

## MELBOURNE

**4. THE TERRICKS** (R D Griffiths) 4g By Kaphero - Wiora Terricks (23:2-4-3): Came from well off them 2-3/4 len 2nd (60.5) Got You Double 1630m F'ton (Bm64) Good(4) trk June 10. Just held ground final stages 7 len 6th (57.5) Try Four 1700m Warrambrook (Metro) (Bm70) Heavy(10) trk July 12. Just battled in the heavy last start and may need firm track to find best form.

**5. LANNISTER** (R D Griffiths) 4g By Reaan - Taleer (30:4-3-5): Kept coming from the corner 4-3/4 len, lg nk 3rd (53.5) Word Of Mouth, Doctor Care 2040m M Valley (Bm78) Soft(5) trk June 20. Just lost momentum when held-up from the turn 1/2 len, 2 len 3rd (55.5) Abbasso, Pompeius 1734m Sale Final (Bm78) Soft(7) trk July 9. Should have finished touch closer last start and like him up to this distance.

**6. POMPEIUS** (F Stockdale) 4g By Magnus - Caesars (18:1-3-2): Got going final stages 2 len 4th (57.0) Ankara 1600m Cranbourne (Bm64) Soft(6) trk June 21. Stayed tough after finding lead late 1/2 len 2nd (54.0) Abbasso 1734m Sale Final (Bm78) Soft(7) trk July 9. He has been racing in consistent fashion and cannot leave out of chances.

**7. TRE DIECI** (Byron Cozamanis) 4g By Rakiti (GB) - Valentine's Gift (21:2-2-3): Led them up to the corner before tiring 1-1/2 len 4th (58.5) Botany Bay 1380m Racing.Com Park Syn (Bm64) Synthetic trk June 19. Proved too strong in straight 2 len win (58.5) Stynes, Reann's Diamond 1500m Bendigo (Bm64) Good(4) trk July 8. Good strong win at Bendigo last start and deserves chance this class.

**8. RAQUEL** (P G Moody) 3g By Dubleo (US) - Curlew Queen (7:3-1-0): Never got clear run at them and should have finished closer 2-1/2 len 9th (57.0) Dodging Bullets 1610m F'ton 3yo Hcp Good(4) trk June 27. Took over before turn and stayed strong 1/2 len win (57.0) Heavy, Winchester Club 2000m C'field 3yo Hcp Good(4) trk July 4. Winner this track and distance last start and sure to make this a staying test.

**9. LORDFONTEIN-SCRATCHED**

**10. POSH ROCK** (A W Noonan) 4m By Fastnet Rock - Harrow (12:1-2-1): Came from long way off them nk, lg nk 3rd (54.0) Megamind, Giddyup Kirky 1580m Racing.Com Park Syn (Bm70) Synthetic trk June 25. Just did not finish off well enough 5-1/2 len 5th (58.0) The Cotch 1900m Geelong Synthetic (58) Synthetic trk July 7. First try at this trip and prefer to watch in this class.

**11. ZA ZA ZOOM** (A W Noonan) 4m By Strategic - Princess Regina (NZ) (9:2-0-0): Did not finish off 2-1/4 len 7th (58.0) Vincent's Thirst 1380m Racing.Com Park Syn (Bm64) Synthetic trk July 5. Always well off them 7-3/4 len 5th (56.5) Magnatune 1600m M Valley (Bm64) Heavy(8) trk July 15. First try at this trip and hard to see her winning this.

**12. MANAGERESS** (C & C Alderson) 3f By Magnus - Who's In Charge (NZ) (8:2-1-1): Made good late ground 3/4 len, nose 3rd (54.0) Dodging Bullets, Azeema 1610m F'ton 3yo Hcp Good(4) trk June 27. Impressive last 200m 3/4 len win (55.5) Kansas Sunflower, Penny To Sell 1600m F'ton Rivette Final Good(4) trk July 11. She has been racing as though this distance will suit and looks well placed in this field.

**13. HONEY BUNCH** (C W McDonald) 3f By Not A Single Doubt - Ocran (16:2-1-0): Led them for long way and stayed touch in straight 1-1/4 len win (56.5) Danza Kuduro, Titanica 1620m Donald 2yo+ Mdn Soft(5) trk July 4. All the way up front 1-3/4 len win (58.0) Always Lucky, Denpasar 1600m Echuca (58) Soft(6) trk July 13. Expect she will lead and if they leave her alone she will take running down.

