



**WEDNESDAY, 05/02/25**

## **R1 CAGNES-SUR-MER [L-H]**

**C1 - PRIX DES MAURES - 2150m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat -  
EUR € 23,000**

**1. ESCAPE GAME** - Can build on latest 4th finish at this course over 2000m and is one to take very seriously. Strong place chance

**2. GOOD ORPEN** - Will need to do more than debut 6th over 2000m on the 20th of January and others are preferred today. Happy to ignore from the shortlist

**3. AIDAN'S PHONE** - Is showing ability and looks ready for the win. His last run was at this very track over 2150m on the 18th of January finishing 2nd and is confidently selected to go one more

**4. LOUIS OTHON** - Will need to, (and can), build on debut 8th over 2000m on the 20th of last month at this course and is therefore a must for the quartet

**5. MAYISKI** - Finished 3rd over 1600m at Pau on the 2nd of January and is showing talent. He can go very close to getting it all right. Strong each way claims

**6. MARSANNAY** - Managed only 9th place on debut and will need to build on that to feature here. Happy to ignore from all bets

**Summary:** AIDAN'S PHONE (3) has been ringing up the stakes cheques in all three starts thus far and looks set to answer the maiden question today and is confidently selected to win. MAYISKI (5) has caught the eye in all three of his races thus far and should certainly not be a maiden for too much longer. Big runner. ESCAPE GAME (1) finished 4th over 2000m on the 27th of last month at this course and has a very bright place chance. LOUIS OTHON (4) has scope to improve on the debut run and can finish in the first four.

### **SELECTIONS**

**AIDAN'S PHONE (3) - MAYISKI (5) - ESCAPE GAME (1) - LOUIS OTHON (4)**



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### C2 - PRIX DU VAR - 2150m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 53,000

- 1. GOOD GIFT** - Attractive 3rd finisher at this track over 2400m on the 25th of January and can go very close to winning. Good chance and a must for all bets
- 2. ALMIRO** - Will need to do more than latest 7th place over 2150m on the 15th of January for the win but can certainly run a place here. Good each-way claims
- 3. SUNFAST** - Finished 2nd over 2100m in a weak claiming race at Toulouse last time out but must still be respected in this. Player
- 4. NIKOLAJ** - Was a winner 4 starts back, then went to a Listed race and Handicaps thereafter and has not shone. Hard to assess and make a case for, therefore, prefer others
- 5. LOU MAN** - Placed 7th over 2000m in a Handicap at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 15th of last month and is hard to fancy on that, and overall form. Hard to fancy
- 6. GRAND BALCON** - Ignore last run, finished 2nd before that over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux on the 17th of December and is confidently selected to bounce right back into the winner's box
- 7. WUKHANN** - Current form has been on the decline over various distances and at various venues and is therefore hard to make a case for. Pass by
- 8. GIRAFFE** - Finished 7th over 1500m in a Handicap at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 20th of January and can be expected to get a lot closer this time. Good chance
- 9. USER KINDLY** - Finished 5th over 2000m at this track on the 15th of January in a Handicap and should be able to get into the action. An outsider with a chance
- 10. MORSAN** - Was victorious last time out when competing at this track over 2400m in Handicap class and can follow up. Bright chance
- 11. RIYAK** - Was a winner when last racing which was at this very course over 2150m in a Handicap on the 20th of last month. No shock if he were to record back-to-back wins. Big runner
- 12. MONA TREZY** - Was a winner three starts back but since has posted two shocking runs and will need huge progression on those efforts to threaten. Pass by
- 13. HENRY THE LION** - Placed 4th over 2400m at Salon Provence on the 28th of November and if not in too much need of this, can earn and run well. Respect and include
- 14. VEULES** - Was only 6th over 2400m in a Handicap at Salon Provence on the 28th of November last year and will need to do way more to feature. Happy to ignore
- 15. ONE POINT** - She is hard to make a case for and hard to like on current and overall form and would therefore be a shock winner. Pass by
- 16. NARCOS** - Only managed a 6th finish over 2150m last time out and will need to serve up considerably more than that to feature here. Prefer others



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**Summary:** GRAND BALCON (6) can be forgiven for the last dismal performance and judged on solid earlier form. He was a winner at Marseille Vivaux over 2000m in his penultimate start and is confidently selected to bounce right back to winning ways. GIRAFFE (8) is never too far off the action and can finish in the firing line. MORSAN (10) comes into the race fresh off a victory at this track and it would be no surprise if he were to follow up. Both GOOD GIFT (1) and ALMIRO (2) have a huge place chance.

### SELECTIONS

GRAND BALCON (6) - GIRAFFE (8) - MORSAN (10) - GOOD GIFT (1)



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**C3 - PRIX DE L'ESTEREL - 2150m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat -  
EUR € 23,000**

**1. MUDHAWI** - Raced once in Prague when 7th over 1400m back in last November and will more than likely need a run or two to tighten up. Prefer others

**2. BIG SURPRISE** - Good debut when 4th over 2000m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 20th of January and can get much closer now with the one race experience under the belt. Each way chance

**3. MILENA** - Did improve at the second start albeit in a weak claiming race. Placed 3rd over 2150m on the 21st of last month. Strong place chance

**4. BLANCHE SACREE** - Will need to improve on what form we have seen thus far and far prefer others for the win. Only finished 8th last time and is hard to fancy

**5. AZOTE** - Excellent debut when 3rd over 2150m at this course on the 18th of January and with natural progression, should be difficult to beat. Strong win

**6. BAVARDE** - Finished 6th on debut and has plenty scope to build on that effort and has to be respected for the first four positions. Include in all bets

