

# LYON-PARILLY [L-H] - 22 September

**Race 1 - PRIX DE LA PELOUSE - 2200m CL3.** Purse EUR €15,000.

1. **GREGOLIMO** - Honest galloper who returned last time out with a fourth over 1800m at La Teste De Buch. Will strip fitter this time. Include.
2. **HOMO DEUS** - Has had one run back from a break and was well held in fifth over 2200m at Clairefontaine four weeks ago. Fitter but others are better placed.
3. **TAURAN SHAMAN** - Beaten 6 lengths into fourth when resuming last start over 2012m at Leopardstown. Rates highly and is considered.
4. **PALAIMON** - Promising type who is unbeaten after three runs the latest over 2400m at Saint-Cloud. Capable of keeping the perfect record intact.
5. **MANGANELLI** - Was a placegetter first-up last start over 2000m at Mulheim (GER) beaten 1.5 lengths. Back in good shape and is in the mix.
6. **BAZOQUES** - Finding it hard to make an impact this campaign last start finishing 2 lengths away in sixth over 2250m at Longchamp. Can improve and play a role.

**Summary:** GREGOLIMO (1) probably just needed the run when a 4.5L fourth in a 1800m Class Two conditions event at La Teste on reappearance. Major appeal with a step forwards expected. PALAIMON (4) arrives unbeaten in three starts to date but hasn't been seen since winning a 2400m Class Two conditions race at Saint-Cloud in October last year. Fascinating runner on return to action. TAURAN SHAMAN (3) is interesting on French debut while MANGANELLI (5) is next best.

## Selections

**GREGOLIMO (1) - PALAIMON (4) - TAURAN SHAMAN (3) - MANGANELLI (5)**

**Race 2 - PRIX PROFESSEUR COLLET - 2000m HCP.** Purse EUR €18,000.

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1. **ARABIA** - Was beaten a head when second at her latest appearance at Clairefontaine over 1800m. Tackling a longer journey this time. Leading prospect.
2. **WIN DAISY** - Fell last start at Vichy. Prior was third at Vichy over 1600m beaten 2.25L. Each way.
3. **POWER AND GRACE** - Returns after a break of four months. Finished her last campaign impressively scoring by half a length over 2400m at this track. Could go well first-up.
4. **SHAHNAMEH** - Has been thereabouts without winning last start finishing second over 2000m at Vichy. Rates highly and can break through.
5. **AGOUREIL** - Beaten 3.5 lengths when fourth at Vichy two runs ago then was comfortably held last time over 1900m at Deauville All Weather. Looks out of his depth.
6. **POP LIFE** - Was below par two back at Vichy then bounced back with a win over 2000m at Vichy last time out. Don't underestimate.
7. **ULTIME NONANTAISE** - Out of the placings in two runs since scoring her maiden win. Form tapering and will need to improve.
8. **MOREA** - Last appeared when she scored over 1850m at Vichy on August 15. This is well within her grasp.
9. **NEVA NEVADA** - Won her maiden two back at Vichy then could only manage ninth last start over 2000m at this track. Has ability and deserves another chance.
10. **PRISCA** - Closing in on a win finding the frame for the first time last start when third over 2000m at Vichy. Heading in the right direction. Don't underestimate.

**Summary:** SHAHNAMEH (4) was pegged back in the dying strides when denied a nose in a 2000m handicap at Vichy last outing. Expected to go one better racing off the same mark. ARABIA (1) kept on strongly when narrowly beaten into second in a 1800m Clairefontaine claimer twenty-seven days ago. Key player tackling this trip for the first time. MOREA (8) won a handicap over 1850m at Vichy last month and should remain competitive off 2kg higher. Last start Vichy claiming winner POP LIFE (6) is noted on handicap debut.

