

## CHANTILLY [R-H] - 19 November

**Race 2 - PRIX DE LA GRANDE FOLIE - 1900m CL2.** Purse EUR €34,000.

1. **ANOBE** - Stand-out horse on form with two wins and a placing from three career starts. Comfortable 3L winner over course and distance latest.
2. **INUIT** - Built on a promising debut second at Bordeaux to win over 1800m at Lyon-la-Soie by 3L. Further improvement expected.
3. **BALNIKHOV** - Returned after a four month spell with a maiden victory over 1600m at Angers. Steps up to this distance for the first time.
4. **SOBER** - Justified favouritism when winning by 0.75L at Le Mans on debut. Tougher test now but represents a leading stable.
5. **MYSTIC CHOP** - Given a six month spell since a debut sixth at this venue on turf. Improvement required.
6. **ERMELIE** - Improved considerably to shed the maiden tag with a 3.5L success at Lyon-Parilly latest.
7. **PRETERITIC** - Solid fourth over course and distance on debut. Progression expected.

**Summary:** ANOBE (1) may prove difficult to beat after an impressive 3L success over course and distance. Rates highly with two wins and a placing from three career starts. INUIT (2) progressed from debut second at Bordeaux to score by 3L at Lyon-la-Soie tackling 1800m. Can continue to progress in a tougher contest. BALNIKHOV (3) shed the maiden tag after a four month spell at Angers attempting 1600m. Tries a longer distance for the first time. Holds each way claims. ERMELIE (6) completes the shortlist. Place contender after a win at Lyon-Parilly.

### Selections

**ANOBE (1) - INUIT (2) - BALNIKHOV (3) - ERMELIE (6)**

**Race 3 - PRIX DE LA MOTTE LOUVET - 1800m HCP.** Purse EUR €40,000.

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1. **WHITE WHISKY** - 1.25L winner of a 1900m Class Two conditions race here seventeen days ago. Shortlisted on handicap debut.
2. **CENTRAL PARK WEST** - Solid 0.5L third behind Susu's Dimples (second) in a course and distance AW handicap 23 days ago. Good AW record. In the mix.
3. **HAVOC** - New trainer following a good 1L fourth in a 1300m AW claimer here three weeks ago. Interesting.
4. **VAL BASSETT** - Found success by a neck at Deauville in a 1900m AW Class One handicap two weeks ago. Down in level and makes appeal.
5. **SUSU'S DIMPLES** - Ran well after a small break when a head second in a course and distance AW handicap 23 days ago. Upped 0.5kg but shortlisted.
6. **QUARTILLA** - Below par 4.25L eleventh of sixteen at Deauville in a 1500m AW handicap a fortnight ago. Lightly raced and may progress.
7. **SMUDO** - Bids for a hat-trick after two victories in Germany including an impressive 27L success at Dortmund twelve days ago. Likely player.

