

R3 ENGHIEEN [L-H]

C1 - PRIX DE BANDOL - 2875m (a2m) - Class C - Harness - EUR € 46,000

1. NEWTON DES FORGES - Won 2 of 3 before being sent for a layup on 22 May. Is ideally-suited to these conditions and, if behaved, can win this

2. NICOU CHAK - Was pulled up after being eliminated in a Class D over course and distance 10 days ago. Is patently in form though and will be no pushover if kept trotting

3. NEMOS DU GOUTIER - Sports 4 pads for the first time after coming 8th in a Class C over course and distance on 1 July. Is better than the result would suggest and can begin to put things right

4. NOBEL SPEED - Kicked the season off superbly but eliminated in last 2. Will be reunited with Eric Raffin though and will have a lot to contribute if kept focused

5. NEWTON ELLIS - Eliminated in both starts this summer, most recently a 2250m monte Class C here mid-month, and will struggle to make his presence felt

6. NINO DU CHOQUEL - Sent for a break after being eliminated in a Class A at Vincennes over 2,700m on 28 April. Is back at a more reasonable level for re-entry and must be considered a priority

7. NEPTUNE AU VENT - Good, consistent element making Enghien debut after running fifth in a Class C at Vichy over 2,950m on 1 July. Is confirmed going left-handed and can compete for minor honours

8. NINO DE LARRE - 6th in a Class C over 2,150m here on 11 July 2026. Always gives his best but faces a stiffer test this time around

9. NEBBIO DU LIAMONE - Won a claimer over track and trip 6 days before coming fourth in a Class C at Vichy over 2,950m on 1 July. Returns to racing shod though and best to hold off

Summary: Returning to action after a well-earned spell, NEWTON DES FORGES (1) should appreciate the Enghien profile and can get straight down to business. NINO DU CHOQUEL (6) has already imposed under these conditions and is worth following from the outset. NICOU CHAK (2) should not be judged too harshly for breaking into a gallop last time. NOBEL SPEED (4) sports pads for the first time and has every chance of finishing in the money.

SELECTIONS

NEWTON DES FORGES (1) - NINO DU CHOQUEL (6) - NICOU CHAK (2) - NOBEL SPEED (4)

C2 - PRIX DE CHAUDES AIGUES - 2875m (a2m) - Class D - Mounted - EUR € 40,000

1. MILLESIMA - Won 3, disqualified in 3. Has not run since late-February but is clearly in race-mode and, if applied, can contest the finish

2. MISTER DU BAS BOSQ - Not without merit but eliminated in 4 of last 5 starts. Has never been disgraced at Enghien though, reverts to a previous formula, and is worth monitoring

3. MARECHAL TURGOT - Facile winner of a Class D at Cabourg over 2,750m on 14 July. Ran 3rd over shorter here on re-entry and is thoroughly capable of winning a race of this nature

4. MARVELOUS - Has not been seen out since running fifth in a Class C at Vincennes over 2,200m on 14 April. Is confirmed over course and distance and should be competitive at the business end of the race

5. MYGIRL DES FORGES - Unplaced in a Class D under these conditions on 11 July. Has failed to make good on her promise and with shoes fitted is unlikely to shake things up

6. MUST D'HERMES - Never far from faulting but has bags of ability. Was eliminated in a Class C over shorter here 2 weeks ago but sports a fresh configuration and is not to be overlooked

7. MINDELO - Unplaced in a Class D at Cabourg over 2,725m on 21 July, his first start since the winter break. Is barefoot this time but still not a concern

8. MAURICETTE BLUE - Finished 5th in a Class C over 2,250m here on 18 July but still has a lot more to find

9. MILANTERA - Fourth in a Class C at Agen Le Passage over 2,575m on 20 June. Has not imposed for over a year but in present shape is easy to like for a place in the frame

Summary: This looks an open contest, with plenty holding serious claims. A tentative vote goes to MARECHAL TURGOT (3) whose consistency and current form cannot be ignored. Returning from a break, MILLESIMA (1), partnered by Mathieu Mottier, MILANTERA (9), who has been reunited with Eric Raffin for this excellent entry, and MARVELOUS (4), entrusted to Benjamin Rochard, all have a realistic chance of finishing close.

