



THRILLING RACING ON FESTIVAL TRIALS DAY AT CHELTENHAM

Cheltenham's £100,000 Grade Two Argento Chase, run over three miles, one and a half furlongs, is the highlight of Cheltenham's Festival Trials Day on Saturday, January 30, 2010 - the final day of racing at Prestbury Park before The Festival in March.

The Argento Chase, due off at 2.35pm, often has a strong influence on the chasing championship, the totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup. Last season, the Colin Tizzard-trained Joe Lively rallied gamely to see off Halcon Genelardais in a high-class renewal, with Tidal Bay clinching third spot.

The 2008 race saw Neptune Collonges finish third to Knowhere prior to filling the same berth behind stablemates Denman and Kauto Star in the totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup, while runner-up Our Vic went on to Festival glory in the Ryanair Chase. Neptune Collonges subsequently landed a pair of Grade Ones in Ireland before finishing fourth to Kauto Star in the 2009 totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup.

In 2007, Cheltenham specialist Exotic Dancer was successful prior to finding only Kauto Star too good in the totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup.

Three of the last 14 runnings of the Argento Chase have generated the winner of the totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup in the same season. The 2000 Argento Chase was won by the Noel Chance-trained Looks Like Trouble, who returned to Prestbury Park two months later to capture chasing's top event.

The 1999 renewal saw See More Business, who had been successful in the 1998 Argento Chase, finish third to Cyfor Malta and the Paul Nicholls-trained chaser then captured the totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup.

See More Business also landed the Argento Chase in 2001 but was denied the opportunity to win the Gold Cup again when that year's Festival was cancelled because of the foot and mouth outbreak. The fine chaser ran well to be third in the 2002 totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup

One Man triumphed in the 1997 Argento Chase, the first occasion that the great chaser won at Cheltenham and, after his sixth in that year's Gold Cup, he returned to Prestbury Park in 1998 to win the Seasons Holidays Queen Mother Champion Chase over two miles at The Festival.

The 1995 Argento Chase went to Master Oats, who beat the previous year's heroine Dubacilla by 15 lengths. The pair returned to the course two months later to compete in the totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup, filling the same positions and by exactly the same margin.

The other races on Saturday, January 30, are headed by the £50,000 Grade Two Betfair Cleeve Hurdle (3.45pm), which was increased in distance to three miles in 2005, having previously been run over an extended two and a half miles.

Last season, a fantastic renewal saw Big Buck's defeat odds-on favourite Punchestowns by four lengths. The pair filled the same positions when renewing rivalry in the Grade One Ladbrokes World Hurdle at The Festival.

In 2008, Inglis Drever powered to a five-length victory over Blazing Bailey before going on to take an unprecedented third Ladbrokes World Hurdle at The Festival. The Howard Johnson-trained gelding had finished a four-length runner-up to Blazing Bailey in the Cleeve Hurdle 12 months earlier.

Lady Rebecca made the Betfair Cleeve Hurdle her own from 1999-2001. There was hardly a dry eye in the house when Venetia Williams' fantastic mare came up the hill to win well in 2001 to complete her treble.

The calibre of the Betfair Cleeve Hurdle winners is exemplified by Large Action, twice placed in hurdling's top event, the Smurfit Kappa Champion Hurdle (third to Flakey Dove in 1994 and runner-up to Alderbrook the following season). Flakey Dove herself had won this contest in 1994 under a fine ride from Richard Dunwoody for Herefordshire-based trainer Richard Price, less than two months before she took her place in racing history at The Festival.

The seven-race programme on Saturday, January 30, begins at 12.55pm with the £27,000 Grade Two Betfair Finesse Juvenile Novices' Hurdle. One of the top races of the season for juvenile hurdlers, it was won in 2007 by Katchit, who returned to Cheltenham to collect the JCB Triumph Hurdle at The Festival before going on to victory in the Smurfit Kappa Champion Hurdle 12 months later.

