Assessing a race using the Online Race Guides

The following is a guide to some of the features of the Proform Online Race Guides. This method is useful for assessing the sprint races (5f – 7f) where recency of form and horse speed are more relevant factors in the outcome of the race.

1. Select an appropriate race

Sprint distance

☰ ◐ ◑ 24/07/20, 12:50 – Beverley (Turf - Good to Firm) 5f
Jaimie Kerr Memorial Handicap (Class 5) (3yo+,75) £3,493 - Runners: 11

#	Horse	Form (Turf)	PRB	Silks	Age	Wgt	Trainer	Trend	Jockey	50%SR	OR	vs	HiOR	+Pos	-Neg	Class	Speed	vs	Par	Rating	F'Cast
7 (2)	Nibras Again ⁶ D BF	3212997-432	59%		6	9.3	Paul Midgley		Daniel Tudhope	52%	66	▬	-9	✓✓✓		↔	66	▮	3	230	5.50
11 (9)	Burtonwood ¹² WS C D	0562328-136	54%		8	8.12	Julie Camacho		Cieren Fallon {3}	44%	61	▮	-3	✓		↔	60	▮	-3	140	8.37
2 (7)	James Watt (IRE) ¹⁵ D	2392000-845	54%		4	9.11	Paul Midgley		Paul Mulrennan	35%	74					↓	57	▬	-6	103	11.09
5 (11)	Buniann (IRE) ³⁵ WS D BF	30-	38%		4	9.6	Paul Midgley		Ben Robinson	0%	69			✓		↔	46	▬	-17	85	13.18
3 (10)	Antagonize ²³	1/5-64	46%		4	9.8	Bryan Smart		Graham Lee	50%	71					↔	68	▮	5	82	13.67
1 (1)	East Street Revue ³⁴ b C D	012003821-4	58%		7	9.12	Tim Easterby		Duran Fentiman	55%	75	▬	-14	✓✓		↓	62	▮	-1	76	14.62
10 (3)	Bashiba (IRE) ¹⁴ tp¹WS C D	8344010-836	58%		9	8.13	Nigel Tinkler		Jason Hart	54%	62	▬	-18	✓✓✓	X	↔	62	▮	-1	60	18.20
8 (8)	Balancing Act (IRE) ¹⁷ D	5215-44	71%		3	9.2	Jedd O'Keeffe		Megan Nicholls {3}	33%	69			✓		↔	61	▮	-2	60	18.25
6 (4)	True Hero ²¹ pWS3 D	37256464-05	47%		4	9.3	Nigel Tinkler		Royston Ffrench	69%	66			✓✓✓		↔	50	▬	-13	57	19.03
4 (6)	Royal Brave (IRE) ¹⁴ D	48894683-54	65%		9	9.7	Rebecca Bastiman		Tom Eaves	42%	70	▬	-18	✓		↔	67	▮	4	55	19.93
9 (5)	Lezardrieux ¹ D	095-13?	41%		3	9.1	Grant Tuer		NON RUNNER	33%	-					↔	0			0	1.00

Plenty of past form

2. Untick non-runners.

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☑	11 (9)	Burtonwood ¹² WS C D	0562328-136	54%		8	8.12	Julie Camacho		Cieren Fallon {3}
☑	2 (7)	James Watt (IRE) ¹⁵ D	2392000-845	54%		4	9.11	Paul Midgley		Paul Mulrennan
☑	5 (11)	Buniann (IRE) ³⁵ WS D BF	30-	38%		4	9.6	Paul Midgley		Ben Robinson
☑	3 (10)	Antagonize ²³	1/5-64	46%		4	9.8	Bryan Smart		Graham Lee
☑	1 (1)	East Street Revue ³⁴ b C D	012003821-4	58%		7	9.12	Tim Easterby		Duran Fentiman
☑	10 (3)	Bashiba (IRE) ¹⁴ tp¹WS C D	8344010-836	58%		9	8.13	Nigel Tinkler		Jason Hart
☑	8 (8)	Balancing Act (IRE) ¹⁷ D	5215-44	71%		3	9.2	Jedd O'Keeffe		Megan Nicholls {3}
☑	6 (4)	True Hero ²¹ pWS3 D	37256464-05	47%		4	9.3	Nigel Tinkler		Royston Ffrench
☑	4 (6)	Royal Brave (IRE) ¹⁴ D	48894683-54	65%		9	9.7	Rebecca Bastiman		Tom Eaves
☐	9 (5)	Lezardrieux ¹ D	095-13?	41%		3	9.1	Grant Tuer		NON RUNNER

3. Go to Pace/Draw and see if it is likely to be truly run. If it is then carry on with this process.

Draw Bias and Pace Prediction

#	Horse	Silk	Draw	IV	PRB	50%SR	Bias	Pace	H	M	P	L
5	Buniann (IRE)		11	0.18	44%	24%		2	5			
3	Antagonize		10	0.63	45%	24%		4	6			
11	Burtonwood		9	0.88	46%	31%		0	2			
8	Balancing Act (IRE)		8	0.66	47%	29%		2	8			
2	James Watt (IRE)		7	1.08	51%	32%		2	3			
4	Royal Brave (IRE)		6	1.09	52%	32%		4		11		
6	True Hero		4	1.62	56%	36%		10				10
10	Bashiba (IRE)		3	1.43	56%	34%		2	8			
7	Nibras Again		2	1.59	59%	38%		4	1			
1	East Street Revue		1	1.90	58%	37%		2	7			

This race is an ideal opportunity. From this information, we can get a good idea of how the race will pan out. This is only an indicator though, and it is useful to check each pace line you are interested in against each horse's form, using the HORSE FORM tab.

Looking at the Pace Style Statistics, this race is likely to be won by a horse racing either in the Lead, or Prominently. So, this should be the focus of our study.

Course Pace Bias Statistics

Pace Style Statistics		Wins	Runs	IV	PRB	£	IV	£	50%SR
L	Led	239	1026	2.5	66%	999.26			54%
P	Prominent	412	3581	1.24	55%	69.19			40%
H	Held Up	260	5098	0.55	44%	-2278.43			28%

There is also a noticeably clear bias towards the rail-side stalls, and in the Pace Map above you can see 1-4 have green PRBs and a strong IV bias.

This first look gives us four horses to focus on initially: **True Hero**, **Antagonise**, **Royal Brave** and **Nibras Again**. With particular focus on the two that are better drawn: **True Hero** and **Nibras Again**.

a. **True Hero** is going to want to lead. As you can see below, in the P (Pace) column, there are mostly P's (Prominent) and L's (Led). I wouldn't be put off by the couple of H's (Held-up) as these are in higher class races where it may have been outclassed and found it difficult to get the race position it favours. Its results in these races are also poor, finishing 6/8 and 6/7.