**Selections**

**SHAHNAMEH (4) - ARABIA (1) - MOREA (8) - POP LIFE (6)**

**Race 3 - PRIX DES PENSEES - 1600m CLM.** Purse EUR €15,000.

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1. **SAISSANTE** - Winner two back but couldn't go on with it last start when ninth over 1650m at Craon. Could bounce back.
2. **DSCHINGIS FEAR** - Yet to find the top-three in three career runs but was not far away last time when eighth over 1800m at Dieppe. More needed.
3. **OPPORTUN** - Has not raced since finishing 4 lengths away in seventh over 1400m at Vichy on July 18. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at this track over 1200m. Expected to play a major role.
4. **ODIN** - Returned from a spell and was easily accounted for when sixth over 1350m at this track. No easier this time.
5. **FLEXIBILITY** - Disappointed a last start when fifth over 1600m at Saint-Malo after a win at Senonnes-Pouancé prior to that. Include.
6. **GOLDENSIM** - Finished out of the placings over 2000m at Divonne-les-Bains. Better suited at this level. Sure to be prominent.
7. **VICTORIOUS SEA** - Building up to a maiden win. In the money for the first time last start when third over 2000m at Divonne-les-Bains. Heading in the right direction.
8. **ANTONINAS** - Tends to mix her form but improved last start to finish second over 1500m at Saint-Cloud. Suited to this race.
9. **THREE DREAMS** - Fair effort last start beaten 2.75 lengths into third over 1600m at Clairefontaine. Won't be far away.

**Summary:** A tricky race to assess where plenty have chances. FLEXIBILITY (5) was well fancied for a Class Two conditions event over 1600m at Saint-Malo in August but could only manage fifth. Won a Senonnes maiden prior and looks to hold strong claims dropped to claiming level. OPPORTUN (3) shaped better than the bare result when a 4L seventh in a 1400m claimer at Vichy. Capable of better and hard to rule out with that form having been boosted since. SAISSANTE (1) disappointed latest but would be of note on her claiming win over this trip at Clairefontaine prior. GOLDENSIM (6) is also noted.

**Selections**

**FLEXIBILITY (5) - OPPORTUN (3) - SAISSANTE (1) - GOLDENSIM (6)**

**Race 4 - CRITERIUM DE LYON - 1600m OPEN.** Purse EUR €60,000.

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1. **FOR VICTORY** - Was successful at his latest appearance over 1600m at Toulouse, scoring by 2 lengths. May progress.
2. **ANDFIELD PARK** - Was successful at his latest appearance over 2000m at Divonne-les-Bains scoring by 4 lengths. Would have to improve even further.
3. **STRAKO** - Comes here following success nine days ago over 1600m at this track scoring by half a length. Can be thereabouts again.
4. **BELOUNI** - Saluted last start over 1600m at Vichy getting home by a head. In form and certainly worth following up.
5. **VALCAVA** - One start for one win in Switzerland. Hard to assess.
6. **WONDERFULL LADY** - Comes here following victory four weeks ago over 1600m at Deauville scoring by 3 lengths. Looks a strong prospect.
7. **GHRAINNE** - Comes back in grade after finding Habana too classy last start beaten 3.5 lengths in a G3 over 1400m at Baden Baden. Have to include on latest effort.
8. **PAS RADINE** - Won on debut over 1600m at Vichy scoring by 3 lengths. Could progress.
9. **ANGELABA** - Lines up for the hat-trick after winning over 1500m at Deauville last time out getting home by a head. In form and certainly worth following up.

**Summary:** ANGELABA (9) looks to be progressing nicely and made it two wins from three starts when narrowly tackling out a 1500m Class Two conditions contest at Deauville. Top chance for notable connections. GHRAINNE (7) holds strong claims on ratings and must be respected following a good third in the G3 149. Renate Und Albrecht Woeste at Baden-Baden (Ger). Recent Class Two Vichy winner BELOUNI (4) cannot be dismissed and impressive 3L victor WONDERFUL LADY (6) should not be dismissed.

