

**Cheltenham Showcase Meeting  
Analysis:  
Race Trends**

***Analysing the Ryman  
Stationery Amateur Riders  
Handicap Chase from an  
alternative viewpoint***

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**Amateur Riders Hcp Chase  
(Class 3 Handicap)**

**26<sup>th</sup> October – 4:45 Cheltenham**

# **Amateur Riders Handicap Chase:**

## **Winners Trends Analysis**

This section compiles the important trends of the past 12 winners of the Amateur Riders Handicap Chase so that we can apply them to this year's entries.

### **Amateur Riders Handicap Chase Trends**

- 1 12/12 aged 5yo-9yo**
- 2 12/12 yet to win above Class 3 level**
- 3 12/12 no more than 28 career starts (0/55 29+ starts)**
- 4 12/12 Finished race LTO (0/30, 2p for non-completers LTO)**
- 5 12/12 previously ran over at least 3m1.5f (0/63 for those that had not)**
- 6 12/12 ran over 2m6.5f - 3m3f LTO**
- 7 12/12 6-10 starts in last 365 days (0/81 out with those parameters)**

## 2018 Amateur Riders Hcp Chase Entries: Trends Applied





















This section applies the important trends of the past 12 winners of the Amateur Riders Handicap Chase to this year's entrants.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Tot
<b>ANOTHER FRONTIER</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/7
<b>GOOHAR</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/7
<b>SAM RED</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/7
<b>CUCKLINGTON</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/7
<b>UNDER THE PHONE</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	7/7
BELLS N BANJOS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/7
CALIN DU BRIZAIS	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	6/7
VINEGAR HILL	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/7
ROBINROYALE	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	6/7
ASKING QUESTIONS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	6/7
CORNISH WARRIOR	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	6/7
FIFTY SHADES	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	6/7
SPORTING BOY	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	5/7
MUCKLE ROE	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	5/7
PERFECT PIRATE	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	5/7
DOTTIES DILEMA	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	5/7
OIGHEAR DUBH	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	5/7
SERGEANT BRODY	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	5/7
KILLER CROW	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	4/7
PRESENTING JULIO	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	3/7


**Trend Follower(s) – ANOTHER FRONTIER | GOOHAR | SAM RED | CUCKLINGTON | UNDER THE PHONE**

## 2018 Amateur Riders hcp Chase: Pace analysis

Here we take a look at the race from a pace angle –

Horse	RS	Running Style
BELLS N BANJOS	CP/HU	 CP/HU
ANOTHER FRONTIER	CP	 CP
SPORTING BOY	FR/CP	 FR/CP
MUCKLE ROE	HU	 HU
CALIN DU BRIZAIS	CP/HU	 CP/HU
PERFECT PIRATE	CP/FR	 CP/FR
VINEGAR HILL	CP	 CP
GOOHAR	HU/CP	 HU/CP
DOTTIES DILEMA	CP/HU	 CP/HU
SAM RED	CP/HU	 CP/HU
PRESENTING JULIO	HU	 HU
OIGHEAR DUBH	HU/CP	 HU/CP
ROBINROYALE	CP	 CP
ASKING QUESTIONS	CP	 CP
CUCKLINGTON	CP	 CP
KILLER CROW	HU/CP	 HU/CP
CORNISH WARRIOR	CP	 CP
SERGEANT BRODY	HU	 HU
UNDER THE PHONE	CP	 CP
FIFTY SHADES	HU	 HU

HU	CP	FR
	BELLS N BANJOS	SPORTING BOY
MUCKLE ROE	ANOTHER FRONTIER	
	CALIN DU BRIZAIS	PERFECT PIRATE
	VINEGAR HILL	
	GOOHAR	
	DOTTIES DILEMA	
PRESENTING JULIO	SAM RED	
	OIGHEAR DUBH	ROBINROYALE
	ASKING QUESTIONS	
	CUCKLINGTON	
	KILLER CROW	CORNISH WARRIOR
SERGEANT BRODY	UNDER THE PHONE	
FIFTY SHADES		



**SPORTING BOY & PERFECT PIRATE** should take this field along from the front in the early stages and give a good shape to the race on the pace front.

Here is the how the past 12 winners of the race have run in the race –

Running Style      fr-3 / cp-6 / hu-3

## Silver Trophy Summary

### Shortlist...

**ANOTHER FRONTIER – 7/7**

**GOOHAR – 7/7**

**SAM RED – 7/7**

**CUCKLINGTON – 7/7**

**UNDER THE PHONE – 7/7**

### Conclusion/Selection(s)

**ANOTHER FRONTIER (N Twiston-Davies)** – This lad is still unexposed after only 4 starts over fences and the form of his last two starts last season have both worked out pretty well so far. 3m – 3m1f trips look his game (114514 over those trips – 0/13 over all other trips) and there's a good chance NTD has had this race in mind for the horse for a while, given his runners are 3/13, 3p in the race since 2006, improving to 4111 (3/4, 1p) with those aged 6yo or 7yo. He's also a qualifier on the NTD mini-angle, which is always good.

**SAM RED (D Skelton)** – Has been a little in and out in recent starts but I think these conditions will suit and based on his 2<sup>nd</sup> behind next time out Bet365 Gold Cup winner Step Back at Fakenham last April (when giving that one almost a stone) the 111 mark he runs off here (claimers 7lb taken into account) makes him look very appealing indeed. If you consider him under the following conditions... Class 3 & below | LH tracks | 1 or 2 starts in season... then you get a form line of 51121 (3/5, 1p – all 3 career wins) and those conditions are met here.

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