

R7 LES SABLES D'OLONNE [L-H]

C1 - PRIX GENERAL DU LUPIN - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Claiming - Harness - EUR € 27,000

- 1. JASMINE DU ROY** - Disqualified in a class F at Chartres over 2825m on 28 June. Has major disqualification issues but can contest the finish when smart
- 2. JOSS D'ATTAQUE** - in good form and was third in a class G at Nantes over 3000m on 22 June. Can get into the mix of things yet again
- 3. JADE DES BRETTEES** - Disappointing last run when 8th in a class F over this track and trip on 27 June. Remains barefoot and can be competitive
- 4. JAG DU LIOT** - Disqualified twice in a row, the latest in a class F at Vichy over 2950m on 15 June. Capable of scoring when in the right mood
- 5. JERO DE PHYT'S** - Unplaced in a class E at Pornichet-La-Baule over 2725m on 2 July. Reverts to barefoot and is capable of an upset on best form
- 6. JUSTE UN DALY** - Disqualified twice in last three starts, including last time out in a class F at Vichy over 2950m on 23 June. Remains barefoot and can bounce back to score
- 7. JOYAU DAIRPET** - Unreliable but was runner-up in a class E at Montmirail over 3225m on 28 June. Can make the frame once again
- 8. JACK SPARROW GEPE** - Showed some improvement when third in a class F at Feurs over 2850m on 3 July. Can play a minor role at best
- 9. JALONA** - Did not show her best when 6th in a class F at Enghien over 2875m on 25 June. Capable of doing better and can contest the finish
- 10. HYROPHARE** - Off form and finished 10th in a class E at Jallais over 2975m on 14 June. Remains barefoot but needs to find a few lengths to score
- 11. IMOW ROLAU** - Disqualified in a class F at Caen over 2450m on 22 June. Unreliable but is capable of earning some money when smart
- 12. IGNACE GUENESERIE** - Disqualified in a class D mounted race at Vincennes over 2700m on 6 May. Returns from a break and could need this run

Summary: The answer likely lies on the front line. JUSTE UN DALY (6) should not be judged on his mishap at Vichy; he is much better than that and will be looking to make amends. Ideally positioned at the start, JALONA (9) has a golden opportunity to play a leading role. From a capable yard, JADE DES BRETTEES (3) has every chance of making the podium, as does JASMINE DU ROY (1), for whom everything will depend on her staying faultless.

SELECTIONS

JUSTE UN DALY (6) - JALONA (9) - JADE DES BRETTEES (3) - JASMINE DU ROY (1)

C2 - PRIX IZOARD VEDAQUAIS - 2650m (a1m1/2) - - Harness - EUR € 23,000

1. **MIGUEL DE LOU** - Has shown improvement and was runner-up in Class E at Enghien over 2150m on 13 June. Can be competitive once again
2. **MACUMBA DU VIVIER** - Not reliable and finished fifth in Class D at Vincennes over 2100m on 16 June. Capable of earning some money
3. **MELODICA BELLA** - Victorious in three of her last four starts, including last time out in Class E at Nantes over 3000m on 14 May. Can complete a hat-trick
4. **MAGIC FACE** - Needed the last run when 8th in Class D at Enghien over 2150m on 23 June. Fitter now and is capable of scoring
5. **MIRZA DU BOUILLON** - Disqualified last time out in Class D at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 28 June. Unreliable but did win her penultimate start and is not out of it
6. **MOZART DE L'ITON** - Consistent and finished fourth in Class D at Vincennes over 2700m on 27 March. Returns from a break but can challenge for top honours
7. **MAJOR MESLOIS** - Not reliable and finished 6th in Class D at Enghien over 2150m on 23 June. Needs to find a few lengths to score
8. **MANON DU CHENE** - Successful in Class E at Cholet over 2800m on 9 June. Unreliable but is quite capable of following up
9. **MA ROSE DE SARTHE** - Successful in three of her last four starts, including last time out in Class E at Nantes over 3000m on 21 February. Returns from a break but could be a threat if fit enough
10. **MALIKA DU SURF** - Battling to find best form and was 7th in Class D at Laval over 2850m on 25 June. Needs to do a bit more to score
11. **MASTER ORANGE** - Did not show his best when 8th in Class E at Cholet over 2800m on 9 June. Consistent before that and could make the frame
12. **MAGIC FRIENDS** - Did not show his best when 8th in Class D at Vichy over 2950m on 24 June. Capable of doing better and might play a minor role

Summary: A lightly raced filly, MELODICA BELLA (3) has won both of her starts this season. Presented fresh, she could well complete the hat-trick. MIGUEL DE LOU (1) has improved since racing barefoot. Beaten by a good sort at Enghien, he rates a leading contender. MACUMBA DU VIVIER (2) did not run badly in her comeback outing and should show improvement. Back in form, MANON DU CHENE (8) also deserves some respect.

