

R3 LA TESTE DE BUCH [R-H]

C1 - PRIX STOA (PRIX DE LA FEDERATION DES COURSES DU SUD-OUEST) - 1900m (a1m1/4) - TURF
- Class 2 - Flat - EUR € 20,100

- 1. AGADOR** - Successful at Casablanca over 2,400m on 22 November 2025. Returns from a break but is not out of it if fit enough
- 2. ANIOL** - Finished fifth in a Handicap at San Sebastian over 2,800m on 12 August. Yet to win a race and needs to find a few lengths to score
- 3. AQUITAIN** - In good form and was an excellent runner-up in a Class 2 Conditions race at this course over 1,600m on 5 September. Capable of earning some more money
- 4. REACH THE SKY** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 1 at Marseille Pont De Vivaux over 2,000m on 20 June. Capable of scoring returning to the turf
- 5. MANEKI** - Unplaced in a Class 1 Handicap at Chantilly over 1,800m on 14 June. Has struggled this year but is a threat if at his best
- 6. VA S'Y MIX** - Finished 5th in a Class 3 at this course over 2,200m on 19 August. Has only been modest of late and more is needed to score
- 7. FRANKLY GOOD CEN** - Finished 7th in a Condition race at ParisLongchamp over 1,850m on 12 April. Successful before that and is capable of scoring returning from a break

Summary: The talented FRANKLY GOOD CEN (7) is effective when fresh and gets the vote to score but it is a very competitive looking race.. The very reliable REACH THE SKY (4) will attempt to give him plenty to think about. MANEKI (5) was a little disappointing in his last two starts but can bounce back. Veteran AGADOR (1) completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

FRANKLY GOOD CEN (7) - REACH THE SKY (4) - MANEKI (5) - AGADOR (1)

C2 - PRIX HARAS DES GRANGES - 1900m (a1m1/4) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 15,600

1. **ANAGRAMME** - Unplaced on debut in a Maiden at Le Mans over 1,600m on 21 April. Returns from a break and could be the surprise package of the race
2. **YOWAH** - Finished 10th on debut in a Maiden at Saint-Cloud over 2,400m on 7 September. Capable of improvement but others make more appeal
3. **BLEU NUIT** - Finished fifth in a Maiden at Dax over 2,300m on 23 August. Often competitive and has claims in a race of this nature
4. **ZIPI** - Finished third on debut in a Maiden at Tarbes over 2,100m on 3 July. Capable of improvement and can be competitive once again
5. **MYANMAR** - Finished 10th on debut in a Claimer at Tarbes over 1,500m on 29 August. Capable of improvement but others make more appeal
6. **HOGAN BRIDGE** - Finished 7th in a Maiden at Mont De Marsan over 2,000m on 17 August. Capable of doing better and is not out of it
7. **TELENO** - Finished 8th in a Maiden at Mont De Marsan over 2,000m on 17 August. Did better on debut and might play a minor role at very best
8. **BLUE GARRETT** - Finished 9th in a Claimer at La Roche-Posay over 2,400m on 13 September. Not reliable and needs to find a few lengths to score
9. **MY LOVE SONG** - Finished 6th in a Maiden at Deauville over 1,900m on 7 February. Capable of improvement trying the turf and must be respected
10. **BLOOMERALL** - Not disgraced when fifth in a Handicap at Tarbes over 2,100m on 29 August. Can get into the mix of things this time around
11. **ALICIA PRINCESS** - Finished 8th on debut in a Maiden at Dax over 2,300m on 23 August. Capable of improvement but others are preferred

Summary: Consistent and experienced, BLEU NUIT (3) looks a solid choice in this maiden. There is little to fault with ZIPI (4), who looks a leading contender for victory. HOGAN BRIDGE (6) made a promising debut at this course in the spring and can bounce back to be a threat to these rivals. BLOOMERALL (10) returns to a distance that should suit him better and is another to consider.

SELECTIONS

BLEU NUIT (3) - ZIPI (4) - HOGAN BRIDGE (6) - BLOOMERALL (10)

C3 - PRIX DU HARAS DU MAZET - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 3 - Flat - EUR € 13,700

1. TALENTUOSO - Finished 6th in a Class 2 Handicap at Longchamp over 1,400m on 10 September. Usually competitive and can bounce back to score

2. SISSY DU GROHO - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Class 3 at Dax over 1,400m on 23 August. In very good shape and should be a threat yet again

3. MR FLEURANT - Finished fifth in a Class 2 Handicap at Saint-Cloud over 1,600m on 5 July. In good form before that and can contest the finish

4. PUMALIN PARK - Unplaced in a Class 1 Handicap at Chantilly over 1,800m on 14 June. Has struggled of late and might need this run returning from a short break