**Summary:** SMUDO (7) bids for a hat-rick after two victories in Germany including an impressive 27L success at Dortmund twelve days ago. Likely player. WHITE WHISKY (1) was a 1.25L winner of a 1900m Class Two conditions race here. Shortlist on handicap debut. SUSU'S DIMPLES (5) ran well after a small break when a head second in a course and distance AW handicap. Upped 0.5kg but makes appeal. CENTRAL PARK WEST (2) finished a solid 0.5L third behind Susu's Dimples in the same course AW handicap. Good AW record. In the mix.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Selections</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SMUDO (7) - WHITE WHISKY (1) - SUSU'S DIMPLES (5) - CENTRAL PARK WEST (2)</b></p>
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1. **ONE MORE NIGHT** - 8L fifth here on turf last month. This looks easier now and can improve again. Expect a big run.
2. **KATHALINA** - Won four of last five starts and is thriving at present. In a tougher looking race now but hard to rule out.
3. **CITADELLA** - Won five starts ago but disappointed since. Needs to bounce back.
4. **LA TOUR DES REVES** - Down the field in all starts in maidens. Now tries handicaps and may improve. Check for market support.
5. **DUBROVNIK** - Run creditably well on all starts so far. Can progress further and has each way claims.
6. **MUSKATEER THREE** - 6L sixth at Deauville AW was a fair effort and placed twice when previously trained in England. Each way chance.
7. **DOPPELGANGER** - Good jockey booked and makes handicap debut here. Interesting.
8. **WINEHOUSE** - No better than mid-field in maidens. Now goes handicapping and is drawn well. Interesting.
9. **KISSWOOD** - Mid-field finish best effort so far in six starts. Needs to progress to trouble the judge.
10. **FORTUNA IMPERATRIX** - Disappointing when well fancied last time but interesting on best form. Not easily ruled out.
11. **KENDRA** - Trailed the field on reappearance and needs to improve sharply.
12. **LORNA CHOPE** - Greatly outran market expectations when 6L fourth at Pau AW. Can improve again and looks to hold each way claims.
13. **LE SHALAA** - Inconsistent colt. Beaten 16L into fourth last time and needs more.
14. **BLOOD CHOPE** - 3L third at Cholet last time was career best effort. Interesting if improving again.
15. **JOYEUSE SAGE** - Promise early in her career but gone the wrong way since. Prefer to just watch now.
16. **GRACEFULNESS** - Uninspiring recent form figures and best watched.

**Summary:** An open looking contest in which many have claims. ONE MORE NIGHT (1) shaped well in a better race last time. Eased in grade and expected to improve. The one to beat. BLOOD CHOPE (14) stayed on into a placing last time. Can continue progressing and is easy to fancy. DUBROVNIK (5) has run to a similar level all starts so far. Each way chance. KATHALINA (2) won four of the past five starts. Thriving at present though this is harder. Threat to all at this level.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Selections</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>ONE MORE NIGHT (1) - BLOOD CHOPE (14) - DUBROVNIK (5) - KATHALINA (2)</b></p>
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**Race 5 - PRIX DU VALOIS MULTIER - 1600m MDN.** Purse EUR €22,000.

1. **HOOLONG** - Resuming after a 286 day break. Was fourth at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 1500m in a maiden. Interesting.
2. **YELLOWBLUE** - Four straight thirds. Most recently at Longchamp beaten 2.25L in a handicap where the second has won since. Solid pick back to a maiden.
3. **LUCKY SIM** - Promising debut when fifth beaten 4.25L in a newcomers race over 1400m. Debut for a new yard and needs a market check after the break.
4. **SPARGI ISLAND** - Third at Lyon-la-Soie (AW) in a maiden over 2150m beaten 3L. Solid runner once more.
5. **TIME TO RUN** - Well beaten at Saint-Cloud over 1600m in a Class Three. Needs more.
6. **PRINCESS ANNE** - Seventh over 2400m in a maiden beaten 10L after fading badly. Dropping 800m which could help.
7. **BIG KITTY** - Tried to make all over course and distance in a maiden when fourth beaten 13L. Requires more.
8. **HOORAYANUPSHERISES** - No form in four career outings and easily ruled out.
9. **ROSE IN BLOOM** - Second beaten a head here over 1900m in a handicap. Back into a maiden and not ruled out.
10. **BELLA LORILLIERE** - Fifth beaten 8.5L at Le Mans in a maiden over 1950m. Still unexposed but needs more.
11. **VERO AMORE** - Sixth beaten 7L at Vichy in a maiden. Will need to show improvement.
12. **TAAL** - Beaten 42L at Le Mans on debut in a maiden. Needs massive improvement.
13. **MAGIC SOUND** - Second over course and distance in a maiden beaten 2L. Christophe Soumillon booked for the first time. Makes appeal.

**Summary:** MAGIC SOUND (13) ran second beaten 2L over course and distance in a maiden. Consistent with four placings from six career outings. Could break her maiden now. YELLOWBLUE (2) managed a third beaten 2.25L at Longchamp in a handicap over 1600m. The second has won since and is interesting. SPARGI ISLAND (4) finished third beaten 3L at Lyon-la-Soie (AW) in a maiden over 2150m. Brings three career placings from seven attempts. Consider. ROSE IN BLOOM (9) was beaten a head over 1900m here in a handicap. Maintains a 60% strike place rate. Holds claims.

