



Media Guide



Prize of Hööks

1.55m one round against clock

Quick Notes

Petronella Andersson is going for three wins in-a-row tonight.

She returns with Odina van Klapscheut, and is one of the most in-form horses in the field.

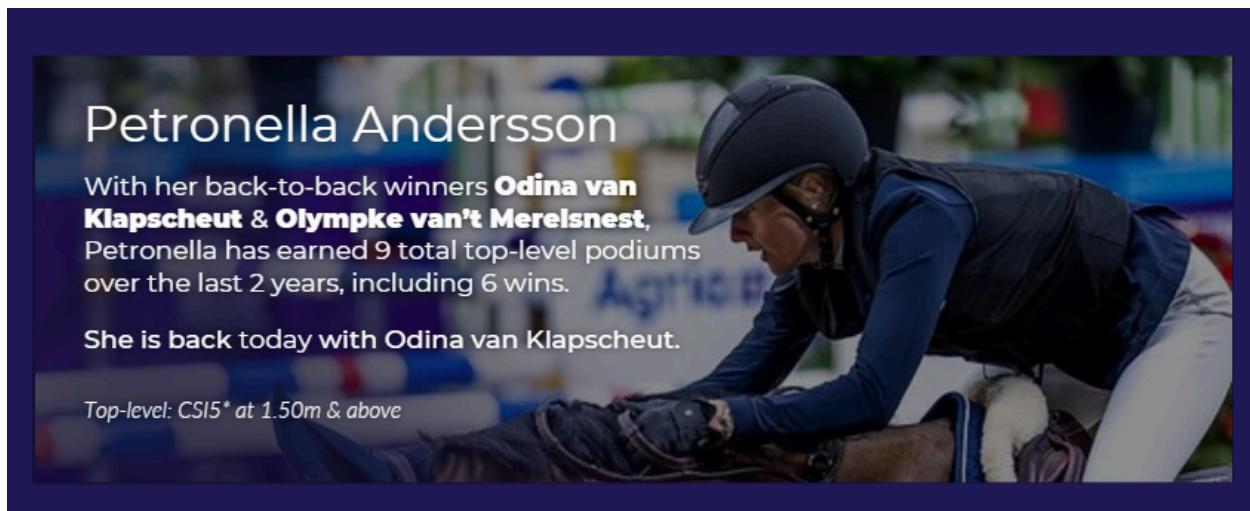
We expect tonight is a big chance for the home crowd in Scandinavium with Malin Baryard-Johnsson and Petronella both having big chances.

To win it however, they will have to beat some special horses.

Friday night's feature class is a 1.55m class (previously a 1.50m) one round class against the clock. The class has historically averaged a 37% clear rate (often 15+ combinations jumping clear), but with the added height and a smaller field of 32, we expect that number to tighten.

The “magic number” tonight is 12 clears.

In a speed format like this, margins are fine. The smallest winning margin of this class is 0.09 (2014 and 2024).



Petronella Andersson

With her back-to-back winners **Odina van Klapscheut & Olympke van't Merelsnest**, Petronella has earned 9 total top-level podiums over the last 2 years, including 6 wins.

She is back today with Odina van Klapscheut.

Top-level: CSI5 at 1.50m & above*

Previous winners of the Friday night feature class

We have two previous winners riding in tonight's class. 2017 winner **Kevin Staut** is back, this time riding **Vida Loca Z**.

However, the biggest story tonight is **Petronella Andersson's** attempt to win this class for the third year in a row.

- With her back-to-back winners Odina van Klapscheut & Olympke van't Merelsnest, Petronella has earned 9 total top-level podiums over the last 2 years, including 6 wins.
- She returns with the 2024 winner **Odina van Klapscheut**,
- Andersson and Odina lead the field in recent form with a **57% clear rate** over the last 12 months. They are in peak condition to defend their territory.

Previous Winners

Prize of HÖÖKS

Who are the last 10 winners of Friday's 1.50m one-round class?

