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Team In Focus: Crystal Palace - By Rick Elliott



BetFan are producing a weekly feature of a Team in Focus and are working through the 20 teams in the Premier League. The leading teams in some of the main leagues in the rest of Europe will also be covered. During the summer we will look at the key statistics for the four teams playing in the finals of the UEFA Nations League.

This week the Team In Focus is **CRYSTAL PALACE**. Over the last five fixtures they have alternated between a defeat and win. In theory Palace could still get relegated but that is highly unlikely. Huddersfield and Fulham are already down and Cardiff are five points from safety. Palace have won more points away from home than at their own stadium this season. In fact only the two relegated teams have won fewer points at home and only Huddersfield have scored less goals. The team get great support at Selhurst Park but they haven't delivered at home. However, enough points have been accumulated on the road to secure Premier League safety.

Statistics

All the statistics and records shown below are correct as at April 5th 2019.

Premier League

Points	Home	Away	Total
Played	16	16	32
Won	4	6	10
Lost	8	8	16
Drawn	4	2	6
Points	16	20	32
Average	1.00	1.25	1.13

Total Goals	Home	Away	Total
Goals For	13	25	38
Average	0.81	1.56	1.19
Goals Against	17	26	43
Average	1.06	1.63	1.34

Bookings	Home	Away	Total
Points For	225	345	570
Average	24.06	21.56	17.81
Points Against	310	330	640
Average	19.38	20.63	20.00
Total	535	675	1210
Average	33.44	42.19	37.81

Over/Under	Home	Away	Total
No goals	2	1	3
	12.50%	6.25%	9.38%
Over 0.5 goals	14	15	29
	87.50%	93.75%	90.63%
Over 1.5 goals	10	14	24
	62.50%	87.50%	75.00%
Over 2.5 goals	4	9	13
	25.00%	56.25 %	40.63%
Over 3.5 goals	2	7	9
	12.50%	43.75%	28.13%
Over 4.5 goals	0	4	4
	0.00%	25.00%	12.50%

Both Teams To Score	Home	Away	Total
Yes	5	10	15
	31.25%	62.50%	46.8%
No	11	60	17
	68.75%	37.50%	53.13%

Match Goals	Home	Away	Total
First Goal	5 31.25%	8 50.00%	13 40.63%
Last Goal	6 37.50%	8 50.00%	14 43.75%

Statistics Of Note

Here are the five most significant Premier League trends that can be used when betting on Crystal Palace during the rest of the Premier League season:

- On average 1 goal per match at home.
- First scorer in 5 home fixtures.
- Both teams have scored in 5 of 16 home matches.
- 4 away matches have produced more than 4 goals.
- More than 2 goals in 13 matches.

Prospects For The Rest Of The Season

The theme of Palace's season has been their poor record at home. They have scored more goals and picked up more points on the road. The team are heavily reliant on Wilfried Zaha and when he plays Palace have the record of mid-table teams. Relegation has just about been avoided because the two relegated teams to date are so much worse than the other teams in the Premier League. Over the last six matches of the season Palace have two fixtures against the top six which are unlikely to produce any points. In fact they could end the season with no more wins but two draws should take them clear from the relegation places and in a safe position.

Tip For The Season

Crystal Palace to draw away at Newcastle at 23/10 with [Betfair](#).

Today's Sports Betting Preview - By Rick Elliott

Two Against The Field For The Grand National



Only six horses have won more than one than Grand National but another could join that exclusive club today. This runner is proven over the course and distance as a past winner of the National. The horse has the stamina and jumping ability to win the Grand National for the second time. The fences in the greatest steeplechase in

the world are unique and still take plenty of jumping despite modifications to make the race safer. The distance of the race also presents a unique challenge.

This horse safely negotiated the 30 obstacles and can win another Grand National today. Tiger Roll won the race last year but there is no value in the price so ONE FOR ARTHUR is the horse who can win a second National and the best price for that outcome is 28/1 with [bet365](#). The trainer reports the horse looks back to his best at home so can win the race for Scotland one more time.



The Grand National of 2019 revolves around one horse and that horse is called Tiger Roll. The winner of the race in 2018 has now won at the last four Cheltenham festivals and is in the form of his life. Tiger Roll won the cross country chase at the festival for a second year and was one of the easiest winners of the meeting.

The National is such a tough race to win more than once due to the weights hike after the first win. The Grand National is a handicap which means even the best horses will not always beat better handicapped runners. However, on official ratings Tiger Roll has a few pounds in hand and is the most likely winner of the National but One For Arthur is preferred at a much more realistic price.

A second string to your bow should be Rock The Kasbah based on past trends. The horse won a handicap chase at Cheltenham over three miles three and a half furlongs last November. The Richard Johnson mount carries 10-13 and is aged 9. Significantly unofficial ratings have also highlighted ROCK THE KASBAH so this is another horse to back to win the 2019 Grand National at 18/1 with [Ladbrokes](#).



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DECLAN O'DONOGHUE'S IRISH RACING



My Task Is To Keep Punters Ahead
of The Game While Finding Them
The Best Irish Racing Winners!

Trackside In Ireland - By Declan O'Donoghue

"It's like old times" Dermot Weld said as he rolled back the years with a fabulous four timer at Leopardstown on Wednesday.

The highlight undoubtedly was 3/1 fancy Imaging winning the Listed contest, the Heritage Stakes under the talented Oisin Orr.

Weld said: "He's a consistent Stakes horse and he'll head for a Group Race now, possibly the Gladness Stakes if it doesn't come too soon. Oisin gave him a lovely ride and that's his first big race winner."

"People said he couldn't claim his 3 lbs claim here, but I wasn't worried about that. He rides out for me a couple of days a week now."

Orr was also aboard Titanium Sky for Weld as she landed some tasty little bets - 10/1 to "eights" - when landing the fillies maiden.

She clearly wasn't much fancied on her debut at Gowran Park on her only run as a juvenile as she was sent off a 50/1 shot - a very rare price for a Weld runner to say the very least of it - but clearly a few people fancied her chances

this time as she beat Silk Forest by a length and a half with the Mick Halford trained third home, 25/1 poke Hamarinya, going into many notebooks.

Declan McDonogh was the main Weld pilot last year but seems to be out favour right now and Chris Hayes could benefit most. He booted home the first two winners for Curragh master trainer Weld. Tarnawa, an even money jolly, was a popular winner in the opener and Tinandali took the ten furlongs colts and geldings maiden at 5/1.

Weld said of Tarnawa: "She did what we expected. She could run in the Blue Wind next. She was only getting going at the line there and is from a good staying family."

Jim Bolger is another veteran trainer who is taking the new season by storm and 13/2 chance Latchet stayed on smartly for Kevin Manning in a ten furlongs handicap.

She has been kept busy at Dundalk, and Bolger tends to strike quickly when the iron is hot with his handicappers and it would be no surprise to see Latchet follow up over the same trip in an apprentices handicap at Cork tomorrow.

Join Declan's Irish Racing Service now to get his Grand National tips today and a look at the Guineas Trials at Leopardstown.

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