

R1 Longchamp [R-H]

C1 - PRIX CARRUS - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 2 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 50,900

- 1. TORTISAMBERT** - Did not show his best when tenth in a handicap at Deauville over 1200m on 2 August. Better over this distance and could be a threat on best form
- 2. SKYLIGHT BROCHARD** - In good form and was fourth in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over 1400m on 3 August. Has won over this course and distance and is clearly not out of it
- 3. ALEM** - Did not show his best when 13th in a handicap at Deauville over 1200m on 22 August. Capable of bouncing back to beat these rivals
- 4. FAST RAAJ** - Not reliable and finished 6th in a Conditions race at Deauville over 1400m on 22 August. Capable of earning some minor money
- 5. VIVA LA SKIDS** - May have needed the last run when 13th in a Group 3 at Deauville over 1600m on 15 August. Fitter this time and is capable of an upset on best form
- 6. TALENTUOSO** - In good form and finished fourth in a handicap over this track and trip on 7 June. Returns from a short break and could get into the mix once again
- 7. FIRE REBEL** - Has only been modest of late and finished 8th in a handicap at Deauville over 1500m on 20 August. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 8. CHALDERO** - Finished fifth in a handicap at Deauville over 1500m on 20 August. Successful before that and is clearly in with a chance
- 9. ELIMAN** - Returned to form with a win in a Conditions race at Vichy over 1600m on 14 August. Must be respected for that win and might follow up
- 10. REVE DE VALLARSA** - Victorious in a handicap at Deauville over 1500m on 20 August. Not reliable but can earn some money carrying a penalty
- 11. KRASHKHOV** - Off form and finished 11th in a handicap at Deauville over 1600m on 9 August. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 12. ZAWAN** - Showed some improvement when third in a handicap at Compiègne over this distance on 16 July. Might play a minor role
- 13. OMICRONE** - Not disgraced when fifth in a handicap at Deauville over this distance on 16 August. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 14. CICCIO BOY** - Off form and finished 11th in a handicap at Lion d'Angers over this distance on 20 August. Others are much preferred
- 15. CHIRICCO** - In good shape and finished third in a handicap at Lion d'Angers over 1400m on 20 August. Can be competitive once again
- 16. MIUCCIA** -

Summary: Third in an identical handicap over this course and distance in June, ALEM (3) should not be judged on his recent disappointment at Deauville. He has already shown he is competitive at this level and should benefit from the likely strong pace. His record with Tony Piccone is excellent. ELIMAN (9) made a winning return at Vichy and has legitimate ambitions on his return to this class, particularly as the shorter distance should suit. Highly consistent over this demanding course, SKYLIGHT BROCHARD (2), TORTISAMBERT (1) and TALENTUOSO (6) are reliable performers at this level and all merit consideration.

SELECTIONS

ALEM (3) - ELIMAN (9) - SKYLIGHT BROCHARD (2) - TORTISAMBERT (1)

C2 - PRIX DU PARC DES PRINCES - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 25,900

1. **TAXXI** - Showed what she is capable of in a handicap at Deauville over 1500m on 25 August. Carries a penalty but can double up
2. **ASIMA** - Showed some improvement and was successful last time out in a Conditions race at Vichy over 1600m on 19 August. Can't be ruled out from more success
3. **AOPHENIE** - In good form and finished third in a Conditions race at Vichy over 1400m on 20 July. Should contest the finish
4. **GOLDEN RUN** - Consistent and finished third in a Conditions race at Dieppe over 1800m on 24 August. Can make the frame once again
5. **FIRE BULLET** - Has some fair form and was third in a Conditions race at Vichy over 1600m on 19 August. Can be competitive
6. **GOOD BOY** - Often competitive and finished third in a handicap at Clairefontaine over 1400m on 14 August. Has claims in this line-up
7. **CALIDORA** - Finished 6th in a handicap at Clairefontaine over 1400m on 14 August. Capable of doing better and has a place chance

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Summary: Having competed in claiming races this spring, TAXXI (1) has improved her form and could defy a 5lb penalty. Trained by the in-form Christophe Ferland, AOPHENIE (3) should appreciate this distance, which she tackles for the first time. ASIMA (2) is progressing and arrives on the back of a victory, so she merits respect. GOOD BOY (6) shaped well at Clairefontaine last time and, with Pierre-Charles Boudot back in the saddle, should also have a say.