Katchit's trainer Alan King also saddled 2008 winner Franchhoek, who went on to finish second in the JCB Triumph Hurdle at The Festival and the trainer notched a hat-trick in the race when Walkon repeated that feat in 2009 - the gelding was a close second to Zaynar in the JCB Triumph Hurdle.

The £22,500 Timeform Novices' Handicap Chase follows at 1.30pm. Lacdoudal, successful in 2005, progressed to win the Betfred Gold Cup at Sandown the following season. La Landiere, trained by Richard Phillips, landed a five-timer in the 2003 renewal and she then followed up in the Racing Post Chase at Kempton and the Cathcart Chase at The Festival. The previous year's running went to the powerful combination of Martin Pipe and Tony McCoy thanks to Royal Auclair, who also subsequently captured the Cathcart Chase at The Festival. Ping Pong Sivola was runner-up in the Freddie Williams Festival Plate after winning last year's contest.

The £50,000 Grade Three Betfair Trophy Chase (2.05pm), a handicap over two miles and five furlongs, has been won by plenty of very good chasers including Lady Cricket (2003), Foly Pleasant (2002), Young Spartacus (2001), Papillon (1998), Dublin Flyer (1997), Couldnt Be Better (1995) and Waterloo Boy (1994).

The £27,000 Grade Two Neptune Investment Management Novices' Hurdle (3.10pm) was run on Festival Trials Day for the first time in 2005, when won by the French-trained Ambobo. The contest was previously staged at Uttoxeter and has been won by future Festival winners Iris's Gift in 2003 and Monsignor in 2000. The 2007 victor Wichita Lineman went on to success at The Festival in the Albert Bartlett Novices' Hurdle, while the third Massini's Maguire was also victorious at The Festival in what is now the Neptune Investment Management Novices' Hurdle. Diamond Harry took the spoils in 2009 before losing his unbeaten tag when third to Mikael D'Haguenet at The Festival.

The £18,000 Stellar Football Handicap Hurdle (4.20pm), run over two miles and a furlong, concludes the racing action. Saturday, January 30, is the last day of racing at Cheltenham before The Festival on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 16, 17, 18, & 19.

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FACTS AND FIGURES FOR THE ARGENTO CHASE

The inaugural running of the Argento Chase took place in 1980, when the Nicky Henderson-trained Raffi Nelson prevailed under jockey Steve Smith Eccles.

The two most successful trainers are David Elsworth, who recorded two victories courtesy of Lesley Ann in 1982 and Combs Ditch the following season and Paul Nicholls, who struck with See More Business in 1998 and again three years later. Elsworth would have made it three in 1988, but his “winner” Cavvies Clown was subsequently disqualified after failing a dope test.

Rince Ri became the first and to date only Irish-trained winner in the history of the Argento Chase when he scored for Ted Walsh under a fine ride from his son Ruby in 2002, while in 2004 Jair Du Cochet was the first French-trained winner.

Steve Smith Eccles is the most successful rider in the Argento Chase, having won on Raffi Nelson in 1980, Misty Spirit six seasons later and Sibton Abbey in 1993. Colin Brown, Richard Dunwoody, Norman Williamson and Tony McCoy have all taken this illustrious event twice. Brown won on Lesley Ann in 1982 and Combs Ditch the following season, Richard Dunwoody secured a place on the roll of honour courtesy of West Tip in 1985 and One Man in 1997, Williamson won on Master Oats in 1995 and Looks Like Trouble in 2000, while McCoy, the only current jockey to have been successful more than once, scored on Cyfor Malta in 1999 and Exotic Dancer in 2007.

Four Argento Chase winners have subsequently gone on to glory in the totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup. The Peter Easterby-trained Little Owl won the Argento Chase in 1981 before taking chasing's Blue Riband in the same year. Master Oats achieved the same feat for trainer Kim Bailey in 1995. See More Business, successful in the 1998 Argento Chase and then again in 2001, captured the Gold Cup in 1999, while Looks Like Trouble achieved this brilliant double in 2000.

The only amateur rider to have scored in the Argento Chase was Jim Wilson, who partnered Little Owl in 1981. Their greatest moment came with victory in the 1981 totesport Cheltenham Gold Cup.

