R4 LYON LA SOIE [R-H]

C1 - PRIX CINQ CINQ - 2150m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - - Flat - EUR € 15,600

1. NUITS DE COUGNY - Unplaced on at Divonne over 2,000m on 18 October in a Conditions race. Capable of improvement but others are preferred

2. INTRIGUING - Knocking at the door and was runner-up at Nimes over 1,900m on 1 November in a Class 3. Has improved of late and has a place chance

3. MENDOZA - Non-Runner

4. SHANVICTUS - Finished 9th at Marseille-Borely over 2,000m on 26 October in a Maiden. Did better on debut and nis capable of making the frame trying the PSF

5. ZARLAND - Not reliable and came home 7th at Clairefontaine over 2,400m on 20 October in a Handicap. Can bounce back to beat these rivals

6. TO BE NICE - Did not show her best when 10th at Marseille-Borely over 2,000m on 26 October in a Maiden. Did better on debut and could be a threat trying the PSF

7. GAITA - Has only been modest of late and came home 6th at this course over 2,400m on 23 October in a Maiden. Can challenge for top honours this time

8. FIDJI - Has only been modest of late and finished 10th at Nancy over 1,400m on 1 November in a Handicap. Needs to find a few lengths to score

Summary: ZARLAND (5) looks hard to beat on the strength of his second-place finish in a stronger handicap at Lyon-Parilly on September 26. The German mare GAITA (7) is the obvious danger, given her overall consistency. TO BE NICE (6), who showed promise on her debut, and SHANVICTUS (4), who has the potential to improve, are also worth considering.

SELECTIONS

ZARLAND (5) - GAITA (7) - TO BE NICE (6) - SHANVICTUS (4)

C2 - PRIX DE VANCIA - 2400m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. MY SECRET LIGHT - Holding form and finished 4th at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 2,400m on 20 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Probably better on the grass but has been consistent of late and is not out of it

2. NOUSDEUX - Not disgraced when 5th at this course over 3,200m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Better around this distance and could score

3. HOWABOUTHATNOW - In good form and finished 4th at Marseille-Borely over 2,600m on 17 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Distance suited and could score

4. JAGDA - Has struggled of late and finished 10th at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Needs to do more to score

5. CASCADEO - Often competitive and finished 4th at this course 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Can make the frame

6. ROLEXXA - Successful at Baden-Baden over 2000m on 16 October. Was not disgraced at this course before that and can double up

7. BONNY WAY - Likes this surface and finished 3rd at this course over 3,200m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Can contest the finish once again

8. GALIMIX - Has not shown much in three starts and finished 12th at Nancy over 2,000m on 11 October in a Maiden. Others are much preferred

9. LUCERO - Off form and came home 9th at Deauville over 1,900m on 31 October in a Class 4. Conditions Race. Others make more appeal

10. SICILIA - Has only been moderate of late and came home 6th at Deauville over 1,900m on 19 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Needs to do a bit more to score

11. FETE JOYEUSE - Finished 6th at this track over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Has won at this course and can't be ruled out

12. SKADOOSH - Unreliable and finished 5th over thsi track and trip on 11 October in a Claiming Handicap. Might play a minor role at very best

Summary: NOUSDEUX (2) has leading claims on the strength of her excellent third-place finish in a Class 3 handicap at Deauville on August 18. MY SECRET LIGHT (1) is a consistent performer who has already proved himself in this category and must be included in calculations. CASCADEO (5) enjoys the all-weather surface at Lyon-La Soie and looks a serious contender, particularly with Antonio Orani in the saddle.

SELECTIONS

NOUSDEUX (2) - MY SECRET LIGHT (1) - ROLEXXA (6) - CASCADEO (5)

C3 - PRIX DU CANAL - 2400m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - - Flat - EUR € 14,400

1. SECOND TO NONE - In good form and finished 3rd at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Can be competitive once again

2. VITUS BERING - Remains in good shape and was third at Nimes over 1,900m on 1 November in a Class 4. Can get into the mix of things again

3. TESTIPEDRO - Unreliable and was unplaced at Les Sables D'Olonne over 2,700m on 22 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Capable of earning some money

4. BRONTE SISTER - Not reliable and came home 9th at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Might play a minor role at very best

5. PARVA SCURRA - On a long losing run but was fifth at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Might play a minor role

6. NOTRE HISTOIRE - On a long losing run and was unplaced at Toulouse over 2,000m on 26 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Might earn some minor money

7. RIDWAAN - Has only been modest of late and finished 7th at thsi course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. On a long losing run but has a place chance

8. KUNGSLAND - Finished 7th at Aix Les Bains over 2,000m on 14 July in a Maiden. Returns from a short break and needs to do more to beat these rivals

9. SUCCESS STORY - Not disgraced when third at Agen Le Passage over 3,200m on 25 October in a Class 4. Not as reliable on this surface but can make the frame

10. GRACEHILL - Off form and finished 10th at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. More is needed to score

11. FIVE DAYS - Battling to find best form and came home 5th at Jarnac over 2,500m on 11 October in a Class 4 Conditions race. Needs to do more to score

Summary: SECOND TO NONE (1) has impressed at this track in his last two outings and looks a solid contender. SUCCESS STORY (9), who arrives in good form, and PARVA SCURRA (5), who makes plenty of appeal on paper, are also serious contenders. VITUS BERING (2), with Antonio Orani in the saddle, deserves consideration too.