### 9 Open 4.25 1800m

**1. GOOD VALUE** (M C Kent) 8g By Face Value - Jeune's Heart (24:6-7-2): Just battled in conditions 4-1/2 len 7th (57.0) Beauty's Beast 1500m R'hill Hcp Heavy(8) trk June 27. Held ground and not beaten for 4 len 4th (57.5) Amovatio 1600m F'ton Winter C'ship Good(4) trk July 11. Only needs to hold Flemington form to be in finish.

**2. DIAMETRIC** (C J Waller) 6g By Dansili (GB) - Silver Rain (FR) (17:4-2-2): Faded badly 3/7-3/4 len last (56.0) Permit 2400m R'hill N E Manion Cup Good(3) trk Mar 21. Only held position 5-1/4 len 11th (54.0) Haussmann 1350m R'hill Civic Stakes Heavy(8) trk July 4. Will strip fitter second-up and expect improved effort.

**3. EXIMIUS** (M G Price) 5g By Exceed And Excel - Allegra (31:5-4-2): Blocked for run in straight and should have finished closer 2-3/4 len 8th (57.5) Smackdown 1200m Swan Hill Golden Topaz Soft(6) trk June 5. Never got into race 11-1/2 len (54.0) Charmed Harmony 1400m C'field Open Hcp Good(4) trk July 4. Third-up but needs to improve.

**4. LORD DURANTE** (Ms S Ferchie) 6g By Lord Jim (AR) - Kalahanna (43:8-8-4): Finished too well for them 3/4 len win (55.5) Seccasio, Commanding Time 2000m C'field Open Hcp Soft(5) trk July 4. Just got too far back before making late ground 4-1/2 len 8th (60.0) Falago 2000m F'ton Ctry Cup Final Good(4) trk July 11. Form okay for this but barrier is a concern.

**5. COMMANDING TIME** (D J McCarthy) 7g By Commands - Miss Zambezi (44:9-7-6): Battled race out from turn 2-1/2 len 6th (55.0) Ava's Delight 2040m M Valley Open Hcp Soft(5) trk June 20. Slipped away before being run down late 3/4 len, sht hd 3rd (52.5) Lord Durante, Seccasio 2000m C'field Open Hcp Soft(5) trk July 4. Will go forward from wide gate and takes running down if left alone.

**6. ONPICALO** (M G Price) 5g By Hussonnet (US) - Olympic Halo (24:6-2-5): Did not finish race off well enough 6-1/2 len 4th (52.5) Alcohol 1600m M Valley Open Hcp Soft(5) trk June 20. Only battled in run home 4-1/2 len 7th (57.0) Falago 2000m F'ton Ctry Cup Final Good(4) trk July 11. Has solid record on home track and would not leave out of multiples.

**7. MISS ROSE DE LAGO** (D T O'Brien) 4m By Encosta De Lago - Crimson Dawn (GB) (20:5-4-2): Stayed strong final stages 3/4 len 2nd (58.0) Jessy Belle 1400m F'ton M Hcp Good(4) trk June 27. Only held ground from corner 4-1/4 len 9th (59.5) Jessy Belle 1400m F'ton Leilani Final Good(4) trk July 11. Touch one paced at Flemington. Like her stepping up to this distance.

**8. FALAGO** (D K Weir) 4g By Fastnet Rock - De Lago Lass (14:3-6-1): Should have finished closer when held-up final stages 1-3/4 len 5th (52.0) Ava's Delight 2040m M Valley Open Hcp Soft(5) trk June 20. Finished too well and won with something in hand 2 len win (54.0) Clairvaux, Seattleite 2000m F'ton Ctry Cup Final Good(4) trk July 11. Impressive last start and no reason he will not go on with it here.

**9. MISS MOSSMAN** (J G Sargent) 4m By Mossman - Dane Promise (31:4-3-2): Well held 8-1/4 len 6th (56.0) Joey Jonz 1600m Ellerslie (Bm85) Heavy(10) trk May 30. Only battled 3-1/2 len 5th (53.0) Intransigent 2100m Tauranga Open Hcp Heavy(10) trk June 20. In astute stable coming from NZ. Recent form only average but has Group 3 placing to his name. Must respect.