Year	Winners	Elo at time	Elo Field Strength	Winning margin (in secs)
2025	Olympke van't Merelsnest Petronella Andersson	590	660	0.29
2024	Odina van Klapscheut Petronella Andersson	702	649	0.09
2023	Blood Diamond du Pont Julien Anquetin	694	659	0.76
2020	Casquo Blue Douglas Lindelöw	672	656	0.93
2018	Fit For Fun 13 Luciana Diniz	758	674	0.73
2017	Ayade de Septon et HDC Kevin Staut	703	676	0.89
2015	Connery Luca Maria Moneta	657	685	2.85
2014	Hermes Ryan Simon Delestre	649	640	0.09
2012	Taloubet Z Christian Ahlmann	691	665	1.33
2011	Carlina Pius Schwizer	707	656	0.62

Previous Clear Rates

Historically, the Friday speed class has maintained an average clear rate of 37% from an average class size of 40 combinations. The number of clear rounds has seen some variance over the years, reflecting the changing difficulty and depth of the field:

- The 2015 edition saw the highest volume of faultless rounds, with 21 combinations jumping clear.
- The 2014 and 2023 runnings proved the most challenging, producing only 8 and 9 clear rounds respectively.

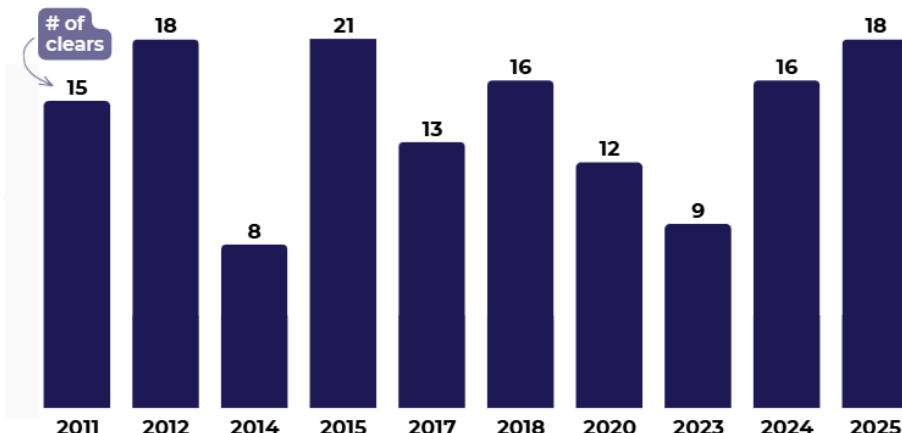
This year presents a slightly different challenge as the class has changed to 1.55m (previously 1.50m). Coupled with a smaller field of 32 entries compared to the historical average of 40, we are expecting a drop in the volume of clear rounds.

The "Magic Number" for tonight is 12.

We are expecting roughly 12 combinations to leave the rails up, meaning that while jumping clear is essential, speed will be the ultimate deciding factor for those aiming for the podium. Since 2011 (the last 10 runnings), the largest winning margin was 2.85 seconds in 2015. The narrowest victory came in 2014 and 2024, when just 0.09 seconds separated first from second.

How many have **jumped clear?**

Based on previous editions of this class, we are expecting **12** combinations to jump clear but **speed is the deciding factor.**



Since 2011
(last 10 runnings)

