

R1 ENGHIEEN [L-H]

C1 - PRIX DE LA GARE DE LYON - 2875m (a2m) - Class G Amateur Drivers - Harness - EUR € 12,000

- 1. KHALIFA CEKE** - Modest mare that has picked up in 2026 where she left off last season and can be overlooked
- 2. JAVA DES TIGARDS** - Failed to pull off the hat-trick when 6th in a Class G at Arras over 2900m on 21 June. Takes on a tougher lot here and is unlikely to spice things up
- 3. JEDELWEIS D'URFIST** - Finished 2nd in a Class G at Nantes over 3000m on 22 June, putting a pair of clinkers behind him. Is new to the venue but should nevertheless appreciate its profile and is worth keeping an eye on
- 4. KAVAL BOURBON** - Eliminated in a Class F at Reims over 2500m on 20 June. Has done nothing noteworthy all year and is not about to change his ways
- 5. IDOLE DU MONCEL** - Has shown improvement since returning to the amateur category. Was runner-up in a Class G at Le Croise-Laroche over 2825m on 1 June, starts on front row, and with form maintained can put in a good showing
- 6. KYROC D'ERPION** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class F at Le Croise-Laroche over 2700m on 22 June and under these conditions should be capable of doubling his money
- 7. JAZZ DU CHATAULT** - Ran 3rd at Le Touquet before losing his action at Les Andelys 2.5 weeks ago. Is clearly in shape though and from the front row can give this a good go. Place chance
- 8. JOIE GIBUS** - Has turned a corner over recent weeks, latterly pleasing under the saddle. Has been reconfigured for the occasion and will not be far from the action if form transitions
- 9. IN LOVE WITH PUCH** - Has done nothing of note at any level for past 10 months and can be dismissed
- 10. JERICHO D'ORGERES** - Faces first objective of the year after 3 conditioners. Is barefoot for the occasion, enjoys a superb entry on the front line, and must not be underestimated
- 11. KARA DE PIERREPONT** - Dominated a Class F over 2875m here on 25 June. Is 25m worse off this time but still looks good enough to contest the finish
- 12. JARDIN D'ERABLE** - Enjoyed a productive spring but has come completely off the boil and must first reaffirm
- 13. JUPITER DU PERCHE** - Already twice a winner this year and most recently ran 2nd in a 2150m Class F here on 23 June. Starts on back row but still looks a serious player
- 14. ILOVIROIZ DI LEONE** - Finished 9th in a Class E at Vichy over 2150m on 24 June. Has otherwise been holding her own in the amateur division but will struggle to make her mark this time

Summary: Recent winner of an apprentices' race, KYROC D'ERPION (6) can follow up now that he returns to the amateur ranks. His main rivals are likely to be KARA DE PIERREPONT (11), who scored over this track last time but who will have to concede ground at the start, and JUPITER DU PERCHE (13), runner-up at this level on June 23. Racing unshod behind this time, JAZZ DU CHATAULT (7) is capable of playing a leading role at the finish.

SELECTIONS

KYROC D'ERPION (6) - KARA DE PIERREPONT (11) - JUPITER DU PERCHE (13) - JAZZ DU CHATAULT (7)

C2 - PRIX DE MENILMONTANT - 2150m (a1m1/4) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 35,000