**10. LIGHTNEUFF** (K M Keys) 7g By Lago Delight - Hotnuff (55:8-7-7): Did nothing 14 len last (52.5) Alcohol 1600m M Valley Open Hcp Soft(5) trk June 20. Run down after leading 3-1/2 len 8th (53.0) Bagman 2000m F'ton Open Hcp Soft(5) trk July 18. Expect he will go forward here but needs best to fight these off in straight.

**11. GINGERBOY** (D K Weir) 5g By Elvstroem - Tingirana (NZ) (27:5-4-6): Only battled when always wide 7 len 9th (59.0) Tankster 1400m Sale (Metro) (Bm78) Soft(7) trk June 24. Wanted to lay in final stages and difficult to ride 3/4 len, 1-3/4 len 3rd (57.5) Brimming, Most Husbands 1700m Gawler (Metro) (Bm82) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Solid 1-1/2 len win Slowpoke Rodriguez, Suspended Gem 2800m Cranbourne Training barrier trial (Hrdl) Heavy(10) trk July 17. Drawn to get all the favours and must respect in this field.

## CAULFIELD FORM

**12. STRATIGRAPHY** (D J Williams) 6g By Stratum - Diamond Masque (NZ) (41:7-6-4): Chased home final stages 7-3/4 len 4th (52.0) Charmed Harmony 1400m C'field Open Hcp Good(4) trk July 4. Was well held 8 len 8th (55.0) Abbasso 1600m F'ton (Bm90) Soft(5) trk July 18. Hard to see him improving enough to worry these.

**13. HOT POWER** (Ms U Clarke) 7g By Kempinsky - Something Hot (47:7-8-8): Always out back 7-3/4 len 10th (58.5) Tankster 1400m Sale (Metro) (Bm78) Soft(7) trk June 24. Never a factor 9-3/4 len 11th (58.5) Abbasso 1734m Sale Final (Bm78) Soft(7) trk July 9. Third-up from spell but hard to recommend in this field.

**14. HANNAFORD** (R E Laing) 5g By Trotamondo (CH) - Best Offer (29:4-4-2): Only battled back to inside from turn 3-3/4 len 5th (61.5) Divine Denona 1600m Moe (Bm64) Soft(6) trk June 28. Well held 9-3/4 len 10th (55.0) Abbasso 1734m Sale Final (Bm78) Soft(7) trk July 9. Well held 4th Coolindini 2400m Cranbourne Training barrier trial (Hrdl) Heavy(10) trk July 17. Had recent hurdle trial but hard to see him winning.

**15. NISOS** (Paul Rocke) 5g By Excellent Art (GB) - Osprey (31:2-4-2): Never a factor 10-3/4 len 11th (60.0) Sabkhat 1800m M'ville (72) Good(3) trk Feb 28. Got long way back and only held ground 3-1/2 len 4th (54.5) Chariot Of Gold 1400m Sunshine Coast (Bm80) Soft(6) trk July 12. Better up to this trip and should get nice run in transit. One for the mult's.

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**3. EIGELSTEIN** (C J Waller) 7g By Dubawi (IR) - Estefania (GE) (37:6-6-5): Given time to balance up and worked home steadily without threatening 2-3/4 len 4th (55.5) Beauty's Beast 1500m R'hill Hcp Heavy(8) trk June 27. Settled handly in the small field abd battled away 2 len, nk 3rd (56.5) Kenjorwood, Pajaro 1600m R'wick Hcp Heavy(9) trk July 11. Finds it hard to win but has been around the mark in recent outings and may lift here under the urging of Nash Rawiler.

**4. REIGNING** (C J Waller) 6g By Choisir - Merayaat (36:6-1-8): Strode along midfield and went through his gears nicely in the straight to finish 3/4 len, nk 3rd (57.0) Sir Mako, Beyond Thankful 1900m R'hill (Bm95) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Positioned worse than midfield on the fence and chased gamely back towards the inside in the run home 1-1/4 len 4th (54.5) Bonfire 2350m Grafton Grafton Cup Firm(2) trk July 9. Tough campaigner who is racing as well as ever. Relishes wet ground and his last start fourth placing in the Grafton Cup reads well for this.

**5. SIR MAKO** (C J Waller) 7g By Ustinov - Knauss (15:5-1-2): Drifted back and was working into the race well but struck trouble over the final furlong 2-1/2 len 5th (56.5) Maurus 1900m R'hill (Bm84) Heavy(8) trk June 27. Drifted back and let go with a powerful finish to record 3/4 len win (54.0) Beyond Thankful, Reigning 1900m R'hill (Bm95) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Former Kiwi who has won two of his three starts since coming to Australia. Too strong in a similar event to this at Rosehill three weeks ago. Up 2.5kg now but should make his presence felt again.

