



FRIDAY, 01/08/25

R2 SAINT MALO [R-H]

**C4 - PRIX DE LA CHALOTAIS - 2500m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Maiden Race -
Flat - EUR € 15,600**

- 1. KAWANN** - Placed on his last two runs, the latter when 2nd at Cholet in a Class 3 race over 1900m on June 30th. Can play a lead role
- 2. THESISIGER** - 5th on the last start over 3100m at La Gacilly on July 30th in a maiden race. Looks of limited ability
- 3. BATURHAN** - Placed on his last two runs, the latter when 4th at Chateaubriant on June 25th over 2650m in a maiden race. Has obvious claims
- 4. DREYFUSARD** - Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 2950m at Machecoul on April 21st. Pass over
- 5. GRISE D'AZUR PELEM** - Two placed runs of late, 3rd on the latter over 2650m at Chateaubriant on July 10th in a maiden race. Place chance
- 6. LIGHT MELODY** - Two unplaced runs, 6th on the latest over 2300m at Tarbes on June 5th in a maiden race. Looks vulnerable
- 7. LADY LOVE** - Unplaced last time, 4th previously over 2200m at Parislongchamp on June 19th in a handicap. Unlikely to trouble the principles
- 8. QUEST FOR MAGIC** - 6th last time, 2nd before that over 2500m at Evreux on May 27th in a maiden race. In the mix
- 9. BEST OF** - Unraced gelding by It's Gino, the dam ran three times on the flat. Might need this run for experience. Watch the betting for clues

Summary: QUEST FOR MAGIC (8) can take this maiden event. She was a decent second on her penultimate start at Evreux in late May and is still not fully exposed. BATURHAN (3) has performed well when placed on his last two starts and can make the selection work hard. KAWANN (1) is also worth considering each way after two improved efforts in June, when placed at Cholet twice. GRISE D'AZUR PELEM (5) heads the others.

SELECTIONS

QUEST FOR MAGIC (8) - BATURHAN (3) - KAWANN (1) - GRISE D'AZUR PELEM (5)



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**C5 - PRIX RENE COUETIL - 2500m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat -
EUR € 11,900**

- 1. PAGAN SUN** - Fair 3rd at Chateaubriant over 2650m in a conditions race on July 10th, on his last start. One to keep onside
- 2. DSCHINGIS ARROW** - Two unplaced runs since a 3rd over 2500m at Argentan on June 26th in a Class 4 claimer. Looks vulnerable
- 3. FALIMAX** - Several unplaced runs of late, the latter over 2650m at Chateaubriant on July 10th in a conditions race. Look elsewhere
- 4. JAMES** - Recent 3rd over 2100m at Dax 9 days ago in a maiden race. Can give a good account of himself
- 5. L'ENNEMI** - Placed on the last two runs, 4th on the latest over 1850m at Vichy on July 18th in a conditions race. Live chance of being involved
- 6. APERO SECRET** - Placed 3rd at Corlay over 3100m in a Class 4 race on July 14th in a conditions race. Hard to fancy
- 7. CHIVATOR** - 4th on his last start over 3000m at Dieppe on July 7th in a conditions race. Hurdle race winner and can play a lead role
- 8. FLEUR DE JAVA** - Two unplaced runs, the latter over 2650m at Chateaubriant on June 25th in a conditions race. Place contender
- 9. STARLIGHT** - Several unplaced runs on the flat and over hurdles of late, the latest over 2000m in a Class 4 handicap at Vichy on July 14th. Pass over
- 10. MISS CHACHA** - Several unplaced runs, the latter over 2500m in a Class 4 race at Saint-Cloud on July 4th. Makes no appeal
- 11. LUNE ROUGE** - 6th on debut at Saint-Brieuc over 1700m on May 29th in a conditions race. Needs to improve, but did show ability
- 12. KAMAKURA ONE** - Unplaced last time, 4th previously over 1800m in a conditions race at Evreux on May 27th. Hurdles winner in 2024. In the mix

Summary: CHIVATOR (7), a hurdle winner in 2023, has shown promise on the flat this year after a break, notably finishing a respectable fourth at Dieppe in July. He gets the vote. PAGAN SUN (1) was a solid third at Chateaubriant last time and poses a threat. KAMAKURA ONE (12) is one to consider each-way, while L'ENNEMI (5) also holds claims and should not be overlooked.

