

R1 Longchamp [R-H]

C1 - QATAR PRIX LA ROCHETTE - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 73,200

1. AVEC TOI - Outclassed the opposition in a Group III at Deauville over 1,400m on 16 August 2026 and unbeaten before that. Key chance

2. VIGNELLI - Nice win on the sole start over 1200m at Saint-Cloud in a conditions race on May 1. Open to progress and he can feature

3. IMPERIAL STRIKE - Good win in a Class 2 at Deauville over 1,500m on 4 August 2026 on his latest start, and a win before that on debut. Improving and can make his presence felt

4. THE HIGHLIGHT - Game success in a Maiden at Deauville over 1,400m on 9 August 2026 on his second start. Looks like he is improving and warrants respect

5. ARALIA - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 2 at Deauville over 1,300m on 13 August 2026 last time out. Others make more appeal

Summary: AVEC TOI (1) has been impressive in his three starts, the latest success in the Prix Francois Boutin (Gr.3) at Deauville in mid-August by four lengths. He can remain unbeaten at the expense of IMPERIAL STRIKE (3), who will be competitive having won his only two starts and is on an upward curve. VIGNELLI (2) won nicely on his sole start in a newcomers race at Saint-Cloud in May and the step up in distance can bring out more progress.

SELECTIONS

AVEC TOI (1) - IMPERIAL STRIKE (3) - VIGNELLI (2) - THE HIGHLIGHT (4)

C2 - QATAR PRIX D'AUMALE - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 119,000

1. ANNA GLORIA - Won in a Maiden at Clairefontaine over 1,600m on 1 August 2026 on her debut by two lengths. She can improve and warrants respect

2. FLYING SPUR - Came home 4th in a Group III at Deauville over 1,400m on 2 August 2026 behind DATA (8). She can make her presence felt

3. MALIKAT AL REMAL - She won on her debut over 1400m at Deauville in a conditions race on August 13 by 0.5L. Improvement expected but she might need a few to falter

4. KALIMAAT - Victorious in a Maiden at Deauville over 1,400m on 9 August 2026 by two lengths. Open to progress and she can have a say in the finish

5. AMUSINGLY - Won by a cosy 3 lengths on her sole start at Compiègne in a newcomers race on June 20. Nice prospect and she can feature

6. ROGUE PASSION - She got off the mark over 1400m at Carlisle (UK) on her latest start in a conditions race on August 11. This is a big jump in class and others preferred

7. PEINTRESSE - Successful in a Class 2 at La Teste De Buch over 1,400m on 10 August 2026. Others make more appeal

8. DATA - Outclassed the opposition in a Group III at Deauville over 1,400m on 2 August 2026. Improving and she can win again

Summary: DATA (8) ticks a lot of boxes and was impressive when she scored in the Prix Six Perfections (Gr.3) at Deauville on her latest start on August 2. She is on an upward curve and can have too much for the promising AMUSINGLY (5), who won with authority on her sole start at Compiègne and looks like a useful prospect. KALIMAAT (4) is also open to plenty of improvement after her win on debut at Deauville last month and warrants respect. FLYING SPUR (2) is another to keep safe, she beat the main selection when they met in June, but was back in fourth when last seen in the Group 3 at Deauville last month.

SELECTIONS

DATA (8) - AMUSINGLY (5) - KALIMAAT (4) - FLYING SPUR (2)

C3 - QATAR PRIX DE LA REINE MARGUERITE PRESENTE PAR LE PARISIEN - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF
- Class 2 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 50,900

1. **CASSIUS** - Fourth in a Class 2 at Chantilly over 2,400m on 24 June 2026 last time out. Ought to be in the shake-up
2. **REMBRAND TO GO** - Came home 4th in a Class 1 Handicap at Chantilly over 2,000m on 31 May 2026 when last racing. Live chance if fit
3. **SHRIHARA** - Successful in a Class 2 Handicap at Strasbourg over 3,000m on 27 May 2026. Penalised for that win and faces stronger rivals this time
4. **DIXMUDE** - Ran well to be 2nd at Saint-Cloud over 2400m in a Class 2 handicap on March 15 last time out. Back from a layoff but he will be fit to go
5. **ALMIRO** - Finished 3rd in a Class 2 at Le Lion D'Angers over 2,400m on 20 August 2026 last time. One to pay close attention to
6. **ZILYA** - Unplaced in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 2,500m on 18 August 2026 and below par before that. Out of form and others make more sense
7. **PAOLINO** - Finished 10th in a Class 1 Handicap at Deauville over 2,000m on 23 August 2026 on his latest start. Among the leading each-way options
8. **PRINCESSE D'AMOUR** - Excellent runner-up in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 2,500m on 18 August 2026 last time out. Hard to ignore in this type of handicap
9. **YES ZARA** - Unplaced in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 3,200m on 25 August 2026 and a win before that over 3000m in July at Senonnes. This distance is not ideal
10. **CRISTABEL** - Third in a Class 2 Handicap at Chantilly over 2,400m on 19 July 2026. This will be more of a test
11. **MACHETE** - Unplaced last time in a Class 3 claimer over 1900m at Deauville on August 20. Hard to be enthusiastic about
12. **MONONOF** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Claimer at Longchamp over 2,000m on 9 July 2026 when last seen. One to look at each-way
13. **MARINALEDA** - Came home 4th in a Class 2 Handicap at Chantilly over 2,400m on 19 July 2026. Outside place contender
14. **MISTER GATZ** - Ran 7th in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 2,500m on 18 August 2026 on his latest start. In the mix
15. **GOLD PLAYER** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 2,500m on 18 August 2026. He might find this difficult
16. **ZELKER** - Finished 7th in a Class 3 Handicap at Longchamp over 2,400m on 21 May 2026 on his last start. Faces a stiff task