**Selections**

**ANGELABA (9) - GHRAINNE (7) - BELOUNI (4) - WONDERFULL LADY (6)**

**Race 5 - PRIX TOP WAY - 1600m MDN.** Purse EUR €16,000.

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1. **PRINCE ELZY** - Finished 7 lengths back in eighth in an inauspicious debut over 1600m at Vichy eight weeks ago. Needs to show a lot more.
2. **CAPOBLANCO** - Has not raced since finishing 6 lengths away in eighth over 1800m at Salon-de-Provence on June 6. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 1500m. Don't underestimate while fresh.
3. **SEVEN SUMMITS** - Yet to finish in the money after three career runs last time out finishing ninth over 2000m at Compiègne. Can sneak into a place.
4. **SICILIA** - Has not raced since finishing 4 lengths away in fourth over 1600m at this track on June 11. Likely to make her presence felt. Good chance.
5. **LICORNE** - Drops in journey from the last start when ninth over 1900m at Deauville All Weather finishing 4.5 lengths off the winner. One of the leading chances.
6. **PRINCESS GLITTERS** - Encouraging first-up run when runner-up at Le Croisé-Laroche over 1800m on September 1. Further improvement in store.
7. **ENDLESS CHAIN** - Well held on debut over 1400m Fontainebleau when seventh beaten 7 lengths. More needed.
8. **PERCEPTEUR** - Unraced gelding by Penny's Picnic out of Perception. Looking to others.
9. **TALISSON** - Colt by Pivon from Talissa on debut.
10. **ZAIYRA** - Debutant by Siyouni from the good race mare Zarshana who was a Group 3 winner on the track. Leading trainer. Chance if supported.
11. **CHONATA** - Unraced filly by Captain Chop out of Calinata. Watch for positive market moves.
12. **TIME TO LOVE** - First-starter by sire Almanzor from the Stakes-winning mare Okapina. Could be interesting.

**Summary:** PRINCESS GLITTERS (6) could be capable of shedding the maiden tag at the fifth time of asking having been narrowly denied in a Class Three conditions event at Le Croisé-Laroche. Top claims. SICILIA (4) finished fourth behind a pair of subsequent winners in a course and distance handicap in June. Key chance returned to maiden company. Supplemented Siyouni filly ZAIYRA (10) looks interesting on debut. LICORNE (5) is respected back in an easier contest.

**Selections**

**PRINCESS GLITTERS (6) - SICILIA (4) - ZAIYRA (10) - LICORNE (5)**

**Race 6 - PRIX DE L'ESPLANADE - 1350m HCP CL4.** Purse EUR €12,000.

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1. **TURTLE CHOPE** - Ran a good race 19 days ago when second over 1700m at Divonne-les-Bains. Has won at this trip before and could easily get the job done again. Good chance.
2. **EXPLORAR** - Started at a big quote first up and finished a modest tenth over 1700m at Marseille-Borely two weeks ago. Needs more time.
3. **DANCE COLONY** - Third in a small field at Hyeres and prior again third at Moulins over 1400m neatened 2.75L. Each way.
4. **AMANDERO** - Has been out of the money recently including last start when seventh over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux two-and-a-half weeks ago. Hard to have on this form.
5. **NAVALIS** - In the money two starts back at Clairefontaine but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 1600m at Clairefontaine last time. Good chance to return to form.
6. **ADEHAINE** - Has a poor strike but last start scored a rare win over 1400m at Munich. May go on.
7. **NIGHT OF THE OPERA** - Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fourth over 1200m at Marseille-Borely two weeks ago beaten 4 lengths. Tested but has place claims.
8. **AMERICAN DAISY** - Not a prolific winner with just two victories from 45 starts. Last start finished fourth over 1700m at Divonne-les-Bains. Has ability and can measure up.
9. **BELLE IMPRESSION** - Yet to break through this campaign but hasn't been far away including a last start fifth over 1200m at Bordeaux. Must be included.
10. **IXE BELIN** - Has not raced since finishing 11 lengths away in seventh over 1600m at Chatillon-Chalaronne on June 6.

