

R4 COMPIEGNE [L-H]

C1 - PRIX DE GILOCOURT - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 19.000

- **1. MALLORCA SUN -** Finished an encouraging 4th in a claiming race for the first time on his reappearance. Should have more to offer
- **2. GRAND FETARD -** Won a similar contest at Le Mans and subsequently finished 3rd in a handicap at Angers. Has leading claims
- **3. TOURGEVILLE -** Has resumed this year with consecutive 5th-place finishes and begins at claiming level with legitimate ambitions. Include
- **4. BALSAMAND -** Unplaced in back-to-back outings recently but should have more to offer dropping in class now. Not discounted
- **5. KING MOLLENKOTT -** Reassuring 3rd in his last start and could get a look in here if confirming that improvement
- **6. KHABESA -** Made no impression in two handicap races after winning a maiden contest but ought to fare better in this grade
- **7. PIANO MAN -** Unreliable sort but is quite capable of staking a claim in a race of this nature on his best form
- **8. URAL -** Seldom far off the mark and will benefit from his rider's 2,5kg allowance but has only a place chance
- **9. SUPREME -** Showed signs of improvement when 4th in a similar contest last time. Confirmation required
- **10. VICTORY OVER LIFE -** Nothing noteworthy to her name for a considerable period now so can be ruled out here
- 11. ALIGHT Has looked distinctly ordinary to this point, so her chances are limited even at this level

Summary: GRAND FETARD (2) has been in good form of late and won at this level two starts back before finishing 3rd in a handicap last time, so is a serious candidate for success. He gets the nod ahead of TOURGEVILLE (3), with two comeback runs under her belt, and KHABESA (6) who are new to this grade. MALLORCA SUN (1) encouraged on his comeback when 4th in a similar contest and has claims too.

SELECTIONS

GRAND FETARD (2) - TOURGEVILLE (3) - KHABESA (6) - MALLORCA SUN (1)



C2 - PRIX DES TAMBOURAINES - 1800m (a1 1/8m) - TURF - Condition Race - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 27.000

- **1. BESHTANI -** Didn't go unnoticed on debut last year is one to note on his return after gelding. Keep safe
- **2. MADIGAN -** Showed promise when 3rd on debut and with natural improvement should have a say again
- **3. REBORN -** Unplaced in both starts but does have scope to improve after finishing 6th on his comeback. Watch for now
- **4. BLINDMAN -** Good 5th in a Quinte+ last time and should feature prominently in this grade on the strength of that form. One to beat
- **5. SADALBARI -** Has nothing noteworthy to his name to warrant inclusion/consideration. Others preferred
- **6. CAMERON -** Has been holding his form and was last seen finishing 4th over a longer trip. Will be involved
- **7. GALLANT DEED -** Disappointed at Dieppe last time but would be competitive on earlier form. Worth another chance
- **8. MY TAKY TAKY LP -** Has looked rather ordinary to this point and needs to take a big step forward to get a look in
- **9. MAGIC LORD -** Not disgraced in finishing 6th on debut and would have gained plenty from that experience. Can do better
- **10. AL QADAM -** Amy Murphy-trained Al Wukair colt on debut. One to note with Cristian Demouro engaged

Summary: BLINDMAN (4) finished a commendable 5th in a Quinte+ contest last time and, on the strength of that form, is taken to build on that experience to claim a first success here. MADIGAN (2) should pose a threat if confirming the promise of his debut 3rd. CAMERON (6) was 4th over 2400m recently but ought to be more at home over this trip, so could make his presence felt too. GALLANT DEED (7) disappointed last time but is better than that run suggests, so cannot be discounted either.

SELECTIONS

BLINDMAN (4) - MADIGAN (2) - CAMERON (6) - GALLANT DEED (7)



C3 - PRIX D'AMELIE - 1800m (a1 1/8m) - TURF - Claiming - Class 3 - Flat - EUR € 19.000