HORSE DETAILS – True Hero 4yo (07/02/2016 b g) 26mi

Trainer: Nigel Tinkler | Owner: Ron Hull, Dean Fielding & Nigel Skinne | Jockey: Royston Ffrench
Sire: Charm Spirit (IRE) | Dam: Beldale Memory (IRE) | Dam's Sire: Camacho (GB)

Date	BSP (Place)	High (Th) / Low (Tl) (%H / %L)	AE	PRB	RT	C	D	Cl	G	R	O	W	Spd (par)	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran / Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt
2020-07-03	13.58 (5.50)	- / 12.00 (3) (-/ -11.63%)	4.19	60.27%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	3	-7	50 (-13)	P	20%	Hayd C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 107mi	5/6 btn 14.75l Erissimus Maximus 9-6
2020-06-18	20.46 (5.20)	- / 9.20 (24) (-/ -55.03%)	0.62	51.53%	✓	-	1	-	-	✓	6	-6	51 (-12)	L	16%	Redc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 52mi	11/13 btn 10.3l Buccaneers Vault 9-4
							---- 1st Time Wind Surgery ---- ---- 285 Day Break ----											
2019-09-07	16.24 (6.40)	- / 8.00 (22) (-/ -50.74%)	1.12	48.98%	✓	-	1	-	-		8	-10	62 (-4)	L	50%	Thirsk C4 3yo,85 Hcap 9k 27mi	4/7 btn 2.2l Four Wheel Drive 9-5
2019-08-31	24.00 (6.20)	- / 10.00 (24) (-/ -58.33%)	1.47	45.02%	✓	-	1	-	-		11	-2	54 (-12)	H	28%	Chest C4 3yo,80 Hcap 6k 105mi	6/8 btn 9.5l Fairy Stories 8-3
2019-08-16	19.90 (8.51)	- / 6.80 (35) (-/ -65.83%)	0.92	43.11%	-	-	2	-	-		14	-8	61 (-9)	H	16%	ChlmC C3 3yo,90 Hcap 10k 216mi	6/7 btn 5.05l Furious 9-7
							---- Travelled 216 to run ----											
2019-08-06	16.64 (6.80)	- / 6.00 (33) (-/ -63.94%)	1.72	47.05%	✓	-	-	-	-		14	-2	62 (-4)	P	50%	Ripon C4 3yo,85 Hcap 5k 42mi	4/7 btn 2.75l Count D'Orsay 9-0
2019-07-25	7.80 (3.65)	- / 6.20 (8) (-/ -20.51%)	0.90	47.94%	✓	-	1	✓	-		15	1	56 (-10)	L	0%	Yarm C4 3yo,85 Hcap 5k 173mi	6/6 btn 5.35l Thegreatestshowman 9-6
2019-07-05	6.60 (2.92)	- / 2.04 (91) (-/ -69.09%)	0.72	48.63%	✓	-	1	✓	-		15	6	45 (-21)	P	33%	Hayd C4 3yo,85 Hcap 7k 107mi	5/7 btn 4.8l Celsius 8-13
							---- 1st Time Cheek Pieces ----											
2019-06-27	3.60 (1.50)	- / 1.31 (131) (-/ -63.61%)	0.98	50.30%	-	-	1	-	-		13	-3	56 (-10)	L	80%	Newc C4 3yo,95 Hcap 6k 83mi	2/6 btn 0.3l Yolo Again 9-12
2019-06-22	12.00 (3.32)	- / 2.86 (71) (-/ -76.17%)	1.48	50.91%	✓	-	1	-	✓		13	-1	64 (-2)	P	88%	Redc C4 3yo,85 Hcap 7k 52mi	2/10 btn 0.5l Get The Rhythm 9-1
							---- 56 Day Break ----											
2019-04-27	4.07 (1.70)	- / 3.00 (20) (-/ -26.28%)	1.09	55.05%	✓	-	1	-	-		14	-1	50 (-16)	L	25%	Ripon C4 3yo,85 Hcap 6k 42mi	7/9 btn 7.3l Mark's Choice 8-12
2019-04-10	24.31 (8.00)	- / 2.22 (123) (-/ -90.87%)	0.89	53.77%	✓	-	1	✓	✓		14	1	62 (-4)	H	81%	Nott C4 3yo,85 Hcap 6k 105mi	3/12 btn 2.3l Free Love 8-10
							---- 189 Day Break ---- ---- Trainer Switch William Haggas to Nigel Tinkler ---- ---- Gelded First Run ----											

b. **Antagonise** will want to be prominent but is drawn away from the rail and will have to spend more energy than its competitors if it wants to be forward. As you can see below, the only time it was run H (Held up) was over 2f further and in a higher class. So I would expect this horse to want to be prominent.

HORSE DETAILS – Antagonize 4yo (21/02/2016 b g) 125mi

Trainer: Bryan Smart | Owner: Crossfields Racing | Jockey: Graham Lee
Sire: Epaulette (AUS) | Dam: Hakuraa (IRE) | Dam's Sire: Elnadim (USA)

Date	BSP (Place)	High (Th) / Low (Tl) (%H / %L)	AE	PRB	RT	C	D	Cl	G	R	O	W	Spd (par)	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran / Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt
2020-07-01	5.90 (2.85)	- / 3.35 (32) (-/ -43.22%)	0.00	77.73%	✓	-	-	-	-		2	-1	68 (5)	P	25%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 163mi	4/5 btn 2.2l Primo's Comet 9-3
2020-06-18	19.50 (5.11)	- / 9.00 (24) (-/ -53.85%)	0.62	51.53%	✓	-	1	-	✓		4	-3	59 (-4)	P	58%	Redc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 73mi	6/13 btn 4.6l Buccaneers Vault 9-4
2020-06-06	47.91 (12.50)	- / 8.00 (48) (-/ -83.30%)	0.38	57.45%	-	-	2	1	-	✓	9	-3	64 (-2)	H	60%	Newc C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 119mi	5/11 btn 6.6l Tadleel 9-5
							---- 282 Day Break ---- ---- Gelded First Run ----											
2019-08-29	19.75 (3.90)	- / 14.00 (11) (-/ -29.11%)	0.50	60.79%	✓	-	1	-	✓		14	-1	45 (-21)	P	0%	Carl C4 3yo,85 Hcap 6k 126mi	5/5 btn 19.75l Gale Force Maya 8-13

c. **Royal Brave** is less clear. It has been run P (Prominently 2/3 of its last races, but the performances weren't great, and it does look to be run H (Held up) more often.

HORSE DETAILS – Royal Brave (IRE) 9yo (15/04/2011 b g) 45mi

Trainer: Rebecca Bastiman | Owner: James Edgar & William Donaldson | Jockey: Tom Eaves
Sire: Acclamation (GB) | Dam: Daqtora (GB) | Dam's Sire: Dr Devious (IRE)