SELECTIONS

SECOND TO NONE (1) - PARVA SCURRA (5) - SUCCESS STORY (9) - VITUS BERING (2)

C4 - PRIX SIGNORA - 2400m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. VILLA ADRIENNE - Off form and finished 16th at Chantilly over 1,800m on 15 October in a Handicap. Is capable of an upset on best form

2. SFUSATO - In good form and finished 3rd at Pau over 2,000m on 21 October in a Maiden. Unreliable but cannot be ruled out of it

3. FIRST LADY STAR - Holding form and was fourth at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Handicap. Can be a threat toi these rivals

4. DAYTONINE - Has only been modest of late anf finished 5th at Deauville over 2,500m on 21 October in a Claimer. Capable of making the frame

5. MARANELLO - Yet to win a race but is knocking at the door and was runner-up in a Claimer over thsi track and trip on 23 October. Can go one place better

6. MARIZONA - Showd some improvement when second at Divonne over 2,000m on 18 October in a Claimer. Tougher task this time but can earn some money

7. BIRDY SUN - Has struggled of late and finished 10th at this track over 2,150m on 23 October in a Handicap. Needs to find a few lengths to score

8. TEMADIVA - Not disgraced when fifth at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Handicap. Can be competitive this track and trip

9. SECRET QUEEN - Showed soem improvement when 6th over this course and distance on 23 October in a Claimer. Might play a minor role

Summary: Maranello (5) arrives in excellent form and has performed well on the all-weather surface at Lyon-La Soie. Off a mark of 25, he looks a serious contender for victory in this grade. DAYTONINE (4), who has also shown encouraging form in her last two starts, looks the main danger. The consistent FIRST LADY STAR (3) has claims of making the frame, while TEMADIVA (8), who can finish strongly, is another to consider.

SELECTIONS

MARANELLO (5) - FIRST LADY STAR (3) - TEMADIVA (8) - DAYTONINE (4)

C5 - PRIX D'AIX-LES-BAINS - 1800m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

1. LINFASOMMER - Unreliable and finished 12th at Marseille-Borely over 2,100m on 12 October in a Class 2 Handicap. Has a place chance on best form

2. SASKATOON - Not reliable and finished 6th at Marseille-Borely over 1,200m on 12 October in a Claimer. Needs to find a few lengths to score

3. I AM PARADOU - Successful twice in a row, the latest at Les Sables D'Olonne over 1,950m on 22 October in a Claimer. Better on the turf but cannot be ruled out

4. RIGOLETTOS - In good form and finished 3rd at thsi course over 2,400m on 2 October in a Claimer. Drops in distance but is not out of it

5. MATT MACHINE - Has only been modest of late and was 6th in a Claimer at Marseille-Borely over 1700m on 29 September. More is needed to beat these rivals

6. ARTURO - Successful twice in a row, the latest at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Carries a penalty but can complete a hat-trick

7. TREASURE KEEPER - Unplaced at Deauville over 1,900m on 19 October in a Class 3 Handicap. Has struggled of late and others are preferred

8. BEST SHALAA - In good shape and finished third at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Can be a threat once again

9. CHARLEMAGNE - Clearly needed the last run 15th at Baden-Baden over 1,600m on 16 October in a Handicap. Fitter this time and could be the surprise package of the race

10. GEOPOLITICAL - Battling to find best form and came home 6th at Deauville over 1,900m on 19 October in a Class 3 Handicap. More is needed to score

11. QUIET SEA - Needed the last run when 11th at Deauville over 1,900m on 19 October in a Class 3 Handicap. Successful before that and could bounce back to score

12. REDSIA FAL - Threatening to win and was runner-up at over this track and trip on 11 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Can go one place better

Summary: REDSIA FAL (12), who finished second over this course on October 11, could turn the tables on ARTURO (6) with a more favourable weight allowance. ARTURO came out on top that day, but REDSIA FAL has the opportunity to reverse the form. BEST SHALAA (8), who arrives in good form, also deserves consideration, while RIGOLETTOS (4) has the ability to get involved with the finish.

