

NSW TIPS & RATINGS PREVIEW

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RACE PREVIEW: G2 Expressway Stakes (1200m)

SPEED MAP (Even pace)

(Backmarkers)

(Leaders)

 KOLDING (8)	 ALIZEE (7)				
 GLENALL (4)		 STANDOUT (6)		 KIAMICHI (11)	
	 KUBRICK (3)			 WHITE MOSS (1)	 IRITHEA (5)

THE FIELD *Runner-by-runner prices & comments*

#	FORM	HORSE NAME	COMMENT	TRAINER	JOCKEY	BARRIER	WEIGHT	HCP RATING
1	1111x5111x	KOLDING (NZ)	Outstanding last prep, trials ok. May take a run to peak?	Chris Waller	Glen Boss	9	58.5kg	114
2	044x601232	GLENALL	Not suited at WFA but has been racing well.	Michael, Wayne & John Hawkes	Kerrin McEvoy	5	58.5kg	100
4	11125x5x	VEGADAZE	Didn't come up last prep, trialling nicely. Query?	Anthony Cummings	Tim Clark	3	58.5kg	89
5	1306x1374x	ALIZEE	Has very good first-up record, but drawn awkwardly?	James Cummings	Hugh Bowman	8	56.5kg	115
6	90x610190x	WHITE MOSS	Needs very best first-up but is trialling well.	Jason Coyle	Ms Kathy O'Hara	1	56.5kg	108
7	4x21490x62	IRITHEA	Tested at WFA but has fitness edge and will be on pace.	Bjorn Baker	Joshua Parr	6	56.5kg	103
8	112x4501x	KUBRICK	Took racing to peak last prep, will be better over more ground.	Chris Waller	Brenton Avdulla	4	55.5kg	90
9	1112x	STANDOUT	Trialling well could be best suited here.	Gerald Ryan	Tommy Berry	7	55.5kg	90
10	x41130x05x	KIAMICHI	Didn't come up last prep. Last trial was good. Query?	James Cummings	Ms Rachel King	10	53.5kg	100

MARK'S RACE OVERVIEW

Alizee has a very good first-up record and has opened very short in early markets, but she is drawn a bit awkwardly and may not be suited. Kolding was brilliant last preparation, but his only defeat was first-up and as long as he hits the line well, I'm sure the stable will be satisfied. He won't be fully wound up for this.

Standout is the three-year-old with upside – he may be the one who is best suited under today's conditions. Kiamichi, Vegadaze and White Moss have some good trial form and are queries, while Irithea, while lacking the class of some others, has the fitness edge. At this stage, I'd be looking to have a moderate bet on Standout.