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ROSEHILL RATED MARKETS – 24th March 2018

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WEATHER & TRACK

Rail Pos: +2m entire circuit

Expected: Heavy 8 – Soft 7

Forecast: Mostly sunny 29c on Saturday.

Pattern: Expect the track to race well in wet conditions with winners able to come from forward and back. The best going is likely to be well off the fence though.

12:15 Race 1 1200m 3YO LR SWP

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Perast	\$21	4.8%	6	
2	One More Honey	\$34	2.9%	8	
3	I Am Excited	\$3.2	31.3%	1	Flying, has best ratings
5	Brave Song	\$17	5.9%	5	
6	Isaurian	\$5.0	20.0%	2	Promising type. Maps well
7	Acqume	\$9.0	11.1%	4	
8	Za Zi Ba	\$31	3.2%	7	
9	Manicure	\$34	2.9%	8	
10	Twilight Song	\$101	1.0%	10	
11	Tarabai	\$6.0	16.7%	3	Promising type. Will get back

EXPECTED PACE:

AVERAGE - Twilight Song (1), Za Zi Ba (2)

CONFIDENCE: AVERAGE

SELECTIONS:

3. I Am Excited:

Shes' returned this preparation in career best form with consecutive new peaks and clearly the best ratings in this race. There's more depth to this race, but she's still clearly on top and as we've seen in two runs this preparation, she has the turn of foot to give away a few lengths, even if the pace is not suitable. I would had preferred had she drawn wider than (3) with the way the track is likely to play, but first use of the surface is a plus.

6. Isaurian:

Unbeaten in two starts and looks an improving type. Stepping up from 1000m last start to 1200m here with the prospect of an ideal run just off the lead looks an ideal scenario to go to a new peak beyond his 94.7 rating last start and that can put him in the finish.

DON'T LIKE:

12:55 Race 2 1900m 3YO+ F&M Gp3 SWP

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Montoyas Secret	\$51	2.0%	11	
2	Consommateur	\$14	7.1%	6	Don't like get back style from inside draw
3	Karavali	\$8.0	12.5%	3	
4	Harlow Gold	\$8.5	11.8%	4	Ratings to win, but query 1900m 2nd up
5	Oklahoma Girl	\$15	6.7%	7	Potential big improver here 1900m on wet
6	Perfect Rhyme	\$11	9.1%	5	
7	Nettoyer	\$4.0	25.0%	1	1900m + wet ideal but maps back. No edge \$2.9
8	The Pinnacle	\$7.0	14.3%	2	Racing well, looking for this trip
9	Pioneering	\$34	2.9%	9	
10	Ceylon	\$17	5.7%	8	
11	Domed	\$34	2.9%	9	This is much harder. Awkward map
12	La Courbette	\$151	0.7%	12	
13	Ardanza	\$501	0.2%	13	

EXPECTED PACE:

BELOW AVERAGE - Pioneering (10)

CONFIDENCE: LOW

SELECTIONS:

NIL - This is a very competitive race with a number of them that could win without surprising at all. Nettoyer deserves to be fav but is no value in early markets. The likes of Karavali and The Pinnacle have claims among others.

DON'T LIKE:

2. Consommateur:

Her first up run at Flemington over 1400m was good and 1900m on wet ground is suitable, but she has a get back style and is drawn barrier 1. History shows on this type of track those horses lose more than 30% on turnover, even when in the market. Given I also find it hard to like her that much on ratings, I have to think she's terrible value.

1:30 Race 3 2400m 3YO+ Gp3 HCP

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
2	Lord Fandango	\$6.0	16.7%	2	
3	Singing	\$12	8.3%	6	
4	Master Of Arts	\$7.0	14.3%	3	Soft track but plus. Can reach winning rating
5	Patrick Erin	\$11	9.1%	5	Can improve on LS, but needs to
6	Alward	\$4.2	23.8%	1	Returned in great form. Hard to beat
7	Admiral Jello	\$8.0	12.5%	4	Top run Canb Cup. Can run very well at odds
8	Araldo Junior	\$51	2.0%	9	
9	Imperial Aviator	\$51	2.0%	9	
10	Multitude	\$21	4.8%	8	
11	The Getaway	\$151	0.7%	11	
12	Peribsen	\$16	6.3%	7	Needs to peak again. Will give a big start
13	The Bandit	\$301	0.3%	12	
14	Equipped	\$501	0.2%	13	

EXPECTED PACE:

GENUINE - Singing (9), Multitude (13)

CONFIDENCE: LOW

SELECTIONS:

NIL - This is a very evenly matched race with plenty of chances. Alward has returned in career best form and is hard to beat but \$3.40 has no value edge at the moment. There's plenty of other threats to him that can also reach the rating that will be required to win this race and while they might not have as good a chance of winning, they're arguably better value. Tricky race.