SELECTIONS

MARECHAL TURGOT (3) - MILLESIMA (1) - MILANTERA (9) - MARVELOUS (4)

C3 - PRIX D'UZES - 2150m (a1m1/4) - - Harness - EUR € 40,000

- 1. MISSILE DE TAGOR** - Second in a Class E over 2,875m here on 9 July. Is not about to spice things up but can nevertheless play a small role
- 2. MIKA DE LA VALLEE** - Has pleased for the most part over recent months, latterly third in a Class D under these conditions on 4 July, and looks principal threat to MONTJOIE (3)
- 3. MONTJOIE** - Made short work of a Class E at Enghien over 2,875m on 9 July, following 11 months off the track. Will have come on for the run and will be expected to confirm
- 4. MISTHOS CHRISTAL** - Unlucky 6th in a Class D at Cabourg over 2,725m on 21 July. Had run 2nd over track and trip earlier in the month and from the 4 slot can set the record straight
- 5. MY NAME IS BOND** - Has looked ordinary this season, latterly 6th in a claimer over 2,150m here on 29 June, and it is hard to make a case for him
- 6. MILLENIUM GALAXY** - 3rd in a Class B at Vichy over 2,950m on 30 June. Has been in flying form since the start of the year and from the front line can give this a good go
- 7. MAXOU DES IFS** - Trounced in a claimer over 2,150m here on 29 June and in this company has no realistic chance
- 8. MAVERICK ELLIS** - Finished 4th in a Class D at Vincennes over 2,700m on 12 June. Not always the easiest of horses to use but will not be far from the action if Antonin Andre keeps him focused
- 9. MARCHAND DE REVE** - Won a Vincennes Class C earlier in the year but has been disqualified in 6 starts since, the latest a Class D over course and distance on 4 July. Has bags of talent though and the change of yard may be just what the doctor ordered
- 10. MOJITO DE BANVILLE** - Failed to place when denied a run in a Class D under these conditions on 25 July. Has otherwise been in good shape and can make his presence felt if kept out of harm's way

Summary: MONTJOIE (3) made a victorious return to competition here recently and has every chance of repeating. Brave and consistent, MIKA DE LA VALLEE (2) is expected to give another good account, while MISTHOS CRISTAL (4), a proven speedster, also commands respect. Newly arrived in Laurent Abrivard's yard, MARCHAND DE REVE (9) may not be easy to handle but he has no shortage of ability and represents an interesting outsider.

SELECTIONS

MONTJOIE (3) - MIKA DE LA VALLEE (2) - MISTHOS CHRISTAL (4) - MARCHAND DE REVE (9)

C4 - PRIX DE MONTEVRAIN - 2250m (a1m1/2) - - Mounted - EUR € 46,000

1. **LEONARDO** - Tricky element that ran reassuring 5th in a harness Class F at Cabourg 11 days ago, but has nothing to contribute this time
2. **LOOPING DU PERRE** - Has won 2 of last 3, the latest a Class E at Laval over 2,850m on 25 June. Should take well to Enghien conditions and is not to be underestimated
3. **LA GARBO** - Imposed at Nantes in early-June but failed to confirm when eliminated in a 2875m Class D here on 23 June and others easier to trust
4. **LYNX D'URZY** - Consistently-performant type that ran 2nd in a 3000m Class F at Salon-de-Provence on 21 May. Has not been seen since though and is not a priority
5. **LUMINEUX** - Runner-up in a Class E over track and trip on 29 June. Has been knocking at the door over recent months and has the wherewithal to pick up minor honours
6. **LOOK DU PARCQ** - Tenacious winner of a Class E at Enghien over 2,250m on 29 June. Goes barefoot again and with form maintained, can play a prominent role
7. **LAWMAN** - Should not be condemned for being sanctioned in a Carentan Class F last Sunday. Will be partnered by Mathieu Mottier this time and can open his monte account
8. **LIBERTY DELO** - Has done nothing but improve this term, most recently securing a Class E at Rambouillet over 2,800m on 5 July. Has been reconfigured for the occasion and looks a major player once again
9. **LUDMILA DETE** - Finished 6th in a Class C over 2,875m here on 4 July but will have little to offer this time
10. **LEON DE LA COURBE** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class D over course and distance on 23 June, and can again make first 5
11. **LABEL DE LARRE** - Returns to his code of preference after running 8th in a Class D at Pornichet over 2,725m on 16 July 2026. Will be sufficiently-fit by now, runs barefoot, and must be respected

Summary: After having shown promise in this branch of the business as a 3yo, **LAWMAN** (7) can be excused his recent elimination; he has been reconfigured and enjoys a fine opportunity to return to winning ways. Also sporting fresh shoeing, the delicate **LIBERTY DELO** (8) is back in form and could prove the main danger. Back at the top of his game, **LOOPING DU PERRE** (2) is capable of putting together another strong performance. **LOOK DU PARQ** (6), a recent winner over under these conditions, is also worthy of consideration.