Favourites have gained success in just seven of the 27 runnings of the Argento Chase, demonstrating what a competitive race it is. The most recent market leader to prevail was the Martin Pipe-trained Cyfor Malta in 1999.

See You Sometime (2006), Grey Abbey (2005) and See More Business (2001) are the three oldest winners of the Argento Chase - all were aged 11. At the other end of the spectrum, six-year-old Cyfor Malta was the youngest horse to score. A breakdown of the winners by age gives six-year-olds - 1; seven-year-olds - 7; eight-year-olds - 9; nine-year-olds - 5; 10-year-olds - 2; 11-year-olds - 3.

PAST RESULTS OF RACES ON FESTIVAL TRIALS DAY

Saturday, January 30, 2010

12.55pm £27,000 BETFAIR FINESSE JUVENILE NOVICES' HURDLE (Grade Two), 2m 1f

Year	Horse	Owner	Trainer	Weight	Jockey	SP
1990	Sayyure	Brian Lovrey	Nigel Tinkler	11-08	Graham McCourt	3/1
1991	Hopscotch	Pipe Scudamore Racing	Martin Pipe	11-02	Peter Scudamore	8/11 f
1992	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1993	Major Bugler	Colin Buckle	Toby Balding	11-00	Adrian Maguire	13/2
1994	Pridwell	Pond House Racing	Martin Pipe	11-00	Richard Dunwoody	3/1
1995	Brave Tornado	Bridget Swire	Toby Balding	11-04	Tony McCoy	7/2
1996	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1997	Shooting Light	John Brown	Pat Murphy	11-00	Richard Dunwoody	10/11 f
1998	Zafarabad	Elaine Baines	David Nicholson	11-00	Richard Johnson	1/3 f
1999	Hors La Loi III	John Martin	Francois Doumen FR	11-08	Thierry Doumen	5/2
2000	Mister Banjo	Million In Mind P'ship	Nicky Henderson	11-08	Mick Fitzgerald	2/7 f
2001	Jair Du Cochet	Miriam Montauban	Guillaume Macaire FR	11-08	Jacques Ricou	Evens f
2002	Vol Solitaire	Barry Marshall	Paul Nicholls	11-00	Joe Tizzard	11/1
2003	Moneytrain	Tina Hamann	Christian Von Der Recke GER	11-00	Robert Thornton	25/1
2004	Mondul	Let's Live Racing	Milton Harris	11-08	Ollie McPhail	11/2
2005	Akilak	Ada Partnership	Howard Johnson	11-00	Graham Lee	50/1
2006	<i>Abandoned</i>					
2007	Katchit	D S J P Syndicate	Alan King	11-07	Robert Thornton	2/1 f
2008	Franchoek	J P McManus	Alan King	11-07	Robert Thornton	10/11 f
2009	Walkon	McNeill Racing	Alan King	11-07	Robert Thornton	6/5f