DON'T LIKE:

12. Peribsen:

It was a solid win over 2400m on soft LS at this track, but his 96.5 rating from that race is at least 1.5L below the winning standard needed here in a race with much more depth i.e. number of horses that can reach the level needed to win. Combined with that the fact he's a backmarker likely to be giving away a big start and \$8.50 seems particularly poor value.

2:05 Race 4 2000m 3YO+ Gp1 WFA

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Gailo Chop	\$2.3	43.5%	1	Very hard to beat but odds-on far too short
2	Classic Uniform	\$23	4.3%	5	
3	Harlem	\$13	7.7%	3	Strong rating LS but likely to regress
4	Prized Icon	\$23	4.3%	5	Hates it wet
5	Ventura Storm	\$14	7.1%	4	Competitive LS rating. May need 2400m now
6	Sarrasin	\$31	3.2%	8	
8	Single Gaze	\$3.8	26.3%	2	In career best form. Gets a great run. Good wet
9	Consensus	\$23	4.3%	5	

EXPECTED PACE:

GENUINE - Classic Uniform (3), Gailo Chop (4)

CONFIDENCE: AVERAGE

SELECTIONS:

8. Single Gaze:

She's arguably returned better than ever this preparation with a 103.5 rating when second to Gailo Chop 2 runs ago and then a 100.8 last start, which carried much more merit given she got back and made her run in clearly the worst part of the Flemington straight. This time last year she was running equal peak ratings on Soft / Heavy and while barrier 1 isn't ideal on this track, she does look to tag a good speed the entire trip and will be there ready to get off the fence and stake her claim after turning for home. I much prefer her at the current market price than \$1.80 about Gailo Chop

1. Gailo Chop:

He regressed from his big 105.5 two runs ago to 102.9 LS which is still very hard to be here, he likes wet ground and will be up on pace. I just can't find him anywhere near the odds-on price he is in the market. I don't want to knock him because he has plenty going for him here and may actually drift on the day to a much fairer quote.

DON'T LIKE:

2:45 Race 5 1500m 3YO+ Gp1 WFA

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Happy Clapper	\$17	5.9%	2	\$2.50 in Winx out market
2	Clearly Innocent	\$126	0.8%	5	\$16 in Winx out market
3	Crack Me Up	\$126	0.8%	5	\$16 in Winx out market
4	Winx	\$1.15	87.0%	1	Dominant - but is a different race to last time
5	Invincible Gem	\$51	2.0%	4	\$7.50 in Winx out market
6	Kementari	\$21	4.8%	3	\$3.00 in Winx out market

EXPECTED PACE:

SLOW - Invincible Gem (1)

CONFIDENCE: AVERAGE

SELECTIONS:

4. Winx:

Picks herself. What I will say was that last start she got her ideal strong pace and soft track against vastly inferior opposition. This is highly likely to be a very different race... slowly run with a 600m sprint against a couple of superior types to what she met last start. She's still rightly a very long odd-on favourite, but there's potential for Happy Clapper and Kementari to at least make her work for it.

1. Happy Clapper:

His 105.5 first up rating was an outstanding win. With a previous 104 on Soft I don't think the track condition is any concern for him and what he does have is a very fast 600m sprint, which is likely to become the essence of this race. Winx would need to under-perform in order for him to beat her, but he's around \$3.00 in Winx out markets with Kementari \$1.70 which seems incorrect to me. I think he's a slightly better chance than Kementari to run 2nd.

DON'T LIKE:

6. Kementari:

He's a high quality 3 year old, but as a 2 x 104 rater he's a number of lengths behind Winx and even just off Happy Clapper's last start performance. He did run a new peak at the time on soft, so he is likely to still run very well here, but \$6.50 to beat the worlds best horse who has a equal career peak on soft / heavy ground is massively under the odds.