5. IRONICO - Unplaced in a Class 3 Handicap at Longchamp over 1,400m on 10 September. Has struggled of late and others make more appeal

6. OTOMAI - Ran 10th in a Claimer at Le Lion D'Angers over 1,400m on 4 September. Battling to regain best form and makes little appeal

7. SIR CRATER - Unplaced in a Class 3 Handicap at this course over 1,600m on 3 June. Capable of an upset if finding best form

8. ABLOOM - Unplaced at Naas over 1,600m on 12 October 2025. Returns from a lengthy break but can be a lively danger if fit enough

9. MORGAN BAY - Finished 10th in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 1,400m on 16 August. Unreliable but capable of playing a minor role

Summary: Remarkably consistent in handicaps this year, TALENTUOSO (1) looks well placed in this Class 3 event. MR FLEURANT (3) has performed very well since moving to the South-West and will be a serious rival. SISSY DU GROHO (2), in excellent form, should be more than a supporting act. The question is how much ABLOOM (8) can improve on his debut for Francis-Henri Graffard.

SELECTIONS

TALENTUOSO (1) - MR FLEURANT (3) - SISSY DU GROHO (2) - ABLOOM (8)

C4 - PRIX HARAS DE LA COMMANDERIE - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

1. **BREAK DANCE** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at Deauville over 1,300m on 6 August. Unreliable but is capable of an upset if at very best
2. **SPIRITO** - Finished 10th in a Class 3 Handicap at Longchamp over 1,400m on 10 September. Has struggled of late and needs to find a few lengths to score
3. **REVE DU FRAISSE** - Threatening to win and was a runner-up in a Handicap at Dax over 1,400m on 23 August. Can go one place better
4. **ARDEN MIST** - Unplaced in a Class 3 Handicap at Longchamp over 1,400m on 10 September. Capable of making the frame if at best
5. **RAISE THE POINT** - Finished 6th in a Class 2 Conditions race at Clairefontaine over 1,400m on 21 August. Successful before that and is not out of it
6. **SOCIETY PRINCESSE** - Finished third in a Handicap at this course over 1,600m on 5 September. Has improved of late and can be a real threat again
7. **AMUSANTE** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at La Testa-du-Buch over 1,600m on 5 September. Fitter now and can fight out the finish
8. **THE BLACK STONE** - Returned to form and was runner-up in a Claimer at Tarbes over 1,500m on 29 August. On a long losing run but does have a place chance
9. **SEVERAC** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Salon-de-Provence over 1,800m on 14 September. Unreliable and needs to find a few lengths to win
10. **ZOULIKA** - Unplaced in a Handicap at this course over 2,000m on 15 May. Returns from a break and is likely to need this run

Summary: In what is likely to be Jean-Bernard Eyquem's final ride for Jean-Claude Rouget, REVE DU FRAISSE (3) will have plenty of support. The main danger could come from AMUSANTE (7), who produced some strong performances in the spring. RAISE THE POINT (5) will be interesting to follow at this level. Better treated at the weights, ARDEN MIST (4) looks close to making his presence felt.

SELECTIONS

REVE DU FRAISSE (3) - AMUSANTE (7) - RAISE THE POINT (5) - ARDEN MIST (4)

C5 - PRIX DU HARAS DES FAUNES - 1100m (a5f1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,300

1. **MEHMIST** - Finished 10th in a Class 3 Handicap at Dax over 1,400m on 17 July. on a long losing run and others make more appeal
2. **KING ROBBE** - Not disgraced when third in a Class 3 Handicap at Vichy over 1,000m on 3 September. Unreliable but is also not out of it
3. **TUDO BEM** - Finished 7th in a Class 3 Handicap at Chantilly over 1,200m on 19 September. Capable of doing better and could earn some money
4. **GOLUPTIOUS** - Not reliable but was fourth in a claimer at Tarbes over 1500m on 29 August. Might play a minor role at very best
5. **MARY JAYNE** - Unreliable and finished tenth in a handicap over this track and trip on 5 September. Might play a minor role
6. **PRADARO** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 4 claimer at Dieppe over 1,100m on 17 September. Not reliable but might follow up
7. **PERLI CHOPE** - Unreliable and was fifth in a handicap over this track and trip on 5 September. Needs to find a few lengths to beat these rivals
8. **KOUTSOUNAKOS** - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Class 4 claimer at Dieppe over 1,100m on 17 September. Can be a threat to these rivals
9. **INSTRUIT** - Victorious twice in a row, the latest in a Class 4 Handicap over this course and distance on 5 September. Can complete the treble
10. **PROLIXE** - Came home 7th in a Class 4 Handicap over this course and distance on 5 September. Needs to do a bit more to score
11. **VIRIMOON ETOILE** - Showed some improvement when third in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. Has a place chance on best form
12. **DADAS BOY** - Returned to form when a runner-up in a handicap over this track and trip on 5 September. Capable of making the frame
13. **BELLA JOSEPHINE** - Has only been moderate of late and finished 8th in a Conditions race at San Sebastian over 1600m on 2 September. Others are preferred
14. **PAINT CHOP** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 4 Handicap over this course and distance on 5 September. Can be competitive again