1.30pm £22,500 TIMEFORM NOVICES' HANDICAP CHASE, 2m 5f *(First run in 1993)*

Year	Horse	Owner	Trainer	Age/Wt	Jockey	SP
1993	Little-Nipper	Jenny Mould	David Nicholson	8-10-07	Richard Dunwoody	4/1
1994	Monsieur Le Cure	Hector Brown	John Edwards	8-12-00	Norman Williamson	5/1
1995	Smith's Band	Arthur Smith	Jenny Pitman	7-10-12	Warren Marston	7/2 f
1996	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1997	The Mine Captain	Gerald Evans	Oliver Sherwood	10-10-05	Jamie Osborne	6/1
1998	Jack Doyle	Drain Logistics	Nigel Twiston-Davies	7-11-05	Carl Llewellyn	100/30
1999	Flaxley Wood	Mrs D A La Trobe	Bob Buckler	8-10-00	Brendan Powell	25/1
2000	Moondigua	Golden Step Racing II	Martin Pipe	8-11-05	Tony McCoy	6/1
2001	Be My Manager	The Earl Cadogan	Henrietta Knight	6-11-00	Jim Culloty	10/1
2002	Royal Auclair	Clive Smith	Martin Pipe	5-11-04	Tony McCoy	Evens f
2003	La Landiere	Carol Skan	Richard Phillips	8-11-12	Richard Johnson	9/2
2004	Ballyconnell	Gallant Denco Wallace Whittle	Venetia Williams	8-10-02	Sam Thomas	9/2
2005	Lacdoudal	Carol Skan	Philip Hobbs	6-11-08	Richard Johnson	4/1
2006	<i>Abandoned</i>					
2007	Flying Enterprise	Malcolm Edwards	Venetia Williams	7-10-00	Liam Treadwell	3/1
2008	Arturio	The Sparkes Family	Paul Nicholls	5-10-05	Ruby Walsh	5/1
2009	Ping Pong Sivola	Jean Yeomans	Venetia Williams	6-9-12	Aidan Coleman (3)	3/1f

2.05pm £50,000 BETFAIR TROPHY HANDICAP CHASE (Grade Three), 2m 5f

Year	Horse	Owner	Trainer	Age/Wt	Jockey	SP
1990	Willsford	Arnie Kaplan	Jenny Pitman	7-10-07	Dean Gallagher	Evens f
1991	Loddon Lad	Jenny Mould	David Nicholson	9-10-03	Richard Dunwoody	13/2
1992	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1993	Ryde Again	Miss J Hayward	Jenny Pitman	10-11-09	Mark Pitman	7/4 f
1994	Waterloo Boy	Michael Deeley	David Nicholson	11-12-00	Richard Dunwoody	9/1
1995	Couldnt Be Better	Dick Whittle	Charlie Brooks	8-10-00	Graham Bradley	4/1 jf
1996	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1997	Dublin Flyer	John Sumner	Tim Forster	11-12-00	Brendan Powell	15/8 f
1998	Papillon	Betty Moran	Ted Walsh IRE	7-10-00	Norman Williamson	7/2
1999	Dr Leunt	Peter Emery	Philip Hobbs	8-10-03	Norman Williamson	11/4 f
2000	Makounji	Robert Waley-Cohen	Nicky Henderson	6-10-08	Mick Fitzgerald	16/1
2001	Young Spartacus	Bart Hellyer	Henry Daly	8-10-09	Richard Johnson	4/1 f
2002	Foly Pleasant	Jim Lewis & Friends	Henrietta Knight	8-11-10	Jim Culloty	4/1
2003	Lady Cricket	David Johnson	Martin Pipe	9-11-12	Tony McCoy	9/2 f
2004	Hunters Tweed	Trevor Hemmings	Peter Beaumont	8-10-03	Graham Lee	14/1
2005	Buckby Lane	Mrs P Starkey	Paul Webber	9-10-04	Tom Doyle	9/1
2006	<i>Abandoned</i>					
2007	Whispered Secret	David Manasseh	David Pipe	8-10-03	Rodi Greene	8/1
2008	Maljimar	Jane Williams	Nick Williams	8-10-07	Daryl Jacob	11/2
2009	The Sawyer	D Fear	Bob Buckler	9-10-00	Will Kennedy	9/1

2.35pm £100,000 ARGENTO CHASE (Grade Two), 3m 1 1/2f

(2006 renewal run at Wincanton)