1. **NEPTUNE D'EOLE** - Has done nothing but improve since his April debut, most recently making short work of a Class F at Langon over 2200m on 12 June. Benjamin Rochard gets the nod this time and will be no soft touch
2. **NICO DE SAINT NOM** - Appears to be getting back in the game following a moderate start to the year. Will sport 4 pads as he steps up in category but nonetheless faces a tough challenge
3. **NIKY WAY** - Eliminated in a Class D at Meslay-du-Maine over 2875m on 9 April, after having opened his account at Cordemais. Has not been seen since but is clearly in competition-mode and, with application, can wrap this up
4. **NEW LOOK DU GERS** - Has done everything asked of him to date, most recently victorious in a Class F at Feurs over 2225m on 20 June. Benefits from a terrific entry and Alexandre Bodin will be minded to make hay
5. **NICOLO DE FELLIERE** - Occasionally a handful but reassuring 4th in a Class C at Les Sables d'Olonne over 2775m on 27 June and will have a lot to offer here if Jerome Blavette keeps him focused
6. **NOBEL DU GERS** - Eliminated in a Class D at Vichy over 2950m on 29 June, but has otherwise shown promise. Starts in front, sporting a new formula, and Nicolas Bazire will be eager to set the record straight
7. **NEWTON LANDING** - Returns to racing competitively-shod after his Caen comeback in mid-June. Will have progressed for the run and cannot be discounted
8. **NEWTON DE CORS** - Placed on debut last October but flopped in next 2. Starts for the first time since December and even with pads fitted is not a priority
9. **NOROMAOR** - Eliminated at Le Mans on 25 May first time out. Sports 4 pads on this occasion and should not be far from the action if Mathieu Mottier keeps him focused
10. **NORFOLK DE TILLARD** - Has shown promise, and most recently ran 4th in a Laval Class E, but Eric Raffin has opted for another and cannot be considered a contender
11. **NAKANO BELLO** - Eliminated in a Class E at La Capelle over 2700m on 19 June after having won on debut in late-May. Is not a priority but on good behaviour can play a small role
12. **NOBLE BARRA** - Pleasant fifth on re-entry in a Class E at La Capelle over 2700m on 19 June. Will have progressed for the race but is still being conditioned and best to hold off
13. **NEW LOVE BLUE** - Not disgraced when third in a Class E at Mont St Michel over 2600m on 30 June, but has yet to really prove himself going left-handed. Has been reconfigured but others still easier to support

Summary: At Meslay-du-Maine on April 9, NIKY WAY (3) was still travelling well and very much in contention when he lost his action. Reunited with Eric Raffin, he can make amends on his seasonal return. The main opposition should come from NEPTUNE D'EOLE (1), entrusted to Benjamin Rochard, NICOLO DE FELLIERE (5), provided he stays in stride, and NOBEL DU GERS (6), who races with hind pads fitted this time.

SELECTIONS

NIKY WAY (3) - NEPTUNE D'EOLE (1) - NICOLO DE FELLIERE (5) - NOBEL DU GERS (6)

C3 - PRIX JEAN PAUL FAIRAND - 2875m (a2m) - Gr3 Amateur Riders - Mounted - EUR € 90,000

1. **JUPITER DE PLAY** - Recently returned to form in the Gr.3 Prix Guillaume de Bellaigue here 2 weeks ago, finishing only behind the champion Impala De Val. Claim
2. **JUST FOR BACK** - Quality individual making first appearance since February. Has nothing to prove at this level and will be dangerous if sufficiently well-prepared
3. **INDIGO DU PORET** - Had won twice in good style at Vincennes before being disqualified at the start at Enghien. Already a winner with Eva Bouclet and must be considered a priority
4. **GOLD VOICE** - Sprang a 79-1 surprise when 5th in Gr.3 Prix Paul Delanoë across town early last month. Has been re-shod though and is unlikely to repeat
5. **HYMNE DU GERS** - Has placed just once in 3 starts under the saddle but that was at Gr.3 level. Will be barefoot for the occasion, with Cléa Roger in the saddle, and is unlikely to disappoint
6. **KELLY DE BANVILLE** - Serious mare with form at the highest level. Has not raced since January but will be barefoot and should not be underestimated
7. **GRANIT MESLOIS** - Finished 8th in a Groupe III at Vincennes over 2850m on 4 April. Has not been seen out since and, even though barefoot, is not a concern
8. **FAKIR MERITE** - Produced a 76-1 surprise when 3rd in a Toulouse Class A under harness early last month. Has shown some monte potential but will have too much to do this time
9. **HANNIBAL TUILERIE** - Enjoys a good entry here but has struggled of late and finished 8th in a Class A at Vincennes over 2850m on 21 June. In this small field though, a place in first 5 is not out of the question