**6. PLUTORIUS** (Kevin Moses) 6g By Holy Roman Emperor (IR) - Almasaeh (IR) (35:8-3-1): Drifted back in the small field first-up and never figured 9 len 5th (55.5) God's In Him 1400m R'wick (Bm85) Heavy(10) trk June 20. Never threatened again 10-1/4 len 10th (56.0) Hollywood Bound 1500m R'hill (Bm84) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Gets out to a more suitable trip now but prefer to wait until he shows some improvement.

**4. KENCELLA** (Joseph Pride) 5g By Exceed And Excel - Kentiara (15:6-1-1): No abnormalities were found after taking up the running and weakening 4 len 5th (58.0) Just A Girl 1100m R'hill (Bm90) Good(4) trk Feb 21. Sent forward and struggled home again 9-1/4 len last (54.0) Target In Sight 1100m R'hill M. McCarten Soft(5) trk Mar 14. Far too speedy in 7-1/4 len win Lord Leofric, Happy Friday 740m W Farm barrier trial Synthetic trk July 10. First-up. Having first start for Joe Pride. Always seems to trail well but has struggled under race day pressure of late. This isn't an easy first-up assignment. Would need a strong market push.

**5. BROOK ROAD** (K A Lees) 4m By God's Own - Cool Gal (13:5-2-2): Strode along midfield and picked up rivals comfortably halfway down the straight 1-1/2 len win (58.5) Wonderbolt, Kristy Lee 1100m R'hill (Bm85) Soft(6) trk June 13. Eased back from the outside gate but only managed to pass a few 4-1/2 len 7th (56.0) Shiraz 1100m R'hill (Bm95) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Returned with an excellent win over this track/distance then disappointed three weeks ago but could blame the heavy track. Can see her bouncing back if she gets firmer footing.

**6. STRATURBO** (G Portelli) 5g By Stratum - Week-end Gossip (30:6-8-0): Returned with encouraging 3-3/4 len 4th (58.0) Brook Road 1100m R'hill (Bm85) Soft(6) trk June 13. Had every chance in the run but couldn't let down in the heavy ground 9-3/4 len 10th (53.5) Shiraz 1100m R'hill (Bm95) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Didn't handle the wet conditions here last time. His first-run was solid. Going well but may find this a bit tough.

**7. JUDICIAL ROCK** (L & T Corstens) 4m By Fastnet Rock - Judged (22:2-5-0): Worked forward from a wide gate and gave her all in the run home 1-1/4 len 5th (54.0) Flash Of Doubt 1200m M Valley M Hcp Soft(6) trk June 6. Went hard in front and compounded 12-3/4 len last (51.0) Jessy Belle 1400m F'ton M Hcp Good(4) trk June 27. Battled away bravely at Moonee Valley two starts back after doing some work to settle handy. She is obviously much better than what she showed last start but this is a tough ask.

**5. AEROBAR** (G A Ryan) 3f By Flying Spur - Flavoured (13:2-0-4): Took up the running and battled away solidly 2 len, 1/2 nk 3rd (56.0) Queen Of Kariba, Dupe'em 1200m R'hill 3yo (Bm78) Heavy(8) trk June 27. Looked to have been in 8-1/4 len 8th (54.0) Satirical Lass 1200m D'ben F&M Plate C6 Good(4) trk July 11. Couldn't find an excuse for her last time in Brisbane. Prior run behind Queen Of Kariba and Dupe'em suggests she is up to this.

**6. CONARCHE** (C E Connors) 3g By Time Thief - Quadrumer (16:4-0-2): Cruised home in very heavy ground at Warwick Farm then settled handy and stuck on len, 1-1/4 len 3rd (57.0) Forget, Keepit To Yourself 1400m W Farm (Bm75) Heavy(9) trk July 1. Vet found no abnormalities after lackluster 2-3/4 len 8th (58.0) Braces 1600m Grafton Gneas (Bm75) Good(3) trk July 8. Disappointed in the Grafton Gneas last time but may have just found the mile beyond him. Drops back to 1250m now and handles the sting out of the ground. Could bounce back.

