.0	THERESA BATEUP	AMY MCLUCAS
16	42514	THE EYES HAVE IT	$10	3	55.0	LUKE PEPPER	PIERRE BOUDVILLAIN

Race Analysis: The scratchings here have played into the hands of Telling who lines up here on the back of a solid effort at Gosford when back to 1200m. He's showing good early speed in his races and that holds him in good stead from out wide, with some speed drawn inside that he'll be able to follow across. Getting out to 1400m now looks ideal, jumping a $1.30 chance two back at Orange when winning a CL1 comfortably. Think he can sit handy from the draw and run to a new peak RAS Rating. Cashbook got the job done well at Gundagai in a CL1 and is another stepping out to 1400m. Some niggle with the apprentice hopping on board, though he can roll forward from out wide and be in this for a long way. Still has plenty of upside to come and he's not to be taken lightly. Tokyo Star finished off well at Kembla last start and has some claims coming back to Country level.