



SOHAR BEACH HANDICAP STAKES 0-75

RACE CONDITIONS For Purebred Arabians, 3yo+. 0-75 (also open to such horses rated 76 and 77; see Standard Conditions). 7f36y
 Race Sponsor: Royal Cavalry of Oman Total Race Value: £4,000. £2,061.60 to the winner, £966.80 to the second, £483.60 to the third, £241.60 to the fourth, £120.80 to the fifth, £60.40 to the sixth. Weights highest weight 10st Minimum weights: 8st Amateur Jockeys registered with the BHA or a recognised Racing Authority can claim as per regulation 54

No	Horse	Age	st	lb	Draw
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	1 AJS HAJAJ (QA) (24)	3	10	-2	(5)
	Ch c AF Albahar (AE) - Nouba Al Maury (FR) Owner: Mohammed bin Hamad Khalifa Al Attiyah Trainer: Mr Philip Collington Breeder: Al Jeryan Stud	Jockey: Josephine Gordon Colours: MAROON jacket WHITE stars, MAROON sleeves WHITE vertical stripes, MAROON cap.			
Form: 4 Extras: BL	Well-bred colt who was a length behind Al Mahbooba in a Lingfield maiden over 1m2f. Sure to improve and blinkers a likely plus, though worse off at the weights with that one on handicap debut. (R1 W0 P1) (OR 77)				


	2 STORM TROUPOUR (US) (35)	10	10	-2	(1)
	Ch h Nivour De Cardonne (FR) - E S Ornetta (US) Owner: Pharitz Arabians Trainer: Ms B Deutrom Breeder: Kathryn K or Paul J Smoke	Jockey: Sam Hitchcott Colours: WHITE, GREEN diamonds, WHITE sleeves RED triple diamonds, WHITE cap RED diamond			
Form: 55-000 Extras:	Group3PA winning sprinter who has been highly tried on Turf this season. Dropped to his lowest mark in five years and well suited to this trip and artificial surfaces, good chance on old form, but looks vulnerable to younger horses. (R41 W7 P10) (OR 77)				


	3 AL MAHBOOBA (FR) (24)	5	10	-0	(3)
	Ch m Madjani (FR) - Amaan (FR) Owner: Green Ridge Racing & EERC Trainer: Mr James Owen Breeder: SNC Shadwell France	Jockey: Ellie Mackenzie Colours: BLACK jacket, RED sleeves BLACK stars, RED cap BLACK star.			
Form: 40-343 Extras: CP	Still a maiden after 11 starts here and in France, though has been placed at this trip on very Soft ground in Toulouse last year. Races prominently and chance to do better now tried in a handicap. (R11 W0 P7) (OR 75)				


	4 BALQEES (FR) (30)	4	10	-0	(11)
	Ch f Madjani (FR) - Najlaa (FR) Owner: Gary Allsopp Trainer: Mr James Owen Breeder: SNC Shadwell France	Jockey: Mark Crehan Colours: WHITE jacket, WHITE cap BLACK checks, WHITE cap BLACK checks.			
Form: 2-5236 Extras: CP	Placed over this trip behind a smart filly on debut last year and has run well over a variety of distances this season, without winning. Makes debut for new stable in first-time cheekpieces. (R5 W0 P3) (OR 75)				


	5 ABQARRY (GB) (30)	5	9	-13	(4)
	Ch g Madjani (FR) - Ziva (FR) Owner: Shadwell Estate Company Limited Trainer: Mr James Owen Breeder: Shadwell Estate Company Ltd	Jockey: Darragh Keenan Colours: ROYAL BLUE, WHITE epaulettes, striped cap.			
Form: 615 Extras: CP	Beat Al-Tabari a nose on his handicap debut on good in July over 1m2f. That's a trip the family have a strong preference for and subsequently behind Al-Tabari over a mile at Chepstow latest. (R3 W1 P0) (OR 74)				


	6 JAAHEZ (FR) (30)	7	9	-13	(2)
	Ch g No Risk Al Maury (FR) - Ziva (FR) Owner: James Owen Racing Club Trainer: Mr James Owen Breeder: Shadwell France SNC	Jockey: Kieran O'Neill Colours: ROYAL BLUE jacket PINK sleeves ROYAL BLUE spots, PINK cap.			
Form: 2-0650 Extras: BL	Course winner off a pound lower mark in 2019 over 1m2f, but as a half-brother to Abqarry, has questions to answer trying this trip for the first time. (R16 W2 P7) (OR 74)				

	7 PARAMER ANGEL (GB) (30)	10	9	-12	(7)
	Gr g Parador (FR) - Angel Picamer (GB) Owner: Mrs D Thomas Trainer: Mrs D Thomas Breeder: Mrs Zelda Angel	Jockey: Charlie Price Colours: WHITE, GREEN cross belts, WHITE & RED halved sleeves, RED cap.			
Form: 50-00 Extras:	Close second in a similar contest on easy ground in 2018. Likely to be fitter for two outings after a year off and drop in grade a plus, but still needs to improve on what he's shown so far this season. (R11 W2 P4) (OR 73)				