Summary: Still performing at a high level at the age of 11, PRADARO (6) returns to a track where he has never disappointed and will be hard to beat. Stablemate KOUTSOUNAKOS (8) could prove his toughest rival. INSTRUIT (9) has less room for manoeuvre but is performing better than ever. PAINT CHOP (14) also has claims at the bottom of the weights.

SELECTIONS

PRADARO (6) - KOUTSOUNAKOS (8) - INSTRUIT (9) - PAINT CHOP (14)

**C6 - PRIX DE L'ORDRE INTERNATIONAL DES ANYSETIERS - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 Divided
Handicap - Flat - EUR € 13,000**

- 1. ODIN** - Finished 7th in a Class 4 Handicap over this course and distance on 10 August. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 2. FLEUR D'AQUITAINE** - Came home 7th in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. Has only been modest of late but does have some claims in this line-up
- 3. MA TORNADE** - Unplaced in a Class 4 Handicap at Agen Le Passage over 1,200m on 26 April. Returns from a break and is likely to need this run
- 4. LA PORTUGAISE** - Unplaced in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. Has struggled of late and needs improvement to score
- 5. UGATZAI** - Finished 4th in a Class 4 Handicap at this course over 1,800m on 26 August. Capable of scoring in a race of this nature
- 6. SHOWMAN** - Returned to form and was fourth in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Might play a minor role again
- 7. BLACK MAGIC WOMAN** - Finished 14th in a Class 4 Handicap at Le Mans over 1,400m on 11 September. Off form and needs to find a few lengths to score
- 8. MOLINO** - Finished 6th in a Class 4 Handicap at Craon over 1,600m on 5 September. Capable of doing better and has a place chance
- 9. MARQUISE VERA** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 4 Handicap at Le Mans over 1,400m on 11 September. Yet to win but can get involved with the finish
- 10. ADELA** - Came home 4th in a Class 4 Handicap over this track and trip on 10 August. Can get involved with the finish once again
- 11. SHAMABEND** - Returned to form and finished 3rd in a Class 4 Conditions race at Nort Sur Erdre over 1,800m on 25 May. Could need this run coming back from a break
- 12. BLACK PANTHER** - Unplaced in a Class 4 claimer at Royan-La Palmyre over 1,600m on 19 September. On a long losing run and others are preferred
- 13. AL RASSOUL** - Unplaced in a Class 4 Handicap over this course and distance on 11 June. Has struggled of late and others make more appeal
- 14. AMORETTI** - Finished 13th in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 2,400m on 12 September. Battling to regain form and makes little appeal

Summary: UGATZAI (5) has been in excellent form since returning to action and can score on his return to a mile. ADELA (10) was not helped by the way the race unfolded last time, but still ran well. FLEUR D'AQUITAINE (2) had excuses for her last two defeats and can bounce back. MARQUISE VERA (9) is a reliable performer at this level in this region and should again be involved with the finish.

SELECTIONS

UGATZAI (5) - ADELA (10) - FLEUR D'AQUITAINE (2) - MARQUISE VERA (9)

**C7 - PRIX HARAS DES PETITS CHAMPS - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR
€ 14,400**

- 1. DRACO** - Not reliable and finished 6th in a Class 4 Handicap at Le Mans over 1,400m on 11 September. Might play a minor role at very best
- 2. WATHAB** - Finished 6th in a Class 4 claimer at Royan-La Palmyre over 1,600m on 19 September. Has won 3 times this year and can get into the mix of things
- 3. AMITY** - Has some fair form and finished 4th in a Class 4 Handicap at Toulouse over 2,000m on 16 September. Should be competitive in this line-up
- 4. JORDAN BAKER** - In good shape and was third in a Class 4 Handicap at this course over 1,800m on 26 August. On a long losing run but cannot be ruled out
- 5. HURLEVENT** - Came home 4th in a Class 4 at Pompadour over 1,600m on 6 September. Tougher task this time and others make more appeal
- 6. RISING UP** - Came home 8th in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. Capable of doing better but others are preferred
- 7. NURTURE** - Has some fair form and was 5th in Class 2 Conditions race at this course over 1600m on 5 September. Has a place chance
- 8. FREGATE** - Finished 6th in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. In good form before that and can bounce back to score
- 9. SOLAIRE** - Finished fifth in a Class 4 Handicap at Vichy over 1,600m on 3 September. Capable of a bit better and is not out of it
- 10. MADIGAN** - Successful in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. Carries a penalty but cannot be ruled out
- 11. ZOFFWALTZ** - Finished 8th in a Class 4 Handicap at Mont De Marsan over 1,400m on 29 July. Off form and needs to find a few lengths to score
- 12. TOOGOODTOBEROOD** - Finished 8th in a Class 4 Handicap at Le Mans over 1,400m on 11 September. Off form and others are preferred
- 13. MONTIGNY** - Has some fair form and finished fourth in a Class 4 at Aurillac over 1,600m on 13 September. Might play a minor role
- 14. SNATCHER** - Finished 8th in a Class 4 Handicap at this track over 2,000m on 5 August. Has only been modest of late and more is needed to score
- 15. ROSADORA** - Has some fair form and finished fifth in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. Needs to do a bit more to score