SELECTIONS

LAWMAN (7) - LIBERTY DELO (8) - LOOPING DU PERRE (2) - LOOK DU PARCQ (6)

C5 - PRIX DE L'HERAULT - 2875m (a2m) - Class D - Harness - EUR € 46,000

1. LOOK MATYSS - Runner-up in a Class E at Lisieux over 2,675m on 15 July. Took little time getting back to his best and should prove competitive when it counts

2. LOU PRESTANCE - Useful servant that was quickly eliminated in a Class E under these conditions mid-month, but is better than most here and will make amends if Benjamin Rochard gets him off on the right foot

3. LOVER SIXTY ONE - Unplaced in a Class D at Laval over 2,850m on 25 June. Has made the frame just once in 5 starts this season and is unlikely to create an upset

4. LUNE LUMALO - Did not enjoy the best of trips when 10th in a Class E under these conditions on 22 July. Has form at Enghien though and Paul Ploquin will be hoping to set the record straight

5. LOLLIPOP DU CEBE - 6th in a Class E over course and distance on 22 July, but showed in Lyon a month earlier that her form is sure, and must be respected

6. LOBBY MESLOIS - Secured a Class E at Les Sables D'Olonne over 2,775m on 6 July 2026. Is clearly back on track and can repeat if David Thomain keeps him trotting

7. LAUTREC QUICK - 9th in a Class D at Enghien over 2,875m on 9 July, his first appearance since December, and will have few friends

8. LUCERO TEJY - Finished 5th in a Class D at Pornichet over 2,725m on 16 July. Sports a new configuration but is still not a priority

9. LOOPING MIL - Imposed at Biarritz two weeks before running 3rd in a Class E over track and trip on 16 July. Is most certainly back in business and can pick up another payout

10. L'AS DES CARAIBES - Achieved a well-earned victory 2 weeks ago when landing a Bagnoles-de-l'Orne Class E. Has thrived since moving yards and, considering the entry, will have a realistic chance of bringing home the bacon

Summary: In excellent form at present, LOBBY MESLOIS (6) can confirm his recent success. He will, however, have to account for L'AS DES CARAIBES (10), who bolted up on grass last time, and LOOK MATYSS (1), who is coming to hand after just two runs this year. LOU PRESTANCE (2), who made an early mistake last time, is worth another chance as this race is well within his boundaries.

SELECTIONS

LOBBY MESLOIS (6) - L'AS DES CARAIBES (10) - LOOK MATYSS (1) - LOU PRESTANCE (2)

C6 - PRIX DE BERLIN - 2875m (a2m) - - Harness - EUR € 90,000

1. ISIGNY DANCE - Useful at home in Italy but finished last but one in 4 July race of reference. Goes shod this time but still no more than a minor place chance

2. ICEBERG BI - Has struggled somewhat since being stepped up in category, latterly 5th in Gr.3 Prix Henri Cravoisier here a fortnight back. Is not a contender but is still good enough to pick up minor honours

3. NOBEL VENESI - 7th in a Class A at Enghien over 2,875m on 25 July, his first start since last December. Will have come on for the race, sports pads for the first time, but others still preferred

4. US DARBY - Fine campaigner that should not be condemned for losing his action in a Group 3 over 2,150m here on 4 July. Won a Gr.2 at Vincennes last winter and, shod this time, should not be far off the mark

5. NEO VANILLA - Surprise 5th in a monte Group I at Vincennes over 2,700m on 21 June. Is here for reasons of conditioning and can be ruled out

6. NOB HILL - Finished 7th in a Group I at Vincennes over 2,700m on 21 June 2026. Takes a notable dip in class and looks the principal threat to NEBRASKA DE GINIER (7)

7. NEBRASKA DE GINIER - Classy individual that made it 7 straight successes when denying a good Duvaldestin colt in the Gr.3 Prix Henri Cravoisier over a mile here 2 weeks ago and looks set to take all the beating

8. NAT KING COLE - Fourth in a Group 3 over 1,609m here on 18 July. Won a Gr.2 across town 2 months ago and is not incapable of setting the cat among the pigeons

Summary: An absolute dynamo this season, the exciting NEBRASKA DE GINIER (7) can complete the Gr.3 four-timer following victories in the Prix de Prix de Gien, Prix de Rome, and Prix Henri Cravoisier. The temperamental NOB HILL (6) comes here fresh and is capable of a big performance, if in the right frame of mind. NAT KING COLE (8), who ran with credit in the key trial, is a strong podium prospect.