Date	BSP (Place)	High (Th) / Low (Tl) (%H / %L)	AE	PRB	RT	C	D	Cl	G	R	O	W	Spd (par)	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran / Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt
2020-07-10	24.00 (5.30)	- / 8.00 (34) (-/ -66.67%)	4.62	84.00%	✓	-	-	-	-	✓	2	-	67 (4)	H	70%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 186mi	4/11 btn 3.25l Gowanbuster 9-5
2020-07-01	7.76 (3.08)	- / 7.00 (3) (-/ -9.79%)	0.00	77.73%	✓	-	-	-	-		2	-4	67 (4)	P	0%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 186mi	5/5 btn 2.4l Primo's Comet 9-3
2020-06-04	34.21 (7.39)	- / 13.00 (26) (-/ -62.00%)	0.60	53.53%	-	-	-	-	-	✓	4	-6	56 (-7)	P	40%	Newc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 86mi	7/11 btn 3.5l Tabaahy 9-3
							---- 86 Day Break ----											
2020-03-10	56.13 (10.00)	- / 23.00 (18) (-/ -59.02%)	0.51	55.15%	-	-	-	-	-		6	-2	49 (-14)	H	28%	Newc C5 4yo+,80 Hcap 3k 86mi	6/8 btn 4.45l Foxy Forever 9-9
							---- 123 Day Break ----											
2019-11-08	48.93 (11.00)	- / 12.50 (34) (-/ -74.45%)	0.88	47.68%	-	-	1	-	-		8	-5	61 (-5)	H	46%	Newc C4 3yo+,85 Hcap 5k 86mi	8/14 btn 2.4l Paddy Power 8-12
2019-10-23	19.00 (4.60)	- / 11.00 (16) (-/ -42.11%)	0.89	48.94%	-	-	1	-	✓		9	-1	66 (0)	H	70%	Wolv C4 3yo+,80 Hcap 5k 122mi	4/11 btn 2.3l Helvetian 9-7
2019-10-09	28.00 (7.61)	- / 12.00 (24) (-/ -57.14%)	1.37	55.59%	-	-	1	-	-		10	-	60 (-6)	H	76%	Newc C4 3yo+,80 Hcap 5k 86mi	4/14 btn 2.05l Secretinthepark 9-3
2019-09-29	7.30 (3.58)	- / 6.00 (8) (-/ -17.81%)	1.01	53.64%	✓	-	1	-	-		10	1	58 (-8)	H	66%	Muss C4 3yo+,85 Hcap 5k 186mi	3/7 btn 5.5l Afandem 9-1
2019-08-28	8.80 (2.65)	- / 8.40 (2) (-/ -4.55%)	0.33	43.35%	✓	-	1	-	-		13	-1	59 (-7)	H	22%	Muss C4 3yo+,85 Hcap 6k 186mi	8/10 btn 5.85l Holmeswood 9-6
2019-08-17	85.00 (10.72)	- / 80.00 (1) (-/ -5.88%)	1.00	51.71%	✓	-	1	3	-		14	-3	60 (-13)	H	72%	Ripon C2 3yo+,95 Hcap 12k 20mi	6/19 btn 5.1l Growl 9-9
2019-08-02	12.00 (2.43)	- / 13.50 (-3) (-/ -12.50%)	0.25	47.52%	✓	-	2	-	-		15	-5	63 (-6)	H	50%	Muss C3 3yo+,90 Hcap 8k 186mi	4/7 btn 5.1l Jabbarockie 9-2

Here we can use the filters to look at only the wins to see if we can see which running style Royal Brave wins from more often.

As you can see below, its best wins are from a H (Held up) run style, so I'd be less inclined to expect a P (prominent) run. It is in the stall next to **True Hero**, who we expect to lead, so it may get dragged along with him, or the jockey may pull it back into a less forward position. If Royal Brave isn't in the vanguard, I wouldn't expect him to win. This gives us an opportunity for a potential trade. As people who only skim the data and look at pace maps may be expecting a prominent run from Royal Brave, this will shorten the price as traders look to capitalise on an early price drop in a front running horse. Whereas it looks like he is better run held up and the jockey may have to pull him at the off to stop him chasing our suspected leader out of the stalls. This should create an early price rise as the race begins – so a potential Lay to Back opportunity.

HORSE DETAILS – Royal Brave (IRE) 9yo (15/04/2011 b g) 45mi

Trainer: Rebecca Bastiman | Owner: James Edgar & William Donaldson | Jockey: Tom Eaves
Sire: Acclamation (GB) | Dam: Daqtora (GB) | Dam's Sire: Dr Devious (IRE)

Date	BSP (Place)	High (Th) / Low (Tl) (%H /%L)	AE	PRB	RT	C	D	Cl	G	R	O	W	Spd (par)	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran / Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt
2018-09-29	41.25 (7.60)	65.00 (8) / - (57.50% / -)	0.60	47.35%	√	-	1	3	-	√	18	-9	66 (-7)	H	100%	Ripon C2 3yo+,100 Hcap 16k 20mi	1/11 by 0.5l Staxton 9-8
2018-08-29	3.70 (1.49)	4.80 (14) / - (29.73% / -)	1.32	50.79%	√	-	-	1	-	√	14	3	64 (-2)	H	100%	Muss C4 3yo+,90 Hcap 6k 186mi	1/9 by 0.5l War Whisper 9-9
2018-05-04	6.21 (2.62)	22.00 (41) / - (254.27% / -)	1.07	53.43%	√	-	-	1	√	√	12	4	65 (-1)	H	100%	Muss C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 7k 186mi	1/13 by 0.3l Harome 9-7
2017-07-25	3.83 (1.47)	12.00 (46) / - (213.32% / -)	1.66	52.05%	√	-	-	1	√	-	11	1	63 (-3)	P	100%	Muss C4 3yo+,85 Hcap 5k 186mi	1/6 by 0.3l Pearl Acclaim 8-12
2017-05-24	8.43 (1.95)	34.00 (40) / - (303.32% / -)	0.79	52.31%	√	-	-	2	-	√	10	-4	61 (-8)	H	100%	Ayr C3 4yo+,85 Hcap 8k 188mi	1/6 by 0.2l Aprovado 9-0
2017-05-04	6.20 (2.81)	19.00 (37) / - (206.45% / -)	1.18	53.15%	√	-	-	1	√	√	7	-1	73 (7)	P	100%	Muss C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 186mi	1/7 by 0.75l Silvanus 9-5
2017-04-15	5.33 (2.04)	5.70 (4) / - (6.94% / -)	1.10	50.26%	-	-	-	-	√	√	2	4	60 (-3)	P	100%	Muss C5 3yo+,75 Hcap 3k 186mi	1/10 by 0.5l Entertaining Ben 8-10
2016-11-18	7.40 (2.62)	16.50 (26) / - (122.97% / -)	1.11	49.71%	-	-	-	-	√	-	-	-5	62 (-1)	P	100%	Newc C5 3yo+,75 Hcap 3k 86mi	1/12 by 0.2l Pearl Acclaim 9-7

d. **Nibras Again** will also be looking to be (P) prominent. As you can see below: its two placings were both from forward runs. Its last two runs, where it traded below evens (1.60 and 1.33) were both P (prominent) runs. Its poor prominent runs were at Newcastle on the AW track, a course notoriously difficult for prominent runners. It also has a rail-side draw, so will not need to use more energy than its competitors to get forward.

HORSE DETAILS – Nibras Again 6yo (05/04/2014 b g) 29mi

Trainer: Paul Midgley | Owner: Peedeetee Syndicate, Ta Stephenson & T | Jockey: Daniel Tudhope
Sire: Kyllachy (GB) | Dam: Regina (GB) | Dam's Sire: Green Desert (USA)