SELECTIONS

CHIVATOR (7) - PAGAN SUN (1) - KAMAKURA ONE (12) - L'ENNEMI (5)



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C6 - PRIX ANNE DE BRETAGNE - 1800m (a1m1/8) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 11,500

1. **ZOLIA** - Three unplaced runs since a win over 1600m in a handicap on April 9th at Nantes. Can get back on track down in class
2. **FADO** - Four unplaced runs, the most recent over 2000m in a handicap at Chantilly on July 8th. Drops in class but is hard to recommend
3. **SILVER TOWER** - Two below par runs of late abroad, she won before that over 1600m in a claimer at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on January 18th. Can be on the premises
4. **PIECE MAITRESSE** - Five unplaced runs, the latter over 1800m in a handicap on July 2nd at Clairefontaine. Has work to do
5. **SWAY WITH ME** - 8th on the one run over 1950m at Chateaubriant on July 10th in a claimer. Needs vast progress to be involved
6. **LADY AGATA** - 5th on her last start over 1600m at Vichy on July 14th in a claimer. Capable of making her presence felt
7. **STAY AROUND** - Two unplaced efforts since a 3rd in a conditions race at Newcastle (UK) on March 20th over 1600m. One to keep onside
8. **PENNYGRAPHIE** - Unplaced last time, 4th previously over 1700m at La -Roche-Posay on June 15th in a Class 4 race. Look for an alternative
9. **UNE FRAGRANCE** - Ran well to be 3rd at Chateaubriant over 1950m on July 10th in a claimer last time out. One to consider each way
10. **WHYWHYWHY DELILAH** - Credible effort to be 5th at Le Touquet over 2100m in a claimer on July 27th. Place contender
11. **MAGIC IS MAGIC** - Three unplaced runs of late, well beaten on the latest over 1300m at Argentan on June 26th in a claimer. Makes no appeal
12. **WHAT'S SHE AT** - Three tame efforts this year, the latest over 1400m at Vichy on July 19th in a claiming race. Can be avoided

Summary: ZOLIA (1) is worth another chance despite a below-par run at Vichy in mid-July. She previously landed a handicap at Nantes in April and drops into a claiming event here. SILVER TOWER (3) shares similar credentials, having won a claimer at Cagnes-Sur-Mer in January. Although recent form has dipped, she remains a threat. STAY AROUND (7) could be an interesting each-way contender, having shown ability in the UK when third at Newcastle in March. LADY AGATA (6) has place potential.

SELECTIONS

ZOLIA (1) - SILVER TOWER (3) - STAY AROUND (7) - LADY AGATA (6)



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R4 MONT DE MARSAN [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX DE LANGALERIE - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Flat -
EUR € 24,700**

1. MERLE - Won a Maiden over 1200m at this course on 16 July. He has had three excellent races since the start of his career and will be a force in this event as well

2. NEBUR - Won a Maiden over 1400m at La Teste on 4 July. Takes on stronger this time but is not without a chance

3. SICILIANO - Ran 4th in a Listed race over 1400m at Vichy on 16 July. He has taken on stronger and stands out in this line-up

4. THE BLACK STONE - Finished 6th in a Handicap over 1200m at Senonnes on 9 July. Faces a tougher task and will need to show more

5. NOBLE D'ARGENT - won a Conditions race over 1100m at Tarbes on 12 May. He made significant improvement in that race and should have an impact on the outcome

6. TCHIKITA - Ran 4th in a Conditions race over 1600m at Saint-Cloud on 9 July. Her form is good enough to see her finish in the top four

7. DAMABIAH ANGEL - Finished 4th in a Maiden over 1400m at La Teste on 4 July. She will battle to feature against this class of field

8. YAGGERA - Finished 5th in an event for unraced runners at La Teste on 26 June. Will need to improve on her debut run to have a say in the finish

Summary: SICILIANO (3) performed well at Listed race level last time out after running out a facile winner of his maiden. He has the strongest form and is the runner to beat. NOBLE D'ARGENT (5) looks a serious rival based on the improvement he demonstrated last time. MERLE (1) has done little wrong in his three starts to date while of the fillies, TCHIKITA (6) appears to have the best form of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

SICILIANO (3) - NOBLE D'ARGENT (5) - MERLE (1) - TCHIKITA (6)