

Newbury & Doncaster Analysis

Race Trends

***Analysing the Greatwood Gold Cup
and the Grimthorpe Chase from an
alternative viewpoint***

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Greatwood Gold Cup (Grade 3 Hcp)
29th February – 3.15 Newbury

Greatwood Gold Cup: Winners Trends Analysis

This section compiles the important trends of the past 12 winners of the Greatwood Gold Cup so that we can apply them to this year's entries.

Greatwood Gold Cup Trends

- 1 12/12 OR 149 or less**
- 2 12/12 4-22 Chase starts**
- 3 12/12 no more than 14 Handicap Chase starts**
- 4 12/12 didn't win LTO**
- 5 12/12 same or no more than 4lb lower than last start**
- 6 12/12 1-6 previous chase wins**
- 7 11/12 aged 6yo-8yo**

2020 Greatwood Gold Cup Entries: Trends Applied

This section applies the important trends of the past 12 winners of the Greatwood Gold Cup to this year's entrants.

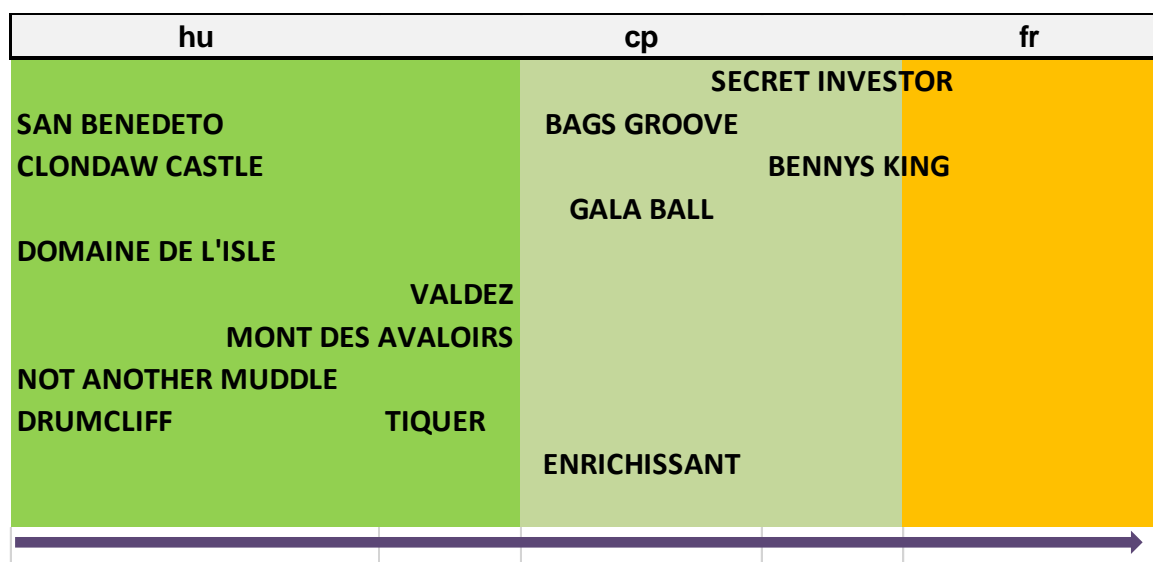
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Tot
DOMAINE DE L'ISLE	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/7
BAGS GROOVE	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/7
GALA BALL	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/7
VALDEZ	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/7
MONT DES AVALOIRS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	6/7
SECRET INVESTOR	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	5/7
BENNYS KING	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	5/7
CLONDAW CASTLE	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	5/7
NOT ANOTHER MUDDLE	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	5/7
DRUMCLIFF	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	5/7
ENRICHISSANT	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	4/7
TIQUER	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	3/7
SAN BENEDETO	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	2/7

Trend Follower(s) – DOMAINE DE'ISLE

2020 Greatwood Gold Cup: Pace analysis

Here we take a look at the race from a pace angle –

Horse	RS	Running Style
SECRET INVESTOR	CP/FR	→ CP/FR
SAN BENEDETO	HU	→ HU
BAGS GROOVE	CP	→ CP
BENNYS KING	CP/FR	→ CP/FR
CLONDAW CASTLE	HU	→ HU
GALA BALL	CP	→ CP
DOMAINE DE L'ISLE	HU	→ HU
VALDEZ	HU/CP	→ HU/CP
MONT DES AVALOIRS	HU/CP	→ HU/CP
NOT ANOTHER MUDDLE	HU	→ HU
DRUMCLIFF	HU	→ HU
TIQUER	CP/HU	→ CP/HU
ENRICHISSANT	CP	→ CP



BENNYS KING & SECRET INVESTOR look the two most likely to lead the field along from the front. Can't see this being run at a break-neck speed, unless there is a dramatic change of tactics from someone.

Here is the how the past 12 winners of the race have run in the race –

Running Style fr-2 / cp-3 / hu-8

Greatwood Gold Cup Summary

Shortlist...

