# Spotlight

A victory at Group 1 level has so far eluded Hot King Prawn, who claimed his second G2 Jockey Club Sprint last month to stamp himself as the local brigade's leading hope. But, he will face off with another grey, Classique Legend, who has arrived in Hong Kong to join the yard of championship leader Caspar Fownes with an exceptional career outlined.

One of the most intriguing international challengers is Singapore speedster Inferno, who has lit up Kranji Racecourse with eight wins from nine starts, including two at SIN G1 level. The Holy Roman Emperor gelding travels to Hong Kong as the international sprinter with the least racing experience.

Also among the international trio of entries is Godolphin's Tower Of London, who travels from Japan as the winner of last year's G1 Sprinters Stakes at Nakayama. Japan is also represented by Danon Smash, who snared second to Gran Alegria in this year's Sprinters Stakes at Nakayama.

Among the local brigade is young gun Computer Patch, a G3 winner for trainer Tony Cruz, as well as 2019 G2 Sprint Cup victor Rattan, who finished a fast-closing third to Hot King Prawn in the Jockey Club Sprint.



CLASSIQUE LEGEND HONG KONG 5g 125 The Everest victor who beat seven individual G1 winners; a dual G2 winner in Australia who will race first-up

**BIG TIME BABY** HONG KONG 6g 115 Runner-up to Mr Stunning in last season's G1 Chairman's Sprint Prize; he has proven a solid performer on both the dirt and the turf with high-class runs on both.



#### DANON SMASH JAPAN 5h 114

for Caspar Fownes.

Finished second to Gran Alegria last start in the G1 Sprinters Stakes; dual G2 winner and four-time G3 winner prior to that.

## WISHFUL THINKER

HONG KONG 7g 114 Seven-time HK winner including G2 Premier Bowl two starts ago.







# RATTAN

HONG KONG 7g 112 Seven-time winner including 2019 G2 Sprint Cup; last two runs have produced fast-closing third placeefforts at G2 level.

### JOLLY BANNER HONG KONG 9g 110

Dual G3 winner having captured the Premier Cup last season and before that the 2019 G3 Bauhinia Sprint Trophy.

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SINGAPORE 4g 109 Singapore speedster who is a dual SIN G1 winner, latest took the Lion City Cup easily and prior, stretched to a mile to win the Singapore Guineas; won eight of nine starts.



HOT KING PRAWN

HONG KONG 6g 120 Dual G2 Jockey Club Sprint winner who has placed three times at G1 level, including a neck defeat in this race last year.

VOYAGE WARRIOR HONG KONG 5g 115 Five-time winner; including G2 Sprint Cup last season when beating Hot King Prawn.

### TOWER OF LONDON

JAPAN 5h 114 2019 G1 Sprinters Stakes winner; three-time G2 winner before that toplevel success last year.

## COMPUTER PATCH

HONG KONG 4r 112 Young gun who captured the G3 National Day Cup three starts ago before twice finishing runner-up at G2 level.

### **BIG PARTY**

HONG KONG 5g 110 2019 G3 Bauhinia Sprint Trophy winner who can display a strong turn-of-foot on his day.

## FAT TURTLE

HONG KONG 6g 109 Two-time winner over 1200m at Sha Tin; twice-placed at G3 level, latest finished sixth in G2 Jockey Club Sprint.

PERFECT MATCH HONG KONG 5g 109

Eight-time winner from 17 starts; runner-up in G3 Premier Cup last season over 1400m; won first-up this term before fading to seventh in G2 Premier Bowl.