

R4 FONTAINEBLEAU [L-H]

C1 - PRIX MAITRES ET SOUS-MAITRES DE MANEGE DU REGIMENT DE CAVALERIE - 1200m (a6f) - TURF - Class 2 - Flat - EUR € 31,100

- **1. MAI DIRE MAI -** Unplaced last time, a win previously over 1100m at Dieppe on July 22nd in a maiden race. Among the leading contenders
- **2. MATAKI -** Solid operator who got off the mark over 1200m at Mont-de-Marsan in a maiden race last time out on September 10th. Hard to overlook and can follow up
- **3. AMELIA -** Three unplaced runs of late, the latter over 1600m in a claiming event at Chantilly on October 14th. Seems to be regressing and is best avoided
- **4. GAZI** Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 1400m at Saint-Cloud on September 12th in a maiden race. Place chance
- **5. NUMIDIA -** Ran with promise to be 7th at Deauville over 1400m in a conditions race on August 14th. Open to improvement, and she can be involved
- **6. MISS APRES -** Placed on her last two runs, the latter when 2nd at Les Sables on October 11th in a maiden race. She needs a few to falter

Summary: MATAKI (2) has been improving with race experience and got off the mark in a maiden race at Mont-de-Marsan on September 10th by over four lengths. He is preferred over NUMIDIA (5), who showed promise on her only start at Deauville in mid-August and has a top jockey in Maxime Guyon on board. MAI DIRE MAI (1) won two starts ago at Dieppe in July in a maiden race and could be in the mix again.

SELECTIONS

MATAKI (2) - NUMIDIA (5) - MAI DIRE MAI (1) - GAZI (4)



C2 - PRIX DE LA MARE AUX EVEES - 1100m (a5f1/2) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 22,100

- **1. LOVER SONG -** Three unplaced efforts in handicaps of late, a win at Dieppe before that in a handicap over 1100m on July 22nd. He drops in class and is hard to rule out
- **2. GALLIUS -** He has been 5th on his last two runs in non-claiming events, a win before that in a claimer over 1200m on September 15th at Chantilly on turf. Capable of making the frame
- **3. EAGLE GATE -** Finished 6th on his last run over 1200m at Chantilly in a handicap on October 2nd. A competitive run can be expected if he recaptures his best form
- **4. REUX -** Several unplaced efforts of late, the latter over 1200m at Chantilly on October 2nd in a handicap. Look elsewhere
- **5. SHEARKAN -** Unplaced last time out at Chantilly 15 days ago in a handicap. Two good efforts previously, a win at Deauville in late August in a handicap, and a 3rd at Chantilly in September. She can have a say in proceedings
- **6. GRACIA -** 6th last time out over 1100m in a Class 3 claimer at Chantilly on September 30th. She won twice in Germany last year over 1200m. Capable of making an impact
- **7. REINE DU CIEL -** Unplaced last time out in Prague (CZE) over 1000m 12 days ago, 2nd previously at Chantilly over 1200m in a claimer on September 15th. Player
- **8. AWJ -** Three unplaced runs of late, the latter over 1200m at Chantilly on October 2nd in a handicap. Has work ahead to be on the premises
- **9. WIXON'S MEMORY -** Two unplaced efforts of late, the latter over 1200m at Pompadour on September 7th in a Class 4 race. Makes limited appeal

Summary: GRACIA (6) won twice in Germany over 1200m last year and has the potential to bounce back to her best form in this claiming race. REINE DU CIEL (7) can be forgiven for her latest effort and is better judged on her runner-up finish in a claiming event at Chantilly in mid-September. She could push the main selection all the way. LOVER SONG (1) was successful in a handicap at Dieppe in July and is a solid each-way contender. SHEARKAN (5), a handicap winner in August, looks the best of the rest.

SELECTIONS

GRACIA (6) - REINE DU CIEL (7) - LOVER SONG (1) - SHEARKAN (5)



C3 - PRIX DES MYOSOTIS - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 - Flat - EUR € 14,600