Summary: Twice a winner here before losing his action over course and distance a fortnight ago, INDIGO DU PORET (3) must be afforded another chance. JUPITER DE PLAY (1), an excellent second in the Prix Guillaume de Bellaigue, and JUST FOR BACK (2), who races barefoot for his comeback, look the main dangers. Presented barefoot for her return to competition, 6 year-old KELLY DE BANVILLE (6) deserves plenty of respect.

SELECTIONS

INDIGO DU PORET (3) - JUPITER DE PLAY (1) - JUST FOR BACK (2) - KELLY DE BANVILLE (6)

C4 - PRIX DE ROCHECHOUART - 2875m (a2m) - Class D - Harness - EUR € 46,000

1. **KIBORA BUISSONAY** - Only modest of late and finished 6th in a Class F at Enghien over 2150m on 1 July. Has too much ground to make up
2. **KILLARNEY** - Won here last August but has done nothing of note since. Was found wanting on re-entry and must step up her game
3. **KAYA DU SAPTEL** - Useful trotter but has not been seen out since mid-January and is going to need the race
4. **KISS ME DE MADKER** - Has been going good-guns since winning at Graignes in March. Was third in a Class D at Laval over 2850m on 19 June and can again challenge for a place in the frame
5. **KOREA** - Finished last of 9 at Caen on re-entry a month back. Is seldom far from the action though, but in this category may just be taking on too much
6. **KELOMA DREAM** - Scored her 2nd of the year when tenacious winner of a Caen Class D 12 days ago. Has yet to show any love for Enghien but in current condition cannot be discounted either
7. **KASSIOPEE DREAM** - Produced some good efforts during the spring but was trounced at Ecommoy on 31 May and will need to reassure
8. **KWALITA SUPREME** - Not the easiest of horses to handle but has buckets of ability. Is plainly in race-mode and can win this if applied
9. **KALINA PRINCESS** - Failed to confirm earlier success when unplaced at Ranès 2.5 weeks ago. Is reunited with her handler however who will be determined to put things right
10. **KAPELLA VET** - Made up for Pontchateau clinker when 4th in a Laval Class D on 25 June. Still has ground to make up but sports 4 pads for the first time and is unlikely to let the side down
11. **KYOKA BOCNEUF** - Has ample ability but has yet to deliver this term. Has previously won under these conditions though and will be barefoot again
12. **KARLA DE BANVILLE** - Sports a new configuration after failing to deliver at Royan in late-May. Comes here fresh, enjoys a terrific entry, and the new formula may be just the ticket

Summary: Presented barefoot for her seasonal return, KWALITA SUPREME (8) from the red-hot Romain Derieux yard looks capable of winning a race like this. Judged on her penultimate performance, KALINA PRINCESS (9) appears the main danger. Well-engaged here and re-shod for the occasion, KARLA DE BANVILLE (12) has the ability to figure prominently, while KISS ME DE MADKER (4) is in good form and also has strong claims.

SELECTIONS

KWALITA SUPREME (8) - KALINA PRINCESS (9) - KARLA DE BANVILLE (12) - KISS ME DE MADKER (4)