**Summary:** A moderate affair. NAVALIS (5) was runner-up in a Class Three handicap over 1600m at Clairefontaine before finishing a decent fifth over the same course and distance. Key claims. TURTLE CHOPE (1) can go well following a 1.5L second in a conditions event at Divonnes. AMERICAN DAISY (8) is interesting dropped back in distance and BELLE IMPRESSION (9) looks a live each-way candidate.

**Selections**

**NAVALIS (5) - TURTLE CHOPE (1) - AMERICAN DAISY (8) - BELLE IMPRESSION (9)**

**Race 7 - PRIX DES TRIBUNES - 2400m HCP CL4.** Purse EUR €14,000.

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1. **DILAR** - Hasn't raced since finishing ninth over 2400m at Saint-Cloud three-and-a-half months ago. May go well first up.
2. **AMIATA** - In the money two starts back at Argentan but couldn't back that up when unplaced over 2600m at Fontainebleau last time. Worth following up.
3. **TORNALDO** - Has been knocking on the door including a last start third over 2400m at Baden Baden when only 1.5 lengths from the winner. Has ability and is one of the chances.
4. **RIGHTEOUS LOVE** - Handy stayer who has been plain of late including last start when well held over 2400m at Clairefontaine.
5. **LINSOUMIS** - Doesn't win out of turn and ran below par last time when tenth over 3000m at Longchamp and beaten 6 lengths.
6. **KONGASTET** - Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when ninth over 2600m at Marseille-Borely a week ago beaten 4.5 lengths. Hard to have.
7. **ERMINA** - Finished third over 2200m at Cavailon two back then missed the frame last time out over 2300m at Montier-en-Der. Best form stacks up nicely and deserves another chance.
8. **DELPHI BOUM** - Hasn't raced since finishing fourth over 2600m at Vitteaux 12 weeks ago. Watch first-up.
9. **GOLDIFROST** - Has been out of the money in recent runs including last time out when fourth over 2400m at Clairefontaine four weeks ago beaten 2.25 lengths. Good chance.
10. **SUPERIOR BADOLAT** - Ran below par finishing eighth and beaten 13 lengths over 2400m at Divonne-les-Bains. More needed.

**Summary:** TORNALDO (3) has found the frame on all four starts in 2022 including in a 2400m Baden-Baden (Ger) handicap last outing. Leading hope in current form. GOLDIFROST (9) produced a 2L fourth over this trip at Clairefontaine last-time-out. Firmly in the mix. AMIATA (2) is considered as a three-time scorer over the distance. DILAR (1) drops in grade after a break and is certainly worth a market check.

**Selections**

**TORNALDO (3) - GOLDIFROST (9) - AMIATA (2) - DILAR (1)**

**Race 8 - PRIX DU PADDOCK - 2400m HCP CL3.** Purse EUR €18,000.

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1. **ART OF FUSION** - Scored a well-deserved win last start over 2400m at Clairefontaine after a close second two runs back. Tough to beat again with the confidence high.
2. **FELISHA** - Last appeared when she scored over 2500m at Deauville All Weather on August 27. Could back up.
3. **ANGELINO** - Last appeared when he finished tenth over 2000m at Vichy on July 22. Fills an occasional place.
4. **FASHIONSPAN** - Scored two starts back at Clairefontaine before finishing 2.75 lengths from the winner in third last time over 2500m at Deauville. Racing well and looks a key chance.
5. **DIANA** - Finished midfield last start at Marseille Vivaux over 2000m 6 lengths from the winner. Tackles a longer journey this time. Outside claims.
6. **ICI VINDECY** - Finished fourth beaten 2.5 lengths last start over 2200m at Moulins. Rates highly and is among the chances.
7. **TURANIA** - Finished eighth last start over 2600m at Fontainebleau and is now 509 days without a win. Won't find this easy.
8. **LADY ARKADINA** - Has struggled to make her mark of late the most recent effort a tenth over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux two-and-a-half weeks ago.
9. **TARCENAY** - Hasn't done much in recent times the latest effort a sixth over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux beaten 11 lengths. Looks tested against this line-up.
10. **GALAXIE QUEST** - Scored two starts back but was below his best last time when 9 lengths away in sixth over 2900m at Clairefontaine. Has ability but needs to do more.