	8 THAYER ATHBAH (GB) (63)	4	9	-9	(10)
	Ch g Mahabb (AE) - Keen Game (GB) Owner: Al Jaz Racing Trainer: Mr Philip Collington Breeder: Ambar Stud	Jockey: Cam Hardie Colours: BLACK, GREY sleeves, ROYAL BLUE diamonds, GREY cap, ROYAL BLUE diamond.			
Form: 500 Extras: VIS	Half-brother to a dual PA Group winning sprinter-miler. Has been green in all his starts in a variety of headgear, but chance to improve now gelded, and tried in a visor. (R3 W0 P0) (OR 70)				

	9 AL-TABARI (GB) (30)	5	9	-6	(6)
	Bay g Tabarak (GB) - Altesse Kossack (GB) Owner: Mrs Michelle Hammersley Trainer: Mr P J Hammersley Breeder: Mrs Julie Rose Kelway	Jockey: Howard Cheng Colours: YELLOW jacket with PURPLE hoop, YELLOW sleeves, YELLOW cap			
Form: 1-6423 Extras:	Honest gelding who is a dual winner here over further. Less than two lengths off the winner (subsequently PA Group placed) when dropped back to 1m, with several of these behind on latest. Sure to go close again. (R11 W2 P5) (OR 67)				

	10 SAHIS (FR) (7)	4	9	-6	(9)
	Bay g Al Tair (GB) - Amindala Princess (FR) Owner: The Goodwin Partnership Trainer: Mr James Owen Breeder: Haras du Grand Courgeon	Jockey: Royston Ffrench Colours: DARK BLUE with YELLOW inverted triangle, DARK BLUE with YELLOW diablo, YELLOW cap.			
Form: 4100 Extras:	Course and distance fourth, before winning over 1m2f on the Polytrack. Poor show behind Abqarry in July, then gelded, but outclassed in a Group 1PA last time. Could regain form, back on the AW at this level. (R4 W1 P1) (OR 67)				

	11 LABWAH (GB) (88)	4	9	-4	(13)
	Bay f Al Jakbar (FR) - Neige Al Maury (GB) Owner: Mr & Mrs A Connally Trainer: Mrs Susan Connally Breeder: Shadwell Estate Company Ltd	Jockey: Miss Kelly Bostock (7) Colours: BLACK, RED hoop, RED & GREY striped sleeves and RED cap.			
Form: 0 Extras:	Not disgraced against some highly rated horses in a competitive conditions event on easy ground over further on debut. Has changed stables, but conditions should suit on pedigree and open to improvement. (R1 W0 P0) (OR 65)				



12 ZAYIN ZYPERION (GB) (40)

6 9 - 4 (8)

Ch h No Risk Al Maury (FR) - CS Comete (GB)
Owner: Zayin Arabian Stud
Trainer: Mr P J Hammersley
Breeder: Mr P Simmons
Jockey: Joey Haynes
 Colours: BLACK with DARK GREEN stars, WHITE cap with BLACK star
 Form: 3-3311
 Extras:
 Not out of the frame this term and was a clear winner here over a furlong further on latest. Found out at this level earlier in his career, but stronger and more experienced now. (R10 W2 P5) (OR 65)



13 SERAFIM FORTA (GB) (30)

4 9 - 2 (12)

Ch c Sadeem (FR) - Serafina (FR)
Owner: James Owen Racing Club
Trainer: Mr James Owen
Breeder: Forta Stud
Jockey: Grace McEntee
 Colours: YELLOW jacket BLUE spots, YELLOW sleeves BLUE hoops, YELLOW cap BLUE diamond.
 Form: 1-5520
 Extras:
 Course winner and placed on Turf at around 1m2f and is yet to convince over shorter. Never a factor over mile behind some of these, but may find more off his light weight back on the Tapeta. (R8 W1 P2) (OR 63)

NUMBER OF DECLARED RUNNERS 13 (EXACTA)

Probable Starting Prices -
 4-1 Fav AL MAHBOOBA, 11-2 AL-TABARI, 6-1 BALQEES, 13-2 ZAYIN ZYPERION, 8-1 AJS HAJAJ, 10-1 ABQARRY, 12-1 STORM TROUPOUR, JAAHEZ, 14-1 THAYER ATHBAH, 16-1 PARAMER ANGEL, SERAFIM FORTA, SAHIS, 50-1 LABWAH

Race Summary
 Competitive race for the grade as the season draws to a close. Jaahez and Al Mahbooba have both raced prominently this term, but Al Mahbooba seems better suited to this trip and catches the eye on her handicap debut. She's had plenty of chances however and though at the weights AJS Hajaj is worse off with her today, he's sure to improve. Balqees in first-time cheekpieces for her new connections makes plenty of appeal, as does the hat-trick seeking Zayin Zyperion, but this trip maybe on the sharp side for them. The narrow pick is AL-TABARI who has shown up well in better company this year and is proven at the track.



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