C5 - PRIX QUIPROQUO II - 2875m (a2m) - Class D - Harness - EUR € 46,000

- 1. LEO DES MALBERAUX** - Ran encouraging 2nd at Chateaubriant but failed to confirm at Le Mont-Saint-Michel last week. Sports pads this time but others still preferred
- 2. LUXE D'ERABLE** - Ran 3rd at Vincennes prior to coming 4th in a Class E at Bernay over 2800m on 28 June. Will be shod as he was that day and is one to keep an eye on
- 3. LAWMAN** - Out of sorts in last 2, latterly 7th in a Class D at Laval over 2850m on 25 June. Sports 4 pads for first time in almost 2 years and cannot be discounted
- 4. LUTIN DES ARRIS** - Judged by his penultimate outing here, when fourth behind LUTIN DE BAFFAIS (11) and LOUIS QUATORZE (7), he has a chance of making the frame
- 5. LAUTREC QUICK** - Has not been seen out since running 3rd in a Vincennes Class C in December and is going to need the race
- 6. LIVE YOUR DREAMS** - In the frame in last 2, most recently runner-up in a Class D at Vincennes over 2700m on 5 June. Is unlikely to win this but can nevertheless contest a place in the picture
- 7. LOUIS QUATORZE** - Despite racing without cover for much of the second half of the race, he still managed to snatch third from LUTIN DES ARRIS (4) here on May 23 and looks the main threat
- 8. LUCIFER DU PONT** - Never far from faulting but has no shortage of ability. Faces first objective of 2026 and with application can make this his own
- 9. LUCIFER DU CAIEU** - Made short work of an Agen Class E on 20 June. Goes barefoot again but at this level will have too much to do
- 10. LOTHBROCK** - Has done nothing but improve lately, most recently comfortable winner of an Hyeres Class D a fortnight ago. Is not a priority but could still get a look in
- 11. LUTIN DE BAFFAIS** - Nicely-engaged here and was most recently an excellent runner-up in a Class D over course and distance on 23 May. Place prospect

Summary: With a run under his belt and competitively-shod this time, LUCIFER DU PONT (8) has the class to play a leading role here. LOUIS QUATORZE (7), who performed very well last time, along with LUTIN DE BAFFAIS (11) and LIVE YOUR DREAMS (6), both currently in good form, will try to make life difficult for him.

SELECTIONS

LUCIFER DU PONT (8) - LOUIS QUATORZE (7) - LUTIN DE BAFFAIS (11) - LIVE YOUR DREAMS (6)

C6 - PRIX SERGE CHAVATTE - 2150m (a1m1/4) - Class C - Harness - EUR € 53,000

- 1. LOLA DU CAMPUS** - Excellent runner-up in a monte Class D at Vincennes over 2200m on 3 April. Has not been seen since and will have little to offer
- 2. LA DIVA SUPREME** - Eliminated in a Class C at Vincennes over 2700m on 6 June, continuing her poor run of form this year, and can be passed over
- 3. MIRISS DE GUEZ** - Benefits from a terrific draw but has just the one race in her since the layoff. Is competitively-shod for the first time but still not a priority
- 4. LOVELY WILMA** - Was fourth, a place behind GOGGIA (15), in a Class C at Enghien over 2150m on 26 June. Has not put a foot wrong this year and is ideally-positioned to win a race of this nature
- 5. LAGUNE PIYA** - Has struggled so far this term, most recently finishing 9th in a Class B at Vichy over 2150m on 11 May. Comes here fresh but is still not a concern
- 6. LADY BIRD JENILAT** - Was third in a Class C at Caen over 2200m on 9 May. Has been rested since, but won last time here, and will generate some interest
- 7. MARILOU** - Has yet to win this month but ran valiant 5th in 26 June race of reference. Starts wide on front row this time and has the wherewithal to finish in the mix
- 8. LEA D'ATOUT** - Lost her action in race of reference but is plainly in good shape. Will be reunited with Mathieu Mottier who will be keen to put things right
- 9. FREISA ROC** - Has held her own since returning to France. Was fourth in a Class D at Vincennes over 2100m on 12 June, after having won there a month earlier, and despite the draw must be taken seriously
- 10. GIAVA WISE L** - Capable at home in Italy but was trounced in race of reference and is not about to create an upset
- 11. PANERAI** - Was not disgraced when 7th in 26 June race of reference. Has ground to make up but still cannot be ruled out
- 12. LA FORMIDABLE** - Got back in the game at Caen in May prior to coming courageous 6th in race of reference. Has been allocated a tougher number this time and looks a minor place chance at best
- 13. FACE TIME SPADA** - Serious mare at home in Austria. Is not ideally-drawn for her French bow but has nothing to prove over the distance and looks competitive for a place on the podium
- 14. MOSAIC LIFE** - Group-class filly but simply can't keep her action together and will have few, if any, friends
- 15. GOGGIA** - Won across town early last month before coming 3rd in a Class C at Enghien over 2150m on 26 June. Set personal best that day and even though poorly-drawn here she still looks the one to beat
- 16. MANHATTAN RAIN** - Eliminated in a Groupe II at Solvalla over 1640m on 31 May, her first start for over 2 months. Is new to Enghien but has pulled a rough number and others preferred

