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R3 PAU [R-H]

**C6 - PRIX PHILIPPE DE WATRIGANT - 2400m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER -
Class 4 Race - Flat - EUR € 14,000**

- 1. LOPPORTUNISTE** - Two unplaced runs of late, 4th before that over 2400m in a handicap at this track on November 29th. Has work ahead of him
- 2. GALACTICO** - He made a credible effort when 2nd at Mont-De-Marsan on his last start over 3000m in a Class 3 race on November 16th. Each way angle
- 3. PAPA AU RHUM** - Unplaced last time out, 4th before that over 2400m at Toulouse in a claimer on November 17th. Others rate higher
- 4. PORT GALLAND** - Several unplaced runs of late, the latest at Agen over 1850m in a claimer on October 27th. Can be overlooked
- 5. NOSS DEMRAUD** - Unplaced recently at Pau 4 days ago, 4th before that over 3100m at Pornichet in a Class 3 race on December 15th. He has outside place claims
- 6. UGATZAI** - Credible 4th on the latest start over 2100m at Pornichet in a handicap on December 29th. Player
- 7. EL KALBITO** - 5th at this track over 2000m in a Class 4 race on his last run 6 days ago. Capable of making an impact
- 8. ICONIC STARS** - Nice 3rd 6 days ago at this track in a Class 4 race over 2000m. He seems to run well at this venue
- 9. RUE BLEUE** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 2400m at Limoges in a maiden on November 30th. One to keep safe
- 10. POPPIE SAN** - Fair 3rd over 2000m in a maiden at Mont-De-Marsan on November 16th on her latest start. Place chance
- 11. MRS ROBINSON** - Five unplaced runs so far, the latest over 2000m at Pau on December 5th in a maiden race. Opposable
- 12. DENIZ** - 4th two runs back over 2650m in a maiden at Auch on September 8th. Outside place chance

Summary: UGATZAI (6) ran a good race at Pornichet late in December on his latest start when he was fourth and is preferred to ICONIC STARS (8) who has been supplemented for this race. He was third at this track recently in a Class 4 race 6 days ago. EL KALBITO (7) was back in fifth just over one length behind her 6 days ago and can make the top three. POPPIE SAN (10) is also worth considering in a race that will not take much winning.

SELECTIONS

UGATZAI (6) - ICONIC STARS (8) - EL KALBITO (7) - POPPIE SAN (10)



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C8 - PRIX DE LOUVIE-JUZON - 2000m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - Maiden Race - Flat - EUR € 13,000

1. **CORO CHOP** - Two unplaced runs of late, 2nd before that over 1900m at Cholet in a Class 4 handicap on November 3rd. Consider
2. **BAFFI** - Ran well to be 2nd at Pornichet over 2100m in a conditions race 18 days ago and can make his presence felt
3. **DIABLE** - 9th on the one run over 1400m at Madrid (ESP) in a conditions race on September 8th. Might find this difficult
4. **CHAI D'OEUVRE** - Credible 2nd at Mont-De-Marsan over 2000m in a conditions race on November 16th when last seen. Among the leading each way chances
5. **DUMONTEILDESAIGLES** - 4th on his last start at Orleans over 270m in a Class 3 race on May 20th. Might need this run after an absence
6. **RIVOLI** - Fair 4th at Pornichet over 2100m in a handicap on his last start on November 13th. Place contender
7. **TRADE HONOR** - Two nice placed runs of late, 2nd on the latest at Pornichet over 2400m in a claimer on December 29th. Ought to be in the shake-up
8. **LA MARAZUELA** - Has shown very little form recently. 9th at Pau over 2400m in a Class 3 handicap on January 8th on the last start. Hard to recommend
9. **BERINE DE DIANE** - Well beaten on the one run over 2000m at Pau in a maiden race on December 5th. Best watched for now
10. **COSMOPOLITAINE** - Unplaced last time out, 2nd before that over 1850m in a Class 3 race at Agen on October 27th. Can make the top three
11. **MONA MALPIC** - Four unplaced runs of late, the latest over 1700m at Pornichet on December 29th in a claimer. Unlikely to be involved
12. **RISUENA** - Two unplaced runs since a 4th at Angouleme on October 20th in a maiden race. Has to improve to be involved

Summary: TRADE HONOR (7) has been knocking at the door on his last two runs when second on both starts. He is the tentative selection in an open race. BAFFI (2) could be the main danger. He was a pleasing second at Pornichet 18 days ago and has several placed efforts last year over various trips. COSMOPOLITAINE (10) could be a good option for the each-way backers. CHAI D'OEUVRE (4) should have a say in proceedings.