**Selections**

**MAGIC SOUND (13) - YELLOWBLUE (2) - SPARGI ISLAND (4) - ROSE IN BLOOM (9)**

1. **HEWILLGET IN** - First time blinkers applied. Multiple winner earlier in the campaign including 1400m success at Clairefontaine. Returns to handicaps after two good efforts in conditions.
2. **DUBAI MEMORIES** - Unable to follow up a 1400m Compiègne success in handicap company when down the field. May need to drop in the weights.
3. **MICOLEO** - Useful 1L winner over 1300m at this venue prior to a second at Deauville over same trip. Comfortable on AW and worth consideration.
4. **BONHEUR BLEU** - Useful 0.5L second at Marseille Vivaux over 1500m in a conditions and could be interesting on handicap debut.
5. **ZANOTCHKA** - Aiming for back to back wins after 1L success at Deauville over 1400m. First handicap run.
6. **FLEUR DE BAILEYS** - Struggled at Longchamp in a Class Two when last seen. Previous form indicates place potential.
7. **PEDROCHEC** - Struggling in recent starts at different tracks. More required.
8. **MATCH PLAY** - Given a break since a fair 3.5L sixth at Deauville over 1200m. Consider.
9. **RECORWOMAN** - Three placings from last five outings including narrow defeat over this distance at Compiègne. Switches to the AW for the first time.
10. **CARLOUN** - Racing with credit without finding the frame too often. Worth consideration after 4.25L fifth at Deauville over 1300m.
11. **LAKOTA SWEET** - Struggled on first two runs since a break in claimers.
12. **BACCHILIDE** - Unexposed after three starts at La Teste. Second over 1600m two back suggests some place potential.
13. **SMART AND FAST** - Inconsistent performer and would need to show best to feature.
14. **ARABIAN MUSIC** - Some useful form but recent runs suggest she may fall short.
15. **RESTLESS SPIRIT** - Finished in the frame on last two outings in maiden company and could be interesting switching to handicaps with a low weight.
16. **MAZAL TOV** - Useful second at this venue in a maiden last time and could sneak a place.
17. **LOLIWOOD** - Second at Le Mans in a maiden last time and faces a tougher test.

**Summary:** RESTLESS SPIRIT (15) holds plenty of potential switching to handicaps for the first time with a low weight. Placed on past two outings including a 2L third over 1500m at this venue. BONHEUR BLEU (4) makes handicap debut after a useful 0.5L second over 1500m at Marseille Vivaux. Familiar with the surface and can play a major role. ZANOTCHKA (5) is chasing back to back wins following a 1L success at Deauville tackling 1400m. Warrants respect. FLEUR DE BAILEYS (6) can be forgiven a below par run at Longchamp and holds each way claims if reverting to previous form.