Date	BSP (Place)	High (Th) / Low (Tl) (%H /%L)	AE	PRB	RT	C	D	Cl	G	R	O	W	Spd (par)	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran / Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt
2020-07-18	3.77 (1.65)	- / 1.33 (132) (- / -64.72%)	0.00	0.00%	√	-	-	-	-	√	-	7	66 (3)	P	87%	Bath C5 3yo+,75 Hcap 3k 246mi	2/9 btn 0.3l Bay Watch 9-8
							---- Travelled 246 to run ----										
2020-07-01	3.11 (1.69)	- / 1.60 (92) (- / -48.55%)	0.00	77.73%	√	-	-	-	-	-	2	-1	68 (5)	P	50%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 189mi	3/5 btn 2l Primo's Comet 9-3
2020-06-16	17.00 (4.66)	- / 9.80 (15) (- / -42.35%)	0.87	50.95%	√	-	-	-	-	3	3	64 (1)	H	76%	Thirsk C5 4yo+,70 Hcap 3k 20mi	4/14 btn 2.55l Abate 9-7
							---- 98 Day Break ----										
2020-03-10	19.50 (4.02)	- / 9.20 (23) (- / -52.82%)	0.51	55.15%	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	49 (-14)	P	14%	Newc C5 4yo+,80 Hcap 3k 82mi	7/8 btn 4.55l Foxy Forever 9-9
2020-02-15	36.00 (8.00)	- / 22.00 (11) (- / -38.89%)	1.87	67.19%	-	-	-	-	-	7	4	52 (-11)	P	38%	Newc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 82mi	9/14 btn 6.4l Aloysius Lilius 9-6
							---- 120 Day Break ----										
2019-10-18	18.68 (4.80)	- / 18.00 (1) (- / -3.64%)	0.56	49.86%	-	-	1	-	-	√	9	4	57 (-6)	P	50%	Newc C5 3yo+,75 Hcap 3k 82mi	7/13 btn 6.7l Futuristic 9-6
2019-09-30	7.43 (2.52)	- / 5.60 (11) (- / -24.63%)	0.38	47.73%	-	-	1	-	-	√	11	-7	62 (-4)	H	44%	Wolv C4 3yo+,85 Hcap 5k 149mi	6/10 btn 3.2l The Daley Express 9-7
2019-09-11	46.28 (8.00)	- / 7.00 (53) (- / -64.87%)	1.09	50.91%	√	-	-	1	-	-	13	-3	67 (1)	P	64%	Donc C4 3yo+,90 Hcap 7k 38mi	7/18 btn 4.05l Dark Shadow 9-7
2019-08-24	7.97 (2.83)	- / 7.80 (0) (- / -2.13%)	1.06	55.90%	√	-	-	1	-	√	14	5	66 (0)	H	20%	Newm C4 3yo+,90 Hcap 6k 181mi	9/11 btn 4.2l Han Solo Berger 9-1
2019-08-16	12.18 (3.59)	- / 3.85 (47) (- / -68.39%)	1.06	58.94%	√	-	-	1	-	√	14	4	48 (-18)	P	20%	Thirsk C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 20mi	9/11 btn 13.75l Our Little Pony 8-9
2019-07-07	3.08 (1.57)	- / 1.70 (81) (- / -44.81%)	0.35	39.01%	√	-	1	1	-	√	14	-1	50 (-16)	L	75%	Ayr C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 212mi	2/5 btn 1l Harome 9-7

At this point the analysis has favoured **True Hero** and **Nibras Again**, who are both likely to be forward without too much physical cost thanks to their favoured running style and advantageous draw. Whereas **Royal Brave** is less likely to be ran forward and **Antagonise** has a poor draw.

4. Go to All Form and sort by date newest to oldest - see what those that have run recently have done.

Looking at the DSLR for each horse on the Main Race Guide see what filter you would need to apply to get at least one run from each horse.

	#	Horse
☑	7 (2)	Nibras Again [6] D BF
☑	11 (9)	Burtonwood [12] WS C D
☑	2 (7)	James Watt (IRE) [15] D
☑	5 (11)	Buniann (IRE) [35] WS D BF
☑	3 (10)	Antagonize [23]
☑	1 (1)	East Street Revue [34] b C D
☑	10 (3)	Bashiba (IRE) [14] tp¹WS C D
☑	8 (8)	Balancing Act (IRE) [17] D
☑	6 (4)	True Hero [21] pWS3 D
☑	4 (6)	Royal Brave (IRE) [14] D
☐	9 (5)	Lezardrieux [1] D

Buniann and **East Street Revue** both have more than 30 days since the last run, so we can't use the 30-day filter. We'll have to use the next up, which is 90-days.

FILTERS **↻ RESET**

Date: 90d ⊗

Time Filters	Horse Filters	Race Filters

Number of Runs	Date	
Enter x runs	○ 30 days	○ 3 years
[ ] Enter	● 90 days	○ 4 years
	○ 6 months	○ 5 years
	○ 1 year	
	○ 2 years	

Here we want to look at our favoured horses from the process above, but we also want to look out for anything that might indicate a surprise result. So, looking at our favoured horses first you can note the following from the information below.

Nibras Again had the most recent run, where it placed 2nd. It got very low (1.33) In Running and was only beaten by 0.3l by Bay Watch. It is running off the same mark again today but is carrying 7lbs less. Its two most recent Betfair Starting Prices are low (3.77 and 3.11) – the Main Race Guide above also shows it as a BF, indicating that it was a beaten favourite, and its DSLR is only 6 days, indicating that the trainer (and the market) had expected it to win its race on 18 July and has brought it out again quickly while it is still 'race-fit' *this is worth a second look later in the analysis*.

True Hero's last two runs have been poor. Racing in the same class it has finished near the back on both occasions and its In Running odds have been no lower than 9.2. Hovering over the far-right column shows that in those runs it has weakened in the final furlong both times despite being tried over the shorter distance on the most recent occasion. On this basis **True Hero** can be discounted.

Antagonise's most appealing form lines are the Class 4 run at Newcastle on 6th June. Although this is in a higher class, it is on the All-Weather surface at Newcastle, which is markedly different to Good-To-Firm ground at Beverley, so can be dismissed. The next is the run on the 1st July, where it was beaten by **Nibras Again** who finished 3rd to **Antagonise**'s 4th. By scrolling to the D (Draw) column, you can see that the two were drawn next to each other in stalls 2 and 3, so no draw advantage could be expected for either. On this basis, given **Nibras Again** has run well since and has a better draw in today's race **Antagonise** can be discounted.

Royal Brave is another horse that ran on in the 1st July race at Musselburgh, finishing 5th behind **Nibras Again** and **Antagonise**. It is carrying 4lb more than that today, although is running off a mark 2lbs lower. It ran a consistent follow-up speed rating of 67 in its next race on 10th July, but didn't manage to find a place, finishing 4/11 and not trading below 8 In Running. Due to its performance on the 1st being worse than two other preferred horses, one of which has a better draw today and a better Last Time Out run, **Royal Brave** can be discounted.