**7. BIRCH BLUE** - Is a daughter of Birchwood out of a Soldier Hollow mare that raced and won in Germany. She is from the Baudron barn and might need a run or two to gain experience

**8. MAKE YOU MINE** - This daughter of Circus Maximus is out of a Monsun mare that only raced three times for two places. Watch the betting trends as race time looms. Cristian Demuro will ride on debut

**Summary:** AZOTE (5) is a daughter of Chemical Charge who caught the eye when making a sparkling debut at this track over 2150m on the 18th of last month finishing 3rd. With natural improvement, she could be a hard horse to oppose. BIG SURPRISE (2) will have plenty more to come after finishing 4th on debut and can go very close to getting it all right. BAVARDE (6) can improve to place but others should be way stronger for the win position. MILENA (3) has a first four chance and is a must for the quartet.

### SELECTIONS

**AZOTE (5) - BIG SURPRISE (2) - BAVARDE (6) - MILENA (3)**



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### C4 - GRAND PRIX DES JEUNES JOCKEYS ET APPRENTIS - 2400m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,000

1. **L'ARGENT** - Is currently a tad off form, hard to make a case for and will more than likely be an outsider that might battle to win, therefore, happy to ignore
2. **CAPABLE** - Ignore last run, finished 2nd at Lyon La Soie over 2400m on the 9th of January in Handicap class and is one for the shortlist and all bets. Strong each way chance
3. **LAGOONE CHOPE** - Better than recent form, finished 8th over 2150m in a Handicap at this track on the 20th of January and much better can be expected. Good each way chance
4. **PICNIC ROYAL** - Current form has been a tad erratic making it a touch difficult to predict how he will perform. Happy to ignore and choose others
5. **MISS ROAZHON** - Ran an attractive race last time when finishing 3rd over 2400m at Lyon La Soie in a Handicap on the 16th of December and can certainly place
6. **VOILA POURQUOI** - Placed 4th over 2400m at this venue on the 25th of last month and must be seriously considered for all bets. Bright winning claims
7. **MOUTRAKI** - Will need to build on last run when 8th at Salon Provence over 2400m in a Handicap in November. Prefer others
8. **WHATLINGTON** - Taking time to get it all right but should soon. Placed only 14th last time when going over 2400m in a Handicap. Good chance
9. **DREAM WUKAIR** - Has done nothing of note in past twelve month. Beaten a long way on 20 January here at Cagnes sur Mer and can be overlooked
10. **SEVERIN** - Placed once in four starts to date. Finished down the field in a maiden at this course on 21 January. First run in a handicap and is best to watch
11. **MAVALA** - Has been off form since December and beaten again a long way on 25 January at Cagnes sur Mer in a Handicap on turf. Happy to pass by
12. **SANBER** - Placed 4th over 2500m in Spain on the 19th of last month, 2nd in penultimate over 2600m in a Handicap at Marseille Vivaux and has to be taken seriously. Big chance

**Summary:** LAGOONE CHOPE (3) is a seven-time winner that is making her comeback. She was victorious at Vichy four starts back over 2000m and can be given serious claims. VOILA POURQUOI (6) has placed in the last two starts and there is absolutely no reason why he cannot place again. WHATLINGTON (8) is taking time for the first win and has served up two bad runs in her last two races but on earlier form, will be able to go close. SANBER (12) returns to France and can earn prize money for his connections.

#### SELECTIONS

**LAGOONE CHOPE (3) - VOILA POURQUOI (6) - WHATLINGTON (8) - SANBER (12)**



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**C5 - PRIX MARILDO - 3200m (a2m) - TURF - Class 3 Handicap - Flat - EUR  
€ 25,000**

**1. SUPER QUARTZ** - Has been racing over hurdles, unplaced on his last five starts, he won at Auteuil in April 2024 and also scored on the flat over 2400m in a Class 3 handicap in February 2023. Hard to fancy off top weight

**2. INTERSTELLA** - Two unplaced runs since she was 4th over 2600m in a Class 3 handicap on the PSF on December 17th. Others make more appeal

**3. SITJAR** - 6th last time out, two wins before that, with the latest of them over 3000m at Toulouse in a Class 3 handicap on November 24th. One to pay attention too

**4. TURANIA** - Placed on the last three starts, the most recent over 3200m in a Class 3 handicap at this track on January 18th. Looks ready to win again

**5. BARBADIN** - He gained another success over 3200m at this track in a Class 3 handicap on January 18th. He can be competitive

**6. ALGECIRAS** - She has five unplaced runs since a win over 2200m in a Class 4 handicap on September 29th. She needs to return to her best form before recommended

**7. AUEN ADVENTURE** - Credible 3rd over 3200m at this track in a Class 3 handicap on January 18th. Place contender

**8. AVERNES** - Several unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3200m at this track in a Class 3 handicap on January 18th. Hard to fancy

**9. SAINT LANGIS** - Fair 4th over 3200m in a Class 3 handicap at this track on January 18th when last racing. Each way option

**Summary:** TURANIA (4) has been performing well without a win recently. He has been placed on his last three starts and can get back in the winner's circle this time. SITJAR (3) is a danger and will try to make life difficult for the selection. He missed out on the hat-trick of wins recently but is capable of making amends. SAINT LANGIS (9) is one for the each-way players to look at from the foot of the handicap. AUEN ADVENTURE (7) heads the remainder.

### SELECTIONS

**TURANIA (4) - SITJAR (3) - SAINT LANGIS (9) - AUEN ADVENTURE (7)**