- **1. JUST IN TIME GAME -** Recent success over 1300m at Craon on September 28th in a Class 4 handicap. He is among the leading contenders as he won over this distance in April
- **2. AMRITA -** Scored over 2000m at Fontainebleau on September 21st in a Class 4 race last time. Can not be ruled out of the top three despite a drop back in distance today
- **3. MONSIEUR FANTAISIE -** Credible 4th at Lyon Parilly in a Class 4 claimer on September 21st over 1200m when last racing. Unlikely to trouble some of these
- **4. PLACEHOLDER -** Two 5th placed runs of late, the latter over 1400m in a Class 4 handicap at Strasbourg on September 27th. In the mix
- 5. CHIVERE Non partante
- **6. LOUBEISIEN -** Has lost his form of late, well beaten over 1100m in a Class 3 handicap at Chantilly on October 2nd on his last start. Makes no appeal
- **7. HARRY BASSETT -** Unplaced last time, two placed runs previously, the latter when 4th over 1400m at Moulins on August 25th in a conditions race. Place contender
- **8. ROBIN -** Two unplaced efforts since a win at Chantilly on January 11th in a conditions race over 1900m on the PSF. Others rate higher
- **9. HARTWOOD MAN -** Several unplaced runs of late, the most recent over 1900m at Chantilly on October 11th in a Class 3 handicap. Look elsewhere
- **10. MARLOWE -** Ran well to be 2nd over 1650m on September 28th in a Class 4 race at Amiens last time out. Ought to play a leading role
- **11. ASTRA DREAM -** Credible 3rd last time over 1700m at Saint-Brieuc on October 5th over 1700m in a Class 4 event. Unlikely to threaten
- **12. NURTURE -** Three unplaced runs of late, 3rd before that over 1300m at Deauville on January 3rd in a Class 3 handicap. Capable of making the frame

Summary: MARLOWE (10) could be the answer to this tricky event. He shaped well when second at Amiens late last month when beaten narrowly. He is preferred ahead of AMRITA (2), who got the job done at Fontainebleau in a Class 4 race late last month and will be full of confidence for that success, and is versatile trip-wise. JUST IN TIME GAME (1) looks like a sensible option each way after a win at Craon in September. PLACEHOLDER (4) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

MARLOWE (10) - AMRITA (2) - JUST IN TIME GAME (1) - PLACEHOLDER (4)



C4 - PRIX DES BOULEAUX - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 22,100

- **1. AKVAREL -** Three unplaced runs of late, a win previous to that over 1600m at Varsovie (POL) on May 24th. Place chance
- **2. KEANU -** Ran well to be 2nd in a claimer over 1600m at Vichy on September 22nd when last seen. Hard to rule out
- **3. ARTISTIC MAN -** Got his second success over 1600m at Royan on September 20th in a claiming race. One to consider each-way
- **4. HERMES WOOD -** Two unplaced efforts in handicaps of late, 2nd before that over 1600m in a Class 2 race at Vichy on July 17th. More than capable of scoring back in a claimer
- **5. ART MARKET -** Two unplaced runs of late, the most recent over 1500m at Dresde (DEU) in a conditions race on September 27th. Look for an alternative
- **6. SIR CRATER -** Two recent unplaced runs, 2nd previously over 1600m in a claimer at Parislongchamp on May 29th. Has the ability, but is unreliable
- **7. MARTA'S PRINCE -** Nice win two runs back at Clairefontaine in a claiming race on August 25th over 1800m and a 4th at Vichy on September 22nd in a similar type of race. Player
- **8. LILI MARLEEN -** Five unplaced runs of late, the latter over 2000m at Mulheim (DEU) on October 4th in a conditions race. Opposable
- **9. IFFROCTA FAL -** Four unplaced runs of late, 6th in a handicap at Chantilly on September 30th over 1600m on her last start. One to pay attention to

Summary: HERMES WOOD (4) won his first two races, including a claiming event on the PSF. He was then placed in higher-class races (Class 1 and 2). Now dropping back into claiming company after a couple of unplaced runs, he looks well positioned to return to form. MARTA'S PRINCE (7) may pose the main threat, having won a claimer two starts ago in August and finishing a respectable fourth last time out. KEANU (2) deserves respect and should be involved, while IFFROCTA FAL (9) is another to consider.

SELECTIONS

HERMES WOOD (4) - MARTA'S PRINCE (7) - KEANU (2) - IFFROCTA FAL (9)



C5 - PRIX DES BICHES - 2200m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 18,200

- **1. KON'NICHIWA -** Only modest of late and finished 6th in a claimer at Angers over 2100m on 22 September. Might play a minor role
- **2. DADEICOS LAER -** Has not shown much in three starts and was 6th in a Conditions race at Tarbes over 2100m on 30 August. Capable of a surprise trying a handicap
- **3. POLNOR -** Showed improvement when fourth in a handicap over this course and distance on 21 September. Can do even better this time
- **4. DSCHINGIS RUN -** Unplaced in a Conditions race at Argentan over 2900m on 8 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win this race
- **5. FELICIA STORM -** Unreliable but did run well when third in a handicap over this course and distance on 21 September. Be right there at the finish
- **6. RUE POUSSIN -** Showed some improvement and was fifth in a handicap over this track and trip on 21 September. More is needed to beat these rivals
- **7. GREYMARA** Not disgraced when fifth in a Conditions race at Vichy over 2400m on 23 September. Has struggled in handicaps of late but could play a minor role
- **8. EASTMAN -** Only modest of late and finished 6th in a handicap over this track and trip on 21 September. Capable of better and is not out of it
- **9. BALTFOOT FAL -** Showed some improvement and was runner-up in a handicap at this track over 2200m on 21 September. Can get a first victory
- **10. CIACCINO** Unreliable but was fifth in a handicap at Chantilly over 1800m on 14 October. Has yet to win a race but does have a place chance in this line-up
- **11. DSCHINGIS TIGER -** Has struggled of late and finished 9th in a handicap at Craon over 2400m on 29 September. More is needed to win this race

Summary: BALTFOOT FAL (9) showed improvement and had a number of these rivals behind her when runner-up over this course and distance last month. She can go one better with further progress expected. FELICIA STORM (5) chased that rival home on that occasion and should be a threat once again. EASTMAN (8) is capable of better than what he showed last time out and can be a danger. POLNOR (3) is improving and should be involved in the finish again.

