# **CHANTILLY - 04 May**

## Race 1

- 1. **BARATIN** Good 3L fourth over 2400m at Longchamp (good) 16 days ago. Of note upped in trip.
- 2. **HARMYSIAN** Runner-up when beaten 0.5L over 3100m at Saint-Cloud (good) just over two weeks ago. Bold show expected.
- 3. **CHECKPOINT CHARLIE** Held 5.5L ninth over 2400m at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) in March. Capable of better.
- 4. **MAGICAL FOREST** Bidding to complete a four-timer when sixth over 2700m on AW here in March. Needs to put that effort behind her.
- 5. **GOUREL** 1.25L fourth in a 2400m handicap on rain-softened going here three weeks ago. Leading contender.
- 6. **TENNESSEE SONG** Faded late on when 2L eighth over 2400m on soft ground here first up. Step forward likely.
- 7. **MAX LA FRIPOUILLE** Made all to win by 0.5L in a 3100m conditions race at Saint-Cloud (good) 15 days ago. Noted on return to handicap racing.
- 8. **BELLARIVA** Runner-up when beaten 2L over 3000m at Saint-Cloud (good) four weeks ago. Strong claims.
- 9. **SAINT NICOLAS** Fair 4.5L fifth over 3000m at Saint-Cloud (good) last month. More required.
- 10. **ALBIR** Successful by 2L in a 3000m handicap at Saint-Cloud (good) last month. Races off a 3kg higher mark in this contest.
- 11. **LE HOYO** Down the field 13th over 2400m on soft going here three weeks ago. Others preferred.
- 12. **REVENTADOR** Neck winner of a soft ground 2400m handicap at Saint-Cloud in March. Stamina to prove over this distance.
- 13. **RISKY ASSET** Suffered a DQ over this distance at Nantes (good-to-soft) last month. Claims having faded late on when fifth over 2700 on the AW here prior.

- 14. **SARENDAM** 5L fourth in a 3200m claimer at Longchamp (good-to-soft) 12 days ago. More required.
- 15. **LETTYT STORM** Held 5.5L seventh over 3000m at Saint-Cloud (good) four weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 16. **SCENARISTE** Good 1.75L third in a 2400m handicap at Longchamp (good) 16 days ago. Top chance.

# Summary

GOUREL (5) won his only previous start at this trip. Looks set to record a victory following a 1.25L fourth over 2400m at Chantilly. SCENARISTE (16) makes the shortlist upped in trip. Ran 1.75L third in a 2400m handicap at Longchamp. HARMYSIAN (2) finished a 0.5L second in a 3100m conditions race at Saint-Cloud. BELLARIVA (8) might play a role in the finish having been beaten 2L second tackling 3000m at Saint-Cloud. ALBIR (10) warrants respect as a winner off a 3kg lower mark attempting this distance at Saint-Cloud.

#### **Selections**

GOUREL (5) - SCENARISTE (16) - HARMYSIAN (2) - BELLARIVA (8) - ALBIR (10)



- 1. **BLACK LIVES MATTER** Unraced Panis colt. Likely to improve for the experience.
- 2. **JAMES** Unraced son of Galiway. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 3. **RECORD THE SHAW** Unraced Record colt. Top jockey booked.
- 4. GORDON BREAK Unraced Goken colt. Claims for a good yard.
- 5. LORENZO DE MEDICI Unraced Territories colt. One to note.
- 6. NOURAN Unraced Raven's Pass filly. Minor role likely.
- 7. **HYPNOTIZED** Unraced Dream Ahead filly. Best watched.
- 8. **MOUNTAIN MADNESS** Unraced Territories filly. Notable runner.
- 9. SHAKE SHAKE Unraced Biraaj filly. Bold show expected.
- 10. **ZOFFWALTZ** Unraced Zoffany filly. Wears cheekpieces on debut.

# **Summary**

Biraaj newcomer SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE (9) hails from a yard that is proving competitive with their juvenile runners this campaign. Can debut with a victory. MOUNTAIN MADNESS (8) is a Territories filly. Enters calculations for a good stable on her first start. Recorder colt RECORD THE SHAW (3) secures an eye-catching jockey booking and is respected. GORDON BREAK (4) is a yet to race Goken colt and another to consider.

### **Selections**

SHAKE SHAKE (9) - MOUNTAIN MADNESS (8) - RECORD THE SHAW (3) - GORDON BREAK (4)



- 1. **BERAZ** Unraced Zoffany colt. Strong claims for top connections.
- 2. **NEW CHANCE** Unraced New Bay colt. Represents a leading stable.
- 3. **SHAHZADEH** Unraced Stormy River colt. Others make more appeal.
- 4. **TWILY** Unraced Elusive City gelding. Minor role likely.
- 5. **NORTHERN RULER** Unraced Ruler Of The World colt. Of note on first start.
- 6. **MEASURE UP** Unraced War Front filly. Bold show likely.
- 7. **MARCIE** Unraced Marcel filly. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 8. **DJETTIES BEACH** Unraced Soldier Hollow filly. Noted for a top stable.

# **Summary**

BERAZ (1) is a Zoffany colt. Can make a winning debut for leading connections. Andre Fabre newcomer NEW CHANCE (2) is a son of New Bay and may play a role in the finish. MEASURE UP (6) is another of note with the War Front filly hailing from a top yard. Ruler Of The World filly NORTHERN RULER (5) warrants thought.