#### **Selections**

**RESTLESS SPIRIT (15) - BONHEUR BLEU (4) - ZANOTCHKA (5) - FLEUR DE BAILEYS (6)**

1. **JAAYIZ** - 5L tenth at Deauville in a 1900m Class Two AW handicap two weeks ago. Needs to be at best.
2. **MOSCA D'OR** - Consistent type who ran 5L fourth at Saint-Cloud in September tackling a 2000m handicap in this class. Interesting.
3. **MANNE** - Solid 0.75L fourth at Deauville two weeks back in a 1900m handicap in this level. Holds claims.
4. **CHIEF MAMBO** - Deauville 1900m AW handicap winner in this grade in August before a seventh on return there a month ago. Place likely best.
5. **YSSINGEAUX** - 6.5L sixth at Deauville two weeks back in a 1500m Class Three AW claimer. May struggle in this standard.
6. **L'AIGLE** - Good 2.25L fourth at Angers three weeks ago over 2100m in this handicap grade. Down 3kg. In the mix.
7. **GREEN CURRY** - Fair 1.25L fifth a fortnight ago at Deauville attempting a 1900m Class Three AW claimer. Each way hope.
8. **VIVI BONNEBOUILLE** - Showed ability in this level at Vichy in September when 2.75L fourth over 1600m. Include with the jockey worth noting.
9. **SILVER CRISTAL** - 1.25L winner of a Lyon-La Soie 1800m Class Three AW handicap 23 days ago. Shortlisted with less weight.
10. **IT'S ALL A DREAM** - Has been struggling on last three outings and hard to make a case for.
11. **INATTENDU** - 8.25L twelfth of seventeen at this venue over 1600m in May. Minor role likely on return.
12. **KING OF TWIST** - 3.5L 12th of sixteen at Deauville in a 1900m Class Three AW handicap two weeks back. May run on strongly at the finish.
13. **DAMANDA PRIDE** - 13L 13th of fourteen at Baden-Baden (Germany) five weeks ago in an 1800m handicap. Others have stronger claims.
14. **CALACONTA** - Not disgraced at Longchamp three weeks ago when 1.75L fifth in a 1900m Class Three handicap. Down 4.5kg. Consider.
15. **AGAPI MIA** - Neck third at this venue 24 days ago in a 1600m AW Class Two handicap. Solid course profile and holds claims.
16. **INFINITE PASSION** - 4.25L eighth at Deauville two weeks ago in a 1900m AW Class Two handicap. Needs a step forward.
17. **ONE MORE BREATH** - Fair 2L fourth at Deauville a month ago in a 1900m AW Class Three handicap. Interesting.

**Summary:** A tricky and open handicap where some of the strongest claims come from VIVI BONNEBOUILLE (8) who showed ability tackling this level at Vichy in September when 2.75L fourth over 1600m. Likely player with jockey worth noting. SILVER CRISTAL (9) managed a 1.25L success in a Lyon-La Soie 1800m Class Three AW handicap. Shortlist. CALACONTA (14) was not disgraced at Longchamp when 1.75L fifth in a 1900m Class Three handicap. Down 4.5kg. Consider. AGAPI MIA (15) and MOSCA D'OR (2) both hold claims.

**Selections**

**VIVI BONNEBOUILLE (8) - SILVER CRISTAL (9) - CALACONTA (14) - AGAPI MIA (15) - MOSCA D'OR (2)**

## PAU [R-H] - 19 November

**Race 1 - PRIX GUY DE WATRIGANT - 2000m PSA.** Purse EUR €14,000.

1. **RYSK TOUT** - 5.5L fourth in the 2000m G1 Arabian Trophy at Longchamp. Sets a clear form standard on that performance and looks hard to oppose back down in level.
2. **GHAFFAR DE BRUGERE** - Disappointing in two runs last campaign and needs to resume in better form.
3. **FOWAIRET** - Won on reappearance and then a good 1.3L second at Agen last time. Clearly resumed in great form and should give another bold showing.
4. **GASSAB** - Placed on all three starts so far and looks overdue a victory. Was beaten just 1.75L last time. In the mix.
5. **GIBOULEE DU JURA** - Not yet built upon winning reappearance. Must do so if she is to factor.
6. **NORISK AT ALL** - 5L sixth at Agen was a promising debut effort. Drop in trip may bring about improvement. Interesting.
7. **RAJEES** - Beaten just 1.75L into fifth on final start last campaign. Each way claims if progressing again.
8. **ASMA TOURETTES** - Placed three runs ago but struggled twice since. Inconsistent filly that would have place claims at best.
9. **FLOR TOURETTES** - Shaped well on two runs this season and now third up should be primed. Each way player.

**Summary:** RYSK TOUT (1) drops in grade from G1 company when 5.5L fourth in the 2000m G1 Arabian Trophy at Longchamp. Sets a clear form standard and will prove extremely hard to beat. FOWAIRET (3) won and placed from three starts this campaign. In excellent form so expect another bold showing. GASSAB (4) made the frame on all three starts so far. Certainly has the ability to win so keep safe. FLOR TOURETTES (9) shaped promisingly on recent attempts. Can improve third up and looks a threat to all.