SELECTIONS

TAXXI (1) - AOPHENIE (3) - ASIMA (2) - GOOD BOY (6)

C3 - PRIX DE LORMOY - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 - Flat - EUR € 25,600

1. VASSY - Remains in good form and was runner-up in a Conditions race at La Teste over 2100m on 5 August. Can go one place better

2. SENEQUE - Very consistent and finished third in a Conditions race at Vichy over 2000m on 25 July. Can contest the finish once again

3. COMMANDER TUNG - Has done little wrong so far and was runner-up in a Conditions race at Dieppe over 2400m on 18 July. Has claims in this line-up

4. FRANKISH - Finished fourth last time out in a Conditions race at Chantilly over 1900m on 26 March. Returns from a break but has a chance if fit enough

5. YMEELIH - Holding form and finished fourth in a Conditions race at Deauville over 2000m on 13 August. Probably better over shorter but is not out of it

6. DIHYA - Victorious on debut in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over 2400m on 3 August. Quite capable of doubling up on that

7. VANTA - Finished 8th in a Listed race at Vichy over 2000m on 23 July. Might prefer the shorter distance and others make more appeal

8. VILLANESQUE - Not reliable but was runner-up last time out at Karlovy Vary over 2400m on 2 August. Tougher task this time and others are preferred

Summary: SENEQUE (2) can draw on his considerable experience and will again be partnered by PC Boudot. Another Fabre-trained runner, DIHYA (6), is a half-sister to Group 1 winner Feed The Flame and made a winning debut this summer after a minor setback in the spring. Considered good enough to contest the Prix du Jockey Club (Gr.1), COMMANDER TUNG (3) drops in distance here but remains a major contender. VASSY (1) represents a stable in excellent form and should also be respected.

SELECTIONS

SENEQUE (2) - DIHYA (6) - COMMANDER TUNG (3) - VASSY (1)

C4 - PRIX GLADIATEUR - 3100m (a2m) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 73,200

- 1. GOYA SENORA** - Finished 6th in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over 2900m on 11 July. Capable of doing better and is not out of it
- 2. LE ROI DAVID** - Has struck form with two successive handicap wins, the latest at Deauville over 3200m on 25 August. Can complete the hat-trick
- 3. CHEEKY BOY** - Finished fifth in a Listed race at Vichy over 2400m on 21 July. Capable of better over this distance and might play a minor role
- 4. BARBATE** - - Finished 5th in a Group 2 at Deauville over 3000m on 23 August. Should fight out the finish
- 5. MIDAK** - Returned to form with a Listed race victory at Chester over 2900m on 22 August. Capable of winning again
- 6. ODEMAR** - In good form and was successful last time out in a handicap at Vichy over 3200m on 6 August. Can get involved in the finish
- 7. WALDNEBEL** - Yet to win a race and finished 6th in a Group 3 at Hoppegarten over 2400m on 19 July. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 8. DOUBLE MAJOR** - Remains in good shape and finished third in a Group 3 at Deauville over 3000m on 23 August. Should fight it out once again

Summary: Although perhaps not quite as sharp at the age of six, DOUBLE MAJOR (8) can successfully defend his title and secure an eighth Group victory. MIDAK (5) won a Group 3 at Saint-Cloud as a three-year-old and returns to France with high hopes. BARBATE (4) disappointed on his last two starts at a higher level but is capable of bouncing back here. GOYA SENORA (1) finished fourth in this race last year and should not be underestimated.

