



Otaki Races

at Otaki Thu 26 Dec 2024

Race 1 MCMILLAN EQUINE FEEDS MAIDEN**Starts 12:45**

Northeasterly (2)	Ran home well when resuming at Te Aroha. Extra distance ideal here.
Almalane (1)	Spelled after some good runs on the synthetic. Two trials. Each way hope.
Thrilling (13)	Was a close up fifth when making debut at Tauherenikau. Not the worst.

Qla 2,1 Tfa 2x1x13x3

Race 2 AR PAINTERS HANDICAP**Starts 13:20**

Utopian Wine (6)	Closeup when resuming at Woodville for third. Very easy winner Wellington.
The Prophet (5)	Impressive when scoring in first run over ground at Wellington. Can repeat.
Trav (1)	Tidy sixth Whanganui Cup. Battled in strong field Wellington. Major player.

Qla 6,5 Tfa 6x5x1x3

Race 3 RIVERSTONE CAFE THREE YEAR OLD MAIDEN**Starts 13:55**

Only The Lonely (2)	Has run three good placings. Back to a maiden here. Warrants respect.
Damiano (1)	Good fifth on debut. Fought well for second Tauherenikau. Can go one better.
Belle Tribute (3)	Disappointed on debut. Better when third at Taranaki. Each way hope.

Qla 2,1 Tfa 2x1x3x4

Race 4 VETS ON RIVERBANK MAIDEN**Starts 14:31**

Cut Loose (6)	Making debut and has had three trials for three wins. Major player.
Bannen (5)	Having first start and has had three trials for two wins & a placing.
Truce (3)	Fought well for third on debut here in June. Spelled. Has trialled. Include.

Qla 6,5 Tfa 6x5x3x1

Race 5 HARCOURTS OTAKI HANDICAP**Starts 15:06**

Ardroe (1)	Close up resuming for fourth. Caught wide Wellington. Back a rating band.
Borninastorm (6)	Trial winner who was an easy winner at Taranaki. Draw no help. Big hope.
Testing (9)	Easy winner on debut at Tauherenikau. Fair fifth Wellington. Consider.

Qla 1,6 Tfa 1x6x9x5

Race 6 NEW WORLD OTAKI HANDICAP**Starts 15:43**

Tavattack (3)	Had chance in two runs for fifth. Up in distance. Course & distance winner.
Times Ticking (1)	Top run at Riccarton for fifth. Back in distance & okay at Wellington. Rates
He's A Doozy (2)	Better when fourth Riccarton. Fought well for fifth at Wellington. Include.

Qla 3,1 Tfa 3x1x2x8

Race 7 CAVALLO FARM & CHRIS RUTTEN BLOODSTOCK HANDICAP**Starts 16:17**

Bedtime Story (6)	Has run two top races for second this time in. Can go one better in this.
Bridal Train (10)	Fair run when resuming here for fourth. Blinkers go on. Dont treat lightly.
The Scunner (3)	Impressed winning two in a row. Gave exhibition gallop here last week. Rates

Qla 6,10 Tfa 6x10x3x8

Race 8 THE TELE OTAKI HANDICAP**Starts 16:52**

Comedy (1)	Won well at Wellington. Game second at Whanganui. Forgive last run. Rates.
Danjuro (5)	Placed in all three runs this time in. Step up in distance suits. Include.
Our Milly Bee (7)	Ran home well for third at Rotorua. Okay when seventh at Waikato. Consider.

Qla 1,5 Tfa 1x5x7x2