**7. REIGNING METEOR** (M J Williams) 3g By Northern Meteor - Sheeznodoubt (13:4-2-0): Passed a couple from the back 3 len 8th (57.0) Rough Justice 1100m F'ton 3yo Hcp Good(4) trk June 27. Balanced up in the second half of the field and made up good ground 1-1/4 len 2nd (53.5) Way We Go 1100m R'wick 3yo (Bm75) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Obviously appreciated the heavy conditions at Randwick a fortnight ago. Prior form in Melbourne wasn't flash on firm surfaces. Conditions appear vital to his chances.

**8. BURNT BRIDGES** (K A Lees) 3g By Mossman - Mill Bridge (5:2-1-0): Narrowly beaten first-up at Scone (Metro) then picked up ground from a long way back 3-3/4 len 6th (57.5) Thud 1100m C'bury 3yo (Bm67) Soft(7) trk June 10. Positioned midfield and produced an impressive turn of speed when clear for len win (55.5) Thud, Fireball 1200m C'bury (Bm70) Soft(7) trk July 8. Brilliant win on this track last time. Obviously more depth here and has drawn awkwardly but looks progressive and could measure up.

**9. ROARING TO WIN** (P & P Snowden) 3g By Northern Meteor - Exciting To Win (7:2-1-2): Came from the tail to finish 1-3/4 len, len 3rd (59.5) Better Not Blue, Thud 1250m C'bury 3yo (Bm67) Heavy(8) trk June 24. Got back again and ran into plenty of trouble in the straight 4-3/4 len 7th (55.5) Way We Go 1100m R'wick 3yo (Bm75) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Didn't have much go his way at Randwick last time. Prior form around Better Not Blue and Thud stacks up well for this. Keep safe from the inside gate.

**10. DUPE'EM** (C J Waller) 3g By Duporth - Snow Queen (15:2-2-2): Tracked the speed and let down well but couldn't go with winner late 2 len 2nd (54.0) Queen Of Kariba 1200m R'hill 3yo (Bm78) Heavy(8) trk June 27. Lobbed along out the back and worked home well towards the inside 2-3/4 len 5th (55.5) Way We Go 1100m R'wick 3yo (Bm75) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Chased home Queen Of Kariba two starts back then worked home well last time when in the worst part of the track. Ready to win but will need luck here from a wide alley.

### 6 3yo & up Benchmark 85.2.50 1250m

**1. COOLING** (Bjorn Baker) 4g By Sebring - Cool-room Candidate (19:5-5-0): Travelled wide midfield first-up and closed in gamely 2-1/4 len 5th (60.0) Two Blue 1200m R'hill (Bm85) Heavy(8) trk June 27. No abnormalities were found after he settled handy and dropped out 5-3/4 len 7th (60.0) Idance 1300m R'wick (Bm85) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Turned in an encouraging first-up run at Rosehill then most disappointing at Randwick but could blame the very heavy conditions. Should get firmer footing here and can see him being much more competitive.

**2. BOSS LANE** (R J Quinton) 4g By Dubawi (IR) - Lyrical vowels (19:4-0-1): Took up a handy position and boxed on 3 len 4th (56.5) Dublin Lass 1200m R'wick (Bm85) Soft(6) trk April 18. Stalked the speed and held ground to the line 2-1/2 len 4th (57.0) Beyond Thankful 1400m R'wick (Bm89) Heavy(10) trk May 23. Primed for this with lg hd win Master Agar, Latin Salsa 1050m R'wick barrier trial Heavy(10) trk July 20. Let-up. Form prior to let-up was better than it appears on paper. Looked good in a recent trial. Can give this a shake.

**3. FINE BUBBLES** (K A Lees) 5m By Casino Prince - Pekalan (32:5-8-3): Appeared to have her chance in 3-3/4 len 7th (54.0) Divertite 1400m Scone (Metro) Dark Jewel Good(3) trk May 16. Returned with lacerations after being galloped on during 4 len 5th (55.5) Magic Hurricane 1400m R'wick (Bm94) Soft(7) trk June 6. Kept up to the mark with len 2nd Oxford Heat 900m Newcastle barrier trial Soft(5) trk July 15. Let-up. Forgave her latest outing when galloped on. Wasn't disgraced in stakes races prior. Looks well placed back in this company.