SELECTIONS

DOUBLE MAJOR (8) - MIDAK (5) - BARBATE (4) - GOYA SENORA (1)

C5 - PRIX DE CRAON - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 70,000

1. **MOKALEO** - Shows promise and was third in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over this distance on 14 August. Can play a minor role
2. **LOUISA BANBOU** - Impressive form this year and was successful last time out in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over 2400m on 14 August. Has claims of another victory
3. **LILI STAR** - At the top of her game and was runner-up in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over this distance on 14 August. Should be right there at the finish once again
4. **MISSION SMART** - Not reliable and finished fifth in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over 2400m on 14 August. Can make the frame
5. **MANATHAN KABOUL** - Finished fourth in a handicap hurdle at Auteuil over 3500m on 22 March. Very consistent on the flat and is not out of it
6. **MAHAURI SEA** - Finished fifth in a Conditions race at Lion d'Angers over this distance on 9 August. Capable of earning some money
7. **LEGENDE LOUED** - Returned to form when fourth in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over this distance on 14 August. Might play a minor role at very best
8. **MABRISKA** - Has shown improvement of late and was victorious last time out in a Group 3 at Vichy over 2400m on 22 July. Might well follow up
9. **LETS DANSE DOUDOU** - Holding form and finished fourth in a Conditions race at Lion d'Angers over 2400m on 14 May. Returns from a break but is not out of it
10. **LADY GA** - Finished 6th in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over this distance on 14 August. Needs to do a bit more to beat these rivals

Summary: A leading performer among the AQPS horses, LOUISA BANBOU (2) has finished in the first three in every start and won this Group 1 last year on her only previous visit to Longchamp. Also highly consistent, LILI STAR (3) should once again provide a strong challenge. MISSION SMART (4) is not the most consistent but remains a talented mare and cannot be dismissed. Trained by Alain Couétil, MABRISKA (8) is also capable of making her presence felt.

SELECTIONS

LOUISA BANBOU (2) - LILI STAR (3) - MISSION SMART (4) - MABRISKA (8)

C6 - GRAND PRIX DES ANGLO-ARABES - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition - Flat - EUR € 50,000

- 1. LOUXOR PONTADOUR AA** - Has won half of his 14 starts and was not disgraced when third in a Conditions race at La Teste over 2400m on 15 July. Should be right there at the finish once again
- 2. MOZARD DE LA BRUNIE AA** - In good form and was runner-up in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 2450m on 17 August. Can be competitive once again
- 3. FOREST DU PECOS AA** - Unplaced last time out in a handicap chase at Auteuil over 4400m on 1 March. Tries a flat race and others make more appeal
- 4. DOMINGO AA** - Has improved of late and was runner-up in a Conditions race at Pompadour over 2200m on 23 August. Might play a minor role at very best
- 5. MISTICAL CHAMPCOUR AA** - Has only been modest so far and was 6th in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 2450m on 17 August. Needs to do a bit more to score
- 6. EDANTZA AA** - Finished fifth in a Conditions race at La Teste over 2400m on 15 July. Capable of making the frame
- 7. MAJESTE DES CLAS AA** - In good form and finished third in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 2450m on 17 August. Should be competitive yet again
- 8. MIDSHIP PONTADOUR AA** - Yet to win a race and was fifth in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 2450m on 17 August. Might play a minor role
- 9. FIRST LILY PECOS AA** - Very consistent of late and was victorious last time out in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 2450m on 17 August. Can double up
- 10. FANTASTIQUE AA** - Improving and was successful last time out in a Conditions race at La Teste over this distance on 15 July. Can score again

Summary: Trained by Christophe Escuder, who won this race in 2025, LOUXOR PONTADOUR (1) can gain revenge over FANTASTIQUE (10), who recently opened his account in impressive fashion. The experienced FIRST LILY PECOS (9) could also have a say, while MOZARD DE LA BRUNIE (2), who finished second on his debut with Guillaume Guedj-Gay, is another to consider.