SELECTIONS

BALTFOOT FAL (9) - FELICIA STORM (5) - EASTMAN (8) - POLNOR (3)



C6 - PRIX ARTUS DE MAILLE - 2200m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 20,200

- **1. SELENA GOLD -** Only modest of late and was fifth in a claimer at Vichy over 1600m on 22 September. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **2. FREED FROM DESIRE -** Not disgraced when fifth in a handicap at Lyon-Parilly over 2400m on 17 May. Returns from a break but can earn some money
- **3. CHRISTINE -** Yet to win a race and finished 6th in a handicap at Le Mans over 1950m on 6 October. Capable of earning some money
- **4. OVER THE CLOUDS -** Unreliable of late and finished 6th in a handicap at Craon over 2400m on 29 September. More is needed to beat these rivals
- **5. GOT FLOWER -** Unreliable but was a winner of a claimer at Angers over 2100m on 22 September. Tougher task but can make the frame
- **6. CICCIO GIRL -** Has shown very little and was 10th in a Conditions race at Lyon-Parilly over 2200m on 7 October. Needs major improvement to win
- **7. BLANCHE EPINE -** A winner of a Conditions race at Auch over 2650m on 5 October. Much improved of late and can complete a hat-trick
- **8. MARIE DE PRUSSE -** Holding form and was fourth in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2000m on 9 October. Has claims in this line-up
- **9. GUILLERETTE -** In very good shape and was runner-up in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2000m on 9 October. Should contest the finish once again
- **10. REACH THE STARS** Has not shown much so far and was 8th in a Conditions race at Amiens over 2200m on 28 September. Capable of improvement first time in a handicap
- **11. SANDON -** Did not show her best when 9th in a handicap at Le Mans over 1950m on 12 September. Capable of better but others are preferred

Summary: BLANCHE EPINE (7) won well over this course and distance in her penultimate start. She followed that with another good win at Auch and has every chance of completing her hat-trick. GUILLERETTE (9) has improved of late and should be in the thick of things again. MARIE DE PRUSSE (8) is in good form and is clearly not out of it. GOT FLOWER (5) won with blinkers last time out and must be respected in this line-up.

SELECTIONS

BLANCHE EPINE (7) - GUILLERETTE (9) - MARIE DE PRUSSE (8) - GOT FLOWER (5)



C7 - PRIX DES CHEVREUILS - 3000m (a2m) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 24,000

- **1. SHAMSAT -** In good shape and was runner-up in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 2450m on 10 September. Can go one better first time in a handicap
- **2. AZOU -** Very consistent and was third in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 3000m on 26 September. Be right there at the finish
- **3. AMIRAL D'AUMONT -** In good shape and was a winner of a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 3000m on 26 September. Carries a 2.50kg penalty for that but is not out of it
- **4. MAHAMA -** Consistent so far and was fourth in a Conditions race at Vittel over 2400m on 27 August. Could like this longer distance and has claims
- **5. PONT MARIE -** A winner of two handicaps in a row, the latest in at Strasbourg over 2350m on 14 September. Carries a 3,50kg penalty but has a place chance
- **6. MOURAT** Improving and was fourth in a Conditions race at Angers over 3000m on 22 September. Can get involved with the finish again
- **7. JEANS AND JEWELLS -** A good fourth in a handicap at ParisLongchamp over 2400m on 11 September. Could like this longer distance and is not out of it
- **8. IKKO -** Only modest of late and finished 8th in a Conditions race at Le Mans over 3200m on 6 October. Needs to do more to win this race
- **9. VENDOMYA** A winner of a Handicap at Dieppe over 3000m on 31 July. Carries a 3kg penalty and could need this run returning from a break
- **10. BOUSSANT** Unreliable but was rhird in a Conditions race at Angers over 2300m on 11 September. Did struggle in handicaps before that and others are preferred
- **11. ANGE NOIR PELEM -** Unplaced in a handicap at Craon over 2400m on 29 September. Capable of improvement but others are preferred
- **12. ESPRIT DE LA FORET -** Hs not shown much so far and was 9th in a Conditions race at Amiens over 2200m on 28 September. Needs to find a few lengths to win

Summary: A very open race, with only a few runners that can be safely ruled out. MAHAMA (4) has done well in conditions races so far and would not be a surprise winner on her handicap debut. AZOU (2) is very consistent and a winning turn is not far away. SHAMSAT (1) is threatening to win again and tries a handicap this time. MOURAT (6) is improving and will have blinkers fitted, so must be respected in this line-up.