SELECTIONS

MELODICA BELLA (3) - MIGUEL DE LOU (1) - MACUMBA DU VIVIER (2) - MANON DU CHENE (8)

C3 - PRIX ROQUEPINE - 2650m (a1m1/2) - - Harness - EUR € 21,000

1. **KOKTAIL LUDOIS** - Successful in a class G at Pornichet-La-Baule over 2725m on 2 July. Clearly unreliable but might well follow up
2. **KOMREEVEE DIESCHOOT** - Finished 6th in a class F at Ecommoy over 2750m on 20 June. Unreliable but might play a minor role at very best
3. **KIRSCH DES PRES** - Did not show his best when 6th in a class D at Cholet over 2800m on 9 June. Remains barefoot and is capable of contesting the finish
4. **KAMA DU METZ** - Not reliable but was runner-up in a class G at Vichy over 1609m on 1 July. Can get involved with the finish once again
5. **KALATHAS DU BOCAGE** - Showed some improvement when runner-up in a class H at Avranches over 2700m on 21 June. Remains barefoot and can go one place better
6. **KALOU DES NOEES** - Disqualified in a class F at Plestin-Les-Greves over 2600m on 5 June. Hard to trust but is capable of earning some money when in the right mood
7. **KHOSIAB** - Showed some improvement when runner-up in a class E at La Capelle over 2750m on 19 June. Remains barefoot and has a place chance
8. **KILLY D'IRATY** - Unreliable but was fourth in a class F at Plestin-Les-Greves over 2600m on 5 June. Might play a minor role at very best
9. **KRACK DES VIGNES** - Off form and finished 8th in a class F at Jallais over 2975m on 14 June. Needs to find a few lengths to score
10. **KING DE CHAMPIGNY** - Showed improvement when fourth in a class D at Chartres over 2825m on 28 June. Remains barefoot and could upset
11. **KIZIA STAR** - Disqualified at Angouleme over 2750m on 14 June. Has major disqualification issues and is probably best watched for now
12. **KINCI DU SOLEIL** - Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a class F at Royan La Palmyre over 2475m on 24 May. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
13. **KROSKOF DE GUEZ** - Disqualified in a class G mounted race at Marseille-Borely over 3000m on 23 November. Returns from a break and could need this run
14. **KALINDA SPOKEN** - In good shape and was third in a class F at Laval over 2850m on 3 June. Quite capable of earning some more money
15. **KAOLIK DE GUEZ** - Showed some improvement when third in a class E mounted race at Chartres over 2800m on 28 June. Probably better under the saddle and others are preferred

Summary: A runner-up on her return, KALATHAS DU BOCAGE (5) will line up with legitimate ambitions of going one place better. She does not have it all her own way, however, against KIRSCH DES PRES (3), whose trainer has expressed confidence in him. KAMA DU METZ (4) recently caught the eye at Vichy (2nd) is clearly a threat. Impressive in stronger company three weeks ago (2nd), KHOSIAB (7) has every chance of picking up some more money.

SELECTIONS

KALATHAS DU BOCAGE (5) - KIRSCH DES PRES (3) - KAMA DU METZ (4) - KHOSIAB (7)