Friday 1.55 speed class at GHS

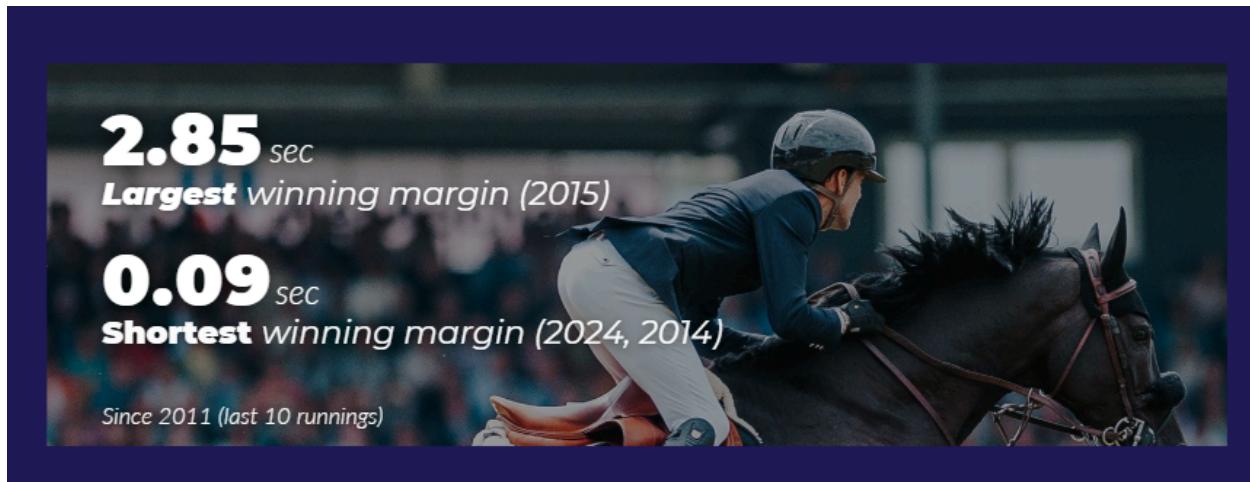
Average class size: **40**

Average clear rate: **37%**



Average winning time

Since 2011 (last 10 runnings)



Who do we expect will jump clear?

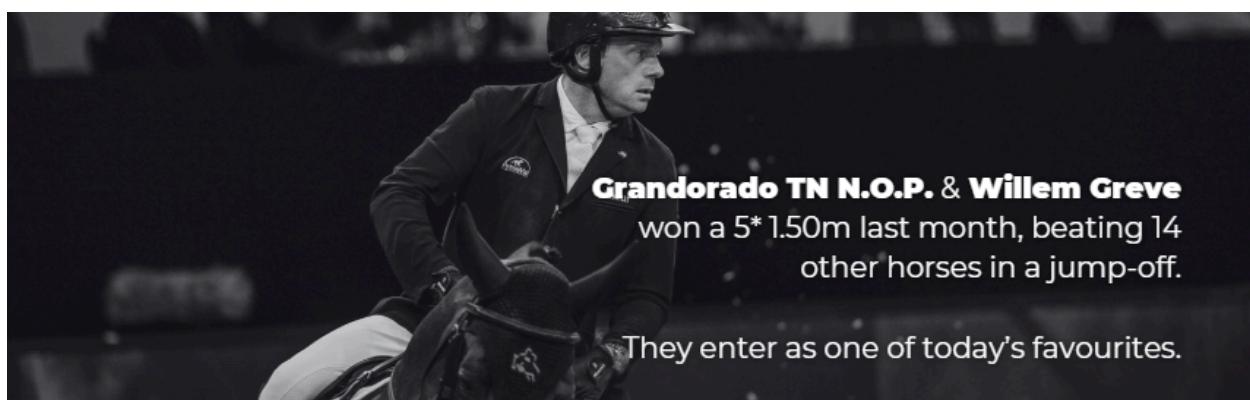
The EquiRatings Prediction Model has analysed today's 1.55m Prize of Hööks, assessing performance at 5* (including championships) 1.55m+ level to identify the combinations statistically most likely to deliver a clear round in the first phase.

The Gothenburg crowd will be most electric for Swedish Olympic gold medalist **Malin Baryard-Johnsson** with **H&M Indiana**. At 18 years old, Indiana is one of the most experienced horses in the field. She holds the highest statistical '**Clear Chance**' tonight at **58%**, having proven her reliability over eight years at the 5* level.



The 18 year-old **H&M Indiana** has been at the 5* level for over 8 years, earning **five top-level wins** individually, an **Olympic team gold** from Tokyo, and a **World team silver & gold** (2018, 2022).

Willem Greve and Grandorado TN N.O.P. (52% clear chance) arrive with momentum, following a 5* 1.50 victory last month in a 14-strong jump-off field in Amsterdam.



Grandorado TN N.O.P. & Willem Greve
won a 5* 1.50m last month, beating 14
other horses in a jump-off.