SELECTIONS

MAHAMA (4) - AZOU (2) - SHAMSAT (1) - MOURAT (6)



C8 - PRIX DES PINS LARICIO - 2600m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 21,100

- **1. FORZA SEDACA -** Disappointing last run when 10th in a handicap at ParisLongchamp over 2400m on 31 August. In good form before that and can make the frame
- **2. SUMMER BREEZE -** Has struggled of late and finished 7th in a handicap at Compiegne over 2800m on 16 September. Did better last year and is capable of an upset
- **3. KING KARA -** Showed some improvement and was fourth in a Conditions race at Craon over 3000m on 29 September. Can contest the finish
- **4. ZLARA -** Did not show her best when tenth in a handicap at Strasbourg over 2100m on 27 September. Others make more appeal
- **5. FLUTE EN SOL -** Disappointing last run when 6th in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2800m on 3 October. Capable of better but is not out of it
- **6. LE ROUGE CHINOIS -** Only modest of late and finished 7th in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2800m on 3 October. Might play a minor role
- **7. MISSION SECRETE -** Only modest of late and finished 7th in a Conditions race at Craon over 3000m on 29 September. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **8. NATH SHOW -** Unplaced in a handicap at Clairefontaine-Deauville over 2400m on 6 August. Has struggled of late and others make more appeal
- **9. I'M ON MY WAY -** Has struggled of late and was 9th in a handicap at Angers over 3150m on 11 September. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **10. TESSALOS** Unreliable but was fourth in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2800m on 3 October. Capable of winning a race of this nature
- **11. ELOISE -** Unplaced in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2400m on 19 September. Can bounce back and could play a minor role
- **12. KHAMEPHIS GAME -** Did not show his best when unplaced in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2800m on 3 October. Capable of better and could play a minor role
- **13. CANIAR DE LUXE -** Battling to regain best form and finished 8th in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2800m on 3 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **14. MATGIWELL -** In good form and was fourth in a Conditions race at Lyon-Parilly over 3150m on 7 October. Be right there at the finish
- **15. BRIONA -** Knocking hard at the door and was runner-up in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2400m on 26 September. Can go one better
- **16. PRINCESS KARA** Finished 8th in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2400m on 19 September. Needs to do more to win this race



Summary: Another competitive handicap. TESSALOS (10) is distance-suited and comes here after a good recent run at Saint-Cloud. BRIONA (15) is knocking very hard at the door and is capable of winning. KING KARA (3) showed vast improvement at Craon and could be a threat if repeating that level of form. MATGIWELL (14) is consistent and quite capable of winning off this handicap mark, so is another worth considering.

SELECTIONS

TESSALOS (10) - BRIONA (15) - KING KARA (3) - MATGIWELL (14)



C9 - PRIX DE LA MALMONTAGNE - 2600m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

- **1. CRIN NOIR -** Did not show his best when inished 8th in a claimer at Deauville over 2500m on 3 December 2023. Should need this run returning from a break
- **2. LUCIO VERO -** Only modest of late and finished 8th in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2800m on 3 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **3. MOUDA -** Battlin to regain form and was unplaced in a handicap at Le Croisé-Laroche over 1800m on 18 September. Needs major improvement to win
- **4. MURANO -** Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a handicap at Argentan over 2100m on 8 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **5. SINGEL MALT -** Did not show his best when 7th in a handicap at Angers over 3150m on 11 September. Capable of better and is not out of it
- **6. NEOWISE -** Unreliable but was runner-up in a handicap at Amiens over 2200m on 28 September. Can contest the finish
- **7. AIRA -** Very consistent and was third in a handicap at Vichy over 2400m on 23 September. Big chance in this line-up
- **8. LIGHTED GLORY -** Has really struggled this year and was unplaced in a Conditions race at Marseille-Vivaux over 2000m on 8 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **9. COSQUER VRAS -** Finished 10th in a handicap at Argentan over 2100m on 8 October. Does like this track and could be a threat
- **10. DRAPEAU BLANC -** Only modest of late and was fifth in a Conditions race at Granville over 2400m on 15 August. Might play a minor role
- **11. ZILCOVER -** Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a claimer at Le Croisé-Laroche over 2500m on 6 October. Needs major improvement to win
- **12. MONJARAZ -** Did not show his best when 8th in a handicap at this track over 3000m on 21 September. Capable of better and is not out of it
- **13. RED SUGAR -** Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a handicap at Clairefontaine-Deauville over 2900m on 26 July. Capable of better but could need this run
- **14. GOT SHINE** A winner of a Conditions race at Guingamp over 2700m on 14 September. Unreliable and has more to do to beat these rivals
- **15. STRIVER -** Only modest of late and was fifth in a claimer at Pompadour over 2300m on 31 August. Needs to find a few lengths to win

Summary: AIRA (7) has been ultra-consistent all year. She has won a couple of races around this distance and could take out this lucky last race. NEOWISE (6) is not reliable but should be a threat over a course and distance that suits. SINGLE MALT (5) is better than what he showed last time out and is another to consider. COSQUER VRAS (9) has run well at this course before and can be a danger off this low handicap mark.