SELECTIONS

LOUXOR PONTADOUR AA (1) - FANTASTIQUE AA (10) - FIRST LILY PECOS AA (9) - MOZARD DE LA BRUNIE AA (2)

**C7 - PRIX DE LA COUR DU CHEMIN VERT - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat -
EUR € 21,100**

1. VERY PRETTY -

2. QUARTZ DU HOULEY - Finished a runner-up in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 1,500m on 20 August. In good form and can go one place better

3. VIZIOSA - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,400m on 16 August. Has claims in an open looking race

4. SONO IO - Returned to form and finished fourth in a handicap at Clairefontaine over 1600m on 1 August. Capable of being a threat to these rivals as well

5. ELUSIVE BELARDO - Unplaced in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 1,400m on 16 August. Capable of doing better and can play a minor role

6. NOFIX - Finished 11th in a Class 3 Handicap at Vichy over 1,400m on 20 July. Battling to find best form and others are preferred

7. JUST IN TIME GAME - Finished 8th in a Class 3 Handicap at Le Lion D'Angers over 1,400m on 20 August. Did better before that and might play a minor role

8. REVUELTO - Unplaced last time out in a claimer at Deauville over 1400m on 27 August. Did score before that and cannot be ruled out

9. CITY BABE - Successful in a Maiden at Vichy over 1,400m on 19 August. Improving and follow up in this lline-up

10. MISS DE PANAME - Unreliable and was unplaced in a handicap at Deauville over 1200m on 15 August. Needs to find a few lengths to score

11. WHITE PLATIN - Fourth in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,200m on 22 August. Has some fair form and could play a minor role

12. MAPLE TAFFY - Came home 4th in a Class 3 Handicap at Le Lion D'Angers over 1,400m on 20 August. Not reliable but might earn some minor money

13. CHARDON - Not reliable and finished fifth in a handicap at Deauville over 1500m on 20 august. More is needed to beat these rivals

14. AVERSA - Finished 12th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,400m on 16 August. Off form and needs to do more to score

15. MON BLACK DU LIVET - Finished 2nd in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,600m on 8 August. knocking very hard at the door and could have a winning turn

16. LEOPARDUCCIO - Finished 6th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,500m on 20 August. Not reliable and needs to find a few lengths to score

Summary: Always in the first two in his last four starts, MON BLACK DU LIVET (15) is well treated at the weights and should be better suited by 1,400 metres than the mile he tackled last time. CITY BABE (9) took full advantage of a good opportunity to open her account with an easy victory at Vichy. Well drawn, QUARTZ DU HOULEY (2) arrives on the back of a very good performance and holds leading claims. The three-year-old VIZIOSA (3) may also be worth considering.

SELECTIONS

QUARTZ DU HOULEY (2) - VIZIOSA (3) - SONO IO (4) - ELUSIVE BELARDO (5)

C8 - PRIX DE SAINT-NICOLAS - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 25,900

- 1. PIEMONT** - In good form this year and was a winner last time out in a Conditions race at Vichy over 1400m on 3 August. Can contest the finish
- 2. ABIAT** - Unreliable and finished fourth in a handicap at Compiègne over 1600m on 28 July. Capable of winning a race of this nature
- 3. HELLO CAREL** - Finished fourth last time out in a Conditions race at Lion d'Angers over 1400m on 2 August. Has already won three times this year and can score again
- 4. CANENA** - Non partante
- 5. VILLA MONCEAU** - Finished 12th in a Listed race at Deauville over 1400m on 4 July. Successful before that and is capable of making the frame
- 6. PERSIAN GRACE** - Victorious last time out in a Conditions race at Clairefontaine over 1800m on 10 August. Can be competitive this shorter distance
- 7. REGALIEN** - Has really struggled of late and finished 11th in a handicap at Deauville over 1200m on 22 August. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 8. QUEMAZAL** - Not reliable and finished 7th in a handicap at Deauville over 1600m on 25 August. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 9. HONEY PEARL** - Finished 12th in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 1,600m on 8 August. Successful before but is not reliable. Might place
- 10. DARK ZEL** - Has shown some improvement and was runner-up in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 1,400m on 16 August. Can go one place better
- 11. SPIRITO** - Unreliable and finished tenth in a handicap over this course and distance on 11 June. Returns from a short break and could need this run
- 12. NEPETA** - Came home 5th in a Class 2 at Le Lion D'Angers over 1,400m on 2 August. Successful in a handicap before that and is not out of it
- 13. ALMA MATER** - Off form and finished 13th in a handicap at deauville over 1400m on 16 August. Needs to find a few lengths to beat these rivals
- 14. ARDEN MIST** - Battling to show best form and finished 7th in a handicap at Deauville over 1200m on 15 August. Others make much more appeal
- 15. IRONICO** - Has only been modest of late and finished 7th in a Conditions race at Deauville over 1400m on 22 August. More is needed to score
- 16. LETTY'S MARVEL** - Unreliable and finished 6th in a Class 2 Handicap at Compiègne over 1,600m on 28 July. Needs to do a bit more to beat these rivals