Horse	Date	BSP (Place)	High (Th) / Low (Tl) (%H / %L)	AE	PRB	RT	C	D	CI	G	R	O	W	Spd (par)	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran/ Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt
Nibras Again	2020-07-18	3.77 (1.85)	- / 1.33 (132) (-/-64.72%)	0.00	0.00%	✓	-	-	-	-	✓	-	7	66 (3)	P	87%	Bath C5 3yo+,75 Hcap 3k 246mi	2/9 btn 0.3l Bay Watch 9-8
Burtonwood	2020-07-12	8.60 (2.84)	- / 8.40 (1) (-/-2.33%)	4.43	95.45%	✓	-	-	-	-	✓	-	-3	60 (-3)	H	37%	Ham C5 4yo+,70 Hcap 3k 203mi	6/9 btn 2.55l Marietta Robusti 9-1
Bashiba	2020-07-10	24.37 (5.70)	- / 25.00 (-1) (-/-2.59%)	4.62	84.00%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	2	-3	62 (-1)	H	50%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 201mi	6/11 btn 6.25l Gowanbuster 9-5
Royal Brave	2020-07-10	24.00 (5.30)	- / 8.00 (34) (-/-66.67%)	4.62	84.00%	✓	-	-	-	-	✓	2	-	67 (4)	H	70%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 186mi	4/11 btn 3.25l Gowanbuster 9-5
James Watt	2020-07-09	6.20 (3.05)	- / 4.20 (19) (-/-32.26%)	0.00	10.00%	✓	-	-	1	-	-	3	-12	57 (-9)	H	33%	Chep C4 4yo+,90 Hcap 5k 231mi	5/7 btn 4.7l Dave Dexter 9-8
Balancing Act	2020-07-07	9.60 (2.94)	- / 6.60 (15) (-/-31.25%)	0.00	77.50%	✓	-	-	-	✓	✓	1	-	61 (-2)	H	66%	Ponte C5 3yo,80 Hcap 3k 60mi	4/10 btn 1.75l Mews House 9-6
True Hero	2020-07-03	13.58 (5.98)	- / 12.00 (3) (-/-11.63%)	4.19	60.27%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	3	-7	50 (-13)	P	20%	Hayd C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 107mi	5/6 btn 14.75l Erissimus Maximus 9-6
Royal Brave	2020-07-01	7.76 (3.98)	- / 7.00 (3) (-/-9.79%)	0.00	77.73%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	2	-4	67 (4)	P	0%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 186mi	5/5 btn 2.4l Primo's Comet 9-3
Nibras Again	2020-07-01	3.11 (1.89)	- / 1.60 (92) (-/-48.55%)	0.00	77.73%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	2	-1	68 (5)	P	50%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 189mi	3/5 btn 2l Primo's Comet 9-3
Antagonize	2020-07-01	5.90 (2.85)	- / 3.35 (32) (-/-43.22%)	0.00	77.73%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	2	-1	68 (5)	P	25%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 163mi	4/5 btn 2.2l Primo's Comet 9-3
Bashiba	2020-06-30	6.54 (2.17)	- / 4.00 (22) (-/-38.64%)	1.95	45.63%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	60 (-3)	P	66%	Muss C5 4yo+,70 Hcap 3k 201mi	3/7 btn 5l Gowanbuster 9-6
James Watt	2020-06-26	17.81 (3.97)	- / 10.00 (15) (-/-43.85%)	0.00	44.42%	✓	-	-	1	✓	✓	5	-10	61 (-5)	H	62%	Donc C4 4yo+,90 Hcap 5k 38mi	4/9 btn 3l National Anthem 9-10
Burtonwood	2020-06-25	3.32 (1.58)	- / 3.25 (1) (-/-2.11%)	0.00	49.53%	✓	-	-	-1	-	-	-1	8	55 (-6)	H	66%	Leic C6 4yo+,60 Hcap 3k 146mi	3/7 btn 2.05l Awsaaf 9-4
East Street Revue	2020-06-20	32.19 (7.20)	- / 21.00 (10) (-/-34.76%)	0.00	55.28%	✓	-	1	1	-	✓	1	-11	62 (-4)	H	70%	Ripon C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 42mi	4/11 btn 4.05l Bossipop 9-3
Buniann	2020-06-19	3.92 (1.71)	- / 3.35 (11) (-/-14.54%)	0.74	49.60%	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-1	59 (-4)	H	33%	Ling C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 260mi	5/7 btn 3.35l Just Glamorous 9-7
Antagonize	2020-06-18	19.50 (5.11)	- / 9.00 (24) (-/-53.85%)	0.62	51.53%	✓	-	1	-	-	✓	4	-3	59 (-4)	P	58%	Redc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 73mi	6/13 btn 4.6l Buccaneers Vault 9-4
True Hero	2020-06-18	20.46 (5.20)	- / 9.20 (24) (-/-55.03%)	0.62	51.53%	✓	-	1	-	-	✓	6	-6	51 (-12)	L	16%	Redc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 52mi	11/13 btn 10.3l Buccaneers Vault 9-4
Burtonwood	2020-06-17	8.50 (3.02)	9.00 (3) / - (5.88% / -)	0.95	52.71%	✓	✓	-	-1	-	✓	-5	-	64 (3)	H	100%	Bev C6 4yo+,65 Hcap 3k 26mi	1/12 by 1.5l Pavers Pride 9-2
Balancing Act	2020-06-17	17.00 (5.21)	- / 17.50 (-1) (-/-2.94%)	0.00	34.31%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	59 (-4)	H	75%	Bev C5 3yo,75 Hcap 3k 81mi	4/13 btn 4.5l Kendred Soul 9-3
Bashiba	2020-06-16	55.00 (13.00)	- / 50.00 (1) (-/-9.09%)	0.87	50.95%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	61 (-2)	H	46%	Thirsk C5 4yo+,70 Hcap 3k 27mi	8/14 btn 4.3l Abate 9-6
Nibras Again	2020-06-16	17.00 (4.66)	- / 9.80 (15) (-/-42.35%)	0.87	50.95%	✓	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	64 (1)	H	76%	Thirsk C5 4yo+,70 Hcap 3k 20mi	4/14 btn 2.55l Abate 9-6
James Watt	2020-06-11	9.75 (3.20)	- / 7.20 (12) (-/-26.15%)	1.38	44.51%	✓	-	-	1	-	-	8	-7	63 (-3)	P	36%	Bev C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 29mi	8/12 btn 6.6l Magical Spirit 9-4
Antagonize	2020-06-06	47.91 (12.50)	- / 8.00 (48) (-/-83.30%)	0.38	57.45%	-	-	2	1	-	-	9	-3	64 (-2)	H	60%	Newc C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 119mi	5/11 btn 6.6l Tadleel 9-5
Royal Brave	2020-06-04	34.21 (7.39)	- / 13.00 (28) (-/-62.00%)	0.60	53.53%	-	-	-	-	-	✓	4	-6	56 (-7)	P	40%	Newc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 86mi	7/11 btn 3.5l Tabaahy 9-3
Buniann	2020-06-04	4.21 (1.82)	- / 2.08 (68) (-/-50.59%)	0.60	53.53%	✓	-	-	-	-	✓	4	-3	61 (-2)	P	80%	Newc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 82mi	3/11 btn 0.5l Tabaahy 9-3

The only other runs of interest above are the only winning run in the list, from **Burtonwood** and the two higher class runs of **James Watt**.

Although **Burtonwood**'s winning run was at the same course, it was in a lower class and it still didn't record a speed rating that beats our current favoured pick, **Nibras Again**.

James Watt was well beaten in its two higher class runs and didn't trade well in either. It will have to carry 12lbs more than its last run and its favoured running style is not advantageous for today's race.

We now have our favourite, **Nibras Again**, and will look for reasons why it couldn't win today.

5. Filter for today's race type and going (note that the going can change through the day, so don't just blindly hit the 'like this race' filter). Also, filter for runs from the last two years to try and get a big enough sample without considering form that a horse isn't able to achieve anymore.
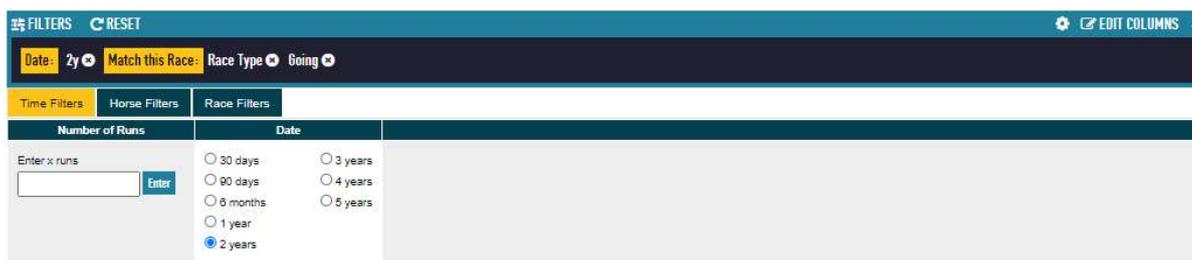
Go to Summary and look if any horse has considerably better PRB compared to its benchmark or the other runners. Look at the fav - is its filtered form better than benchmark.