SELECTIONS

AIRA (7) - NEOWISE (6) - SINGEL MALT (5) - COSQUER VRAS (9)



R5 LE CROISE-LAROCHE [L-H]

C1 - PRIX DES FLANDRES - 1800m (a1m1/8) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

- **1. GOOD TOO -** Well-travelled gelding who ran 8th in a Claimer over 2500m at this course on 6 October. Won 4 races in Belgium but needs to back up that form in France and has to deal with top weight
- **2. GRAN HABANO -** Consistent 4yo colt was 8th in a Handicap over 1850m at ParisLongchamp on 14 September. Ran 3rd the last time he ran at this track and another good effort is expected
- **3. POLITE -** Finished 10th in a Handicap over 1600m at Compiegne on 24 September. Will be dangerous if he can produce his best form
- **4. TREIZIEME MOIS -** Capable gelding who ran 10th in a Handicap over 2000m at Deauville on 17 August. Had some good performances during the summer but will need to regain that form
- **5. SIMONS KING -** Last time ran 14th in a Handicap over 1600m at Compiegne on 24 September. That was very disappointing and he could do better
- **6. JACK OF TRADES -** A promising 4th in a Handicap over 1800m at Clairefontaine on 2 August. He has won at this course and finished runner-up on two other occasions and should race fresh after a short break.
- **7. KINEMATICA -** She was 6th in a Handicap over 1600m at Chantilly on 30 September. Will be having her first start at this track but showed a return to best last time and needs to be taken seriously
- **8. SAN TEODORICO** Winner of a Handicap over 2200m at Amiens on 28 September. Returned to best form last time and will be fitted with Australian blinkers
- **9. COGOLIN -** Disappointing 14th in a Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October. will need to find more
- **10. JOAO -** Showed up well when 6th in a Handicap over this course and distance 6 October. That was his second good run at the track and should be competitive once again
- **11. FEE DU VIVIEN -** Finished 11th in a Handicap over 1800m at Chantilly on 5 September. She ran poorly in her last three starts and cannot be considered
- **12. SUNGOLD** Talented filly who ran 3rd in a race over 1600m at Dusseldorf in Germany on 14 September. Has been racing in Germany but had a decent run when 6th in a Claimer over this track and trip last year
- **13. JOJO -** Belgium-based mare ran 9th in a Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October. Is held by others on that run



Summary: JACK OF TRADES (6) has produced some of his best races at this course and comes off a short break which should have done him the world of good. Must have a strong winning chance. SUNGOLD (12) returns to France after competing prominently in Germany. Ran well at this course last year and off a light weight should be competitive. SAN TEODORICO (8) looked rejuvenated when winning at Amiens while KINEMATICA (7) showed a return to form last time.

SELECTIONS

JACK OF TRADES (6) - SUNGOLD (12) - SAN TEODORICO (8) - KINEMATICA (7)



C2 - PRIX DE LANNOY - 1800m (a1m1/8) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 14,400

- **1. GRAND MACHO -** Gelding ran 8th in a Handicap over 1400m at Strasbourg on 27 September. His rating is dropping but probably not enough to give him a chance in this race where he carries top weight
- 2. SAMAGACE DU VIVIEN Hard-knocking gelding ran 12th in a Handicap over 1600m at Chantilly on 15 September. This 11yo has not placed since July last year
- **3. IVISHAK RIVER -** Belgium-based mare who ran 4th in a race at Mons-Ghlin (BEL) on 12 September. She has had two good runs at this course last year
- **4. ANGEL DUST -** Decent mare who ran 2nd in a Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October. She is proven at this track and has the ability to win a race like this
- **5. PEARL HARBOUR** Honest mare who finished 5th in a Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October. That was a decent effort although she does look held by ANGEL DUST (4) on that run
- **6. FALABELLA -** Decent filly who notched her first win in a Handicap over 2200m at Amiens on 28 September. She will be asked to do more in this race, especially having to travel
- **7. ANTICO -** Four-year-gelding won the Handicap over this track and trip on 6 October and although he had both ANGEL DUST (4) and PEARL HARBOUR (5) behind him, he will have to overcome a 5-pound penalty
- **8. PALETUVIER** Finished 8th in a Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October and on that run he looks held by a number of others
- **9. HOT SUMMER -** His 11th place in a Handicap over 1600m at Compiegne on 24 September does not instill much confidence and he looks unlikely to feature
- **10. CIRCO MASSIMO -** Ran 9th in a race over 2200m at Ostende (BEL) on 7 July. He comes back from a break but his penultimate race was at this course in May was poor
- **11. SARACEN STAR** This mare finished 6th in a Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October and is another who looks well held on that effort
- **12. PRINCEDESCHAMPS -** Consistent 7yo gelding who ran 3rd in a Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October. Was not far off ANGEL DUST (4) in that race but has landed a wide draw once again
- **13. PEANUT ROYALE -** Another runner who finished on the heels of the more fancied runners in that Handicap over this course and distance on 6 October. More likely to place