DOMAINE DE L'ISLE – 7/7

BAGS GROOVE – 6/7

GALA BALL – 6/7

VALDEZ – 6/7

MONT DES AVALOIRS – 6/7

Conclusion/Selection(s)

DOMAINE DE LISLE (S Curran) – Possibly found the 3m just stretching him at Class 1 level last time out but he's worth another go here now he's back down to 2m4f. He's unbeaten in 3 starts over here under the following...2m4f-2m7.5f | DSLR 30 or less = 111 (3/3)...and there could yet be more still to be squeezed from his current mark.

MONT DES AVALOIRS (P Nicholls) – Nicholls has dominated the last 12 renewals of this race, winning 8 of them (from a pool of 24 runners). Those 8 winners all fitted the following...6yo-8yo | OR 149 or less | DSLR 75 or less (1P11511F111 - 8/11)...MONT DES AVALOIRS qualifying from his 3 entries this year. He's always looked the type to be better over fences and he's possibly just taken time to fill into himself and although I doubt he's anything more than a handicapper he should have a race like this within range off a mark of OR 142.

Grimthorpe Chase (Class 2 Handicap)
29th February – 3.35 Doncaster

Grimthorpe Chase: Winners Trends Analysis

This section compiles the important trends of the past 11 winners of the Grimthorpe Chase so that we can apply them to this year's entries.

Grimthorpe Chase Trends

- 1 11/11 aged 8yo-11yo**
- 2 11/11 no more than 28 career starts**
- 3 11/11 2-5 starts in current season**
- 4 11/11 no more than 3 handicap chase wins**
- 5 11/11 DSLR 16-70 (0/40 out with range)**
- 6 11/11 1-2 starts last 90 days (0/30 out with range)**
- 7 11/11 ran in a handicap chase LTO**
- 8 11/11 last win came over 3m1f or less in a race worth 30k or less**

2020 Grimthorpe Chase Entries: Trends Applied












This section applies the important trends of the past 11 winners of Grimthorpe Chase to this year's entrants.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Tot
CAPTAIN CHAOS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	8/8
CESAR ET ROSALIE	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	8/8
YALLTARI	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/8
AARON LAD	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	7/8
CHIDSWELL	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	7/8
FORTIFIED BAY	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/8
ASCOT DE BRUYERE	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/8
DEFINITLY RED	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/8
SAINT XAVIER	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	6/8
WORTHY FARM	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/8
BOLDMERE	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	5/8


Trend Follower(s) – CAPTAIN CHAOS | CESAR ET ROSALIE

2020 Grimthorpe Chase: Pace analysis

Here we take a look at the race from a pace angle –

Horse	RS	Running Style
<i>DEFINITLY RED</i>	<i>CP/HU</i>	 CP/HU
<i>SAINT XAVIER</i>	<i>FR</i>	 FR
BOLDMERE	CP/HU	 CP/HU
YALLTARI	CP/FR	 CP/FR
WORTHY FARM	HU/CP	 HU/CP
AARON LAD	CP/FR	 CP/FR
CAPTAIN CHAOS	CP	 CP
CHIDSWELL	HU/CP	 HU/CP
FORTIFIED BAY	HU/CP	 HU/CP
ASCOT DE BRUYERE	CP	 CP
CESAR ET ROSALIE	CP/HU	 CP/HU

hu	cp	fr
<i>DEFINITLY RED</i>		<i>SAINT XAVIER</i>
BOLDMERE	YALLTARI	
WORTHY FARM	AARON LAD	
	CAPTAIN CHAOS	
CHIDSWELL		
FORTIFIED BAY	ASCOT DE BRUYERE	
CESAR ET ROSALIE		



With Saint Xavier likely to go to Kelso front-running duties will probably fall to **YALLTARI** and/or **AARON LAD**.

Here is the how the past 11 winners of the race have run in the race –

Running Style fr-2 / cp-5 / hu-4

Grimthorpe Chase Summary

Shortlist...

CAPTAIN CHAOS – 8/8

CESAR ET ROSALIE – 8/8

Conclusion/Selection(s)

The trends are strong in this one so I'm happy to play both shortlisters...

CAPTAIN CHAOS (D Skelton) – He's been a somewhat frustrating horse to get a grip on at times but assuming Definitely Red & Saint Xavier head to Kelso (first preference) he will have his prime field size to attack and indeed his 'likely' overall prime conditions to gun for...9 or less runners | Soft/Heavy | C2 level & below...where he is...6111111 (6/7 – all 6 career wins). He's looks to be exceptionally well-handicapped on OR 134 and Bridget Andrews back in the saddle is no bad thing considering she almost managed to sneak him home in the Rehearsal Chase at Newcastle in December the last time she was on the horse.

CESAR ET ROSALIE (N Mulholland) – Mulholland doesn't make the trip to Doncaster all that often but 5 of his 6 winners have come under the following...NH Handicaps | DSLR 31-75 | 5+ starts in last year...for figures of...12106120171 (5/11, 2p)...which is an angle this one fits. The Mulholland yard had been a bit quiet recently but they banged in 2 winners from 2 runners on Friday so they may just be coming into some form and at 20's+ I'll happily take a dabble on this one.

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