Summary: We can return with confidence to the June 26 race under these conditions where GOGGIA (15), a reconfigured LOVELY WILMA (4), and MARILOU (7) finished third, fourth and fifth, respectively. We can slot FREISA ROC (9) in between them after she showed plenty of ability in her last two starts at Vincennes, along with FACE TIME SPADA (13), winner of the 2025 Austrian Derby.

SELECTIONS

GOGGIA (15) - LOVELY WILMA (4) - FREISA ROC (9) - FACE TIME SPADA (13)

C7 - PRIX DE BERTINCOURT - 2875m (a2m) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 35,000

- 1. MATHUSALEM PIYA** - Ran second in a Class F at Bernay over 2800m on 28 June. Has bags of ability, and also a temperament, but with stride in check could pleasantly surprise
- 2. MURO** - Starts for the first time since being eliminated in a Class E at Lyon-Parilly over 2600m on 14 April. Has been reconfigured and in this company is unlikely to make his mark
- 3. MYSTIC MAN** - Not disgraced when fifth in a Class D at Laval over 2850m on 25 June, after having placed in previous 2. Takes on a better bunch this time but picking up minor honours is still within his capability
- 4. MINK BOKO** - Produced some fine performances at home before being eliminated in a Class D at Le Croise-Laroche over 2700m on 20 May. Should appreciate the Enghien profile though and on good behaviour can make amends and finish in the mix
- 5. MYKONOS** - Quality element with just the one race under his belt since the lengthy layoff. Sports a fresh configuration this time though and should prove competitive at the business end of the race
- 6. MISTER FRIPOUILLE** - Made up somewhat for Vincennes blip when fourth in a Class D at Lisieux over 2725m on 7 June, but still has more to find
- 7. MARDONIOS** - Runner-up in 2 before coming fourth in a Class E over longer here on 13 June. Receives an Eric Raffin drive for the first time and will be expected to bring the fight to MISTER MORO (11)
- 8. MALDINI ELLIS** - Twice impressive during the spring but was dominated across town a month back and will need to find considerably more
- 9. MISSILE DE TAGOR** - Finished 6th in a Class D at Caen over 2450m on 22 June, failing to confirm his Lisieux performance a fortnight earlier, and can be passed over
- 10. MONTJOIE** - Won 2 of 3 before being sent for a break last August. Is padded for comeback, will have work behind him, and considering the entry must be respected
- 11. MISTER MORO** - Third in a Class D at Laval over 2850m on 25 June. Has not put a foot wrong so far this year and with Mathieu Mottier reining can expect the lion's share of support
- 12. MAJOR DU RUISSEAU** - Never the easiest of horses to gauge. Has twice failed to confirm May success and others easier to trust
- 13. MALKO MESLOIS** - Left a decent impression on re-entry at Caen, coming 4th in a Class D over 2450m on 22 June. Is unlikely to get his nose in front but is still a respectable first-5 chance

Summary: After finishing strongly at Laval last time, MISTER MORO (11) looks capable of making his presence felt in this event. He will still need to be wary of MARDONIOS (7), who is entrusted to Eric Raffin, MYKONOS (5), who should not be judged too harshly for his latest defeat, and MONTJOIE (10), who sports 4 pads for his seasonal return.