**Summary:** Dual course scorer FASHIONSPAN (4) won a similar handicap over this trip at Clairefontaine before acquitting herself well when third at Deauville last start. Major appeal with three wins from six starts over this distance. ART OF FUSION (1) battled well to narrowly deny a subsequent scorer in a Class Three handicap at Clairefontaine. Respected. ICI VINDECY (6) has run well at Moulins on the last two outings and should remain in the mix. FELISHA (2) needs to prove she can replicate a recent AW success at Deauville but would be dangerous to dismiss if doing so.

**Selections**

**FASHIONSPAN (4) - ART OF FUSION (1) - ICI VINDECY (6) - FELISHA (2)**



# AMIENS [R-H] - 22 September

**Race 1 - PRIX DU ZOO D'AMIENS - 2200m HCP CL3.** Purse EUR €16,000.

1. **GLORY DAYS** - Last appeared when he finished second over 2100m at Strasbourg on September 11. Close to a win. One of the better chances.
2. **MY FLINDERS** - Has a poor strike and failed to improve on it last start when she finished tenth over 2600m at Fontainebleau. Has ability and is a top-three hope.
3. **FAIRMONT** - Yet to break through this campaign but hasn't been far away including a last start second over 1800m at Dieppe. One of the major hopes.
4. **SPEEDFUL** - Last appeared three-and-a-half months ago when he finished 25 lengths from the winner in 16th over 2400m at Longchamp. Unlikely.
5. **RONCHEROLLES** - Didn't inspire again last start beaten 6 lengths over 1850m at Longchamp. Struggling to make an impact and happy to risk again.
6. **ECLECTIC BIRD** - Resumes from a break of three-and-a-half months. Finished 11th at his most recent appearance over 2200m at this track. Others preferred.
7. **SKIP CHOP** - Has not raced since finishing 0.9 lengths away in third over 2000m at Saint-Cloud on May 13. A big run would not surprise.
8. **ANATH** - Has been out of the money of late including last time out when sixth over 2300m at Montier-en-Der two-and-a-half weeks ago beaten 10 lengths. Looks outclassed.
9. **JEU CELEBRE** - Has been out of the winner's list for a year. Recent form below par including a last-start ninth over 3000m at Longchamp. Easier for this but place at best.
10. **SWEET BETSY** - Just one career win from 16 starts. Last start finished 7 lengths away in eighth over 2100m at Le Touquet. Just one victory and not racing well enough.
11. **DIRE STREET** - Has been uncompetitive of late last start finishing eighth and beaten 18 lengths over 1800m at Le Croisé-Laroche. Outclassed.
12. **WELCOME VALENTIN** - Last appeared three months ago when he finished thirteenth over 2500m at Saint-Cloud. Did finish in the money first-up last prep at Le Lion-d'Angers over 2400m. Place.
13. **DALVINI** - Has been out of the money of late including last time out when 15th over 1900m at Deauville All Weather six weeks ago beaten 11 lengths. Looking to others.
14. **GRAND YAKA** - Went close last time when third over 2500m at Le Croisé-Laroche. Likely to feature again. Each way.

**Summary:** GLORY DAYS (1) was runner-up at Strasbourg in a handicap over 2100m beaten 0.75L. Top weight but could take beating facing a similar contest. SKIP CHOP (7) finished third beaten 0.75L at Saint-Cloud in a handicap over 2000m. Won the time before and should go close again. MY FLINDERS (2) won well two starts back at Longchamp in a 1600m handicap. Tenth since but only beaten 3.5L. Worth another try. FAIRMONT (3) ran second at Dieppe in a claiming handicap beaten 2L. The winner has won since. Solid claims.

## Selections

**GLORY DAYS (1) - SKIP CHOP (7) - MY FLINDERS (2) - FAIRMONT (3)**