

# SALISBURY Tip Sheet for Thursday, September 3, 2009

## FIRST RACE

8:40 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta, Rolling Pick3

**1 Mile(Turf) 3yo and Up Handicap -**  
Purse: \$7,000.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(6)	HALLINGDAL	R Clark (5)	141	5-1
2	(2)	GALLEGO	J Bruning (3)	135	9-2
3	(9)	AILSA CRAIG	C Eddery (3)	133	6-1
4	(11)	FLYING SILKS	L Kilgarriff (5)	132	7-1
5	(5)	DIAMOND TWISTER	K Ferguson (5)	132	10-1
6	(1)	MISS MOJITO	Amy Scott	129	7-1
7	(7)	PRETTY OFFICER	N Garbutt (5)	128	8-1
8	(10)	MISSREPRESENTATION	Rosie Jessop	124	30-1
9	(8)	PEACE CONCLUDED	D Kenny (3)	124	10-1
10	(3)	STRAIGHT FACE	Lauren Shea (5)	121	10-1
11	(4)	INQUISITRESS	K Fox (3)	121	8-1

SELECTIONS: 2 - 3 - 1

A 6lb penalty for a victory at folkestone last week leaves **Hallingdal** with no margin for error and she didn't shape as if this drop in trip will be in her favour. **Pretty Office** is another having to shoulder a penalty and the 6lb rise for a head success looks a little harsh on **Ailsa Craig**, so it could pay to give **GALLEGO**. After a double at this track (one win over this trip), his run at Newbury over 1m 2f last month was too bad to be true and, back at his favourite venue and over a suitable trip, he could bounce back.

## SECOND RACE

9:10 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta, Rolling Pick3

**1 Mile(Turf) 2yo Only Novice Stakes -**  
Purse: \$10,500.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(4)	INVINCIBLE PRINCE	R Kingscote	131	8-1
2	(2)	FIRST CAT	P Dobbs	128	3-1
3	(6)	RAINE'S CROSS	L Morris	126	2-1
4	(3)	DUTIFUL	A Culhane	124	6-1
5	(5)	DANCING DAVID	M Dwyer	120	9-2
6	(1)	OPERA GAL	L Keniry	119	6-1

SELECTIONS: 3 - 2 - 5

**First Cat** relished the step up in trip when opening his account in a C&D handicap last week but **RAINE'S CROSS** sets the standard with his 2-length fourth to the useful **Big audio** in a C&D Listed race on the same day. That looked a good contest for the grade and a repeat performance is likely to be enough for him to regain the winning thread in this company. **Dancing David** holds a string of eye-catching entries, including in the 2010 Derby, and could be a threat on his race-course debut, while **Opera Gal** was far from disgraced in a competitive event first time out and is also worth a second look in an interesting race.

## THIRD RACE

9:40 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta, Rolling Pick3

**7 Furlongs(Turf) 2yo Only. Quidhampton**  
**Maiden Fillies' Stakes (Div 1) -**  
Purse: \$13,500.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(3)	ATAKORA	D O'Neill	126	10-1
2	(4)	BLUE SPARKLE	L Keniry	126	10-1
3	(5)	DREAMY EYED	J Mitchell (3)	126	10-1
4	(10)	DYLANESQUE	T O'Shea	126	6-1
5	(6)	FONTLEY	R Thomas	126	20-1
6	(16)	FREE GRAIN	T Durcan	126	7-1
7	(11)	HIGHLAND JEWEL	L Morris	126	10-1
8	(18)	KITHONIA	T Queally	126	9-2
9	(7)	LADY SLIPPERS	S Drowne	126	20-1
10	(2)	LADY WILLA	M Hills	126	10-1
11	(8)	LOST HORIZON	P Dobbs	126	10-1
12	(14)	MADAME BOOT	R Smith	126	30-1
13	(15)	MAGNIFICENCE	S W Kelly	126	7-1
14	(17)	NAPOLEONS MISTRESS	P Hanagan	126	10-1
15	(12)	SEATTLE SPEIGHT	R Kingscote	126	30-1
16	(13)	SERAFINA'S FLIGHT	Hayley Turner	126	50-1
17	(1)	TISLIMEEN	A Culhane	126	10-1
18	(9)	TWILIGHT MEMORY	M Dwyer	126	10-1