Year	Horse	Owner	Trainer	Age/Wt	Jockey	SP
1980	Raffi Nelson	Mrs P Fry	Nicky Henderson	7-11-06	Steve Smith Eccles	5/2
1981	Little Owl	R Wilson	Peter Easterby	7-11-12	Mr Jim Wilson	8/11 f
1982	Lesley Ann	B Gaule	David Elsworth	8-11-12	Colin Brown	5/2
1983	Combs Ditch	Jim Tory	David Elsworth	7-11-08	Colin Brown	6/1
1984	Everett	Kilian Hennessy	Fulke Walwyn	9-11-08	Stuart Shilston	15/8 f
1985	West Tip	Peter Luff	Michael Oliver	8-11-06	Richard Dunwoody	5/2
1986	Misty Spirit	Mrs E Dixon	Donald Lee	7-11-06	Steve Smith Eccles	9/1
1987	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1988*	Twin Oaks	John Moreton	David Murray-Smith	8-11-06	Paul Croucher	6/1
1989	Deep Moment	Mrs M Curtis	Mercy Rimell	7-11-03	Dermot Browne	12/1
1990	Toby Tobias	Elizabeth Hitchins	Jenny Pitman	8-11-06	Mark Pitman	5/4
1991	Celtic Shot	D E H Horton	Charlie Brooks	9-11-12	Peter Scudamore	8/11 f
1992	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1993	Sibton Abbey	Geoff Hubbard	Ferdy Murphy	8-11-12	Steve Smith Eccles	16/1
1994	Dubacilla	Veronica Cole	Henry Cole	8-10-12	Dean Gallagher	8/1
1995	Master Oats	Paul Matthews	Kim Bailey	9-11-06	Norman Williamson	6/4 f
1996	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1997	One Man	John Hales	Gordon Richards	9-11-12	Richard Dunwoody	2/5 f
1998	See More Business	John Keighley/Paul Barber	Paul Nicholls	8-11-06	Timmy Murphy	9/4 f
1999	Cyfor Malta	David Johnson	Martin Pipe	6-11-06	Tony McCoy	10/11 f
2000	Looks Like Trouble	Tim Collins	Noel Chance	8-11-06	Norman Williamson	100/30
2001	See More Business	Paul Barber/Robert Ogden	Paul Nicholls	11-11-10	Mick Fitzgerald	9/4
2002	Rince Ri	Frank Moriarty	Ted Walsh IRE	9-11-10	Ruby Walsh	9/2
2003	Behrajan	The Behrajan Partnership	Henry Daly	8-11-06	Richard Johnson	9/2
2004	Jair Du Cochet	Miriam Montauban	Guillaume Macaire FR	7-11-10	Jacques Ricou	11/4
2005	Grey Abbey	The Roper Family/Norman Furness	Howard Johnson	11-11-10	Graham Lee	100/30
2006	See You Sometime	J Meaden	Seamus Mullins	11-11-05	Andrew Thornton	18/1
2007	Exotic Dancer	Sir Robert Ogden	Jonjo O'Neill	7-11-06	Tony McCoy	6/1
2008	Knowhere	Raymond Mould	Nigel Twiston-Davies	10-11-04	Paddy Brennan	16/1
2009	Joe Lively	Richard Dimond	Colin Tizzard	10-11-06	Joe Tizzard	11/1

* *Cavvies Clown was first past the post in 1988, but subsequently failed a dope test*

3.10pm £27,000 NEPTUNE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT NOVICES' HURDLE (Grade Two), 2m 4 1/2f

(Run at Uttoxeter up to and including 2003)

Year	Horse	Owner	Trainer	Age/Wt	Jockey	SP
2000	Monsignor	Malcolm Denmark	Mark Pitman	6-11-12	Norman Williamson	1/2 f
2001	Indian Scout	Indian Scout Partnership	Ben De Haan	6-11-06	Liam Cummins	2/1
2002	Keen Leader	Adair Catherwood	Jonjo O'Neill	6-11-05	Liam Cooper	10/11 f
2003	Iris's Gift	Robert Lester	Jonjo O'Neill	6-11-09	Barry Geraghty	1/3 f
2004	<i>Abandoned</i>					
2005	Ambobo	Sean Mulryan	Arnaud Chaille-Chaille FR	5-11-12	Barry Geraghty	14/1
2006	<i>Abandoned</i>					
2007	Wichita Lineman	J P McManus	Jonjo O'Neill	6-11-12	Tony McCoy	Evens f
2008	Aigle D'Or	J P McManus	Nicky Henderson	5-11-09	Marcus Foley	7/4 f
2009	Diamond Harry	Paul Duffy/Diamond Partnership	Nick Williams	6-11-12	Timmy Murphy	8/15f