**4. KRISTY LEE** (C J Waller) 5m By Encosta De Lago - Shania Dane (42:6-6-9): Placed first-up at Rosehill then chaged home from the second half of the field to just miss lg nk 2nd (58.0) Two Blue 1200m R'hill (Bm85) Heavy(8) trk June 27. Lobbed along out the back and made up good ground in on speed dominated event 1/2 len, 2-3/4 len 3rd (59.0) Idance, Lunar Rise 1300m R'wick (Bm85) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Well bred mare whose three runs this time in have been full of merit. Ready to peak now, drawn well and has a good record on this track. Will take a power of beating.

**5. BREAKFAST IN BED** (J G Sargent) 5m By Hussonnet (US) - Bella Sunday (29:7-3-6): Made up good ground from the tail 1-3/4 len 4th (54.0) Shiraz 1100m R'hill (Bm95) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Controlled the race from the front and was nursed early in the straight but felt the pinch over the final 100m nk, 2 len 3rd (60.0) Berry Delicious, Sense And Reason 1350m R'hill F&M (Bm85) Heavy(9) trk July 18. Backs-up following a solid performance at Rosehill last Saturday. There appears to be more depth here but is racing consistently. Doubt she will be far away.

**6. FORGET** (Ms K Waugh) 5g By Exceed And Excel - Mnemosyne (31:7-2-4): Powered home back towards the inside from worse than midfield for comfortable len win (58.5) Keepit To Yourself, Conarchie 1400m W Farm (Bm75) Heavy(9) trk July 1. Strode along midfield and swept over the top of his rivals like home well towards the inside 2-3/4 len 5th (55.5) Way We Go 1100m R'wick 3yo (Bm75) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Chased home Queen Of Kariba two starts back then worked home well last time when in the worst part of the track. Ready to win but will need luck here from a wide alley.

**11. I AM IMPRESSED** (R J Quinton) 3g By I Am Invincible - Impressions (7:1-0-2): Tracked the speed and chased gamely lg hd, 1-1/4 len 3rd (56.0) Good Project, Invinzabede 1600m R'wick 3yo (Bm72) Firm(2) trk Jan 17. Drifted back on return and only managed to pass a few 4-1/4 len 7th (57.0) Napayshini 1250m C'bury E&G (Bm70) Soft(7) trk June 10. Freshened. Didn't fire first-up but wasn't far away in similar events to this last campaign and only win came when second-up over this track/distance. Drawn perfectly and gets in on the limit. Could surprise.

**12. SLYDINI** (Joseph Pride) 3g By Magic Albert - Torini (7:2-0-2): Ridden a treat and got the job done 1/2 len win (57.0) The Bunsta, Radical Impact 1400m Hawkesbury (Bm65) Soft(7) trk July 2. Sat wide on the speed and stuck on gamely 2-1/4 len, 2-1/2 len 3rd (59.0) Make A Mark, Century Superior 1300m W Farm 3yo C&G (Bm65) Heavy(8) trk July 15. Re-recorded a professional win at Hawkesbury then rock solid at Warwick Farm last time when caught wide without cover throughout. Chance for the multiples.

**13. HAMMOND LANE** (Ms S Grills) 3g By Dream-scape - Mandra (6:3-1-2): Sat wide without cover just off the speed but still proved too strong 1/2 len 4th (58.5) Tanzen, Checkout Me Travla 1000m Quirindi C2 Good(4) trk June 30. Let down gamely from midfield under the big weight but found one a shade too strong 1/2 len 2nd (59.0) Hot Vinni 1000m Gunnedah C3 Good(4) trk July 10. Tamworth-trained gelding in good hands. Faces a big class rise now but is on the up and gets in on the limit. Tommy Berry booked. Could run into a place.

**14. CRAMANT** (P M Perry) 3g By Stratum - Sparkling Now (11:1-3-0): Always well back in 8-1/2 len 11th (55.0) Burnt Bridges 1200m C'bury (Bm70) Soft(7) trk July 8. Unwound a strong finish from the second half of the field for close-up 1/2 len 4th (54.0) El Sasso 1200m Wyong (Bm75) Soft(6) trk July 16. Most disappointing here two starts back when heavily backed. Much improved at Wyong last time but only has rough place claims here.

**11. FLUKES** (Cody Morgan) 5g By Racer's Edge - Dolphinarium (14:4-3-1): Worked home from the second half of the field 2-3/4 len 5th (54.0) Opera Blu 1000m Tamworth Open Hcp Soft(6) trk June 5. Came from last to score lg hd win (62.5) Ayham, Market Guru 1200m Quirindi E&G (Bm55) Good(4) trk June 30. Kept ticking over with 6-1/2 len win Worthy Rival, Smitty Bacall 900m Scone barrier trial Heavy(9) trk July 17. Hard to fault form this time in but expect this class to test.