SELECTIONS: 8 - 6 - 10

**Dylanesque** and **Magnificence** look the pick of those with racecourse experience but neither set the world alight in their sole visit to the track and it could pay to side with a newcomer. **John Dunlop** won this race in 2003 and his charge, **Free Grain**, can be expected to give a good account while **Barry Hills** has won it twice in the last four years so **Lady Willa** warrants the utmost respect first time out. Preference, however, is for **Henry Cecil's** well-bred debutante, **KITHONIA**, who holds an entry in the Group 1 Meon Valley Stud Fillies' Mile later in the month so has presumably been showing plenty of encouraging signs at home.

## FOURTH RACE

10:15 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta, Rolling Pick3

**7 Furlongs(Turf) 2yo Only Quidhampton**  
**Maiden Fillies' Stakes (Div 2) -**  
Purse: \$14,500.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(16)	AIMEESKEEPINGFAITH	A Culhane	126	10-1
2	(10)	CONTREDANSE	N Mackay	126	4-1
3	(14)	CYAN EYED	R Kingscote	126	7-1
4	(18)	FAITHFUL ONE	S W Kelly	126	20-1
5	(13)	FAME IS THE SPUR	M Hills	126	50-1
6	(15)	GLAN Y MOR	N Chalmers	126	50-1
7	(2)	GOLDEN ARIA	P Dobbs	126	6-1
8	(12)	LADY'S PURSE	T Durcan	126	5-2
9	(9)	LADY CHRISTIE	P Hanagan	126	30-1
10	(4)	LENKIEWICZ	J Millman (3)	126	50-1
11	(1)	MINIYAMBA	T Queally	126	10-1
12	(6)	MOUNT JULIET	Hayley Turner	126	30-1
13	(8)	PIPETTE	L Keniry	126	10-1
14	(7)	PLUME	S Drowne	126	10-1
15	(17)	RED INTRIGUE	D O'Neill	126	10-1
16	(11)	SHELF AH	T O'Shea	126	10-1
17	(5)	SIRRI	A Ajtebi (3)	126	30-1
18	(3)	WILD ROCKETTE	M Dwyer	126	10-1

SELECTIONS: 2 - 7 - 8

**Brian Meehan**, who landed this race in 2007, has his string in fine form at present and appears to hold a strong hand in this heat with **CONTREDANSE**, a 200,000-guinea purchase who is half-sister to **Callwood Girl**, a Grade 2 winner in Canada, and **Set Sail**, a smart 7f winner as a juvenile. She could be worth siding with but isn't the only potentially-useful newcomer in the field with **Cyan Eyed**, **Lady's Purse**, **Plume** (cost 100,000gns) and **Shelfah** all representing top yards capable of readying a newcomer. **Golden Aria** stayed on well for a good fourth once the penny had dropped on her racecourse debut and she rates a big threat with that experience under her belt and this extra furlong likely to suit.

## FIFTH RACE

10:50 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta, Rolling Pick3

**6 Furlongs(Turf) 2yo Only Dick Poole**  
**Fillies' Stakes (Listed) -** Purse: \$51,000.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(6)	JIRA	Hayley Turner	128	10-1
2	(5)	CONNIPTION	M Dwyer	124	6-1
3	(3)	KURTANELLA	P Dobbs	124	10-1
4	(8)	QUEEN'S GRACE	S Drowne	124	10-1
5	(4)	ROODLE	D O'Neill	124	10-1
6	(2)	SEEKING DUBAI	R Kingscote	124	10-1
7	(10)	SHAMANDAR	M Hills	124	9-2
8	(9)	SHE'S A CHARACTER	P Hanagan	124	10-1
9	(7)	SWEET SONNET	T Durcan	124	10-1
10	(11)	THELADYINQUESTION	L Keniry	124	10-1
11	(1)	WALK ON WATER	T Queally	124	2-1

SELECTIONS: 11 - 2 - 7

**Shamandar** has filled the runner-up spot on both starts since making a winning debut, including when touched off in this grade at Newbury and should give another good account returning to a winning trip today. She may have to play second fiddle again here, however, this time to **WALK ON WATER**. After winning well (form working out) at Ascot first time out despite looking green, **Henry Cecil's** filly showed the benefit of that experience when catching the eye with a facile success at Chester over 6f and looks the sort to continue to progress. **Conniption**, an impressive maiden winner at Newbury looks best of the remainder.