Summary: The form of this race is heavily dependent on the Prix de l'Avesnois over this track and trip on 6 October. Second-placed ANGEL DUST (4) was beaten 0.75 lengths by ANTICO (7) but is 5 pounds better off and that should give her the edge. With the same advantage are PEARL HARBOUR (5) and PRINCEDESCHAMPS (12) but the latter has the widest draw in the race. A very interesting contest.



SELECTIONS

ANGEL DUST (4) - PEARL HARBOUR (5) - PRINCEDESCHAMPS (12) - ANTICO (7)



C3 - PRIX D'HAZEBROUCQ - 1100m (a5f1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

- **1. MICHELANGELO -** This gelding ran 5th in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. In good form and has the advantage of jumping from No 1 draw
- **2. REVANCHE** This filly ran a disappointing 10th over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. Will need to find her earlier form to feature
- **3. ANDARTIS -** Comfortable winner of a Handicap over 1000m at Fontainebleau on 21 September. Penalised six pounds for that win and will battle in this
- **4. PERMENTON -** Consistent gelding who finished 7th in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. That was not a bad effort and comes after a win over the same track and trip
- **5. TIME SIGNATURE -** Ended up in 12th place in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. Well held by others on that last run
- **6. GIORGIANA -** This filly mare comes off a win in a Claimer over this course and distance on 6 October. That was her second successive victory and she could make it three in a row
- **7. REMINISCE -** In-form gelding who ran 2nd in a Handicap over 1100m on 2 October. That was his best performance and followed on from a decent effort
- **8. EL MADAR -** Finished 5th in a Conditions race over this course and distance on 6 October. A fair effort but will need to do a lot more
- **9. LAMORNA COVE -** A promising effort when 6th in a Claimer over this course and distance on 6 October. She ran on well and and should be competitive
- **10. SHELBYLANDOR** Finished a disappointing 15th in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. Held by many others on the performance
- **11. MONSIEURVALCHOP -** A four-year-old gelding who disappointed when 10th in a Claimer over 1350m at Lyon Parilly on 7 October. Hard to see him as a factor
- **12. EXCALIBUR -** Ran a decent 4th in a Claimer over this course an distance on 6 October. Will need to do more and is held by others
- **13. LADY NAGIN -** Ran 8th in a Claimer over this course and distance on 6 October. She looks unlikely to feature in this company
- **14. SIXTUS** A well-beaten 8th in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 02 October. He is better than that effort and could show more this time
- **15. PAPATEOU -** Performed poorly when 12th in a Claimer over this track and trip on 6 October and cannot be taken seriously

Summary: Most of these form lines include a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October and a Claimer over this track and trip four days later. Which is the stronger will be answered in this event. GIORGIANA (6) won the Claimer while REMINISCE (7) finished runner-up at Chantilly and they will possibly fight this out with the nod going to the former. MICHELANGELO (1) and PERMENTON (4) both ran at Chantilly and are the next two to consider.



SELECTIONS

GIORGIANA (6) - REMINISCE (7) - MICHELANGELO (1) - PERMENTON (4)



C4 - PRIX DE LEERS - 1100m (a5f1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 14,400

