

ARABIAN RACING REVIEW

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The William George West Premier Handicap Stakes

Manan (Doran x Mangaline Du Loup) ran an impressive trial here for the Group 1 UK Derby at Ascot for Argentine owner Gerard Serra and trainer Bill Smith. He won in the convincing manner of a 6/4 favourite and was given a typically confident and well judged ride from Simon Walker.



Settled in a prominent position, he made smooth progress through the field before Walker brought him with his run inside the final two furlongs when he quickened readily, with only Suhaim (Dormane x Seceryna) throwing down any real challenge.

Suhaim was two lengths back in second, he made the running and set a decent pace and when headed he gamely battled back and stayed on well in the final furlong for a comfortable second.

Whisper (The Wiking x Sucha) was six lengths back in third and ran another game race, remaining as consistent as ever. She was held up mid field but was under pressure 3 furlongs out. As usual, she responded and stayed on ahead of a one paced Nakib Du Falga.