## SIXTH RACE

11:25 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta, Rolling Pick3

**7 Furlongs(Turf) 3yo and Up Handicap -**  
Purse: \$43,000.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(3)	CARCINETTO	R Evans (5)	134	8-1
2	(9)	TROPICAL PARADISE	A Morgan (5)	129	10-1
3	(10)	PHOTOGRAPHIC	M Hills	126	10-1
4	(1)	ROMANY PRINCESS	D O'Neill	125	9-2
5	(6)	PERFECT FLIGHT	L Morris	124	10-1
6	(4)	PRETTY BONNIE	K Milczarek	123	7-1
7	(11)	ENACT	S W Kelly	123	7-2
8	(8)	NORA MAE	L Keniry	122	30-1
9	(5)	SILVER GAMES	A Culhane	119	8-1
10	(2)	MO MHUIRNIN	P Hanagan	117	10-1
11	(7)	TURNING TOP	R J Rowe (7)	116	6-1

SELECTIONS: 7 - 4 - 11

**Sir Michael Stoute** has his string in good heart at present and **Enact** is taken to add to the yard's tally here. After some good efforts in competitive events, the daughter of **Kyllachy** opened her account for the year with plenty to spare over 6f at Nottingham last month and a 7lb rise may not be enough to stop her if she's in the same mood today. **Turning Top** also bids for a double but a 9lb hike leaves her with no margin for error and the biggest danger could be **Romany Princess**, who has remained in good order since July.

## SEVENTH RACE

12:00 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta

**5 Furlongs(Turf) 3yo and Up Handicap -**  
Purse: \$7,000.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(7)	EVEN BOLDER	L Keniry	131	10-1
2	(2)	GOLDEN DIXIE	L Morris	131	10-1
3	(9)	MATTEROFAC	D O'Neill	129	5-1
4	(1)	BOLD ARGUMENT	J Mitchell (3)	128	10-1
5	(8)	FROMSONG	J O'Reilly (5)	126	10-1
6	(3)	TRIPLE DREAM	J Dean (3)	126	6-1
7	(4)	PIC UP STICKS	M Hills	125	7-1
8	(10)	COMPTON CLASSIC	Amy Scott (7)	125	7-1
9	(11)	GREEN LAGONDA	R Evans (5)	125	9-2
10	(5)	NORTHERN EMPIRE	T Dean	124	10-1
11	(6)	BRANDYWELL BOY	R Thomas	122	6-1

SELECTIONS: 6 - 3 - 9

**Matterofact** went close off the same mark latest and should be in the firing line again, while **Compton Classic** and **Green Lagonda** must also be on the short-list. **Pic Up Sticks** is 5lb lower than when he won this race two years ago but has a but to find on his most recent form and the tentative vote goes to **TRIPLE DREAM**, who was touched off in his bid for a double off this mark at Warwick on Monday and this drop in trip is no concern.

## EIGHTH RACE

12:35 EDT

Win, Place, Exacta, Trifecta, Superfecta

**1 Mile 6 Furlongs(Turf) 3yo and Up**  
**Persian Punch Conditions Stakes -**  
Purse: \$29,000.

No	PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	Wt.	ODDS
1	(5)	BASALTICO	D O'Neill	131	3-1
2	(2)	AJAAN	T Queally	128	6-1
3	(6)	COVERT AMBITION	T Durcan	128	5-2
4	(4)	THE BETCHWORTH KID	Hayley Turner	128	5-1
5	(1)	TACTIC	T O'Shea	119	5-1
6	(3)	FREE AGENT	R Kingscote	117	8-1

SELECTIONS: 3 - 5 - 1

**COVERT AMBITION** has yet to finish out of the first two in four starts and he rates the selection in the finale for the red-hot **Godolphin** team. After opening with two wins, he has found only one too good in Listed races over 1m 2f the last twice and, with this step up in trip expected to suit, he could take some beating as he drops in grade today. **Basaltico's** fourth in a 1m 5f Listed event last time out makes him a threat, while **Tactic** has been far from disgraced in Group 3 company this summer and another to consider.