As you can see below, three horses perform better in these conditions that they do in other conditions, and one of those horses is our current favoured selection. A look at the market now also shows that **Nibras Again** is the favourite and its filtered form is better than its benchmark form, another positive for our choice. Our selection also has the highest winning and placing strike rate under today's conditions.

Horse	BM vs FL	W	P	R	W SR	WP SR	PRB	Form String
Bashiba	Benchmark	5	12	53	9.43	32.08	54.49	44613003351413005263333000481596525342009508344010836
Bashiba	Filtered	1	2	6	16.67	50.00	70.57	525341
Nibras Again	Benchmark	3	10	38	7.89	34.21	57.82	5392554207205935181655283212997679743
Nibras Again	Filtered	2	2	7	28.57	57.14	66.78	1831297
Royal Brave	Benchmark	8	10	59	13.56	30.51	60.39	500034352532331471113431442766651033432 15180488946834486754
Royal Brave	Filtered	0	0	1	0.00	0.00	57.14	4
Burtonwood	Benchmark	8	11	57	14.04	33.33	60.09	85101252148337644159256232684770174761617490 5623288275136
Burtonwood	Filtered	0	1	6	0.00	16.67	54.91	740628
East Street Revue	Benchmark	6	11	44	13.64	38.64	58.30	8021142412824086410005932724009001200 3821044
East Street Revue	Filtered	0	3	5	0.00	60.00	53.50	32038
True Hero	Benchmark	1	4	15	6.67	33.33	46.76	201372256466405
True Hero	Filtered	0	2	4	0.00	50.00	51.86	2356
Balancing Act	Benchmark	1	1	8	12.50	25.00	57.15	65215044
Balancing Act	Filtered	0	0	2	0.00	0.00	50.00	54
James Watt	Benchmark	2	4	20	10.00	30.00	54.18	11030433722392000845
James Watt	Filtered	0	0	4	0.00	0.00	48.68	3304
Antagonize	Benchmark	2	0	7	28.57	28.57	49.05	1105564
Antagonize	Filtered	0	0	1	0.00	0.00	0.00	5
Buniann	Benchmark	2	2	9	22.22	44.44	63.89	731052135
Buniann	Filtered	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	

6. Add the 'Par or better' horse filter and change the time filter to 1 year.

7. Sort All Form by Speed Rating.
   a. Does any horse have a clearly better Speed Rating than the others (is faster) or appear in the list more often (is more consistent)
   b. Look at the AE for the good Speed Ratings, did they come from competitive races or not.

Horse	Date	BSP (Place)	High (Th) / Low (Tl) (%H / %L)	AE	PRB	RT	C	D	Cl	G	R	O	W	Spd (par)	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran / Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt
Nibras Again	2019-09-11	46.28 (8.00)	- / 7.00 (53) (-/-84.87%)	1.09	50.91%	✓	-	-	1	✓	-	13	-3	67 (1)	P	64%	Donc C4 3yo+,90 Hcap 7k 38mi	7/18 btn 4.05l Dark Shadow 9-7
Nibras Again	2019-08-24	7.97 (2.83)	- / 7.80 (0) (-/-2.13%)	1.06	55.90%	✓	-	-	1	✓	✓	14	5	66 (0)	H	20%	Newm C4 3yo+,90 Hcap 6k 181mi	9/11 btn 4.2l Han Solo Berger 9-1
Burtonwood	2019-08-25	10.00 (2.30)	- / 20.00 (-20) (-/ 100.00%)	0.65	45.28%	✓	✓	-	-1	✓	✓	-2	9	65 (4)	H	88%	Bev C6 3yo+,65 Hcap 3k 26mi	2/10 btn 1.5l Archimedes 9-6

Only our pick and Burtonwood have any runs that meet the criteria. Both **Nibras Again**'s runs were in a higher-class race than today, where **Burtonwood**'s was in a lower-class. The AE indicates that the subsequent performances of runners from these races were better in our pick's races too, which suggests that even though **Burtonwood** placed in its race the competition wasn't strong. So, we retain **Nibras Again** as our pick.

8. Now, switch all the filters off and go to Horse Form to look at the history of our selection's races.

Date	I	P	PRB	Course / Class / Type / Prize / Trav	Pos/ Ran / Dist/ Winner/Runner-Up / Wgt	Jockey	Trainer (14/28/56 Day PRBs)	DR	Dist	Gng	Wgt/ HG	OR	SP (Price Movements)	R	W	P	W SR	WP SR
2020-07-18	P	87%	Bath C5 3yo+,75 Hcap 3k 246mi	2/9 btn 0.3l Bay Watch 9-8	Kieran Shoemark	Paul Midgley (50%) (53% / 53% / 53%)	8	5f	Fm	9-10	66	3.50 (5.50 - 5.50 → 4.50)	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%
					---- Travelled 246 to run ----													
2020-07-01	P	50%	Muss C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 189mi	3/5 btn 2l Primo's Comet 9-3	Paul Mulrennan	Paul Midgley (50%) (55% / 55% / 53%)	3	5f	Gd	9-2	68	3.00 (4.00 - 4.00 → 3.50)	4	0	2	0.00%	50.00%
2020-06-16	H	76%	Thirsk C5 4yo+,70 Hcap 3k 20mi	4/14 btn 2.55l Abate 9-6	Graham Lee	Paul Midgley (50%) (48% / 48% / 48%)	14	5f	Gs	9-6	69	15.00 (11.00 - 13.00 → 15.00)	21	3	3	14.29%	28.57%
					---- 98 Day Break ----													
2020-03-10	P	14%	Newc C5 4yo+,80 Hcap 3k 82mi	7/8 btn 4.55l Foxy Forever 9-9	Graham Lee	Paul Midgley (50%) (43% / 47% / 42%)	2	5f	Std	9-3	71	15.00 (13.00 - 13.00 → 15.00)	17	1	3	5.88%	23.53%
2020-02-15	P	38%	Newc C5 4yo+,75 Hcap 3k 82mi	9/14 btn 6.4l Aloysius Lilius 9-6	Dougie Costello	Paul Midgley (50%) (14% / 17% / 28%)	7	5f	Std	9-7	73	21.00 (21.00 - 15.00 → 15.00)	45	10	10	22.22%	44.44%
					---- 120 Day Break ----													
2019-10-18	P	50%	Newc C5 3yo+,75 Hcap 3k 82mi	7/13 btn 6.7l Futuristic 9-6	Paul Mulrennan	Paul Midgley (50%) (53% / 49% / 54%)	13	6f	Std	9-7	75	15.00 (9.00 - 9.00 → 11.00)	47	3	7	6.38%	21.28%
2019-09-30	H	44%	Wolv C4 3yo+,85 Hcap 5k 149mi	6/10 btn 3.2l The Daley Express 9-7	Connor Murtagh (3)	Paul Midgley (50%) (50% / 54% / 56%)	6	5f	Std	8-10	77	8.00 (17.00 - 15.00 → 8.00)	59	2	12	3.39%	23.73%
2019-09-11	P	64%	Donc C4 4yo+,90 Hcap 7k 38mi	7/18 btn 4.05l Dark Shadow 9-7	Connor Murtagh (3)	Paul Midgley (50%) (55% / 53% / 54%)	2	5f	Gf	9-0	79	26.00 (21.00 - 21.00 → 21.00)	90	10	19	11.11%	32.22%
2019-08-24	H	20%	Newm C4 3yo+,90 Hcap 6k 181mi	9/11 btn 4.2l Han Solo Berger 9-1	Hayley Turner	Paul Midgley (50%) (52% / 58% / 54%)	6	5f	Gf	9-8	80	7.00 (11.00 - 11.00 → 12.00)	86	10	20	11.63%	34.88%
2019-08-16	P	20%	Thirsk C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 20mi	9/11 btn 13.75l Our Little Pony 8-9	Kevin Stott	Paul Midgley (50%) (64% / 56% / 55%)	10	5f	Sft	9-7	80	9.00 (7.00 - 6.50 → 7.00)	63	8	12	12.70%	31.75%
2019-07-07	L	75%	Ayr C4 4yo+,85 Hcap 5k 212mi	2/5 btn 1l Harome 9-7	Graham Lee	Paul Midgley (50%) (59% / 58% / 55%)	3	6f	Gf	9-2	80	2.75 (2.10 - 2.16 → 2.25)	30	1	4	3.33%	16.67%
					---- Travelled 212 to run ----													