Summary: Very much at home on the Longchamp track, ABIAT (2) made a favourable impression when fourth in a handicap at Compiègne in late July, despite not being fully tuned up. Open to improvement, she will have to fend off DARK ZEL (10), who came close to a second handicap success in mid-August. PERSIAN GRACE (6) is also progressing, while PIEMONT (1), an impressive winner at Vichy are others to consider.

SELECTIONS

ABIAT (2) - DARK ZEL (10) - PERSIAN GRACE (6) - PIEMONT (1)

**C9 - PRIX DE LA RUE DU CHEMIN VERT - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR
€ 19,200**

- 1. PAINT IT BLACK** - Finished 10th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,500m on 20 August. Capable of a surprise when in the right mood
- 2. FLEUR DE SEL** - Finished 13th in a Class 3 Handicap at Senonnes-Pouance over 1,350m on 31 July. Capable of better and can bounce back to score
- 3. MOOREA** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,500m on 20 August. Can contest the finish once again
- 4. MA MOME** - Not disgraced when third in a Class 3 Handicap at Vichy over 1,400m on 20 July. Showed a form returns and can be competitive once again
- 5. MRS HOLIDAY** - Unplaced in a Class 3 Handicap at Le Lion D'Angers over 1,400m on 20 August. Capable of doing better and has a place chance
- 6. FORCEFULL** - Came home 9th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,400m on 16 August. Has only been modest of late and more is needed to score
- 7. NO TIME** - Victorious in a Class 4 Handicap at Moulins over 1,400m on 28 August. Has won two of last three starts and must be respected for that
- 8. ROYAL SHAKE** - Finished 8th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,600m on 1 September. Capable of doing better and has a place chance
- 9. ALYAQUT** - Finished 15th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,300m on 13 August. Battling to find best form and others make more appeal
- 10. INSIDE MATTERS** - Finished third in a Class 4 Handicap at Le Touquet over 1,300m on 16 August. Might play a minor role at very best
- 11. PAMELA BOUM** - Came home 5th in a Class 3 Handicap at Deauville over 1,600m on 1 September. Has some fair form and could be in the mix of things
- 12. HALL OF FAME** - Came home 9th in a Claiming Handicap at Vichy over 1,400m on 3 August. Capable of doing better but others make more appeal
- 13. HIGH VIOLET** - Finished third in a Class 3 Handicap at Compiègne over 1,400m on 16 July. Showed some improvement and might earn some minor money
- 14. KELLY KEY** - Finished 8th in a Class 4 Handicap at Le Touquet over 1,300m on 26 July. Needs to do a bit more to beat these rivals
- 15. GIUSEPPE BALLOCCO** - Not reliable and finished 7th in a Class 3 Handicap at Chantilly over 1,800m on 4 September. A bit more is needed to beat these rivals
- 16. MICHELANGELO** - Finished 6th in a Class 3 Handicap at Clairefontaine over 1,400m on 21 August. Might need to do more to beat these rivals

Summary: Recently fifth when not fully tuned up, PAMELA BOUM (11) had previously won over this course in the spring and can bounce back. Also proven on this track, FLEUR DE SEL (2) deserves serious consideration. MOOREA (3) is in excellent form but will have to overcome an outside draw. MA MOME (4) finished second on her only previous start with Frida Valle Skar and is another to consider in an open looking lucky last race.

SELECTIONS

PAINT IT BLACK (1) - FLEUR DE SEL (2) - MOOREA (3) - MA MOME (4)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
LOUISA BANBOU (502)

Outsider of the day
SONO IO (704)

Reverse forecast
SENEQUE (302) - DIHYA (306)

Three pick of the day
TAXXI (201) - LOUISA BANBOU (502) - PAMELA BOUM (911)