SELECTIONS

TRADE HONOR (7) - BAFFI (2) - COSMOPOLITAINE (10) - CHAI D'OEUVRE (4)



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R4 DEAUVILLE [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX DU CARREFOUR DE CORMIER - 1900m (a1m1/4) - ALL
WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 23,000**

1. **KITO** - Produced a fair effort in 5th spot over 2400m at Lyon La Soie in a Class 4 handicap on the 9th of January 2025. Can run into the money
2. **BRAMANS** - Winner over track/trip in a divided handicap on the 18th of December 2024. Could feature in the outcome
3. **TAMYZ** - Won a good race over 2500m at Deauville in a maiden on the 27th of December 2024. Has more to come
4. **NOOTKA BAY** - Runner up over track/trip in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Should run a bold race
5. **TANTOMILE** - Solid win over track/trip in a Class 3 course qualfiier on the 10th of January 2025. Winning claims
6. **HONEY BADGER** - Finished 3rd behind a reopposing sort over track/trip in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Include in the play
7. **STARS AND AWAY** - Finished 2nd behind a reoppsoing sort over track/trip in a Class 3 course qualifier on the 10th of January 2025. Each way chance
8. **ZARINA** - Beaten out of sight in 6th position over 2400m at Pornichet in a claimer on the 29th of December 2024. Out of sorts at present
9. **OLYMPIC FLAMBEE** - Held in 8th position over 1600m at Chantilly in a divided handicap on the 30th of December 2024. Others preferred
10. **SANTO** - Poor effort in 11th over track/trip in a divided handicap on the 18th of December 2024. Easy to look elsewhere
11. **BOLZANO** - Winner over 1600m at Chantilly in a Class 4 course qualifier on the 11th of January 2025. Lurker with weight off the back
12. **BEST SHALAA** - Not entirely disgraced in 6th position over track/trip in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Place chance
13. **CUBANISTO** - Not disgraced in 5th spot over 1600m at Chantilly in a divided handicap on the 30th of December 2024. Outsider for the placings
14. **ENTRE NOUS** - Finished 6th over 1600m at Chantilly in a divided handicap on the 30th of December 2024. Outsider for the places
15. **RUE CUSTINE** - No show in 10th position over track/trip in a divided handicap on the 18th of December 2024. One to pass by
16. **KELBOFRER** - Lackluster performance in 10th over 1600m at Chantilly in a divided handicap on the 30th of December 2024. Others make more appeal



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Summary: TAMYZ (3) had been knocking on the door for that maiden victory and finally got it all right once stepped up in trip. Despite dropping back down to 1900m, he has the right type of form that could see him win again. NOOTKA BAY (4) has been holding steady form and enjoys it around here so needs to be included in everything. HONEY BADGER (6) finished just behind the reopposing Honey Badger last time out and there shouldn't be much to separate them once again so is another that can go close. TANTOMILE (5) bounced back to winning ways last time out and with her confidence restored, she could be a serious threat.

SELECTIONS

TAMYZ (3) - NOOTKA BAY (4) - HONEY BADGER (6) - TANTOMILE (5)



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C2 - PRIX DU CARREFOUR CHARLET - 1900m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 21,000

1. **LUCY GALESTE** - Finished 5th over track/trip in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Can challenge
2. **MAITRE DU JEU** - Consistent effort in 4th over 1800m at Lyon La Soie in a Class 4 handicap on the 6th of January 2025. Place chance
3. **VIVAWOOD** - Finished 8th over track/trip in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Others make more appeal
4. **MISTER JULES** - Runner up over 1800m at Lyon La Soie in a handicap on the 6th of January 2025. Big runner
5. **HAUTE GAMME** - Finished 7th over 1600m at Chantilly in a divided handicap on the 30th of December 2024. Place chance
6. **COMTE NOIR** - Weak effort in 11th over track/trip in a Class 3 claimer on the 10th of January 2025. Hard to recommend
7. **ANIELSKA** - Fair effort in 4th spot over 1900m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Can get involved
8. **JETLINER** - Comfortably beaten in 6th position over 2000m in a maiden at Compiègne on the 31st of May 2024. Likely to need a couple runs back
9. **IRISH DU GOUET** - Dismal performance in 12th over track/trip in a Class 3 claimer on the 10th of January 2025. Would be a surprise winner
10. **BATAVIUS** - Finished 5th over track/trip in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Money chance
11. **QUEEN'S ANGEL** - Well beaten in 6th position over 1650m at Amiens in a Class 4 limited handicap on the 29th of September 2024. Would be a surprise winner
12. **GOGO DU BREUIL** - Well held in 8th spot over 2500m at Deauville in a divided handicap on the 14th of December 2024. Erratic but capable
13. **MALTOCK D'ORGERES** - Finished 11th over 2500m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 3rd of January 2025. Faces an uphill task here
14. **RUE DES ORTEAUX** - No show in 11th over 1800m at Lyon La Soie in a Class 4 handicap on the 6th of January 2025. One to pass by
15. **ISIWOOD** - Beaten out of sight in 7th spot over 1800m at Morlaix in a Class 3 on the 16th of June 2024. Battling to find form
16. **PRINCE SHALAA** - Finished 11th over 2200m at Fontainebleau in a divided limited handicap on the 8th of October 2024. Would be a shock winner