In the above information there are a few positive indicators for our selection:

a. In the Last Time Out run where the horse was a beaten favourite the price contracted from an evening price of 5.5 to an SP of 3.5, indicating market support for the horse.

b. The Last Time Out run was also on Firm Going – hovering over the Going also indicated that the calculated Actual Going was Good-To-Firm, the same as today's race.

c. The trainer's 14/28/56 day PRBs for the Last Time Out run were all better than their 5 year average, showing that the yard is currently (as the LTO was only 6 days ago) performing well.

d. Travelling 246 miles to Bath seems like a long way to go for a Class 5 Handicap but digging a little deeper shows that one of the horse's wins for the previous trainer was at Bath. So it could be that after a 4th and 3rd place the trainer took the horse back to a track he'd previously won at to get the win. The horse went off favourite but got beaten by 0.3l. So while still race fit and looking to recoup a missed gamble at Bath, the horse is brought out again 6 days later in a similarly suitable race.

9. Next look at the POS/NEG info for the race. Any big reasons to avoid, like trainers first run after a break has a poor S/R or whatever.

| HORSE FORM | ALL FORM | SUMMARY | HORSE STATS | HORSE GOING | POS/ NEG | PACE/ DRAW | FATE OF FAVS | TRN COURSE | JKY COURSE | 14+ DAY TRAINER | TRN/JKY COMBO |

Positive Statistics

#	Horse	Runner Description	PRB	W-R	P&L	Exp	A/E		Chi	50%SR
1	East Street Revue	Horse Form at Course and Distance (5f)	89%	1-3 (33.33%)	£58.80	0.3	4.0	■■■■■■■■■■	-	67%
1	East Street Revue	Trainer/Jockey Combination Form at Course (Turf)	50%	5-54 (9.26%)	£56.54	3.5	1.4	■■■■	-	52%
4	Royal Brave	Jockey Form at Course and Distance (5f)	50%	29-284 (10.21%)	£157.02	24.8	1.2	■■	0.76	44%
5	Buniann	Jockey Form at Course and Distance (5f)	50%	4-41 (9.76%)	£4.99	3.1	1.3	■■■	-	44%
6	True Hero	Jockey Form at Course and Distance (5f)	52%	19-147 (12.93%)	£27.84	12.4	1.5	■■■■■	3.81	35%
6	True Hero	Trainer Form at Course and Distance (5f)	47%	26-329 (7.9%)	£4.17	23.5	1.1	■	0.28	29%
6	True Hero	Horse Lower Than 50% In Running (on the Flat)		11-15 (73.33%)	£0	0	0		-	
7	Nibras Again	Break Returners in July (less than 7 days)	71%	3-10 (30%)	£4.31	1.6	1.9	■■■■■■■■■	-	60%
7	Nibras Again	Break Returners (less than 7 days)	62%	11-48 (22.92%)	£22.61	7.0	1.6	■■■■■■	2.71	52%
7	Nibras Again	Sire Form at Course and Distance (5f)	57%	25-178 (14.04%)	£10.85	20.2	1.2	■■	1.27	51%
8	Balancing Act	Trainer Form at Course and Distance (5f)	47%	6-52 (11.54%)	£30.52	3.9	1.5	■■■■■	-	35%
10	Bashiba	Horse Form at Course and Distance (5f)	52%	1-4 (25%)	£5.79	0.3	3.2	■■■■■■■■■	-	50%
10	Bashiba	Jockey Form at Course and Distance (5f)	50%	8-69 (11.59%)	£-14.18	6.7	1.2	■■	0.3	57%
10	Bashiba	Trainer Form at Course and Distance (5f)	47%	26-329 (7.9%)	£4.17	23.5	1.1	■	0.28	29%
11	Burtonwood	Trainer Form at Course and Distance (5f)	67%	9-37 (24.32%)	£8.99	5.1	1.8	■■■■■■■■	3.53	35%

Negative Statistics

#	Horse	Runner Description	PRB	W-R	P&L	Exp	A/E		Chi	50%SR
10	Bashiba	Sire 1st Time Headgear (Cheek Pieces)	41%	6-94 (6.38%)	£27.66	7.7	0.8	●●	0.4	38%

Nibras Again appears to have the strongest positive stats, where all 3 have green PRB and green 50% SR. Nothing here to deter us from our selection.

10. Look at trainer/jockey and combined course and combination performance. Any warning bells?

Trainer Course Statistics

#	Horse	Trainer	PRB	W-P-R (%)	Exp	A/E	5 Year	Chi	50%SR
10	Bashiba (IRE)	Nigel Tinkler	49%	21-28-169 (12%)	14.2	1.5	■■■■	3.54	43%
6	True Hero	Nigel Tinkler	49%	21-28-169 (12%)	14.2	1.5	■■■■■	3.54	43%
11	Burtonwood	Julie Camacho	59%	8-9-48 (17%)	5.6	1.4	■■■■	1.19	29%
8	Balancing Act (IRE)	Jedd O'Keeffe	52%	8-8-52 (15%)	6.2	1.3	■■■	0.62	37%
1	East Street Revue	Tim Easterby	49%	40-70-395 (10%)	41.6	1.0		0.06	45%
4	Royal Brave (IRE)	Rebecca Bastiman	52%	8-19-93 (9%)	8.4	1.0		0.02	48%
7	Nibras Again	Paul Midgley	56%	10-25-110 (9%)	10.7	0.9	●	0.06	48%
2	James Watt (IRE)	Paul Midgley	56%	10-25-110 (9%)	10.7	0.9	●	0.06	48%
5	Buniann (IRE)	Paul Midgley	56%	10-25-110 (9%)	10.7	0.9	●	0.06	48%
3	Antagonize	Bryan Smart	56%	10-28-111 (9%)	12.0	0.8	●●	0.38	43%