SELECTIONS

NEBRASKA DE GINIER (7) - NOB HILL (6) - NAT KING COLE (8) - US DARBY (4)

C7 - PRIX DE BALIZAC - 2875m (a2m) - Class D - Harness - EUR € 46,000

1. **KARAMBA KARACHO** - Not without merit but eliminated in last 2 and can expect to have few takers
2. **KERVELEAN** - Gave a fine account on comeback when fifth in a Class E at La Capelle over 2,750m on 20 July. Will have improved for the run, sports a new formula, and looks competitively well in
3. **KOKA DU DOUET** - Ran third in a Class E at La Capelle over 2,750m on 20 July. Has been hard to fault lately but may be taking on too much this time
4. **KYSKO DE FAEL** - Has gone from strength to strength lately, most recently dominating a Class F at Pornichet over 2,725m on 16 July 2026. Is unlikely to repeat but can still challenge for a place on the podium
5. **KENOR DESBOIS** - Won a Class E at Cabourg over 2,750m on 24 July 2026. Pleased on sole Enghien start and in present shape cannot be discounted
6. **KEMPEL DE GUEZ** - Fifth in a Class D under these conditions on 11 July, however confirmation seems improbable
7. **KNOW EVER** - Classy individual that could well have won a Class D under these conditions on 11 July had he kept his action together, and with application can make this his own
8. **KING BABEL** - Finished 3rd in a Class D over course and distance on 11 July. Has enjoyed a rich vein of form this year and will be reunited with Eric Raffin with whom he won last December
9. **KOCKTAIL WOOD** - Valiant runner-up in a Class D over course and distance on 11 July and a similar effort would see him contest the finish once more
10. **KING FROMENTRO** - Second in a Class D at Marseille-Vivau over 2,650m on 27 June, just missing out on the three-timer. Presents solid Enghien credentials and is very hard to ignore

Summary: KNOW EVER (7) could well have pulled off the hat-trick in a Quinté+ here 3 weeks ago had he not faulted, but Gabriele Gelormini will be determined to set the record straight. In good form, KOCKTAIL WOOD (9) and the consistent KING FROMENTRO (10) are both leading contenders. KYSKO DE FAEL (4) steps up in class after an easy provincial success and merits considerable respect.

SELECTIONS

KNOW EVER (7) - KOCKTAIL WOOD (9) - KING FROMENTRO (10) - KYSKO DE FAEL (4)

C8 - PRIX DE GENEVE - 2875m (a2m) - - Harness - EUR € 90,000

1. MELLOW SPEED - Won 2 on the trot before being eliminated in a Class B over course and distance last Saturday. Could well have imposed had he not lost his action and must be taken seriously

2. MAHARAJA ATOUT - Runner-up in a Class A over course and distance on 13 June 2026. Has yet to win at this level but can nevertheless finish in the mix

3. MOUFFETARD - Third in a Class A at Enghien over 2,875m on 13 June 2026, confirming previous Vincennes performance. Comes here fresh and although not a priority is still worth keeping an eye on

4. MANASLU - Disqualified in a Gr.3 over course and distance on 4 July, 3 weeks after having won a Class A under similar conditions. Is unlikely to get his nose in front but can still pick up a cheque

5. GINGER GIO - Finished 6th in 18 July race of reference. Has been off the boil this term and must first reassure

6. MOJITO FRAISE - Fifth in a monte Group 3 at Vincennes over 2,850m on 21 June. Is confirmed under harness and can play a small part

7. MELODY DE VIVOIN - Disqualified in a Class B at Craon over 2,750m on 6 July. Has done nothing noteworthy since the winter and, with shoes fitted, is not about to start now

8. MY PRINCESS - Pleased in a Vincennes Gr.2 and Gr.3 respectively in June before losing her action early in 18 July race of reference, but cannot be considered a player

9. MONZON NORMAND - Ran 5th in a Gr.3 under these conditions on 4 July before being disqualified in race of reference, and others easier to back

10. MAGNUM DU CHOQUEL - Sprang an 89-1 surprise when fifth in a Group 3 over 2,150m here on 18 July, however a repeat seems unlikely

11. GOLDEN GIO - Can prove a handful but has talent in spades and most recently ran 2nd in a 2150m Gr.3 here a fortnight ago. With stride in check, can impose this time

12. MENTOR DE PLAY - 7th in a Group 3 over 2,875m here on 4 July. Is considerably better than that though and looks main threat to GOLDEN GIO (11)

13. MAGIC MAN - Disqualified last time out in a Group 3 at Vincennes over 2,175m on 21 June. Won a Vincennes Gr.2 the previous month and Eric Raffin will be keen to set the record straight

Summary: Beaten only by the excellent Mack De Blary last time, GOLDEN GIO (11) is a hot candidate once more. MENTOR DE PLAY (12) finished unplaced here earlier in the month but posted a fast time and can play a leading role. MAGIC MAN (13), who has plenty of potential, and MELLOW SPEED (1), who left a few regrets in a Class B here last weekend, are both contenders.

SELECTIONS

GOLDEN GIO (11) - MENTOR DE PLAY (12) - MAGIC MAN (13) - MELLOW SPEED (1)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
NEBRASKA DE GINIER (607)

Outsider of the day
MARCHAND DE REVE (309)

Reverse forecast
NEWTON DES FORGES (101) - NINO DU CHOQUEL (106)

Three pick of the day

NEWTON DES FORGES (101) - NEBRASKA DE GINIER (607) - KNOW EVER (707)