#### **Selections**

BERAZ (1) - NEW CHANCE (2) - MEASURE UP (6) - NORTHERN RULER (5)



- 1. **THE CHOSEN ONE** Held 4.25L ninth over this track and trip just over a month ago. More needed.
- 2. **FOOTSTEPSANPIE** Down the field 11th over this track and trip at the start of last month. Each-way claims having won a handicap at Deauville in January.
- 3. **ROCK CHOP** Close third over this trip at Saint-Cloud (good) in a claimer 15 days ago. Notable contender.
- 4. **FALMOUTH LIGHT** Seventh two most recent starts including when beaten 4.5L over this distance at Saint-Cloud (good) last month. Best watched.
- 5. **VERTI CHOP** Fari 2.75L sixth over 1400m at Le Lion-d'Angers (good-to-soft) 15 days ago. Others preferred.
- 6. **CHEIKELJACK** Struggled 22L 12th over 1400m at Compiegne (heavy) just over six weeks ago. Yet to win on the AW.
- 7. **LIGHT THE FUSE** Supplemented for this and holds strong claims having finished a neck fourth over 1600m in a good ground claimer 15 days ago.
- 8. **MASETTO** Fifth when beaten 2.75L in an 1800m AW claimer at Lyon-la-Soie just under four weeks ago. Bold show expected dropping in distance.
- 9. **VAUTRIN** 2.5L fifth over 1600m at Saint-Cloud (good) 15 days ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 10. **SIMSONG** Midfield finish when 2.5L seventh over 1900m at Deauville AW in January. Likely to improve for the race.

#### Summary

MASETTO (8) may register a victory with the drop in trip a positive following a 2.75L fifth over 1800m at Lyon-la-Soie. The supplemented LIGHT THE FUSE (7) makes the shortlist on the back of a neck fourth in a good ground claimer over 1600m at Saint-Cloud. ROCK CHOP (3) could play a role in the finish having delivered a third in the aforementioned Saint-Cloud claimer. FOOTSTEPSANPIE (2) can put his two most recent starts behind him. Won a 1500m contest at Deauville when making all in January. Similar tactics possible.

#### **Selections**

MASETTO (8) - LIGHT THE FUSE (7) - ROCK CHOP (3) - FOOTSTEPSANPIE (2)



- 1. **PONNTOS** Struggled 28L seventh in the G3 Preis des Winterfavoriten over 1600m at Cologne (soft) in October. Drop in trip looks likely to suit.
- 2. **BRAN** Bidding to complete a hat-trick when 7.5L sixth in the G3 Prix Sigy over 1100m at Chantilly (good-to-soft) two weeks ago. Of note down in grade.
- 3. **CHEZ PIERRE** Unbeaten in two starts including a heavy ground course and distance event in October. Top chance.
- 4. **SCARFACE** Held 4L sixth over 1300m at Longchamp (good-to-soft) 12 days ago. Others preferred.
- 5. **WALDERSEE** Victorious by a head over 1300m on the AW here just over a month ago. Bold show expected.
- 6. **PRINCESSE DE SABA** Debuting for a new yard having ended last year with an 8L seventh over 1300m on the AW here in November.
- 7. **HIDDEN BREEZE** Down the field 5.25L tenth in the 1300m Listed Prix Montenica on the AW here in March. Capable of better.
- 8. **ANATIYA** Good 3L third in a 1208m handicap at Lingfield in January. Step forward needed on stable debut.

# Summary

CHEZ PIERRE (3) can make a winning seasonal debut having won by 3L in a heavy ground course and distance event last autumn. Top chance with more to come and a leading jockey booked. WALDERSEE (5) found success by a head over 1300m on the AW here first up this campaign. Key player for a good yard. BRAN (2) is considered down in grade. Ran 7.5L sixth in the 1100m G3 Prix Sigy over 1100m at this track. HIDDEN BREEZE (7) warrants thought dropping in class after 5.25L tenth in the 1300m Listed Prix Montenica on the AW here.

#### **Selections**

CHEZ PIERRE (3) - WALDERSEE (5) - BRAN (2) - HIDDEN BREEZE (7)



- 1. **SAIYDABAD** Winner of both starts to date including by a neck over 2000m at Deauville (good) on turf debut. Leading contender.
- 2. **L'IENISSEI** Fair 6.25L fourth in a 2000m maiden on soft going at Saint-Cloud just over five weeks ago. More needed.
- 3. **ABELARD F** Placed third when beaten 3.25L over 2000m in a Deauville (good) conditions race last month. One to note.
- 4. **NEMBO KID** Dual winner last year and holds strong claims following a 5L fourth in the G3 Prix La Force over 1800m at Longchamp (soft) first up.
- 5. **GAGARIN'S MOON** Bidding to maintain an unbeaten record when 5.25L fifth in the G3 Prix La Force over 1800m at Longchamp (soft) 23 days ago. Notable contender.
- 6. **SKYCUTTER** Runner-up when beaten 1L in a 2400m conditions race at Le Lion-d'Angers (good-to-soft) just under a month ago. Bold show expected.
- 7. **BAHA MAR** Held 6.75L seventh in the 2100m G3 Prix Noailles at Longchamp (soft) last month. Others preferred.
- 8. **ABSURDE** Successful by 2L in a 2000m handicap at Saint-Cloud (good) four weeks ago. Of note upped in grade.

# **Summary**

SAIYDABAD (1) can maintain his unbeaten record following a neck success over 2000m at Deauville. Top chance in this suitable event. NEMBO KID (4) makes the shortlist down in grade having delivered a 5L fourth in the 1800m G3 Prix La Force at Longchamp. Dropping in trip is SKYCUTTER (6). Enters calculations after finishing 1L second over 2400m at Le Lion-d'Angers on seasonal debut. GAGARIN'S MOON (5) ran 5.25L fifth in the aforementioned G3 Prix La Force. Considered in this class.

#### **Selections**

SAIYDABAD (1) - NEMBO KID (4) - SKYCUTTER (6) - GAGARIN'S MOON (5)