Jockey Course Statistics

#	Horse	Jockey	PRB	W-P-R (%)	Exp	A/E	5 Year	Chi	50%SR
7	Nibras Again	Daniel Tudhope	63%	45-49-188 (24%)	33.6	1.3	■■■	4.73	57%
5	Buniann (IRE)	Ben Robinson	50%	8-14-83 (10%)	6.3	1.3	■■■	0.5	46%
1	East Street Revue	Duran Fentiman	46%	6-20-83 (7%)	4.6	1.3	■■■	-	46%
2	James Watt (IRE)	Paul Mulrennan	53%	23-31-177 (13%)	23.1	1.0		0	47%
4	Royal Brave (IRE)	Tom Eaves	45%	16-31-208 (8%)	15.7	1.0		0.01	51%
3	Antagonize	Graham Lee	54%	22-44-201 (11%)	24.0	0.9	●	0.19	38%
10	Bashiba (IRE)	Jason Hart	50%	11-17-107 (10%)	11.9	0.9	●	0.07	44%
6	True Hero	Royston Ffrench	48%	1-7-34 (3%)	1.9	0.5	●●●●●	-	59%
11	Burtonwood	Cieren Fallon	0%	0-0-0 (0%)	0.0	0.0		-	0%
8	Balancing Act (IRE)	Megan Nicholls	45%	0-2-13 (0%)	1.0	0.0		-	39%

Trainer 14+ Day Statistics

#	Horse	Trainer	Trend	PRB	W-P-R (%)	Exp	A/E	50%SR	14 Day
7	Nibras Again	Paul Midgley	╌╌╌╱	57%	7-5-32 (22%)	3.8	1.8	44%	■■■■■■■
2	James Watt (IRE)	Paul Midgley	╌╌╌╱	57%	7-5-32 (22%)	3.8	1.8	44%	■■■■■■■
5	Buniann (IRE)	Paul Midgley	╌╌╌╱	57%	7-5-32 (22%)	3.8	1.8	44%	■■■■■■■
8	Balancing Act (IRE)	Jedd O'Keeffe	╲╱	52%	2-5-18 (11%)	1.7	1.2	50%	■■
3	Antagonize	Bryan Smart	••••	59%	1-4-12 (8%)	0.9	1.1	58%	■
10	Bashiba (IRE)	Nigel Tinkler	╌╌╌╱	42%	3-2-37 (8%)	2.8	1.1	38%	■
6	True Hero	Nigel Tinkler	╌╌╌╱	42%	3-2-37 (8%)	2.8	1.1	38%	■
1	East Street Revue	Tim Easterby	╌╌╌╱	48%	5-13-84 (6%)	6.6	0.8	38%	●●
11	Burtonwood	Julie Camacho	╲╲	63%	1-3-14 (7%)	1.7	0.6	43%	●●●●
4	Royal Brave (IRE)	Rebecca Bastiman	╲	38%	0-1-13 (0%)	0.8	0.0	54%	

Trainer and Jockey Statistics

#	Horse	Trainer / Jockey	PRB	W-P-R (%)	Exp	A/E	5 Year	Chi	50%SR
7	Nibras Again	Paul Midgley / Daniel Tudhope	79%	4-5-14 (29%)	1.9	2.2	■■■■■■■■■	-	71%
5	Buniann (IRE)	Paul Midgley / Ben Robinson	51%	3-5-26 (12%)	2.3	1.3	■■■	-	42%
3	Antagonize	Bryan Smart / Graham Lee	51%	43-82-391 (11%)	38.9	1.1	■	0.48	39%
1	East Street Revue	Tim Easterby / Duran Fentiman	47%	46-118-642 (7%)	43.4	1.1	■	0.17	53%
6	True Hero	Nigel Tinkler / Royston Ffrench	45%	1-1-16 (6%)	0.9	1.1	■	-	38%
2	James Watt (IRE)	Paul Midgley / Paul Mulrennan	54%	24-44-232 (10%)	25.4	0.9	●	0.09	47%
8	Balancing Act (IRE)	Jedd O'Keeffe / Megan Nicholls	47%	1-1-10 (10%)	1.1	0.9	●	-	30%
11	Burtonwood	Julie Camacho / Cieren Fallon	0%	0-0-0 (0%)	0.0	0.0		-	0%
10	Bashiba (IRE)	Nigel Tinkler / Jason Hart	32%	0-2-14 (0%)	0.8	0.0		-	36%
4	Royal Brave (IRE)	Rebecca Bastiman / Tom Eaves	41%	0-1-29 (0%)	1.1	0.0		-	48%

The trainer course stats are the only ones that aren't a very strong positive, and this is most likely due to a good record at the course being common knowledge and priced in. The Jockey is the best in the field. The Trainer's 14-day strike rate, although over a small sample, is strongest and the Jockey and the Trainer work well together.

In summary, **Nibras Again** looks to be the best drawn horse with a suitable running style, a trainer in form, a strong Jockey booking, market support and some positive indicators that a performance is expected and so retains selection. At a BSP of 2.82 the price isn't great, but looking at previous wins he traded higher than BSP every time, up to 4.8 the last time he started as favourite with a BSP of 2.64, so it may be possible to get a better price In Running.

Race Result

12:50 Beverley 24 Jul 2020
Jaimie Kerr Memorial Handicap
Class 5 | 3YO plus
Winner £3,493 - 10 ran

	Full Result				Future Form	

Position	Dist Btn	Horse	SP	Age / Wt	OR	Jockey / Trainer
1		7. NIBRAS AGAIN (2) — chased leaders, not clear run from inside final 2f until switched sharply right and squeezed through over 1f out, ran on to lead post	13/8 Fav	6 9-3	66 2	D Tudhope / P T Midgley
2	nse	11. BURTONWOOD (9) — held up towards rear, good headway on outside halfway, ran on inside final furlong, led final 100 yards, headed post	14/1	8 8-9	61 1	Connor Murtagh (3) / Miss J A Camacho
3	½	8. BALANCING ACT (IRE) (8) — chased leaders on outside, ridden over 1f out, disputing lead and every chance inside final furlong, headed towards finish, lost 2nd close home	5/1 J2Fav	3 8-13	69	Megan Nicholls (3) / Jedd O'Keeffe
4	½	5. BUNIANN (IRE) (11) — steadied and switched right start, held up well in rear, headway on wide outside over 1f out, ran on well towards finish, never able to challenge	14/1	4 9-6	69	Ben Robinson / P T Midgley
5	¾	4. ROYAL BRAVE (IRE) (6) — held up in last pair, good headway on rail 2f out, chased leaders over 1f out, ran on	25/1	9 9-7	70	T Eaves / Rebecca Bastiman
6	hd	3. ANTAGONIZE (10) — raced keenly, chased leader, ridden and every chance inside final furlong, weakened towards finish	10/1	4 9-8	71	G Lee / B Smart
7	1¼	2. JAMES WATT (IRE) (7) — towards rear, not clear run over 1f out, kept on towards finish, never able to challenge	10/1	4 9-11	74	P Mulrennan / P T Midgley
8	nse	6. TRUE HERO (4) — led, ridden over 1f out, headed inside final furlong, weakened towards finish	20/1	4 9-3 p	66	R Ffrench / N Tinkler
9	¾	10. BASHIBA (IRE) (3) — mid-division, pushed along halfway, never dangerous	22/1	9 8-13 t p¹	62	Jason Hart / N Tinkler
10	1¼	1. EAST STREET REVUE (1) — mid-division on inside, good headway tracking leaders when badly hampered over 1f out, not recover	5/1 J2Fav	7 9-12 b	75	D Fentiman / T D Easterby