### 8 3yo & up Benchmark 84.4.10 1550m

**7. 3yo & up F&M BM 84.3.30 1100m**

**1. MINIATURE** (J A O'Shea) 4m By Exceed And Excel - Rinky Dink (15:3-3-3): Positioned one out one back but couldn't finish off when presented in the straight 4-1/4 len 7th (56.0) Dublin Lass 1200m D'ben Bright Shadow Good(3) trk May 30. Ridden positively and stuck on well 1/2 len, 3/4 len 3rd (57.0) Hard To Hold, Fiftyshadesofgrey 1200m R'hill F&M (Bm85) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Didn't measure up in the Bright Shadow Hcp (LR) two starts back but returned to form in a similar event to this at Rosehill three weeks ago. Makes each way appeal.

**2. DEFINE** (G A Ryan) 4m By Lonhro - Fine Society (11:2-2-0): Finished off hard from the back 3/4 len 4th (56.0) Devonshire Duke 1500m R'hill (Bm85) Good(4) trk Feb 21. Drifted back worse than mid-field and couldn't make any impression 6-3/4 len 7th (54.0) Adorabell 1600m R'wick Aspiration Qlty Good(3) trk Mar 7. First-up. Hasn't trialled in public leading into this. Normally takes a run and expect her to find them too sharp over 1100m.

**3. MISS TENPINS** (Bjorn Baker) 4m By Pins - Flirting (NZ) (23:6-4-4): Tipped out on winning note with all-the-way 1-3/4 len win (57.0) Copy, Oxford Heart 1250m C'bury F&M (Bm74) Good(3) trk Feb 11. Caught wide on the speed first-up but still proved too strong at the business end 3/4 len win (57.5) Tennessee Hussey, I Am Zelady 1200m C'bury F&M (Bm75) Soft(7) trk July 8. Big win here first-up. Has mixed her form second-up but loves racing here and will get every chance from the inside gate. Stick with her.

**4. HARD TO HOLD** (Bjorn Baker) 4m By Elusive City (US) - Vanny Fair (NZ) (16:5-1-2): Passed a couple on return 3 len 7th (57.5) Momma's Snitzel 1100m R'hill F&M (Bm70) Soft(5) trk June 8. Ridden for speed and found plenty under pressure in the run home to hold on 1/2 len win (54.0) Fiftyshadesofgrey, Miniature 1200m R'hill F&M (Bm85) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Dug deep to score an upset win at Rosehill three weeks ago. Meets a similar field here and has drawn to receive her chance. Don't underestimate.

**5. VALID CONTRACT** (K A Lees) 5m By Magnus - Prenuptial (NZ) (30:5-6-3): Did enough in atrocious conditions first-up 7-1/2 len 5th (58.0) Fireball 1100m Wyong (Bm75) Heavy(10) trk June 25. Stalked the speed and gave her all to the line nk 2nd (58.0) El Sasso 1200m Wyong (Bm75) Soft(6) trk July 16. Faced very tough conditions first-up and her performance was solid then knuckled down well to just miss last time. Could add value into the exotics.

**6. AWASITA** (K A Lees) 4m By Commands - Aemilee (16:4-2-1): Spelled and changed hands after 10-1/4 len 11th (56.5) I Love It 1200m Hobart Bow Mistress Soft(5) trk Feb 6. Always well back on return 15-1/4 len 8th (56.0) Aroused 1000m R'wick (Bm75) Heavy(10) trk June 20. Freshened. Didn't go a yard in the heavy ground first-up. Not sure she can win this but should be more competitive if she gets firmer footing.

**7. ECHO LAG** (Ms G Waterhouse) 3f By Stratum - Pink Siris (12:3-2-1): Sent for a break after giving her all on the speed 2 len, 1/2 nk 3rd (55.0) Deiheros, Testashadow 1400m Gold Coast (Metro) M.M. 3yo Gneas Good(4) trk Jan 10. Showed early speed on return but condition gave out in the run home 3-3/4 len 4th (56.5) Queen Of Kariba 1200m R'hill 3yo (Bm78) Heavy(8) trk June 27. Did enough first-up and will take plenty of improvement from that outing. Drops 1.5kg into this and returns to her favourite track. Can see her running a big race.