They enter as one of today's favourites.

Daniel Deusser and Otello De Guldenboom come in with a 45% clear chance. However, with Sunday's World Cup, they may not be fully chasing the win here. They finished second just two weeks ago in Bordeaux's 5* 160 World Cup, underlining their current form.

Previous winners **Kevin Staut** and **Petronella Andersson** also feature in the highest clear chances, with 43% and 41% respectively.



Who are the combinations with the **highest chance of jumping clear** in today's 1.55m class

Rider	Clear Chance
H&M Indiana Malin Baryard-Johnsson	58%
Grandorado Tn N.O.P. Willem Greve	52%
Otello De Guldenboom Daniel Deusser	45%
Vitiki Yuri Mansur	44%
Vida Loca Z Kevin Staut	43%
Mr. Tac Harrie Smolders	42%
Vistogrand Denis Lynch	42%
Odina Van Klapscheut Petronella Andersson	41%
Equine America Harwich VDL Johan-Sebastian Gulliksen	39%
Equine America Gentlemen Vh Veldhof Robert Whitaker	35%

Who are the ones on form?

This section highlights the combinations in tonight's field that have maintained the strongest **5* 155m+ form** over the last 12 months. While the Win Chance model looks at overall probability, this section identifies the horses arriving in Gothenburg with the highest clear-round consistency.



Who are the **ones on form?**

Which combinations in tonight's field have the **strongest CS15* 1.55 form** in the last 12 months?

Horse & Rider	Rounds	Clears	Clear Rate	Avg. Clear %	Elo rating
Odina Van Klapscheut Petronella Andersson	7	4	57%	25%	719
Mr. Tac Harrie Smolders	13	6	46%	23%	726
H&M Indiana Malin Baryard-Johnsson	18	8	44%	28%	748
Otello De Guldenboom Daniel Deusser	27	12	44%	25%	734
Equine America Harwich VDL Johan-Sebastian Gulliksen	22	9	41%	28%	726
Vitiki Yuri Mansur	6	2	33%	26%	719
Merryweather Vt Leeuwerikenhof Koen Vereecke	19	6	32%	28%	644
Island V G Geir Gulliksen	7	2	29%	32%	563
Springfield 21 Aranda Landebald	14	4	29%	27%	652
Grandorado Tn N.O.P. Willem Greve	22	6	27%	23%	750

Odina Van Klapscheut and **Petronella Andersson** enter as the clear statistical favorites based on recent performance, maintaining a **57% clear rate** over the last 12 months; over double the field's average clear percentage.

Both **Otello De Guldenboom** and **H&M Indiana** have a **44% clear rate**. However, Otello has done it over a larger sample size (27 vs 18) but it is **Indiana**, who carries a higher **748 Elo rating**.

Grandorado Tn N.O.P. holds the highest Elo rating in the field (**750**), suggesting that despite a lower recent clear rate of 27%, they still have the ability to win when they do leave the rails up.

The win chances

Who wins?

Who has the **best chance of winning** today's 1.55m one-round class?

Horse & Rider	Win chance	Elo Rating	5* 155+ career clear rate (clears/rounds)
 H&M Indiana Malin Baryard-Johnsson	9%	748	57% (105/183)
 Grandorado Tn N.O.P. Willem Greve	9%	750	44% (24/55)
 Vitiki Yuri Mansur	9%	719	30% (34/115)
 Vida Loca Z Kevin Staut	8%	709	28% (8/29)
 Mr. Tac Harrie Smolders	7%	726	33% (8/24)
 Vistogrand Denis Lynch	7%	692	31% (32/103)
 Otello De Guldenboom Daniel Deusser	5%	734	42% (23/55)
 Equine America Gentlemen Vh Veldhof Robert Whitaker	5%	631	11% (1/9)
 Equine America Harwich VDL Johan-Sebastian Gulliksen	5%	726	33% (17/51)
 Odina Van Klapscheut Petronella Andersson	4%	719	36% (9/25)

Clear rates are from 5*/championship results at 1.55m+ with horse's current rider, excluding jump-offs.