### Selections

**RYSK TOUT (1) - FOWAIRET (3) - GASSAB (4) - FLOR TOURETTES (9)**

1. **MIA MI** - Sent off at large odds but has shown promise. Place claims now.
2. **FLORIPA** - Progressed with each run so far. Good 3.5L second at Lyon-Parilly last time. Key player.
3. **PRINCESSE CHARLINE** - 4.5L fifth here last month was a much better effort. Each way claims if progressing further from a good draw.
4. **MARITOT** - Reverts to maiden company following a fair effort in a handicap latest. With a top yard and on best form looks capable. Shortlisted.
5. **LENALOV** - With a good yard but struggled on debut and must improve sharply.
6. **BOUCHRA** - 1.3L second at this journey three weeks ago. That form reads strongly and can do better. Keep safe.
7. **CORNYEU** - Shaped well when 5L sixth at this track first up. Should only improve so each way backers are advised to look closely.
8. **THAT FEELING** - Unfancied and well beaten on debut. Happy to oppose following that.
9. **ANTIGUA** - Runs third up and should now be primed. Place is likely best however in this field.
10. **STAR LUCE** - First time starter by Lucayan. Gets apprentice help on debut and likely best watched.
11. **ALMEDIA** - Nicely bred filly by Zoffany. Yard can ready one for debut so she is a very interesting runner.

**Summary:** BOUCHRA (6) was beaten just 1.3L at this journey in latest. Sets the standard on that and looks the one to beat. FLORIPA (2) is progressing with each start so far. Placed last time and is easy to fancy. MARITOT (4) reverts back to a maiden having run creditably in a handicap. Big chance. CORNYEU (7) shaped well on debut and is expected to improve. Consider.

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**Race 3 - PRIX D'ANDOINS - 2000m CLM CL4 HCP.** Purse EUR €10,000.

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1. **AL JAROUD** - Chantilly 2100m AW Class Three handicap winner in July prior to a break. Disappointing here on return three weeks ago.
2. **HEAVEN CITY** - Nose winner of a course and distance claiming handicap in this grade three weeks ago. Leading contender.
3. **LEVANT** - Fair 5.5L fourth in this company at a country track a month ago over 2400m. Interesting.
4. **GRAIN DE STAR** - 3.25L fourth at Agen two outings back in a 2500m Class Four handicap reads well. Needs to be at best.
5. **MOANA** - New trainer now following a good 1.25L third here three weeks ago in a 1600m handicap in this grade. In the mix.
6. **REPEL GHOSTS** - Arrives in poor form including a 45L defeat a country track six weeks back. Others appeal more.
7. **GRANACCI** - Solid nose second behind Heaven City in a course and distance handicap in this grade twenty days ago. Down 1kg and could reverse the form.
8. **CANADA** - Supplemented after finishing last of ten at Toulouse four weeks ago. Fair Dax form earlier this year however.
9. **GOLDEN BRIDGE** - Only beat one rival home here when 17L fifteenth in a 2400m handicap three weeks back. Needs progress.
10. **NEW BARELIERE** - Pompadour winner prior to a 8.75L eighth at Pornichet AW over 2100m. Fair course profile. Needs to be at best.

**Summary:** GRANACCI (7) produced a solid nose second behind HEAVEN CITY (2) in a course and distance handicap tackling this grade. Down 1kg and could reverse the form to be leading contender while the latter makes for plenty of appeal and may still follow up. Main danger. MOANA (5) represents a new trainer following a good 1.25L third here attempting a 1600m handicap in this grade. Thereabouts. LEVANT (3) was a fair 5.5L fourth among this company at a country track over 2400m. Interesting.