SELECTIONS

MISTER MORO (11) - MARDONIOS (7) - MYKONOS (5) - MONTJOIE (10)

C8 - PRIX DE L'OPERA - 2150m (a1m1/4) - Class C - Harness - EUR € 68,000

- 1. READLY LAVEC** - Went out on a high-note at Romme last October and picked up at Visby a month ago where he left off. Presents solid Enghien references and can impose
- 2. HORS BORD** - Gives a good account for the most part but has been out of sorts over recent months and first needs to re-establish his credentials
- 3. KINGSLAYER PELLINI** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class A at Toulouse over 2950m on 5 June, making it 5 wins from 6 starts in 2026. Has pulled a good number and Christophe Martens will have his eye on the four-timer
- 4. GABY DES VALS** - Moderate veteran making first appearance of the year and is not about to shake things up
- 5. JOUR DE FETE** - Third in a Class C at Enghien over 2875m on 1 July. Has won at this level in the other code and latest effort bodes well for his chances
- 6. HAIDA SAUTONNE** - Returns to the harness code following a pair of good monte runs in Sweden, but is here for reasons of conditioning
- 7. GAMIN DES ISLES** - Honest trotter that seldom lets the side down, even though now aged 10. Fourth, a place behind JOUR DE FETE (5), in a Class C over 2875m here on 1 July, and looks eminently capable of making first 5
- 8. JACOMO BELLO** - Has been a model of consistency over recent weeks and made short work of his rivals in a Class C at Enghien over 2875m on 13 June. breaks wide but is clearly at the top of his game and can secure the hat-trick
- 9. HISA DU MARGAS** - Has returned modestly to competition following a spell. Will be shod to preference this time but others still preferred
- 10. MAX OCCAGNES** - Failed to secure the hat-trick at Cabourg last week when losing all chance at the start. Has no Enghien references, but is unbeaten with Eric Raffin reining and should be taken seriously
- 11. HALO AM** - Sent for a layup after enduring a woeful start to the year. Is competitively-shod for comeback but still not an obvious choice
- 12. JOLIVERT DU GERS** - In the thick of things for the most part but is in conditioning-mode this time and best to keep one's powder dry
- 13. HOTKATISSIME** - Capable element but has not been seen out since August 2025 and is going to need the race
- 14. SCHAMPUS** - Showed some improvement when fourth in a Class C at Vincennes over 2700m on 12 June. Returns to a trip he appreciates and will be no pushover if Gabriele Gelormini successfully negotiates the start

Summary: Eye-catching here last summer, READLY LAVEC (1) returned from a break with a winning comeback in Sweden. Drawn perfectly behind the car and blessed with good early speed, with Paul Ploquin he looks capable of getting the better of his older rivals. He will still want to be wary of JACOMO BELLO (8), who is at the top of his game and has an excellent record at Enghien, KINGSLAYER PELLINI (3), who is currently better than ever, and SCHAMPUS (14), who caught the eye when finishing fourth at Vincennes on June 12. GAMIN DES ISLES (7) has quickly returned to peak form after a lengthy absence; he goes well for Esteban De Jésus and looks capable of making the frame.

SELECTIONS

READLY LAVEC (1) - JACOMO BELLO (8) - KINGSLAYER PELLINI (3) - SCHAMPUS (14)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
INDIGO DU PORET (303)

Outsider of the day
MALKO MESLOIS (713)

Reverse forecast
KYROC D'ERPION (106) - KARA DE PIERREPONT (111)

Three pick of the day
NIKY WAY (203) - LUCIFER DU PONT (508) - MISTER MORO (711)