Summary: PRINCESSE D'AMOUR (8) arrives on the back of a strong second at Deauville, where she was beaten in a photo-finish in a Class 2 Quinté+ on August 18th. She can edge this over DIXMUDE (4), who has been absent since finishing second at Saint-Cloud in March and should be well tuned for his return. CASSIUS (1) is a solid each-way option from the top of the handicap, while REMBRAND TO GO (2) is another to note and can have a say in the outcome. ALMIRO (5) has run well on his last two starts and warrants respect, despite two below-par efforts at this track in the summer.

SELECTIONS

PRINCESSE D'AMOUR (8) - DIXMUDE (4) - CASSIUS (1) - REMBRAND TO GO (2)

C4 - QATAR PRIX VERMEILLE - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 600,000

1. **TATTYCORAM** - Fair 5th last time out in the Yorkshire Oaks (Gr.1) at York (UK) over 2400m on August 20. She might not trouble the principles
2. **SUNLY** - Solid effort to be 3rd in the Grand Prix De Saint-Cloud (Gr.1) on July 5 last time. Hard to rule out
3. **FRIENDLY SOUL** - Nice run to be 2nd at Goodwood (UK) Nassau Stakes (Gr.1) on September 6 on her latest start. She can make her presence felt
4. **SURVIE** - Won the Christophe Clement Stakes (Gr.1) over 2400m at Saratoga (USA) on August 15 when last seen. In form and can be involved
5. **RABBIT'S FOOT** - Won the Prix de Pomone (Gr.2) at Deauville over 2,500m on 15 August 2026 on her latest start. Up in class but she has to be considered
6. **PINK PANTHERA** - Second in the Prix De Malleret (Gr.2) at Longchamp over 2,400m on 14 July 2026 on her latest start. She can make her presence felt
7. **BOTAGOZ** - Fair 4th on her latest start in the Nassau Stakes (Gr.1) at Goodwood on July 30 over 2000m. She needs to improve to make the frame
8. **BEAUTIFY** - Finished 8th in a Group I at Deauville over 2,000m on 23 August 2026 on her latest start. Others make more appeal
9. **ROMANTIC SYMPHONY** - Two nice wins of late, the latter over 2500m in the Prix Lady O'Reilly (Prix Minerve) Gr.3 on August 16 at Deauville. Progressive and she is among the leading chances
10. **COMPOSING** - Well beaten on her latest start at the Curragh (IRL) over 2400m in the Irish Oaks (Gr.1) on July 18. Likely to be used as a pacemaker
11. **SPARAN NUA** - Ran well to be 2nd at York (UK) over 2400m in the Yorkshire Oaks (Gr.1) when beaten narrowly. Key chance
12. **LAPOTHEOSE** - Threatening to win and was runner-up in the German Oaks (Gr.1) at Dusseldorf over 2,200m on 2 August 2026 last time out. Player
13. **SUGAR ISLAND** - Below par on the latest start at York (UK) in the Yorkshire Oaks (Gr.1) on August 20. Hard to be enthusiastic about

Summary: SPARAN NUA (11) was a pleasing second when beaten narrowly in the Yorkshire Oaks (Gr.1) on her last start in late August and she is given the nod ahead of LAPOTHEOSE (12), who was a good second in a Group 1 race in Germany on her last outing on August 2, and unbeaten before that in France with four wins. SUNLY (2) has a progressive profile and is one to pay close attention to. FRIENDLY SOUL (3) is also worthy of consideration after a recent second on her first try in Group 1 class at Goodwood late in July.