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1. **SANDSTORM** - 14L seventh of eight on debut at La Teste in July in a 1400m newcomers race. Good breeding and runs for notable connections. Significant improvement expected.
2. **TYROLO** - Fair 3.25L sixth at Bordeaux on debut three weeks ago tackling a 1900m newcomers event. Top trainer in great form. Include.
3. **SHALLOW** - Showed promise on debut at Pornichet AW when 3.75L third in a 1700m maiden 44 days ago. Holds claims.
4. **ORDRE DU GENIE** - 15L eleventh of twelve on first career attempt at Bordeaux 22 days back. Hard to make a case for.
5. **WOODY WOODPECKER** - Fair debut fifth at Bordeaux prior to a good head second in a course and distance maiden three weeks ago. Progressive and shortlisted.
6. **KHELWATCH** - Little promise on debut when 11L ninth behind Woody Woodpecker (second) here. Needs more.
7. **TEMPLE GATE** - Poor effort on debut when 11L tenth behind Woody Woodpecker (second) here. Minor role likely.
8. **CAVIAR D'ORIENT** - One of the most experienced in this line-up but only 8.75L sixth in a Toulouse 1600m claimer last month.
9. **DINGDONG BARELIERE** - 28L defeat on first career outing three weeks ago at Bordeaux over 1900m. Similar result looks likely.
10. **LANDRY** - Not disgraced at Bordeaux when 10L fifth in a 1900m maiden six weeks ago. Needs another step forward.
11. **JAAFAR** - Unraced colt by Nathaniel. Market can guide.
12. **ZAYAN** - Two-year-old gelding first-starter by Lucayan. May need this first outing.
13. **SUPER QUARTZ** - Unraced gelding by Kendargent. Benefits from a claiming apprentice who is in good form. Interesting.
14. **EMPEROR MAXIMUS** - Two-year-old colt first-starter by Holy Roman Emperor. Notable jockey booking.
15. **MAJORDOMO** - Unraced gelding by Daiwa Major and runs for notable connections. Consider.

**Summary:** WOODY WOODPECKER (5) ran a fair debut fifth at Bordeaux prior to a good head second in a course and distance maiden. Progressive and makes the shortlist. TYROLO (2) was not disgraced at Bordeaux on debut when 3.25L sixth tackling a 1900m newcomers event. Top trainer in great form. Include. SHALLOW (3) showed promise on first career outing at Pornichet AW when 3.75L third in a 1700m maiden. Holds claims. SANDSTORM (1) may improve significantly.

**Selections**

**WOODY WOODPECKER (5) - TYROLO (2) - SHALLOW (3) - SANDSTORM (1)**

1. **MAITIA** - Only beat two home at Chantilly (AW) in a big field handicap over 1800m but was beaten 8.25L. Dropped 1.5kg and needs a bit more.
2. **VITOR** - Well beaten here over 2000m after a break in a handicap. Dropped 1.5kg and could be fitter second up.
3. **BILWAUKEE** - Tenth beaten 3.25L at Bordeaux in a handicap over 1900m. Needs a bit more despite the 1.5kg drop.
4. **SOLITARY MAN** - Won by a long-neck at Deauville (AW) over 1900m. The second has since won and could defy the 2kg rise.
5. **ELUSIVE PLANT** - Sixteenth beaten 14L at Bordeaux in a handicap over 1900m. Down 1.5kg but still needs to improve.
6. **KANTALUNA** - Third over course and distance in a claimer beaten 0.5L. Back to a handicap but is in form.
7. **IS SUR TILLE** - Made all to win here over 2400m by 1L in a handicap. Raised 2kg but interesting down in trip where he has a 66% place strike rate.
8. **ROYAL VATI** - Resuming after a 82 day break. Was ninth beaten 6.75L in a handicap over 1500m at Deauville (AW) Needs more.
9. **KENZOKI** - Well beaten at Toulouse in a handicap after a break. Dropped 1.5kg but is badly out of form.
10. **ACEMANAN** - Seventh beaten 5.25L here tackling a 2400m handicap. Dropped a further 2kg and goes well over this shorter trip.
11. **L'IMPROBABLE** - Second beaten 1L at Toulouse in a handicap over 2400m. Interesting.
12. **MARAPUAMA** - Second beaten 1L at this venue (AW) over 2400m in a handicap. More than capable.
13. **LAGERTHA GIBRALTAR** - No form in last four outings and easily ruled out.
14. **MANTRA** - Going up in trip for the first time after some disappointing efforts. Tough ask.
15. **MADELEINE MOVES** - Tenth beaten 5.25L in a handicap over 1850m at Agen. Could place.
16. **AZORIN** - Ninth here over 1600m in a claimer and unlikely to breaking his maiden on the sixteenth time of asking.