SELECTIONS

REDSIA FAL (12) - BEST SHALAA (8) - ARTURO (6) - RIGOLETTOS (4)

C6 - PRIX DE DIVONNE-LES-BAINS - 1800m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 15,400

1. J'AURAIS DU - Knocking very hard at the door and was runner-up at Chantilly over 1,900m on 29 September in a Class 3 Handicap. Can go one place better

2. SPIRIT GREY - Returned to form with a victory over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Carries a penlaty but can play a minor role

3. MASINDHAL - Has shown improvement of late and was second at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Can contest the finish

4. BRAVE SHIINA - Successful at Divonne over 2,000m on 18 October in a Class 4. A surprise winner that day and needs to confirm that form

5. MAGIC TREVILLE - Not reliable but was successful at Marseille Pont De Vivaux over 2,000m on 7 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Carries a penalty but can earn some money

6. ANCOLIE - Unreliable and was ninth in a Class 4 Handicap over this course and distance on 22 October. More is needed to score

7. BELLO LEO - Unreliable but was fourth at Divonne over 2,000m on 18 October in a Class 4. Needs to do a bit more to score

8. MAHJOUBA - Has only been fair of late and finished 5th at this course over 2,150m on 2 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Might play a minor role

9. IRELIA - Outclassed the opposition over thsi course and distance on 11 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Carries a penalty but can double up

10. SECRET FEELING - Unreliable but was runner-up over this course and distance on 11 October in a Class 4 Handicap. Can be competitive when in the right mood

11. COTAI HERO - Holding form and finished fourth in a Class 4 over this track and trip on 11 October. Capable of earning some more money

12. PACO - Disappointing last run when unplaced at Deauville over 1,900m on 30 October in a Class 4 Handicap. In good form before that and can make the frame

Summary: The consistent J'AURAIS DU (1) finds himself in a race where the opposition looks within his capabilities. He has a good opportunity to return to the winner's enclosure. SECRET FEELING (10), who finished strongly at this course in his latest outing, also commands serious consideration. MASINDHAL (3), back in top form, has the class to make his presence felt at this level. PACO (12) completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

J'AURAIS DU (1) - MASINDHAL (3) - SECRET FEELING (10) - PACO (12)

C7 - PRIX LA COTE - 1800m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. DELIRE D'AMOUR - In good form and finished 3rd at this course over 2,150m on 21 October in a Handicap. Capable of winning a race of this nature

2. FASOLDOFA - Victorious at Saint-Cloud over 2,000m on 8 October in a Handicap. Has won two of last three starts and can score again under another penalty

3. ANAHEIM - Victorious at Lyon-La Soie over 1,800m on 11 October in a Handicap. Carries a penalty and can contest the finish

4. TUWARI - Holding form and came home 4th at Dax over 2,300m on 17 October in a Maiden. Can be a threat on handicap debut

5. PURPLE DAHLIA - Has only been moderate of late and was unplaced at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Handicap. Needs to find a few lengths to score

6. RUE MADON - In good shape and finished 3rd at Marseille-Borely over 2,000m on 26 October in a Maiden. Can earn some more money

7. NEW PEARL - Yet to win a race but was second again, at this course over 2,150m on 23 October in a Handicap. Should be competitive

8. NAIDEE - Unreliable but was successful at La Roche-Posay over 1,700m on 11 October in a Claimer. Might play a minor role at very best

9. PULP FICTION - Battling to find best form and finished 7th at Fontainebleau over 2,200m on 16 October in a Handicap. More is needed to beat these rivals

10. NANALA - Showed a form return when third in a Handicap over thsi course and distance on 11 October. Can make the frame

Summary: DELIRE D'AMOUR (1), who arrives in good form has claims in a very open looking race..TUWARI (4) has shown promise on several occasions in the Southwest and makes his handicap debut at Lyon-La Soie with plenty to prove. ANAHEIM (3), who finished strongly when running well over this course recently, is a leading contender. NEW PEARL (7) has the class to play a major role as well.

SELECTIONS

DELIRE D'AMOUR (1) - TUWARI (4) - FASOLDOFA (2) - NEW PEARL (7)

C8 - PRIX PEROUGES - 1800m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 - Flat - EUR € 14,600

1. LEVER DE RIDEAU - Has some fair form and finished 5th at Marseille-Borely over 1,700m on 12 October in a Class 1 Conditions race. Tries the PSF but is capable of scoring

2. TESTERINE - Still improving and was successful over thsi course and distance on 11 October in a Class 3. Can follow up

3. BOCCA AL LUPO - Shows some improvement when second over thsi course and distance on 11 October in a Class 3. Can go one place better

4. VELOURS - Successful second time, at Machecoul over 1,650m on 18 October in a Maiden. Tries the PSF but could double up

5. STELLA DU ORO - In good form and finished 3rd over this track and trip on 11 October in a Class 3. Clearly is not out of it

6. MAMA STRALIA - A winner on debut at Salon-De-Provence over 2,000m on 27 November 2025 in a Maiden. Returns from a break but could need this run

Summary: LEVER DE RIDEAU (1) is a quality performer who finds himself in a favourable race and has a good opportunity to return to winning ways in this lucky last race. However, he faces some promising three-year-olds, notably BOCCA AL LUPO (3), STELLA DU ORO (5) and VELOURS (4), all of whom have the potential to make their presence felt over this course and distance.

SELECTIONS

LEVER DE RIDEAU (1) - VELOURS (4) - BOCCA AL LUPO (3) - STELLA DU ORO (5)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
ZARLAND (105)

Outsider of the day
FETE JOYEUSE (211)

Reverse forecast
ARTURO (506) - REDSIA FAL (512)

Three pick of the day
ZARLAND (105) - J'AURAIS DU (601) - TUWARI (704)