SELECTIONS

SPARAN NUA (11) - LAPOTHEOSE (12) - SUNLY (2) - FRIENDLY SOUL (3)

C5 - QATAR PRIX DU MOULIN DE LONGCHAMP - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 800,000

1. **DREAMLINER** - Came home 7th in the Prix Jacques Le Marois (Group I) at Deauville over 1,600m on 16 August 2026 last time out. Others make more appeal
2. **OPERA BALLO** - Ran well to be 3rd on his latest start in the Sussex Stakes (Gr.1) at Goodwood (UK) over 1600m on July 29. Ought to be in the shake-up
3. **TEN BOB TONY** - Recent 4th at York (UK) in the City Of York Stakes (Gr.1) over 1400m on August 22. One to keep onside
4. **ERDENALI** - Showed promise and was third in a Group III at Chantilly over 1,600m on 19 July 2026 on his latest start after three wins before that. Player
5. **GSTAAD** - Excellent runner-up in Sussex Stakes (Gr.1) at Goodwood (UK) over 1,600m on 29 July 2026 and 2nd before that at Ascot (UK) in a Group 1 race in June. Hard to ignore
6. **DORSET** - Unplaced last time over 1400m in a conditions race at Galway (IRL) over 1400m on August 2. Out of his depth and likely to be used as a pacemaker for GSTAAD (5).
7. **NIGHTTIME** - In good form and finished 3rd in the Prix Jean Prat (Group I) at Deauville over 1,400m on 12 July 2026 last time and a win before that in the Prix Paul De Moussac (Gr.2) in June. Place contender

Summary: GSTAAD (5) has bumped into Bow Echo on his last two runs, when finishing second in both Group 1 races. He won the Irish 2,000 guineas in May and looks like he will have too much for ERDENALI (4), who ran well to be third in the Prix Messidor (Gr.3) on his latest start in July and is still improving. OPERA BALLO (2) ran well when third behind GSTAAD (5), who was second in the Sussex Stakes last time and can have a say in proceedings. TEN BOB TONY (3) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

GSTAAD (5) - ERDENALI (4) - OPERA BALLO (2) - TEN BOB TONY (3)

C6 - QATAR PRIX NIEL - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 119,000

1. VARANDIR - Came home 4th in the Grand Prix De Paris (Gr.1) at Longchamp over 2,400m on 14 July 2026 last time. One to keep onside

2. ALAM - Good effort when third in the Grand Prix De Paris (Gr.1) at Longchamp over 2,400m on 14 July 2026 last time out. He can play a leading role

3. BENVENUTO CELLINI - Solid effort to be 3rd at Ascot (UK) in the King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Stakes (Gr.1) on July 25 and a win before that in the Irish Derby (Gr.1) in June over 2400m. Key player

4. PEARLED MAJESTY - Successful in the Prix Eugene Adam (Gr.2) at Saint-Cloud over 2,000m on 28 June 2026 when last racing. Tries this new distance for the first time and he has stamina concerns

5. CHIEFLAND - Recent 2nd at Hamburg-Horn (DEU) in the German Derby (Gr.1) over 2400m on July 5. This will be more of a test

6. MONTREAL - Fair 4th last time over 2000m at Deauville in the Prix Guillaume D'Ornano (Gr.2) on August 15 last time out. Warrants respect

7. ZARAKI - Victorious in a Listed at Deauville over 2,000m on 16 August 2026 when last seen. Up in class and others rate higher

Summary: Irish Derby winner, BENVENUTO CELLINI (3) was a decent third at Ascot on his latest start in the King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Stakes (Gr.1) in July and is given preference ahead of ALAM (2) in this fascinating event. The latter ran well when third in the Grand Prix De Paris (Gr.1) over this track and trip last time and can make his presence felt. VARANDIR (1) was back in fourth in the same race and has to be respected, with more progress anticipated. MONTREAL (6) looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

BENVENUTO CELLINI (3) - ALAM (2) - VARANDIR (1) - MONTREAL (6)

C7 - QATAR PRIX FOY - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 119,000

1. DARYZ - In good form and finished 3rd in the Prince Of Wales Stakes (Gr.1) at Ascot over 2,000m on 17 June 2026 last time. Won the Prix D'Ispahan (Gr.1) at this track in May. Solid chance of success

2. UTHRED - Came home 6th in a Group III at Deauville over 2,500m on 8 August 2026 last time. He faces a stiff task against top-class rivals

3. BAY CITY ROLLER - Good win in the Coronation Cup (Gr.1) at Epsom (UK) on his latest start over 2400m on June 6 on very testing ground. He will like soft ground and can be competitive

4. QUEST FOR MAGIC - Outclassed the opposition in a Listed at Longchamp over 2,800m on 3 May 2026. Drops back in distance today and warrants respect

Summary: DARYZ (1) was slightly below his best when third at Ascot in the Prince Of Wales Stakes (Gr.1) in mid-June on his latest start, but won well on his two previous runs in France at this track in Group 1 events. He is taken to be too smart for BAY CITY ROLLER (3), who seemed to handle the very soft ground when scoring by ten lengths in the Coronation Cup (Gr.1) at Epsom in June. QUEST FOR MAGIC (4) has won her last two starts, the latter at this track over further in a Listed race in May and can give another good account of herself.