3:25 Race 6 2000m 3YO Gp1 SW

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Ace High	\$5.0	20.0%	1	Suited to 2000m but little ? S7-H8 ground
2	Vin De Dance	\$8.0	12.5%	3	NZ Derby winner, always respect
3	Age Of Fire	\$101	1.0%	13	
4	Cliffs Edge	\$10.0	10.0%	5	Ratings up to it but lead barrier 1 a negative
5	Mongolianconqueror	\$23	4.3%	7	
6	Tangled	\$501	0.2%	17	
7	Capital Gain	\$101	1.0%	13	
8	Dargento	\$7.0	14.3%	2	Solid ratings - decent chance
9	Villermont	\$26	3.8%	8	
10	Kaonic	\$15	6.7%	6	Solid in Rand Guineas. Not hopeless
11	The Lord Mayor	\$41	2.4%	11	
12	Endowment	\$101	1.0%	13	
13	Mission Hill	\$26	3.8%	8	
14	Main Stage	\$31	3.2%	10	
15	Furore	\$8.5	11.8%	4	Promising staying 3YO that can run a big race
16	So You Win	\$126	0.8%	16	
17	Condor	\$41	2.4%	11	
18	Terwilliker	\$999	0.1%	18	

EXPECTED PACE:

ABOVE AVERAGE - Cliffs Edge (1), Condor (16)

CONFIDENCE: AVERAGE

SELECTIONS:

15. Furore:

We've been following this 3YO in our Blinkers Off column since he won at Cessnock on 5th Feb and he's subsequently put together two very impressive wins at the Provincials. Both of those races were slowly run and if anything, I feel that they limited his ability to display his full potential, even though he was still winning easily. The quality of his sectionals benchmark around some genuine Group class 3YO's of prior years and I suspect that a more genuine run race is going to allow him to find his bottom and display his full rating potential. His figures at Gosford on Soft were outstanding so I can't be worried about a wet track here and barrier 6 is perfect to get an ideal run forward of midfield. This is a massive jump in class, but for better or worse I'm happy to follow my instincts that he's capable of being very competitive in this type of race. At an assessment of \$9 I can't be confident of winning, but I think he's capable of running very well and going close / running a place (approx \$3 place assessed price.)

DON'T LIKE:

4:10 Race 7 1200m 2YO Gp1 SW

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Written By	\$5.0	20.0%	1	Strong sustained speed, best LS rating
2	Santos	\$14	7.1%	6	Query much lower LS rating on soft
3	Aylmerton	\$18	5.6%	7	Needs to improve again off Todman
4	Long Leaf	\$151	0.7%	12	
5	Performer	\$9.0	11.1%	4	Query runner. Troubled prep but must respect
6	Ef Troop	\$18	5.6%	7	
7	Prairie Fire	\$501	0.2%	14	
8	Sandbar	\$13	7.7%	5	Spiked to big rating LS. Can he hold that?
10	Sunlight	\$5.5	18.2%	2	Consistent, maps well. Slight ? Last start rating
11	Estijaab	\$7.5	13.3%	3	Best ratings are top class. Great value chance
12	Oohood	\$31	3.2%	10	
13	Fiesta	\$101	1.0%	11	
14	Sizzling Belle	\$501	0.2%	14	
15	Seabrook	\$18	5.6%	7	Needs a big new peak on last start
16	Secret Lady	\$501	0.2%	14	
17	Qafila	\$301	0.3%	13	

EXPECTED PACE:

SOLID - Ef Troop (2), Written By (4), Estijaab (17)

CONFIDENCE: AVERAGE

SELECTIONS:

11. Estijaab:

She looks the forgotten horse here. Two starts ago she was attacked on the lead, showed great fight and was only just run down by Sunlight in a rating that is likely good enough to win or at least be right in the finish here. Last start she rated about 1 length lower, but still won the G2 Reisling, a race that has provided six of the last seven Fillies to win the Golden Slipper. Four of those six winners rated below their peak in the Reisling before rebounding on grand final day, including the Hawkes team's two most recent winners Mossfun (2014) and Forensics (2007). The wide draw for a pace runner seems a disadvantage, but in these conditions at Rosehill there has historically been a big betting edge on wide drawn pace runners and 13 of the last 30 Slipper winners have drawn a double digit barrier, so I can't possibly knock Estijaab on that reason alone. In any case, the market is providing more than fair compensation for the risk. This is a very open race with a number of horses that can win without surprising, but Estijaab is the one that looks clear value in the market.