Summary: An extremely open race. FREGATE (8) has shown that she is capable of winning off her current mark and today could be her day. AMITY (3) remains in excellent form and, if finding the gaps at the right moment, can score again. SOLAIRE (9) is particularly effective over this course and distance and must be respected for that. WATHAB (2) has less room for manoeuvre these days, but an ideal stall in 1 could help his cause.

SELECTIONS

FREGATE (8) - AMITY (3) - SOLAIRE (9) - WATHAB (2)

**C8 - PRIX DES PARTENAIRES DE L'HIPP. DE LA TESTE-H. DE LA PETITE BRUNIE - 1600m (a1m) -
TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300**

- 1. OXALIS** - Finished 11th in a handicap over this course and distance on 5 September. Has struggled of late others make more appeal
- 2. SHUTTERWOOD** - Finished fourth in a Class 3 Handicap at Moulins over 1,400m on 28 August. Has improved of late and can be competitive again
- 3. MONTE LINAS** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 4 Handicap at this course over 2,000m on 5 August. Still improving and can double up this shorter distance
- 4. INDIAN STREAK** - Finished 15th in a handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1900m on 23 May. Returns from a break and could need this run
- 5. PAINT IT BLACK** - Finished 8th in a Class 3 Handicap at Longchamp over 1,400m on 10 September. Battling to find best form and others are preferred
- 6. GRAN HABANO** - Came home 5th in a Maiden at Pompadour over 1,600m on 30 August. Often competitive and can contest the finish
- 7. BURNING HEART** - Finished 5th in a Class 3 Handicap over this track and trip on 5 September. Often competitive and should fight it out
- 8. MYBOYFRIEND** - Came home 8th in a Class 3 Handicap at over this course and distance on 5 September. Capable of doing better and might play a minor role
- 9. BRADIANCOURT** - Finished 6th in Class 4 Conditions race at Aurillac over 1600m on 13 September. Needs to find a few lengths to beat these rivals
- 10. GRIS DE PERLES** - Came home 9th in a Class 4 Handicap at this course over 1,800m on 26 August. Needs to do more to score
- 11. LAUPER** - Came home 9th in a Claimer at Tarbes over 1,500m on 29 August. Needs to do more than that to beat these rivals
- 12. YACHT SHOW** - Successful in a Maiden at Pompadour over 1,600m on 30 August. Not reliable but cannot be ruled out from a follow up victory
- 13. CHARM KING** - Came home 8th in a Class 4 Handicap at Toulouse over 2,000m on 16 September. Capable of doing better and has a place chance
- 14. LADY DARKA** - Came home 6th in a Class 4 Handicap at this track over 1,800m on 26 August. Has won at this course and could be the surprise package of the race
- 15. OCEAN** - Excellent runner-up in a Class 4 Handicap at Tarbes over 1,400m on 29 August. In good form and can be a lively danger

Summary: It is difficult to oppose MONTE LINAS (3), who has been transformed since moving to the South-East. However, stablemate GRAN HABANO (6) certainly has the ability to give him plenty to think about. SHUTTERWOOD (2) is in a rich vein of form and can make the podium despite carrying a weight. Supplemented for this race, YACHT SHOW (12) can take advantage of Shana Topin's weight allowance to upset.

SELECTIONS

MONTE LINAS (3) - GRAN HABANO (6) - SHUTTERWOOD (2) - YACHT SHOW (12)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

**Horse of the day
REVE DU FRAISSE (403)**

Outsider of the day

LA PORTUGAISE (604)

Reverse forecast

REACH THE SKY (104) - FRANKLY GOOD CEN (107)

Three pick of the day

FRANKLY GOOD CEN (107) - BLEU NUIT (203) - REVE DU FRAISSE (403)