SELECTIONS

DARYZ (1) - BAY CITY ROLLER (3) - QUEST FOR MAGIC (4) - UTHRED (2)

C8 - QATAR CUP - PRIX DRAGON - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 100,000

1. **SHAIHAAN** - Fair 4th last time out over 1600m in a Group 3 PA race at San-Sebastian (ESP) on August 15. Ought to be thereabouts
2. **SHAYEG** - Finished 4th on his last start over 1800m at La Teste in a conditions race on August 19. Others look better equipped
3. **HM ALCHAHINE** - Recent win over 2000m in the Doha Cup (Gr.1 PA) race at Deauville on August 4. Hard to overlook and can follow up
4. **AL RIFFAA** - Back in 5th on the latest start over 2150m in a Group 3 PA race at Duindigt (NLD) on July 26. Unlikely to be a threat to the principles
5. **GENEVA** - Decent 2nd in a Group 1 PA race at La Teste over 1900m on her last start on July 11. Live chance

Summary: HM ALCHAHINE (3) is a solid performer in this class of race, having won cosily on his latest start in the Doha Cup (Gr.1) at Deauville early last month. He can follow up. GENEVA (5) could be the one that gives the selection the most to think about. She was a pleasing second on her latest start in a Group 1 PA race at La Teste in early July. SHAIHAAN (1) is also worth attention and he has been contesting decent races all over the globe recently.

SELECTIONS

HM ALCHAHINE (3) - GENEVA (5) - SHAIHAAN (1) - AL RIFFAA (4)

**C9 - QATAR PRIX DE MADRID PRESENTE PAR RMC - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 Divided
Handicap - Flat - EUR € 25,900**

1. **IKKO** - Finished 4th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 2,500m on 18 August 2026 and placed on the three previous starts. Player
2. **BELLA MEMORIA** - Unplaced in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 2,000m on 4 August 2026. Capable of a competitive run
3. **TAMYZ** - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Class 2 Handicap at Dieppe over 2,400m on 30 July 2026. Key chance
4. **LA MAZZI GOGO** - Showed promise and was third in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 2,500m on 18 August 2026. Not to be taken lightly
5. **Zoom Chop** - Recent success in a Class 4 at Le Touquet over 2,100m on 16 August 2026. This will be more of a test
6. **LONDONPOLO** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 2,000m on 4 August 2026. In form and can make his presence felt
7. **RINASCERO** - Finished 8th in a Class 3 Handicap at Dieppe over 2,400m on 30 July 2026 when last seen. He lacks consistency
8. **KHAMEPHIS GAME** - Runner-up in a Class 4 at Deauville over 2,500m on 22 August 2026 when last appearing. Outside place chance
9. **GRAND TERROIR** - Recent success over 2200m at Clairefontaine in a conditions race on July 6. Enters each-way calculations
10. **SHALOHA** - Ran 7th in a Class 3 at Deauville over 2,500m on 6 August 2026 when last seen. Others make more appeal
11. **LA BONITA** - Runner-up in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 2,000m on 4 August 2026. Holds leading claims each-way
12. **ADLAN SENORA** - Five unplaced runs of late, the latter over 2500m at Deauville on August 18 in a Class 3 handicap. He needs to bounce back to form
13. **AGATHA SENORA** - Victorious in a Class 3 Handicap at Compiègne over 2,000m on 13 June 2026. Honest performer who is hard to rule out of the frame
14. **TIC TAC** - Ran 7th in a Class 3 Handicap at Dieppe over 2,400m on 30 July 2026 when last racing. Hard to recommend
15. **SCREEN SHOT** - Came home 4th in a Class 4 at Vittel over 2,100m on 24 August 2026. Unlikely to trouble the main protagonists
16. **MAITRE D'ARMES** - Game success in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 2,500m on 18 August 2026 last time out. This will be more difficult

Summary: TAMYZ (3) was a decent second in a Class 2 handicap at Dieppe late in July on his latest start and has leading claims of getting back in the winner's circle. His main danger could be BELLA MEMORIA (2), who is better than recent form figures and can play a leading role. IKKO (1) is a good option for the each-way enthusiasts to take seriously, and GRAND TERROIR (9) is also worthy of attention after success at Clairefontaine in July with Christophe Soumillon booked to ride.

SELECTIONS

TAMYZ (3) - BELLA MEMORIA (2) - IKKO (1) - GRAND TERROIR (9)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

**Horse of the day
DARYZ (701)**

**Outsider of the day
AGATHA SENORA (913)**

Reverse forecast
AMUSINGLY (205) - DATA (208)

Three pick of the day
AVEC TOI (101) - SPARAN NUA (411) - DARYZ (701)