A quick comment on others: SUNLIGHT: Top filly, but I do have a query about the quality of her rating last week and the fact she's had plenty of hard racing. PERFORMER: Breeders Plate win last year stamped him as a Slipper Colt, but a big query over last start throwing Bowman. He did look much better trialing in wet with Blinkers on, so I have to respect his talent. SANTOS: I was a big fan of this horse, but then he was just a fair win in the Skyline and rated down at a time he needed to be stamping his Slipper credentials. I may be reading too much into this, but I also have a query why Gai went to that race with 21 days to today when the Todman has been the key lead up for her good Colts in the past and worked very successfully. That might suggest she and Adrian have some niggling concerns about him and wanted that extra time. SANDBAR: Ran a super competitive rating behind Written By LS, but his SP and previous form suggests he's more like to regress than hold / improve. AYL MERTON: Surprise winner of the Todman but the fact he started a big price in that race and got a dream run raises a ? if he can run another clear new peak to win this.

DON'T LIKE:

4:50 Race 8 1100m 3YO+ Gp1 HCP

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Le Romain	\$41	2.4%	6	
2	Jungle Edge	\$5.5	18.2%	4	Right in the mix - loves it wet
3	In Her Time	\$4.0	25.0%	1	Top class sprint mare. Draw no concern
5	English	\$23	4.3%	5	
6	Takedown	\$301	0.3%	10	
7	Ball Of Muscle	\$61	1.6%	8	
10	Snitty Kitty	\$5.0	20.0%	3	Very good Oakleigh Plate. Right in this
11	Derryn	\$41	2.4%	6	
12	Lady Esprit	\$81	1.2%	9	
13	Viridine	\$4.0	25.0%	1	Can improve sharply off last start
15	The Mission	\$401	0.2%	11	

EXPECTED PACE:

ABOVE AVERAGE - Ball Of Muscle (1), Snitty Kitty (5), Jungle Edge (6)

CONFIDENCE: AVERAGE

SELECTIONS:

13. Viridine:

His first up run in the G2 Challenge Stakes at WFA had plenty of hidden merit after giving away 8-9L start at the 600m after a below average lead speed and running home in very fast sectionals. His individual figures benchmark around some very good horses and he drops to a handicap race here with 5kg less than WFA. Add to that his natural scope to improve, much better pace up front in this race and a wide draw which is likely to be suitable by this stage of the day and he looks a leading chance at a decent price.

3. In Her Time:

She's a top class Sprinting mare that resumes here with a 105.7 from both her 1st up and 2nd up runs last preparation, which are likely good enough to win or at least be right in the finish of this race. She presents as a top chance, all be it no real value in current markets (that may change on the day.)

DON'T LIKE:

5:30 Race 9 1200m 3YO+ F&M Gp3 HCP

#	Name	Rated	%	Rank	Comment
1	Nancy	\$101	1.0%	12	
2	Faraway Town	\$26	3.8%	8	
3	Sugar Bella	\$6.0	16.7%	2	Not sure inside draw good this stage of day
4	Tulip	\$10.0	10.0%	4	Assuming she'll settle back. Tough task
5	Insensata	\$25	4.0%	7	
6	Quilista	\$3.0	33.3%	1	Outstanding LS performance. Quick back up
8	Fragonard	\$16	6.3%	5	
9	Hetty Heights	\$81	1.2%	11	
10	Miss Que	\$9.0	11.1%	3	Very competitive LS rating. Right draw
11	Slow Burn	\$16	6.3%	5	
13	Star Reflection	\$61	1.6%	10	
14	Missile Coda	\$26	3.8%	8	
17	Conchita	\$201	0.5%	14	
18	Witches	\$101	1.0%	12	

EXPECTED PACE:

GENUINE - Quilista (6), Conchita (9)

CONFIDENCE: AVERAGE

SELECTIONS:

6. Quilista:

She exploded to a big new peak last week at Flemington with an outstanding display of sustained speed. She's likely to come back off that a bit here, but has plenty of rating) points up her sleeve to still win. Earlier in her career she ran close enough to an equal career peak (at the time) on Soft 7, so a wet track appears no concern. She'll race up near the lead.

DON'T LIKE:

4. Tulip:

She's a smart Filly and brings a 97.7 last start and 99.9 prior that can certainly win this, but they've been achieved from favourable draws, suitable pace and in-run scenarios. This race is an entirely different set up and history suggests from that draw she'll be giving away 5L+ head start. I have to forecast her to rate lower here and on that basis \$5.50 is poor value.

3. Sugar Bella:

Her last win was outstanding and there's no doubt she has the talent to win this race. However by this stage of the day barrier 3 is likely to be a significant disadvantage and historically, midfield type horses from inside draws on this type of Rosehill track don't win anywhere often enough to justify their price. There's no doubt she can still win but the \$3.30 in the current market assumes peak form and an ideal in-run scenario, which isn't the case.