- **1. GENTILESCHI -** Out-of-form filly who ran 13th in a Handicap over 1400m at Compiegne on 24 September. Will need to up her game
- **2. FUCHSIA -** Useful mare who finished 2nd in a Claimer over this course an distance on 6 October. She has two successive seconds over track and trick and should at least do the same this time
- **3. THE CHARM -** Contested a race over 1500m at Mons-Ghlin on 20 December last year, finishing 10th. Has run well at this course but will probably need the outing
- **4. WILD MOOR -** In top form, she ran 3rd in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October and was narrowly beaten in her penultimate start at this course. Looks ready to win
- **5. LITTLE JUMBY -** Winner of the Conditions race over 1100m over this course and distance on 6 October. The gelding finally cracked a victory last time and will be competitive again if she can cope with the penalty
- **6. INVIOLABLE SPIRIT -** This 10-year-old gelding finished in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. Could run well if he repeats his 3rd place in his penultimate start
- **7. GUALTALLARY -** Ran 6th in a Conditions race over this course and distance on 6 October. Held by others on that last run
- **8. MONSIEUR DUPONT** Finished 5th in a race over 950m at Mons-Ghlin (Bel) on 1 October. Back in France he will need to do better
- **9. RUE DU SAHEL -** Ran 15th in Handicap over 1600m at Chantilly on 15 September. Recent form has been poor and she will need to up her game
- **10. WRONG COLOUR -** Has work to do as she finished 5th in a Claimer over this course and distance on 18 September and is held especially by FUCHSIA (2)
- **11. ABRASSO** An honest performer, he comes off a 5th in a Claimer over this course and distance on 6 October. Always thereabouts and could place
- **12. TWO TWO TWO -** Did well to run 4th in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. Not always consistent but a repeat of her last tun would see her contest the finish
- 13. GOT BLOOM -
- **14. SALAZAR -** Ran 11th in a Handicap over 1600m at Chantilly on 15 September. Does ot have the form to trouble these runners
- **15. VALENTO -** This 9yo gelding ran 14th in a Handicap over 1100m at Chantilly on 2 October. Held by many other runners on that run

Summary: This is another race dominated by form lines at Chantilly and this track. WILD MOOR (4) and FUCHSIA (2) are the pick of those runners. The former was not only ran 3rd at Chantilly but was beaten just 0.75 lengths in a race over this track and trip so gets the nod. The latter has finished second in her last two starts and looks ready to go one better. LITTLE JUMBY (5) won that Conditions race but will need to overcome the penalty while TWO TWO TWO (12) have have to produce her best side.



SELECTIONS

WILD MOOR (4) - FUCHSIA (2) - LITTLE JUMBY (5) - TWO TWO TWO (12)



C5 - PRIX D'ARMENTIERES - 1100m (a5f1/2) - TURF - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 21,000

- **1. SCUTARI** Finished sixth on debut over 1100m at Chantilly in Conditional Maiden on 30 September. He would have gained from the experience and has the most scope for improvement
- **2. JOUE CHOPE -** Finished fourth over 1300m at Craon in Conditional Maiden on 29 September. She is a progressive type and may have more to come
- **3. POSSI -** Disappointing latest when ninth over 1200m at Saint-Cloud in Conditional Maiden on 19 September. Is a threat if finding form of debut effort when fourth at Chantilly
- **4. ZERO STRESS -** Finished fifth in both outings, the latest of which was over 1200m at Saint-Cloud in Class 2 Conditional on 26 September. She has scope and can finish in the placings
- **5. FLOWER CELEBRATION -** Finished sixth over 1400m at Strasbourg in Conditional Maiden on 14 September. Drops back in distance and needs to find form of debut run to be competitive
- **6. FILLE DE LOUISE -** Unraced daughter of Almanzor out of the Tin Horse mare, Folie De Louise. Eddy Hardouin rides and the betting market will be the best guide with regards to her chances

Summary: SCUTARI (1) is the only male in this contest. He ran a fair race on debut at Chantilly, and he has plenty of scope to improve. POSSI (3) was disappointing at Saint-Cloud last time and if finding the form of her debut run, she should pose a threat. JOUE CHOPE (2) is a progressive type and comes off a fourth-place finish. She should have a say in the outcome of this contest. ZERO STRESS (4) has finished fifth in both runs. Marie Velon takes the ride, and she can show good improvement.

SELECTIONS

SCUTARI (1) - POSSI (3) - JOUE CHOPE (2) - ZERO STRESS (4)



C6 - PRIX HECTOR FRANCHOMME - 1800m (a1m1/8) - TURF - Class 3 - Flat - EUR € 14,600

- **1. RUE HELENE -** Finished fifth over 1800m on this course in Claimer on 18 September. Others have a stronger winning chance
- **2. DOUBLE UP -** Showed good improvement when winning over 1600m at Vichy in Conditional Maiden on 23 September. He is a progressive type and should be involved at the finish
- **3. ASKARI -** Won first start on French soil over 2000m at Strasbourg in Conditional Maiden on 27 September. He has plenty of scope and cannot be discounted
- **4. NESTHORN -** Has finished fifth in both his outings this year, the latest of which was over 2000m at Parislongchamp in Class 2 Conditional on 7 May. He takes on weaker opposition and is the horse to beat
- **5. RUE ERNESTINE -** Finished second in Class 3 Conditional over 1600m at Craon on 29 September. She jumps from pole position and should have a say in the outcome of this contest
- **6. MAGIC TOPISSIMA** Battling to find best form. Finished seventh over 1500m in Belgium on 1 October. Look elsewhere

Summary: NESTHORN (4) has been campaigning against stronger in both efforts this year. Luca Carboni takes the weight off his back and against weaker, he can return to winning ways. DOUBLE UP (2) showed good improvement to win at the second time of asking. He is a progressive type and should pose a threat. ASKARI (3) won her first start on French soil and is a horse with scope. She would not be a shock winner. RUE ERNESTINE (5) comes off a good second-place finish at Craon. Augustin Madamet rides and she can feature.