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Summary: MISTER JULES (4) arrives in solid form and having won on his last run for 2024, he could be ideally poised to strike and make it two wins from his last three outings. LUCY GALESTE (1) is seldom far off the action and now gets the services of Maxime Guyon which could see her running a big race. HAUTE GAMME (5) wasn't disgraced last time out and if he reproduces his penultimate run when winning, he could be a factor. ANIELSKA (7) is always about the action and should be on the premises once again.

SELECTIONS

MISTER JULES (4) - LUCY GALESTE (1) - HAUTE GAMME (5) - ANIELSKA (7)



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C3 - PRIX DES DUNES DE BIVILLE - 1500m (a7f1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 23,000

1. **YOKEN** - No show in 11th over 1200m at Fontainebleau in a divided handicap on the 8th of October 2024. Erratic sort
2. **HANTANO** - Finished 6th over 1400m at Chantilly in a maiden on the 10th of December 2024. Goes handicapping again which will suit
3. **MASTER PAT** - Gutsy performance to win over 1400m at Deauville in a maiden on the 4th of January 2025. Should have more to offer
4. **ALMALY** - Finished close up in 3rd behind a reopposing sort over 1700m at Pornichet in a maiden on the 22nd of December 2024. Place chance
5. **MARILLAWOOD** - Runner up over 1700m at Pornichet in a maiden on the 22nd of December 2024. Include in the play
6. **LA DESINENCE** - Comfortably held in 8th over 1400m at Chantilly in a divided handicap on the 28th of October 2024. Others make more appeal
7. **HAPPY AGAIN** - Finished close up in 8th position over 1300m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 3rd of November 2024. Can go close
8. **VEGA** - Solid win over 1400m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 10th of January 2025. Should mount a challenge
9. **TANIS** - Dismal effort in 13th over 1900m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 3rd of January 2025. Would be a shock winner
10. **FAVORY CHOP** - Finished 5th over 1350m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 3rd of January 2025. Place chance at best
11. **EN PLEIN AIR** - Not beaten far in 4th position over 1600m at Chantilly in a Class 4 course qualifier on the 11th of January 2025. Can run into the money
12. **MIA GRANDE** - Poor showing in 13th over 1900m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Hard to fancy
13. **ELKABIER** - No type of run in 13th over 1600m at Deauville in a divided handicap on the 30th of December 2024. Battling at present
14. **THUNDERHEART** - Fair performance in 5th over 1600m at Chantilly in a Class 4 course qualifier on the 11th of January 2025. Others preferred

Summary: HAPPY AGAIN (7) is far better than what he produced last time out and should be judged on his previous four runs which saw him win twice and finish second twice. HANTANO (2) hasn't been too far off the action but his best effort came in a handicap so the conditions of the race suit him and he needs to be respected. MASTER PAT (3) showed very good improvement to win last time out and with some confidence on his side, he could follow up. MARILLAWOOD (5) just found one too good last time out and should be in the shake up.



