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International Racing Tip Sheet
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Royal Ascot, Day 5

Recap

My Play of the Week Venetian Sun was a great winner on Day 4. There was an astonishing price drift overnight. The crowd zigged following the prior stand's stide rail bias. I zagged, half suspecting the Sprinkler man was also on Venetian Sun! Somehow I grabbed 11/1. Zarigana was bitterly disappointing finishing 2nd in the Coronation Stakes. Hopefully I can find multiple winners on Saturday.

R1 09:30 am EST Chesham Stakes Listed Stakes 7F

3 (3) Treanmore for the Appleby and Buick will do me here. This Frankel 2 yr was eye catching winning his maiden at Newmarket. The whispers are in his favour. Hopefully the presence of a Coomore and Wathnam horse will keep the price closer to 2/1 than Evens.

R2 10:05 am EST Hardwicke Stakes Gr2 1M 4F

I must have taken Rebel's Romance on more than I have hot dinners. And I will do so again. Ghostwriter who was purchased for 2 Million by the Iranian business Kia Joorachian in the days before the Royal Meeting seemed the most logical play at first glance. His 4th place to Romantic Warrior and Soul Rush at Meydan earlier this year being the eye catching form line. I sense a plot with Al Riffa for Joseph O'Brien. The horse has won at Gr 1 in Berlin at this distance, but I cannot get away from the fact that the horse tied up when racing in Riyadh earlier this year. It will super hot again at Ascot tomorrow. Therefore, I am including to put up a **place play** on the Camelot colt, **12 (12) Tabletalk** for Tom Clover, who has gone further than 1M 4F when winning the Melrose Stakes at York over 1M 6F last Summer. The horse is currently 25/1. I may have a small win bet also.

R3 10:40 am EST Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Stakes Gr1 6F

I am following the jockey here. João "Magic Man" Moreira pops up at Ascot to ride the Japanese sprinter, **11 (16) Santano Reve**, currently 5/1. The Moreira angle has added interest because Moreira rides in the prestigious Grand Prix de Brazil Gr1 at the Gavea track in Rio de Janeiro on Sunday, June 22nd. Santono Reve horse is super fit after coming 2nd to the world's best Sprinter Ka Ying Rising at Sha Tin in Hong Kong in April and looked great in his coat when being taking for a gallop by Ryan Moore at Newmarket last week. Most of the English sprinters are there for the taking with the exception of Inisherin 4/1. The French sprinter Lazzat is 10/3 Fav after having been bought by Wathnam. Will the track bias revert back to the Stand's side? Let's hope the Sprinkler man throws a few extra millimetres over on the far side.

R4 11:20 am EST Jersey Stake Gr3 7F

10 (5) Remmooz seems the right fav here and will probably shorten once punters realise that the only serious local threat seems to be **6 (14) Marvelman**, but at this stage of the game I am keen to find a price and the horse that was 3rd in the German 2,000 Guineas, **5 (7) Dhitjari** offers tremendous value at 50/1. A Mehmas colt getting fast for the first time. What's not to like! The 7 furlongs is right in his wheelhouse. I didn't follow Andrash Starke when he went to Toyko to grab the Japanese Oaks on a 20/1 shot. I won't be ignoring the great German jockey on Saturday. I will be playing all three horses here.

R5 12 Noon EST Workingham Stakes Handicap 1 M

I bet **18 (19) Aramram** Ante Post at double figure price. The horse is now 7/1, still good value. It is the proverbial group horse riding in a handicap. Check. Proven on firm. Check. Race fit. Check. And Ryan Moore who rode him to victory last time reportedly phoned for the ride. Check. **6 (24) Korker** 33/1 offers reasonable bomb insurance. Has good firm ground form at York and the stiffer test may help as he tends to come late. The apprentice Jack Nicholls takes off 7 lbs.

R6 12:35 pm EST Golden Gate Stakes Handicap 1M 2F

7 (19) Basalt was 9 lengths off today's winner Amiloc last time at Goodwood. Racing in the same race as good horse is not enough to justify a tip, but that race was over 1M 3F and Basalt was competitive until the final furlong. A good place play. My win bet will be on **5 (16) Seraph Gabriel** 10/3 for Hong Kong owner Mark Chan. Rossa Ryan's post race interview today on Amiloc seemed to hint at more wins to come. I have already sided with him in the Gr2 Hardwicke with the outsider Tabletalk. This is probably Ryan's best chance of the day.

R7 01:10 pm EST Queen Alexandra Stakes 2M 5 1/2 F

There is no beating **1 (3) Sober** for Willie Mullins for Ryan Moore here. The horse is currently 4/5 and may go off shorter. Owned by Australian connections. This horse will likely eventually be cut back to 2 Miles for the Melbourne Cup. The horse is currently rated 104. It needs to go up a few more ratings points, though not too many to both get into the field of the Melbourne Cup and to get into the field at a competitive weight.