3.45pm £50,000 BETFAIR CLEEVE HURDLE (Grade Two), 3m

(Run over 2m 4 1/2f up to and including 2004, 2006 renewal run at Sandown)

Year	Horse	Owner	Trainer	Age/Wt	Jockey	SP
1990	Beech Road	Tony Geake	Toby Balding	8-12-00	Richard Guest	1/3 f
1991	Crystal Spirit	Paul Mellon	Ian Balding	4-10-09	Jimmy Frost	4/1
1992	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1993	Muse	White Horse Racing Ltd	David Elsworth	6-11-08	Paul Holley	11/4
1994	Flakey Dove	John Price	Richard Price	8-11-03	Richard Dunwoody	4/1 cf
1995	Mudahim	K W Bell	Chris Broad	9-11-08	Norman Williamson	13/2
1996	<i>Abandoned</i>					
1997	Large Action	Brian Stewart-Brown	Oliver Sherwood	9-11-08	Jamie Osborne	8/15 f
1998	Mistinguet	John Duggan	Nigel Twiston-Davies	6-11-03	Carl Llewellyn	100/30
1999	Lady Rebecca	Kinnersley Optimists	Venetia Williams	7-11-03	Norman Williamson	6/4 f
2000	Lady Rebecca	Kinnersley Optimists	Venetia Williams	8-11-03	Norman Williamson	Evens f
2001	Lady Rebecca	Kinnersley Optimists	Venetia Williams	9-11-03	Norman Williamson	7/1
2002	Kates Charm	Norma Kelly	Robert Alner	9-11-03	Mick Fitzgerald	3/1
2003	Classified	David Johnson	Martin Pipe	7-11-08	Tony McCoy	8/11 f
2004	Crystal D'Ainay	Tony & Jeni Fisher	Alan King	5-11-04	Jimmy McCarthy	Evens f
2005	Patriarch Express	A W Muir	Sue Smith	8-11-00	Jim Culloty	8/1
2006	Fire Dragon	Gay Smith	Jonjo O'Neill	5-11-00	Tony McCoy	16/1
2007	Blazing Bailey	Three Line Whip	Alan King	5-11-00	Robert Thornton	14/1
2008	Inglis Drever	Andrea & Graham Wylie	Howard Johnson	9-11-08	Richard Johnson	11/8 f
2009	Big Buck's	The Stewart Family	Paul Nicholls	6-11-00	Ruby Walsh	7/2

4.20pm £18,000 STELLAR FOOTBALL HANDICAP HURDLE 2m 1f

(First run 2007)

Year	Horse	Owner	Trainer	Age/Wt	Jockey	SP
2007	Ashley Brook	Elizabeth Ellis	Kevin Bishop	9-11-06	Paddy Brennan	11/2
2008	Five Dream	Scott-Macdonald, Kilduff, Donlon & Doyle	Paul Nicholls	4-10-12	Ruby Walsh	3/1 f
2009	Presenting Copper	Alan Peterson	Philip Hobbs	8-10-08	Richard Johnson	7/1

ARGENTO CHASE RECORD OF CURRENT TRAINERS SINCE 1990

Trainer	Year	Horse	Place
Robert & Sally Alner	2004	Sir Rembrandt	PU
Kim Bailey	1995 1997	MASTER OATS Martomick	WON 4th
Peter Bowen	2005 2006 2007 2009	Ballycassidy Ballycassidy Take The Stand Snoopy Loopy	5th 3rd PU PU
Charles Byrnes IRE	2005 2007	Cloudy Bays Cailin Alainn	4th F
Noel Chance	2000	LOOKS LIKE TROUBLE	WON
Thierry Civel FR	1999	Ruggiero	PU
John Cornwall	2005	Strong Magic	PU
Henry Daly	2003 2008	BEHRAJAN Billyvodan	WON 4th
Tim Easterby	2000	Simply Dashing	5th
Tom George	2007	Idle Talk	UR
Sirrell Griffiths	1991	Norton's Coin	3rd
Nicky Henderson	2003	Bacchanal	F
Philip Hobbs	2000 2006	Dr Leunt One Knight	4th UR
Howard Johnson	2004 2005 2009	Valley Henry GREY ABBEY Tidal Bay	PU WON 3rd
Alan King	2000 2007 2009	Go Ballistic Halcon Genelardais Halcon Genelardais	2nd 3rd 2nd
Henrietta Knight	2001 2002 2002 2003	Lord Noelie Go Ballistic Lord Noelie Foly Pleasant	UR 3rd 5th 2nd
Guillaume Macaire FR	2004	JAIR DU COCHET	WON
George Moore	1991	Kildimo	4th
Seamus Mullins	2006	SEE YOU SOMETIME	WON
Ferdy Murphy	1993 1994 2002 2004	SIBTON ABBEY Sibton Abbey Paris Pike Truckers Tavern	WON 4th 6th UR

