

TUE 14

CHAMPIONS DAY

13:30

Sky Bet Supreme

Your shortlist

14:10

Sporting Life Arkle

Your shortlist

14:50

Ultima Handicap Chase

Your shortlist

15:30

FEATURE RACE
Champion Hurdle

Your shortlist

16:10

Mares' Hurdle

Your shortlist

16:50

Fred Winter

Your shortlist

17:30

National Hunt Chase

Your shortlist

WED 15

FESTIVAL DAY

Ballymore Novices' Hurdle

Your shortlist

Brown Advisory

Your shortlist

Coral Cup

Your shortlist

FEATURE RACE
Champion Chase

Your shortlist

Cross Country Chase

Your shortlist

Grand Annual

Your shortlist

Champion Bumper

Your shortlist

THUR 16

ST PATRICK'S DAY

Turners Novices' Chase

Your shortlist

Pertemps Final

Your shortlist

Ryanair Chase

Your shortlist

FEATURE RACE
Paddy Power Stayers' Hurdle

Your shortlist

Plate Handicap Chase

Your shortlist

Mares' Novices' Hurdle

Your shortlist

Fulke Walwyn Kim Muir

Your shortlist

FRI 17

GOLD CUP DAY

Triumph Hurdle

Your shortlist

County Hurdle

Your shortlist

Albert Bartlett

Your shortlist

FEATURE RACE
Gold Cup

Your shortlist

Hunters' Chase

Your shortlist

Mrs Paddy Power Chase

Your shortlist

Martin Pipe Handicap Hurdle

Your shortlist

SPORTING LIFE
CHELtenham
FESTIVAL 2023



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SPORTING LIFE CHELTENHAM FESTIVAL 2023

LEADING TRAINERS

Festival winners in last 5 years

34

Willie Mullins

20

Gordon Elliott

14

Nicky Henderson

14

Henry De Bromhead

LEADING JOCKEYS

Festival winners in last 5 years

17

Paul Townend

12

Rachael Blackmore

9

Nico de Boinville

9

Jack Kennedy

LEADING TRAINER - JOCKEY COMBO

in last 10 years

TRAINER	JOCKEY	EXP WINS	RUNNERS	WINS	STRIKE RATE	RUN TO FORM
Willie Mullins	Paul Townend	19.5	135	21	15.6%	58.5%
Nicky Henderson	Nico de Boinville	8.6	86	14	16.3%	51.2%
Henry de Bromhead	Rachael Blackmore	6.4	52	10	19.2%	46.2%
Gordon Elliott	Davy Russell	6.3	58	7	12.1%	58.6%
Gordon Elliott	Jack Kennedy	5.6	47	6	12.8%	46.8%
Gordon Elliott	Jamie Codd	2.9	21	6	28.6%	71.4%
Willie Mullins	Patrick Mullins	5.3	51	5	9.8%	54.9%
Paul Nicholls	Sam Twiston-Davies	3.5	54	4	7.4%	33.3%
Dan Skelton	Harry Skelton	4.3	71	3	4.2%	62.0%



Expected winners

The number of winners predicted by their starting prices

Timeform Run to Form %

The percentage of a trainers' horses that have run to or surpassed the level of form expected pre-race according to Timeform analysis and data

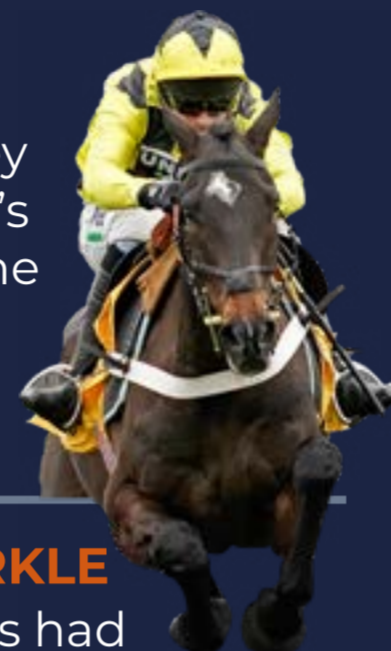
Strike rate

The percentage of wins to the number of races competed in

KEY STATS

OVER-PERFORMING JOCKEY

Cheltenham brings out the best in jockey Nico de Boinville, he's over performed at the Festival, delivering **15 wins** from an expected **9**



SPORTING LIFE ARKLE

Nicky Henderson has had **4 winners** and **3 places** from just 12 Arkle runners since 2010

GOLD CUP

From the past **10** renewals there have been **7 winners** out of 80 runners that hadn't previously contested the race (market expectation was 6 winners)

CHAMPION HURDLE

5 of the 7 odds-on favourites for the Champion Hurdle since 2010 went on to win

A WINNING PARTNERSHIP

The Gordon Elliott and Jamie Codd partnership is Cheltenham's most successful in terms of **Timeform RTF at 71.4%**



RYANAIR CHASE

7 yos have a good record in the race, with **6 winners** and **7 places** from just 27 starters since 2010

BEST RACE FOR FAVOURITES

The Arkle and Champion Hurdle have had **8** winning favourites since 2010

WORST RACE FOR FAVOURITES

Since 2010, the Coral Cup, Martin Pipe and Ultima had just **1** winning favourite

2022

WAS MULLINS' MOST SUCCESSFUL CHELTENHAM

10 WINNERS

FROM AN EXPECTED 8.7

HIS BEST STRIKE RATE **15.9%**



Mullins **won 8 Mares' Hurdles** in a row between 2009 and 2016 but he has landed just one (*Benie Des Dieux*, 2018) of the **last 6 runnings**



He trained the first 5 winners of the **Mares' Novices' Hurdle** (2016-2020) but in the last 2 years he has sent over 10 runners with a best finishing position of third (*Grangee*, 2022)

The Sporting Life Arkle is where Mullins over performs,

4 WINS

FROM AN EXPECTED 3, FROM JUST

12 RUNNERS

WILLIE MULLINS

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