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SELECTIONS

HAPPY AGAIN (7) - HANTANO (2) - MASTER PAT (3) - MARILLAWOOD (5)



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C4 - PRIX DE LA MARE DE VAUVILLE - 1500m (a7f1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 21,000

1. MEISHO VELITE - Not seen to best effect in 8th over 1300m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 3rd of January 2025. Can challenge on previous efforts

2. BAILEYS VITESSE - Not beaten far in 6th position over 1300m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 3rd of January 2025. Each way chance

3. TEMPO - Held in 7th over 1300m at Deauville in a Class 4 value claiming handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Would be a surprise winner

4. GALIMATIA - Poor display in 14th position over 1400m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 10th of January 2025. Needs to do more

5. TEMPLETON - Finished 9th over track/trip in a Class 3 course qualifier on the 20th of November 2024. Struggling at present

6. TIGER KING - Finished 6th over 1900m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 4th of January 2025. Include in the play

7. GRIGNETTE - Well beaten in 7th position over 1700m at Pornichet in a limited handicap on the 23rd of November 2024. Can surprise on a couple of her previous runs

8. MON IDOLE - No type of effort in 12th over 1400m at Deauville in a Class 3 divided handicap on the 10th of January 2025. Out of sorts

9. LELENTHA - Finished 11th over 1600m at Chantilly in a Class 4 course qualifier on the 11th of January 2025. Would be a shock winner

10. IHOA - Average effort in 7th over 1700m at Pornichet in a Class 4 handicap on the 7th of January 2025. Place chance

11. SUMMER FLIRT - Finished 10th over 1600m at Chantilly in a Class 4 divided handicap on the 10th of December 2024. One to pass by

12. KENPIC - Lackluster performance in 11th over 1700m at Pornichet in a maiden on the 22nd of December 2024. Hard to fancy

13. JIJ MY LOVE - Runner up over 1600m at Chantilly in a divided handicap on the 30th of December 2024. Big runner

Summary: MEISHO VELITE (1) is better than her rather indifferent latest outing and with weight off the back along with a steady rating drop, she could run a big race. JIJ MY LOVE (13) has produced her best efforts at her last two starts and looks ready to win. TIGER KING (6) was a winner two starts back over a similar trip and with a repeat performance, he should be in the firing line. IHOA (10) is a well tried maiden but keeps one interested for the minor positions.

SELECTIONS

MEISHO VELITE (1) - JIJ MY LOVE (13) - TIGER KING (6) - IHOA (10)



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C5 - PRIX DE L'AURE - 2500m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 18,000

- 1. FASHIONSPAN** - Finished 9th in a Conditions race at this track over 2500m on 4 January. A runner up on this track in November and is capable of bouncing back
- 2. VRUMPEA** - Finished 9th in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 2400m on 5 January. A good finisher off well and is capable of a surprise
- 3. SOGYNT** - A runner-up in a Handicap at Pau over 2400m on 8 January. A consistent sort who has sufficient means to fight for victory
- 4. ROMANELLO** - Third at Pornichet-La Baule over 1700m on 29 December. Holding form and is seldom far off them
- 5. SAN TEODORICO** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at Chantilly over 1900m on 26 December. Others are preferred in this line-up
- 6. LITTLE HEART** - Fifth in a Conditions race at Pornichet-La Baule over 3100m on 5 January. Fair last two efforts on the flat and can play a minor role
- 7. MYSTIC** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 3100m on 22 December. Sparingly raced last year and needs to improve
- 8. ILLUSTRE BERE** - Fifth in a Conditions race at this track over 2500m on 4 January. Seldom far off them and can play a minor role
- 9. HOLLY COLOUR** - Fifth in a Handicap at Lyon-La Soie over 2400m on 9 January. Needs to find a few lengths to be competitive
- 10. MANDOKI** - A winner at Mülheim over 2400m on 26 December. Facing stronger and needs to confirm the latest victory
- 11. AHA** - A runner-up in a Handicap at this track over 2500m on 23 December. Improved the last two efforts on this track and deserves to be respected
- 12. ARGYRON** - Third in a Handicap at Chantilly over 2700m on 30 December. Holding form well and is track-suited. Can contest the finish again
- 13. EVER MUCHACHA** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Chantilly over 1900m on 11 November. Others are preferred in this line-up
- 14. EARLY LIGHT** - Fourth in a Handicap at Chantilly over 2700m on 30 December. Some improvement in the latest and must confirm that
- 15. LE GARDOLOT** - A runner-up in a Handicap at this track over 2500m on 23 December. Track-suited and was a winner on this track in November and is not out of it
- 16. ZABIR** - A winner in a Handicap at Lyon-La Soie over 2400m on 9 January. Unreliable but does have the confidence



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Summary: ARGYRON (12) is yet to win at Deauville but has performed well enough at this venue to suggest he'll play a leading role in this wide-open handicap. AHA (11), competitive off her current mark, and FASHIONSPAN (1), who was unlucky not to have achieved a better result last time, lead the opposition ahead of consistent SOGYNT (3) and LE GARDOLLOT (15), an attractive outsider under a lightweight.

