

## DEAUVILLE [R-H] - 24 November

**Race 1 - PRIX DE LA POMMERAIE - 1500m UNR.** Purse EUR €27,000.

1. **IL SOGNO** - Unraced colt by Dream Ahead. Market can guide with headgear fitted.
2. **LE SICILIEN** - Colt by Le Havre making his debut. Could be involved for a good trainer and jockey combination.
3. **ONZEMAI** - Unraced colt by Dream Ahead who cost 80,000eur from the Arqana 2020 Deauville Select Sale. Claims for a top trainer.
4. **LAYFORD CAY** - Colt by Attendu out of a Verglas mare having his first outing. Could be thereabouts for a top stable.
5. **ASPEN** - Gelding by Dabirsim making his debut. Cheekpieces fitted but not dismissed with an interesting jockey booked.
6. **GERARDUS** - Unraced colt by Bow Creek. Watch for market clues.
7. **DEL PIOMBO** - Gelding by Bated Breath making his debut for key connections. Leading chance.
8. **TIME IS MONEY** - Unraced colt by Holy Roman Emperor out of a Nayef mare. Interesting.
9. **LIKE MAGIC** - Cheaply purchased colt by Al Wukair. Likely to prove best watched.

**Summary:** A two-year-old newcomers event for colts and geldings where the market is likely to prove a good guide. The obvious starting point is the Andre Fabre-trained gelding by Bated Breath DEL PIOMBO (7). Key contender for leading connections. ONZEMAI (3) was a significant purchase at the Arqana 2020 Deauville Select Sale. Holds claims for a top stable. LE SICILIEN (2) and LAYFORD CAY (4) are both of interest on paper.

### Selections

**DEL PIOMBO (7) - ONZEMAI (3) - LE SICILIEN (2) - LAYFORD CAY (4)**

**Race 2 - PRIX DE LA PIGEONNIERE - 1300m MDN.** Purse EUR €22,000.

1. **RAKAN** - 5.5L seventh in a 1500m handicap here on the AW nineteen days ago. Place chance under a top jockey.
2. **WERSEILLER** - Well beaten over 1400m at Bordeaux on debut. Opposed.
3. **AMANDERO** - Running fairly in handicap company of late and although overall profile is unconvincing he could find the frame.
4. **BISCOTTINO** - Mixed form in handicap and maiden company recently but of some interest eased in trip.
5. **LUCKY KENTUCKY** - 8L third behind a subsequent winner in a 1600m maiden at Chantilly AW 22 days ago. Frame contender.
6. **FANCIFUL TALE** - Three places from six career starts. Behind Moony in a course and distance maiden nineteen days ago but open to improvement in first-time cheekpieces. Key chance.
7. **VERO AMORE** - Showed some ability in both starts to date in France. Place claims.
8. **CHEF LA ARRAS** - Narrowly denied when runner-up in a 1400m maiden at Le Mans on debut. Strong claims.
9. **IN PARADISE** - Showed up well when 5.75L fifth in a 1500m handicap on the AW here. Interesting candidate dropped to this trip for the first time.
10. **MOONY** - 2L third in a course and distance maiden (Fanciful Tale fifth) nineteen days ago. Key chance in first-time blinkers.
11. **LA SCYLLA** - Limited form in five career starts. Others preferred.
12. **IRIS JAMES** - Shaped as though the step back up in trip would aid when a 4.5L sixth over 1100m at Le Croise-Laroche. Could sneak a place.
13. **KEN THE BOSS** - Unraced colt by Kendargent. Market can guide.
14. **HURRY HARRY** - Unraced gelding by Equiano out of a Listed winning mare. Eye-catching jockey booking and watch for market clues.
15. **SARADELLA AL GUNAY** - Unraced filly by Isfahan. Best watched.

**Summary:** MOONY (10) and FANCIFUL TALE (6) finished third and fifth in a course and distance maiden. The former was beaten 2L on that occasion and looks a leading contender for top connections with first-time blinkers applied while the latter also sports first-time headgear and is open to progress with a top jockey retained. CHEF LA ARRAS (8) was just denied in a 1400m maiden at Le Mans on debut. Thereabouts with further improvement likely. IN PARADISE (9) is interesting dropping to this distance for the first time.

**Selections**

**MOONY (10) - FANCIFUL TALE (6) - CHEF LA ARRAS (8) - IN PARADISE (9)**

**Race 3 - PRIX DE LA CERISAIE - 1500m UNR.** Purse EUR €27,000.

1. **PLACE DU CARROUSEL** - Unraced filly by leading sire Lope De Vega who cost 260,000eur from the Arqana 2020 Deauville Select Sale. Top claims.
2. **TEE MOON PARIS** - Joshua Tree filly making her first start. Others preferred.
3. **GIVE ME GOLD** - Daughter of Galiway making her debut. Best watched.
4. **ITHAQUE** - Unraced filly by Oasis Dream making her debut for a top stable. Key player.
5. **POSEIDINA** - Unraced filly by Areion. One of three Andre Fabre runners. Not dismissed despite looking the third string.
6. **ALCALAS** - Unraced filly by Almanzor out of an Invincible Spirit mare. Shortlisted.
7. **OLIVA** - Unraced filly by Charm Spirit. Not dismissed for a good yard if attracting market support.
8. **WOOTTON DIVA** - Filly by Wootton Bassett making her debut. Claims for a good trainer and jockey partnership.
9. **FEDE GALIZIA** - Unraced filly by Lawman. Market can guide.
10. **CONFINED QUEEN** - Unraced filly by Holy Roman Emperor. Could find the placings if attracting market support.
11. **SIBILLA** - Filly by Dream Ahead making her debut. Best watched.
12. **CABLESIGH FAL** - Unraced filly by Cable Bay. Others look to hold stronger claims.

**Summary:** A two-year-old fillies newcomers event where the market can prove a good guide. By far the most fascinating contender on paper is PLACE DU CARROUSEL (1). The Andre Fabre-trained daughter of top-sire Lope De Vega was a pricey purchase at the Arqana 2020 Deauville Select Sale. Leading chance. Stablemate ITHAQUE (4) is by Oasis Dream . Must be respected. Wootton Bassett filly WOOTTON DIVA (8) is considered for a good trainer and jockey partnership. ALCALAS (6) completes the shortlist.

**Selections**

**PLACE DU CARROUSEL (1) - ITHAQUE (4) - WOOTTON DIVA (8) - ALCALAS (6)**