C4 - PRIX BEAUSEJOUR II - 2650m (a1m1/2) - - Harness - EUR € 21,000

- 1. LUCIANO VET** - Successful in a class F at Nort-sur-Erdre over 3100m on 31 May. Tougher task this time but cannot be ruled out
- 2. LOLITA DES LANDES** - Only modest of late and finished 7th in a class F at Le Mont-Saint-Michel over 2675m on 25 May. Remains barefoot but more is needed to score
- 3. LATINO BELLO** - In good shape and was runner-up in a class F at Laon over 2650m on 7 June. Capable of earning some more money
- 4. LIBRE A VOUS SMILE** - Disqualified four times in a row, the latest in a class H at Lucon over 3025m on 5 July. Hard to trust and others make more appeal
- 5. LOYALISTE** - in good shape and was third in a class F at Graignes over 2700m on 27 June. Can get involved with the finish once again
- 6. LORETTE UP STAR** - Not reliable and finished 6th in a class F at Ecommoy over 2750m on 20 June. Remains barefoot and might play a minor role
- 7. LAMIA DU VIVIER** - Finished 6th in a class E at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 2925m on 12 February. Remains barefoot but is returning from a break and could need this run
- 8. L'ART DU SOLLIER** - Not reliable and finished 9th in a class F at Craon over 2775m on 21 June. Reverts to barefoot and should be a threat to these rivals
- 9. LEON SEVEN** - Not disgraced when fifth in a class F at La Capelle over 1800m on 14 June. Capable of doing better and is not out of it
- 10. LUCKY PURPLE** - Disqualified in two of last three starts, including last time out in a class E at this track over 2650m on 2 June. Others are preferred
- 11. LACKING SPIRIT** - Did not show his best when 6th in a class F at La Capelle over 1800m on 14 June. Remains barefoot and could bounce back to score

Summary: LACKING SPIRIT (11) should not be judged on his latest finishing position. Reunited with Alan Gendrot, he is expected to fight it out with LOYALISTE (5), who is on the upgrade and clearly a real threat. LEON SEVEN (9) is presented with confidence by his connections and must be considered a possible winner. Unshod on all four after a necessary comeback run, L'ART DU SOLLIER (8) should show a completely different face and can also contest the finish.

SELECTIONS

LACKING SPIRIT (11) - LOYALISTE (5) - LEON SEVEN (9) - L'ART DU SOLLIER (8)

C5 - PRIX DU LYS HAUT LAYON - 2775m (a1m1/2) - - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- 1. NORIEGA** - Disqualified on debut in Class G at Moulins over 2225m on 28 June. Capable of improvement but others make more appeal
- 2. NUNCHI** - Victorious on debut in Class F over this course and distance on 27 June. Shows promise and is capable of following up
- 3. NEVERS DE BELLANDE** - Unreliable but was runner-up in Class E at Chartres over 2800m on 28 June. Can get involved with the finish once again
- 4. NORMA DU TRIEUX** - Consistent and was third in Class E at La Roche-Posay over 2600m on 14 June. Capable of making the frame
- 5. NARCOS DES LANDES** - Remains in good shape and was runner-up in Class E at Amiens over 2400m on 8 June. Should contest the finish
- 6. NOUNKA ELTE** - Not reliable and was 7th in Class D at Enghien over 2150m on 25 June. Has won twice and is capable of winning again
- 7. NUMERO UNO** - Showed some improvement when 5th in Class D at Vincennes over 2200m on 9 June. Not easy to trust but could be a real threat to these rivals

Summary: NUNCHI (2) made a perfect start, winning in commanding fashion over this course and distance. A well-built colt, he can aim higher with legitimate ambitions. Noted last month at Vincennes, NUMERO UN (7) should not be underestimated. NEVERS DE BELLANDE (3) forms an effective partnership with Antoine Wiels and is capable of fighting for a place on the podium, as is NARCOS DES LANDES (5), who has shown promising potential.

SELECTIONS

NUNCHI (2) - NUMERO UNO (7) - NEVERS DE BELLANDE (3) - NARCOS DES LANDES (5)

C6 - PRIX LEON HERBERT - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Claiming - Mounted - EUR € 18,000