SELECTIONS

ARGYRON (12) - AHA (11) - FASHIONSPAN (1) - SOGYNT (3)



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C6 - PRIX DE L'AURETTE - 2500m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 15,000

1. **LE DRAKKAR** - A winner in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 2400m on 5 January. Carries a 2 kg penalty. Track-suited and can defy the penalty
2. **SPRINGBOKS** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 2100m on 22 December. Can show improvement on the latest effort
3. **FRENCH DIVA** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at this track over 3400m on 4 January. Others are preferred in this line up
4. **GOLD PALACE** - A runner-up in a Handicap at Chantilly over 2700m on 30n December. Holding form well and was a runner-up on this track in November. Can go close
5. **BELLE** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at this track over 2500m on 23 December. A penultimate start runner-up on this track and deserves to be respected
6. **LADY LOU** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Chantilly over 1900m on 11 January. Not far behind BELLE (5) on 26 November. Not out of it
7. **DRAPEAU BLANC** - Fifth in a Handicap at Senonnes-Pouancé over 2300m on 6 July. Might need the run-back
8. **EL INGRATO** - A winner in a Handicap at Chantilly over 2700m on 30n December. Penalized by 2 Kg for the latest victory. Maryline Eon remains in the saddle and will have supporters
9. **MURANO** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 3100m on 7 January. Unreliable and hard to trust
10. **SIXTINE BAAL** - Fourth in a Handicap at Chantilly over 2700m on 30n December. Needs to find a few lengths to be competitive
11. **MYKAN** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Chantilly over 2700m on 30n December. The last two efforts have been poor and is best watched for now
12. **AMICIS** - Third in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 2400m on 5 January. Can play a minor role at best
13. **TYTAN** - Unplaced in a Handicap at this track over 2500m on 26 November. Track-suited and is capable of bouncing back to make the frame
14. **MOMOUR** - A runner-up in a Handicap at Chantilly over 2700m on 30n December. Seldom far off them and can contest the finish again
15. **EYGALIERES** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 2100m on 7 January. Others are preferred in this line-up
16. **SINGEL MALT** - Finished 7th in a Handicap at Pornichet-La Baule over 2400m on 5 January. This will be the third run-back and needs to improve



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Summary: GOLD PALACE (4), runner-up in a Chantilly handicap last time, wouldn't be winning out of turn. He deserves a reward for his consistency. MOMOUR (14) made an eye-catching Chantilly return and will have a say in the outcome if repeating that performance. BELLE (5) ran a good race over the course and distance two starts ago and is one to consider as well. EL INGRATO (8), TYTAN (13) and LADY LOU (6) are competitive for the podium too.

SELECTIONS

GOLD PALACE (4) - MOMOUR (14) - BELLE (5) - EL INGRATO (8)



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C7 - PRIX CLAUDE LEPONNER - 2500m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Claiming Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,000

- 1. ORION ROCK** - In good form of late and was third in a Conditions race at Chantilly over 2700m on 11 January. Big chance
- 2. ANCTOT** - Has struggled of late and was tenth in a Conditions race at Deauville over 2500m on 10 January. Needs to find a few lengths to win this race
- 3. MEDITERRANEA BLUES** - Showed some improvement when third in Class 4 at Deauville over 2500m on 19 December. Might play a minor role
- 4. LORENZO DE MEDICI** - On a very long losing run and was 8th in a Conditions race at Deauville over 2500m on 10 January. Not out of it
- 5. BLUE SWAN** - Disappointing recent form and was 12th in a Conditions race at Chantilly over 2700m on 11 January. Others are preferred
- 6. NOUSDEUX** - Did not show her best when 9th in a handicap at Deauville over 2500m on 3 January. Won a claimer before that and is capable of an upset
- 7. NABUNGA** - Holding form and was fourth last time out at Lyon-La-Soie over 2400m on 6 January. Capable of making the frame
- 8. HUTTON** - In very good form and was victorious last time out at Lyon-La Soie over 2400m on 6 January. Has a winning chance

Summary: ORION ROCK (1) has proven his aptitude/efficiency on this surface recently and is good value to reconnect with success. Adrien Fouassier has 2 strings to his bow, with in-form HUTTON (8) and LORENZO DE MEDICI (4), who shouldn't be hastily condemned for a disappointing last outing. Veteran NABUNGA (7) who was unlucky over this course & distance two starts ago is an attractive outsider.

SELECTIONS

ORION ROCK (1) - HUTTON (8) - LORENZO DE MEDICI (4) - NABUNGA (7)