Paul Nicholls	1998	SEE MORE BUSINESS	WON
	1999	See More Business	3rd
	2000	Double Thriller	PU
	2001	SEE MORE BUSINESS	WON
	2003	Valley Henry	4th
	2005	Royal Auclair	3rd
	2006	Royal Auclair	2nd
	2007	Neptune Collonges	F
	2008	Neptune Collonges	3rd
	2009	Star De Mohaison	4th
2009	Nozic	PU	
Jonjo O'Neill	2002	Legal Right	2nd
	2007	EXOTIC DANCER	WON
David Pipe	2007	Our Vic	2nd
	2008	Our Vic	2nd
	2008	Madison Du Berlais	5th
Nicky Richards	2008	Faasel	PU
Francois Rohaut FR	1995	Arenice	5th
Oliver Sherwood	1998	Callisoe Bay	PU
John Spearing	2008	Simon	UR
Nigel Twiston-Davies	1994	Young Hustler	2nd
	1995	Young Hustler	4th
	2001	Beau	2nd
	2005	Ollie Magern	UR
	2006	Ollie Magern	4th
	2007	Fundamentalist	5th
	2008	KNOWHERE	WON
	2009	Ollie Magern	5th
Colin Tizzard	2009	JOE LIVELY	WON
Ted Walsh IRE	2002	RINCE RI	WON
	2004	Rince Ri	2nd
Evan Williams	2008	State Of Play	6th
Venetia Williams	2007	Nil Desperandum	4th

ARGENTO CHASE RECORD OF CURRENT JOCKEYS SINCE 1990

Jockey	Year	Horse	Place
Paddy Brennan	2008	KNOWHERE	WON
	2009	Ollie Magern	5th
Seamus Durack	2009	Snoopy Loopy	PU
Dominic Elsworth	2008	Faasel	PU
Tony Evans	2007	Fundamentalist	5th
Barry Geraghty	2003	Valley Henry	4th
	2005	Cloudy Bays	4th
	2009	Star De Mohaison	4th
Philip Hide	1995	Topsham Bay	PU
Richard Johnson	1998	Barton Bank	6th
	1999	Go Ballistic	2nd
	2000	Go Ballistic	2nd
	2002	Legal Right	2nd
	2003	BEHRAJAN	WON
	2005	Ballycassidy	5th
	2006	One Knight	UR
	2007	Idle Talk	UR
2008	Billyvodan	4th	
Adam Kondrat	1999	Ruggiero	PU
Graham Lee	2004	Valley Henry	PU
	2005	GREY ABBEY	WON
Carl Llewellyn	1994	Young Hustler	2nd
	2001	Beau	2nd
	2005	Ollie Magern	UR
	2006	Ollie Magern	4th
Tony McCoy	1998	Cyborgo	2nd
	1999	CYFOR MALTA	WON
	2000	Majadou	3rd
	2001	Cyfor Malta	3rd
	2002	Cyfor Malta	4th
	2003	Cyfor Malta	UR
	2004	Therealbandit	F
2007	EXOTIC DANCER	WON	
Paul Moloney	2008	State Of Play	6th
Timmy Murphy	1998	SEE MORE BUSINESS	WON
	1999	Cyborgo	4th
	2005	Therealbandit	2nd
	2007	Our Vic	2nd
	2008	Our Vic	2nd
Tom O'Brien	2007	Take The Stand	5th
	2009	Roll Along	PU
Denis O'Regan	2009	Tidal Bay	3rd
Jacques Ricou	2004	JAIR DU COCHET	WON
Davy Russell	2007	Cailin Alainn	F