- **1. CHOP VAL -** Confirmed at this level and has registered a win and a 2nd in two outings after joining Adrien Fouassier. One to beat
- **2. BERGWIND -** Nothing noteworthy to his name for a considerable period now and can be ruled out. Ignore
- **3. NEXTWAVE -** Consistent for the most part and won his last 2 starts on the PSF at Mons (Belgium), Probably more effective on that surface so best watched for now
- **4. CHANCE -** Runner-up in a claiming race over 1600m at Fontainebleau recently and could have a say if confirming that improvement
- **5. INATTENDU** Inconsistent but capable veteran who has won twice at this course. Unreliable but not taken lightly
- **6. DREAM FOR ALL -** Unreliable sort but quite capable of staking a claim in a race of this nature if bouncing back from a disappointing last start. Respect
- **7. COME SAY HI -** Has struggled to regain any form/consistency for some time, so unlikely to trouble the judge
- **8. LE SICILIEN -** Returned as a gelding after a long absence when 7th on his reappearance recently but didn't go unnoticed on that occasion. Can do better
- **9. AUENWOLF -** Improved on his comeback 6th to win consecutive claiming races recently before changing hands. Has claims again for new connections
- **10. SELKET -** Unreliable but undeniably capable mare who benefits from rider's 1,5kg allowance. Can get into the picture
- 11. PLEIONE Has looked distinctly ordinary for some time, so her chances are limited even at this level

Summary : CHOP VAL (1) is in good form and proven at this level, so sets the standard here. LE SICILIAN (8) made a quiet reappearance in his first start as a gelding but should have more to offer with the benefit of that outing and is capable of posing a threat with improved fitness on his side. INATTENDU (5) is inconsistent but has a good turn of foot, which should stand him in good stead in this grade/company. He completes the shortlist along with AUENWOLF (9) who has excelled at this level.

SELECTIONS

CHOP VAL (1) - LE SICILIEN (8) - INATTENDU (5) - AUENWOLF (9)



C4 - PRIX DE CREPY-EN-VALOIS - 1800m (a1 1/8m) - TURF - Condition Race - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 27.000

- **1. NATHIM -** Modest 7th on debut but would've gained plenty from that experience and has the scope to improve. Watch
- **2. TERREDEGUERRE -** Runner-up in each of her 3 outings and deserves to be rewarded for that consistency. One to beat
- **3. EGYPTIENNE -** Nothing noteworthy to her name after 2 unplaced efforts so can be ruled out. Watch for now
- **4. TISSEUSE DE REVES -** Not given a hard time when finishing unplaced on debut and improvement shown here is not beyond the realms of possibility
- **5. CHILD OF THE MOON -** Caught the eye on her reappearance when finishing 4th at Dieppe recently. High on shortlist
- **6. MORGANA -** Improving with every start and should be competitive again after finishing 2nd last time. Include
- **7. TERTULIANE BLOOM -** Finished an encouraging 3rd on debut in a good field and was 2nd on the PSF when last seen in November. Has claims on her reappearance
- **8. CHANEL GOLD -** Finished a pleasing 3rd on debut but failed to confirm that promise when only 9th last time. Not written off just yet
- **9. FURI DE LA HOUSSAY -** Showed little when finishing a modest 6th on debut but could improve with the benefit of that experience
- **10. ZANONA -** Supplemented Siyouni debutante from the stable of Francis-Henri Graffard with Mickaël Barzalona booked to ride. Warrants respect
- **11. AFAREET -** Mario Baratti's Mukhadram debutante to be ridden by Davide Cirocca. Worth keeping an eye
- **12. VAUX LE VICOMTE -** Maurizio Guarnieri-trained Lightning Spear debutante. One to note, watch betting for clues

Summary: Consistent TERREDEGUERRE (2) deserves to get her head in front and should terminate her subscription to the 2nd box by finally experiencing the joys of success. She will, however, have to pull out all the stops to thwart the challenge of likely improver CHILD OF THE MOON (5) who will be opening her account sooner rather than later. Improving MORGANA (6) needs no invitation to join the fight for victory, which also applies to returning TERTULIANE BLOOM (7) who showed promise in both starts last year. Good race!

SELECTIONS

TERREDEGUERRE (2) - CHILD OF THE MOON (5) - MORGANA (6) - TERTULIANE BLOOM (7)



C5 - PRIX DE SAINT-SAUVEUR - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Divised Handicap - Class 4 - Flat - EUR € 16.000