1. **MALRO DU PORTUGAL** - Disqualified last time out in Class F at Lisieux over 2725m on 2 July. Not easy to trust and others are preferred
2. **MADAME DES LOYAUX** - Disqualified five times in a row, the latest in a mounted race at Cabourg over 2750m on 3 July. Hard to trust and is best watched for now
3. **MINOS DU FOSSE** - Not disgraced when 5th in a Class E mounted race at Laval over 2850m on 11 June. Might play a minor role at best
4. **MADE IN CARISAIE** - Yet to win a race and was 9th in a Class F mounted race at Cherbourg over 2625m on 14 June. Needs major improvement to score
5. **MO CUISHLE DESTHER** - Disqualified last time out in a Class F mounted race at Cabourg over 2750m on 3 July. Fitter this time and could be the surprise package of the race
6. **MAMAROSE** - Has some fair form and finished fifth in a Class F at Chartres over 2800m on 17 June. Can get involved with the finish once again
7. **MALOUINES QUESNOT** - Has improved of late and was 5th in a Class F mounted race at Cherbourg over 2625m on 14 June. Capable of being a threat to these rivals
8. **MICHIGAN BLUE** - Victorious in a Class E mounted race at Ecommoy over 2750m on 20 June. Has disqualification issues but can score again
9. **MISS BELLEVUE** - Only modest of late and finished 6th in a Class F harness race at Segre over 2700m on 28 June. Better under the saddle and could earn some money
10. **MA BELLE ASSCHADEL** - Not reliable but did finish fourth in a Class F mounted race at Cabourg over 2750m on 3 July. Can be competitive once again
11. **MOKA VRIE** - Disqualified twice in a row, the latest in a Class F mounted race at Maure-de-Bretagne over 2850m on 9 May. Hard to trust but could make the frame
12. **MARBELLA SMART** - Disqualified last time out in a mounted race at Caen over 2450m on 15 June. Capable of doing better and is not out of it

Summary: MICHIGAN BLUE (8) won in good style on the grass at Ecommoy three weeks ago. Caution is advised with him, but he could follow up. MALOUINES QUESNOT (7) has been more effective since returning to mounted races and should be followed with confidence for the leading places. MOKA VRIE (11) can be forgiven for his last two disqualifications and could be competitive. In this grade, MA BELLE ASSCHADEL (10) is not out of it.

SELECTIONS

MICHIGAN BLUE (8) - MALOUINES QUESNOT (7) - MOKA VRIE (11) - MA BELLE ASSCHADEL (10)

**C7 - PRIX DES TROTTEURS CLUB VIHIERSOIS - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Amateur Drivers - Harness - EUR €
6,000**

- 1. IN ROCK DE PLAY** - Unreliable and finished 7th in a class F at this track over 2775m on 27 June. Remains barefoot and could be competitive in this line-up
- 2. INVISIBLE D'ISI** - Off form and was unplaced in a class F over this course an distance on 27 June. Reverts to barefoot but others make more appeal
- 3. HEROINE DE TALA** - Finished ffth in a class H at Lucon over 3025m on 5 July. Reverts to barefoot and has a place chance in this line-up
- 4. HOBBY DE L'EVRE** - Showed some improvement when runner-up in a class G at Lisieux over 2675m on 2 July. Can go one place better
- 5. IMANOLO DE LOU** - Not reliable and finished 10th in a class G at Nantes over 3000m on 22 June. Reverts to barefoot but more is needed to score
- 6. GOODWOOD SPORT** - Has some fair form and finished fourth in a class D at Villeneuve-sur-Lot over 2625m on 28 June. Remains barefoot and could make the frame
- 7. HAPPY DE TOUCHYVON** - Only modest of late and finished 7th in a class E at Le Mont-Saint-Michel over 2600m on 30 June. Reverts to barefoot and might play a minor role
- 8. HOPPELA THEPOL** - Finished 10th in a class D at Vincennes over 2850m on 21 March. Returns from a break and is likely to need this run
- 9. IVAN DE L'ERDRE** - Did not show his best when 8th in a class F at Angers over 3125m on 12 May. In good form before that and should fight out the finish
- 10. ICONE PLANCHETTE** - Disqualified in a class F at Caen over 2200m on 10 June. Remains barefoot and is capable of scoring in a race of this nature

Summary: A very tricky lucky last race. ICONE PLANCHETTE (10) returns to a category in which she has already proven herself. The richest at the start, she is preferred to IVAN DE L'ERDRE (9), who should not be hastily dismissed. From the front line, IN ROCK DE PLAY (1) can make life difficult for his rivals, as can HOBBY DE L'EVRE (4), who was runner-up at this level last time out at Lisieux earlier this month.

SELECTIONS

ICONE PLANCHETTE (10) - IVAN DE L'ERDRE (9) - IN ROCK DE PLAY (1) - HOBBY DE L'EVRE (4)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

**Horse of the day
MELODICA BELLA (203)**

**Outsider of the day
MIRZA DU BOUILLON (205)**

**Reverse forecast
MALOUINES QUESNOT (607) - MICHIGAN BLUE (608)**

**Three pick of the day
JUSTE UN DALY (106) - MELODICA BELLA (203) - MICHIGAN BLUE (608)**