Tom Scudamore	2007	Nil Desperandum	4th
	2008	Madison Du Berlais	5th
Tom Siddall	2005	Strong Magic	PU
Andrew Thornton	1998	Rough Quest	3rd
	2000	Dr Leunt	4th
	2003	Gingembre	3rd
	2004	Sir Rembrandt	PU
	2006	SEE YOU SOMETIME	WON
2008	Simon	UR	
Robert Thornton	2007	Halcon Genelardais	3rd
	2009	Halcon Genelardais	2nd
Joe Tizzard	1999	See More Business	3rd
	2000	Double Thriller	PU
	2002	Go Ballistic	3rd
	2009	JOE LIVELY	WON
Ruby Walsh	2002	RINCE RI	WON
	2003	Bacchanal	F
	2004	Rince Ri	2nd
	2005	Royal Auclair	3rd
	2007	Neptune Collonges	F
	2008	Neptune Collonges	3rd
2009	Nozic	PU	
Christian Williams	2006	Royal Auclair	2nd

LEADING CURRENT TRAINERS ON FESTIVAL TRIALS DAY

(Since 1990, current races)

6 Winners

Paul Nicholls
Venetia Williams

5 winners

Jonjo O'Neill
Alan King

4 Winners

Nicky Henderson

3 winners

Howard Johnson
Nigel Twiston-Davies
Philip Hobbs

2 winners

Bob Buckler
Henry Daly
Henrietta Knight
Guillaume Macaire FR
Oliver Sherwood
Ted Walsh IRE
Nick Williams

1 winner

Robert & Sally Alner
Kim Bailey
Peter Beaumont
Kevin Bishop
Arnaud Chaille-Chaille FR
Noel Chance
Francois Doumen FR
Ben De Haan
Milton Harris
Seamus Mullins
Ferdyn Murphy
Pat Murphy
Richard Phillips
David Pipe
Richard Price
Sue Smith
Nigel Tinkler
Colin Tizzard
Christian Von Der Recke GER
Paul Webber

LEADING CURRENT JOCKEYS ON FESTIVAL TRIALS DAY

(Since 1990, current races)

9 winners

Tony McCoy

7 winners

Richard Johnson

5 winners

Robert Thornton

4 winners

Timmy Murphy

Ruby Walsh

3 winners

Graham Lee

2 winners

Paddy Brennan

Barry Geraghty

Carl Llewellyn

Jacques Ricou

Joe Tizzard

1 winner

Aidan Coleman

Tom Doyle

Marcus Foley

Rodi Greene

Daryl Jacob

Will Kennedy

Warren Marston

Jimmy McCarthy

Sam Thomas

Andrew Thornton

Liam Treadwell

RACE PROGRAMME

FESTIVAL TRIALS DAY,

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2010

TIME	RACE	PRIZE MONEY	DISTANCE
12.55pm	Betfair Finesse Juvenile Novices' Hurdle (Grade Two)	£27,000	2m 1f
1.30pm	Timeform Novices' Handicap Chase	£22,500	2m 5f
* 2.05pm	Betfair Trophy Chase (Handicap) (Grade Three)	£50,000	2m 5f
* 2.35pm	Argento Chase (Grade Two)	£100,000	3m 1f 110yds
* 3.10pm	Neptune Investment Management Novices' Hurdle (Grade Two)	£27,000	2m 4f 110yds
* 3.45pm	Betfair Cleeve Hurdle (Grade Two)	£50,000	3m
4.20pm	Stellar Football Handicap Hurdle	£18,000	2m 1f

* = Channel 4 Televised Races

TOTAL FOR THE DAY £294,500