**Summary:** L'IMPROBABLE (11) ran second at Toulouse in a 2400m handicap. Drops in distance and is interesting. MARAPUAMA (12) finished second beaten 1L here tackling a handicap over 2400m just behind IS SUR TILLE (7) who is raised 2kg. Both are expected to go close once more. SOLITARY MAN (4) won by a long-neck at Deauville (AW) attempting 1900m. Finished ahead of a next time out winner and needs consideration.

**Selections**

**L'IMPROBABLE (11) - MARAPUAMA (12) - IS SUR TILLE (7) - SOLITARY MAN (4)**

1. **ASANDROS** - Well beaten over course and distance in a claimer. Could improve second up.
2. **VESPAMAN** - Struggling for form and hard to consider at present.
3. **CAFE SAIGON** - Fifth beaten 5.75L over course and distance three weeks ago. Second up and could improve.
4. **BALGEES TIME** - Found success by 3L at Biguglia in a Class Four in-front of a next time out winner. Interesting.
5. **BURN ONE DOWN** - Seventh in a handicap beaten 5L over 2000m at Toulouse. The third has won since and first time blinkers. Down in grade.
6. **RIO DEL JACK** - Second beaten 2.5L at Montauban in a claimer. The winner has won again. Could place.
7. **L'ARCHET** - Fifth beaten 3.5L here over 2400m in a handicap. Down into a claimer and one to consider.
8. **MILK BAR** - Second beaten 2.5L at Toulouse in a handicap over 1600m. Top claims down into a claimer.
9. **BODNAKOV** - Third at Toulouse in a handicap over 2400m. Still a maiden but down in grade. Interesting.
10. **MA NOSTALGIE** - Ninth at Bordeaux over 1900m in a handicap beaten 3L. Down in class.
11. **JOE BLINING** - Fourth beaten 2.75L here over 2400m in a handicap. Down to a claimer and more than capable.
12. **XARUN** - Tried to make all at Limoges in a Class Four two starts back. Struggled since in a handicap.
13. **PRINCE DU GOYEN** - Third beaten 0.75L at Bordeaux in a handicap over 1900m. Down to a claimer and can go close.
14. **CLORINDA** - Not in form and needs the drop in class to help.
15. **LE MARAIS** - Midfield of late in handicaps and could place now in a claimer.
16. **LE RAFALE** - Fifth beaten over 2.75L over 2400m here. Consistent and cannot be ruled out.

**Summary:** BURN ONE DOWN (5) ran seventh but only beaten 5L at Toulouse in a handicap over 2000m. First time blinkers worn and down in grade. Top chance. MILK BAR (8) finished 2.5L second at Toulouse in a 1600m handicap. Up in trip and down in level. Makes appeal. L'ARCHET (7) was 3.5L fifth tackling a 2400m handicap here. More than capable down in class. CAFE SAIGON (3) managed a 5.75L fifth over course and distance when racing first up after a break. Needs to be considered.