SELECTIONS

NESTHORN (4) - DOUBLE UP (2) - ASKARI (3) - RUE ERNESTINE (5)



C7 - PRIX DE CROIX - 2500m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 11,500

- **1. KONIGIN MARIKA -** First run on French soil. Finished fifth over 1850m in Germany on 12 October. On best form shown, she is capable of winning a race of this nature
- **2. SESTINI -** Finished behind SHACKLETON (6) when third over 2500m at Nort-Sur-Erdre in Claimer on 5 October. He may have to settle for the same result
- **3. GOLDEN BLUSH -** Supplemented for this race. Finished seventh over 2000m at Saint-Cloud in Handicap on 9 October. She won her only attempt in this category and may be the one to side with
- **4. DSCHINGIS NOBLESSE** Supplemented for this race and she has consistent form lines. Finished fifth over 2400m at Compiegne in Claimer on 10 October. She is looking for her first career victory
- **5. LADY DANBURY** Not much promise shown. Finished seventh over 2200m at Amiens in Conditional Maiden on 28 September. Needs to show improvement to have a say here
- **6. SHACKLETON -** Finished second in last three starts, the latest of which was over 2500m at Nort-Sur-Erdre in Claimer on 5 October. He can feature with luck from the wide barrier position
- **7. GENTLE BEAR -** Finished sixth in first outing this year over 1600m in Germany on 14 September. He will strip much fitter but may be outgunned in this line-up
- **8. TORIO -** Unplaced in last two starts, the latest of which was over 2400m at Compiegne in Claimer on 10 October. Others have a stronger winning chance
- 9. THE HUMMINGBIRD Finished behind DSCHINGIS NOBLESSE (4) when seventh over 2400m at Compiegne in Claimer on 10 October. She may battle to turn the form around
- **10. DAME MEVANWI** Unplaced over 2200m at Amiens in Conditional Maiden on 28 September. Look elsewhere
- **11. GERMAN STYLE -** Finished fifth over 2000m in Germany on 4 October. Eddy Hardouin steps back into the saddle but more is needed to win this

Summary: GOLDEN BLUSH (3) was supplemented for this race. The daughter of Ribchester won her only attempt in this category. From pole position, she has a winning chance. KONIGIN MARIKA (1) has proven herself in Germany and has her first run on French soil. With luck from the widest draw, she should be competitive. DSCHINGIS NOBLESSE (4) has consistent form lines to her credit and is looking for her first career victory. SHACKLETON (6) has finished second in his last three starts and merits healthy respect.

SELECTIONS

GOLDEN BLUSH (3) - KONIGIN MARIKA (1) - DSCHINGIS NOBLESSE (4) - SHACKLETON (6)



C8 - PRIX PAUL-NOEL DELAHOUTRE - 2500m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 - Flat - EUR € 17,400

- **1. INCREMENTAL -** Unplaced over 2800m at Compiegne in Class 2 Handicap on 16 September. Needs to produce best form
- **2. SPINELLO -** Showed good improvement when winning over 2800m at Compiegne in Class 3 Handicap on 16 September. He jumps from a good draw of two and can follow up
- **3. HAVIASSOR -** Winner of last three starts, the latest of which was over 2200m at Parislongchamp in Class 3 Handicap on 14 September. Merits healthy respect
- **4. MYKISS -** Won over 2900m at Royan La Palmyre in Class 4 Handicap on 20 September. Can feature if confirming recent improvement
- **5. ZOOM CHOP** Is better than latest when seventh over 2800m at Compiegne in Class 2 Handicap on 16 September. He should pose a threat if finding the form of his penultimate run when victorious
- **6. DEVIL IN THE SKY** Finished third in last two starts, the latest of which was over 2250m at Niort in Class 4 Conditional on 14 September. Drawn in pole position and should produce a positive effort
- **7. MOOSBEERE -** First outing this year. Unplaced over 2400m at Parislongchamp in Handicap on 12 September 2024. May be in need of this outing

Summary: SPINELLO (2) showed good improvement when winning his last start over 2800m at Compiegne. He is in a good space and can follow up with another victory. ZOOM CHOP (5) is better than his last start against stronger. He drops in class and can go close if finding the form of his penultimate victory. HAVIASSOR (3) is a winner of his last three starts and merits obvious consideration. MYKISS (4) returned to winning ways last time and if confirming his recent improvement, he should have a say in the outcome of this contest.

SELECTIONS

SPINELLO (2) - ZOOM CHOP (5) - HAVIASSOR (3) - MYKISS (4)