**8. IL MIO DESTINO** (J G Litt) 4m By Nadeem - Floribunda (26:5-1-6): Put away after being outclassed in 7-1/4 len last (54.0) Catkins 1300m R'hill Millie Foe Good(4) trk Feb 21. Worked forward from the outside gate and fought on bravely 1-1/2 len, 3/4 len 3rd (51.5) Darcwood, Wonderbolt 1000m R'wick (Bm80) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Ran a cracking race at big odds first-up at Randwick. Drops back to her own sex now and gets in light again. Must be considered.

**9. JIMMY SAYS YES** (K A Lees) 4m By Excites - Sirca Dane (16:4-2-2): Spelled after bouncing up worse than midfield and running home strongly in restricted round 4-3/4 len 5th (54.0) Sure And Fast 1400m R'wick C'ship Final Heavy(8) trk April 11. Got a long way back and ran into trouble in the straight first-up 7-1/4 len 11th (54.5) Darcwood 1000m R'wick (Bm80) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Didn't have much go her way first-up at Randwick. Fitter for that run and is better suited here out to 1100m. Among the chances.

**10. JUDICIAL ROCK: SCRATCHED**

**1. HOLLYWOOD BOUND** (C J Waller) 5g By Royal Academy (US) - Sutton Ratu (42:7-10-7): Battled away midfield 7-1/2 len 6th (54.0) Pajaro 1600m R'wick (Bm90) Heavy(10) trk June 20. Eased out the back and powered home for dominant 2-1/2 len win (56.5) Great Esteem, Marenostru 1500m R'hill (Bm84) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Took out a similar event impressively at Rosehill last time. Up 2.5kg in weight now but looks hard to beat again if he can reproduce his latest performance.

**2. RESURRECT** (Scott Aspery) 5g By God's Own - Carnival Lass (17:6-2-2): Chased steadily for 1-3/4 len 4th (59.0) Beyond Thankful 2000m R'wick (Bm80) Soft(6) trk Dec 13. Sent to the paddock after positioning midfield and whacking away 2 len 8th (58.5) Phrases 1900m R'hill Plate Good(3) trk Dec 20. Primed for return with 1-3/4 len win Canny Ballad, Heza Cloow 175m W Farm barrier trial Synthetic trk July 10. First-up. Has won when fresh and his two runs on this track have been full of merit. Rough place chance from the inside gate.

**3. GREAT ESTEEM** (P & P Snowden) 4g By Redeute's Choice - Park Esteem (IR) (21:5-2-3): Vet found no abnormalities after 5-1/2 len 7th (55.0) Vergara 1500m R'hill (Bm85) Soft(7) trk May 30. Box-seated and chased right to the line 2-1/2 len 2nd (57.0) Hollywood Bound 1500m R'hill (Bm84) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Bounced back to last time after disappointing in late May. Wasn't disgraced in the Scone Cup three starts back. That looks a strong form reference for this.

**4. MARENOSTRU** (C J Waller) 4g By Duelled - Maybe Yes (13:6-1-1): Positioned midfield, struck trouble in the straight but picked himself up to finish 2-1/2 len, hd 3rd (55.5) Hollywood Bound, Great Esteem 1500m R'hill (Bm84) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Sat outside the speed and cleared out soon after straightening 1-1/4 len win (58.5) Richard The First, Scottish Border 1500m R'hill (Bm78) Heavy(9) trk July 18. Highly promising gelding from top stable. This looks a nice progression for him. The one to beat again.

**5. FOREIGN PRINCE** (David Payne) 4g By High Chaparral (IR) - Julinsky Princess (NZ) (18:4-3-1): Box-seated on return and gave his all to the line for close-up lg nk, sht nk 3rd (53.5) Two Blue, Kristy Lee 1200m R'hill (Bm85) Heavy(8) trk June 27. No excuses in 3-1/2 len 4th (54.0) Idance 1300m R'wick (Bm85) Heavy(9) trk July 11. Raced a touch flat last time but he will be ready to peak now. Don't drop off.

**6. OFF THE RAILS** (Bjorn Baker) 4g By Snitzel - It's You (22:5-3-5): Positioned one out one back but couldn't come on 7-1/4 len 4th (57.5) God's In Him 1400m R'wick (Bm85) Heavy(10) trk June 20. Weakened after leading them up 3-1/4 len 5th (57.5) Hollywood Bound 1500m R'hill (Bm84) Heavy(8) trk July 4. Hasn't