<b>Selections</b>
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<b>BURN ONE DOWN (5) - MILK BAR (8) - L'ARCHET (7) - CAFE SAIGON (3)</b>
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1. **SELENA STARLIGHT** - Given a break since a disappointing run at Chantilly over 1800m. Steps up in distance but did win over 2125m at Wissembourg in June.
2. **PANTHERE** - Racing well in two starts since a maiden win at Nantes including a second at Fontainebleau. One from one over this distance.
3. **AL IMPACT** - Returned after a three month spell with a fifth at Tarbes. Proven stayer and can play a role with improvement likely.
4. **LAWBOY** - Racing well in three starts since a maiden Dax win. Placed on both attempts over this distance and finished third tackling 2300m at Tarbes latest.
5. **KAURI CLIFFS** - Fourth and third in maiden company since a spell. Tries handicaps for the first time.
6. **HOLYMPICA** - Useful second at this venue over a shorter distance latest. Contender attempting a longer trip.
7. **MYTH STYLE** - Disappointing in two starts since a 1.25L win at Dax over 2100m. Yet to feature at this venue.
8. **ROCK AND ROLL** - Given a spell since a fourth at a country track. Needs to step up based on previous form.
9. **JANECHOPE** - Struggled on reappearance after a six month spell and needs to step up.
10. **JERY SMAIH** - Placed three times from last four outings including a 5L second at Agen. One from one over this distance.
11. **ALMERIAC** - Improved effort when 3.75L third at this venue. Steps up to the trip for the first time.
12. **COSY** - Struggled on reappearance after a three month spell in a maiden. More required.
13. **WONDER ANGEL** - Struggling in recent starts and needs more.

**Summary:** PANTHERE (2) is one from one tackling this trip. Broke through for a maiden success at Nantes and raced well since including a second at Fontainebleau. Contender. JERY SMAIH (10) must be respected with three placings from past four runs. Managed a 5L second at Agen in latest and is another horse with an unbeaten record over the distance. HOLYMPICA (6) could be a place contender attempting longer after finishing runner-up at this track in a 2000m contest. LAWBOY (4) has been racing credibly since a Dax maiden success. Holds each way claims.

Selections
PANTHERE (2) - JERY SMAIH (10) - HOLYMPICA (6) - LAWBOY (4)

1. **EVERSTORM** - Returns to conditions company after three non-placed starts in handicap company. More needed.
2. **BABY GROOM** - First time cheekpieces applied. Returned after a five month spell with a fifth at Toulouse and would need to improve.
3. **CHANDLER'S SONG** - Not beaten far when ninth on last two outings in handicaps. Last run in conditions company ended in a 1.25L second at Auch.
4. **ZASTER FOR ALL** - Chasing a double after a maiden victory at Agen over 1850m. Steps up in distance for the first time.
5. **VERDINA** - Some credible efforts in maiden company including a 1.75L fourth at Dax over 1400m. Not beaten far when 4.5L sixth tackling this track and trip.
6. **L'AMOUR CODE** - Returned after a five month spell with a 3.5L fourth at Marseille Borely. Entitled to step forward for the run.
7. **CLOVIS POINT** - Struggled in three starts in the UK. Could improve for a first outing for a new yard.
8. **MEU LEIRO** - Disappointing in recent runs and improvement would be required.
9. **DIVINE SENSATION** - Hard to recommend on recent starts.
10. **MISS PARIS FLAG** - First race starter by National Flag. Watch market for best guide.
11. **VALTIERRA** - Disappointing in two career starts and requires more.
12. **CAREL QUEEN** - Resumes after a five month spell. Finished fifth on last two outings including in a Class Two conditions event over 2000m.
13. **FREE COPY** - Hard to recommend on first two career outings. First time blinkers and tongue tie applied.

**Summary:** ZASTER FOR ALL (4) is aiming to go back-to-back after a maiden success at Agen over 1850m. Step up in distance is expected to suit. Contender. L'AMOUR CODE (6) resumed from a five month spell with a 3.5L fourth at Marseille Borely. Entitled to improve for race fitness and finds a winnable opportunity. CHANDLER'S SONG (3) revisits conditions company after two credible efforts in handicaps. Not beaten far when 3L ninth at Bordeaux while most recently in a conditions race was 1.25L second at Auch. VERDINA (5) holds each way claims following a sixth tackling this track and trip.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Selections</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>ZASTER FOR ALL (4) - L'AMOUR CODE (6) - CHANDLER'S SONG (3) - VERDINA (5)</b></p>
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