- **1. TOP GLORY -** Concedes weight to all after his last-start victory at Le Mans but should remain competitive. Include
- **2. GOT FROST -** Struggling to recapture any form and unlikely to trouble the judge even with 1,5kg off. Others preferred
- **3. MOASA -** Nothing noteworthy to her name for a considerable period and can be ruled out. Overlook
- 4. RIVERET On a long losing run and has shown no spark of improving for some time so can be ruled out
- **5. BECH RIVER -** Inconsistent but seldom finishes far off the mark on a going day. Hard to trust but as hard to rule out
- **6. ENJOY THE SILENCE -** Nothing noteworthy to his name for a considerable period and can be ruled out. Overlook
- **7. MAKSEN SENORA -** Has struggled to recapture form for some time now so unlikely to trouble the judge. Ignore
- **8. ANGEL DUST -** Confirmed recent improvement when 3rd last time and likely to feature prominently here on that evidence. Goes close
- **9. AYGUEMORTE -** Showed signs of improvement last time and could get a look in here if confirming that form. Dark horse
- **10. KAVAKNEY -** Returned to form when 4th at Saint-Cloud last time and should be competitive if confirming that improvement
- **11. ORPANAMA DAVIS -** Finished 4th behind TOP GLORY (1) last time and need only repeat that performance have a say here
- **12. THE FIRST LADY -** Encouraging 4th on her reappearance and should be involved with improved fitness on her side
- **13. FEE HISTORIQUE -** On a poor run of form and is hard to make a case for in her current shape. Capable but best watched for now
- **14. EXCLUSIVE BEAUTY Nothing noteworthy to her name for a considerable period and can be ruled out. Overlook**
- **15. ZAMUJA -** Has looked distinctly ordinary for some time now, so his chances are limited here. Overlook
- **16. ART PREMIER -** On a long losing run and struggling to regain any form, so unlikely to trouble the judge here



Summary: ANGEL DUST (8) returned to form with a good 3rd at Saint-Cliud recently and should be right in the firing line if confirming that improvement here. TOP GLORY (1) shoulders top-weight 60kg but also has the means to fight for victory in this handicap. ORPANAMA DAVIS (11) is competitive at this level and ought to make his presence felt if building on the improvement of his last start. Like that rival, KAVAKNEY (10) and THE FIRST LADY (12) also finished 4th last time and could get into the picture too.

SELECTIONS

ANGEL DUST (8) - TOP GLORY (1) - ORPANAMA DAVIS (11) - KAVAKNEY (10)



C6 - PRIX DE L'IMPERATRICE MARIE-LOUISE - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Divised Handicap - Class 3 - Flat - EUR € 21.000

- **1. BOZA -** Drawn wide here and has been struggling for some time now, so needs to reaffirm. Overlook
- **2. POWER PAPERS -** Supplemented after finding form and consistency recently. Can open his account if making further improvement
- **3. BLACK LIVES MATTER -** Caught the eye when a pleasing 3rd on his reappearance. Should be in the fight for victory
- **4. STIRLING -** Inconsistent but not far off the mark in recent outings. Hard to trust but as hard to rule out
- **5. FULLDITCH -** Has been struggling to recapture form for some time now and is unlikely to trouble the judge
- **6. ASHDEL -** Has looked distinctly ordinary for some time, so his chances are limited even at this level
- **7. CAPE VERDE -** Has struggled to spark any improvement or a return to form for some time. Can be ruled out
- **8. HARTWOOD MAN -** Up 2,5kg after an authoritative last-start win but is likely to remain competitive. Keep safe
- **9. ONZEMAI -** Undeniably capable and does pop up on occasion but too inconsistent to trust. Others make more appeal
- **10. RED CRAZY -** Nothing noteworthy to his name for a considerable period now, so can be ruled out here
- **11. LOUVE PRECIEUSE -** Reassuring 3rd in her last start and could stake a claim here if confirming that improvement
- **12. NAJIBA -** Has shown signs of improvement by finishing 4th in consecutive starts recently. Could get a look in
- **13. LADY VALOU -** Closely matched on the form of her last start with HARTWOOD MAN (8) and JOYCE GALESTE (15). Can have a say
- 14. JAVA JAMES Has looked distinctly ordinary for some time so her chances here are very limited. Overlook
- **15. JOYCE GALESTE -** Unreliable filly but quite capable of making her presence felt in a race of this nature. Respect
- **16. KOREM -** Has been struggling for some time so is hard to make a case for. Unlikely to trouble the judge
- **17. BRAMANTE -** Nothing noteworthy to her name for a considerable period now, so can be easily overlooked



Summary: POWER PAPERS (2) has improved over recent weeks and maintained his form and consistency. He is proven at this level and could, with another competitive showing expected, deservedly open his account. BLACK LIVES MATTER (3) made an encouraging comeback (3rd) and is likely to pose a threat if building if confirming that improvement. Last-start winner HARTWOOD MAN (8) also has the means to fight for victory, with the shortlist completed by LOUVE PRECIEUSE (11) after an improved recent outing.

SELECTIONS

POWER PAPERS (2) - BLACK LIVES MATTER (3) - HARTWOOD MAN (8) - LOUVE PRECIEUSE (11)