

R1 CLAIREFONTAINE [R-H]

C1 - ARQANA (PRIX DES OEILLETES) - 3400m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles - EUR € 34,000

- 1. PARKER** - Finished 4th on the last start over 3200m in a Class 4 hurdle at Compiegne on May 28. Hard to rule out
- 2. KASYMIR** - Failed to finish last time over 3400m at Dieppe in a Class 4 hurdle on June 18. Has work to do to make the to be on the premises
- 3. INVINCIBLE GUARD** - Below par on hurdles bow last time when failing to complete the course at Auteuil in a Class 2 hurdle on May 26. Needs vast progress to be involved
- 4. TROTINETTE** - Finished 5th on the last outing over 3400m in a Class 4 hurdle on June 18 at Dieppe. Can make the top four
- 5. MON PAULIN** - Placed on the flat. 5th on hurdles debut on May 26 in a Class 2 hurdle over 3500m on May 26. Can make progress and is among the leading chances
- 6. CALYBEST** - Unraced gelding by Desinvolve the dam won 1 race over jumps. Likely to improve for this run and is best watched for now
- 7. GLORIOUS DAY** - Unraced gelding by Telecaster, the dam never ran. James Reveley booked to ride catches the eye and he is worth a market check
- 8. NUIT TORRIDE** - Won on debut over 3500m at Moulins in a Class 5 hurdle on May 28. One to pay close attention to with progress expected
- 9. ASCENCIA** - Nice win on debut over over 3400m at Niort in a hurdle on May 17. Can improve from that outing and has solid claims
- 10. NIGHT BUBBLE** - Unraced by Great Pretender, the dam never ran. From a trainer that does not produce many first time out winners and she is best watched for now
- 11. PRINCESS DINO** - Finished 5th on the last run at Compiegne in a hurdle over 3200m on May 13. Needs to make a step forward to make the frame

Summary: ASCENCIA (9) made a winning debut over hurdles at Niort in mid-May, scoring in impressive fashion, and looks capable of following up. The main threat could come from NUIT TORRIDE (8), who also made a successful debut in a Class 5 hurdle at Moulins. She is open to further improvement and should make the selection work hard for victory. MON PAULIN (5) has placed form on the flat, and ran with encouragement at Auteuil on the only run over hurdles late in May. MON PAULIN (5) completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

ASCENCIA (9) - NUIT TORRIDE (8) - MON PAULIN (5) - PARKER (1)

**C2 - UNE VIE A 60 KM/H (PRIX PORT SAID) - 3400m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Claiming - Hurdles - EUR €
19,000**

1. **DOCTORINO** - Unraced gelding by Doctor Dino, the dam ran a few times. From a good stable that knows the time of day. The betting can be the best guide
2. **KING MARCEAU** - Two placed runs of late, 2nd on the latest over 3400m at Dieppe in a claiming race on June 10. Competitive run expected
3. **WOODLIGHT** - Recent win over 3000m at Fontainebleau on April 15 in a claiming hurdle. Ought to give a good account of herself
4. **DAME ST ELOI** - Finished 6th on the last run over hurdles in a Class 5 hurdle over 3500m at Moulins on June 14. Has work to do to be involved
5. **FLOS DES FLOS** - Ran well to be 3rd last time over 3400m in a claiming hurdle at Dieppe on June 10 on his third start. He can make progress and warrants respect
6. **ROYAL MARVEL** -
7. **BEYOND THE CLOUD** - Unplaced last time, 3rd previously over 3400m at La Teste on May 15 in a Class 2 hurdle. Needs to be more reliable
8. **NUIQARAKSTAR** - Failed to complete last time, a win before that over 3500m at Royan in a claiming hurdle on May 14. Outside place contender
9. **PETIT PIERRE** - Two 7th place runs so far, the latter over 3400m at Dieppe in a claiming hurdle on June 10. Faces a stiff task
10. **SUMAVA** - Finished 5th on the last start over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle at Lyon Parilly on May 14. Needs to show more to be involved
11. **INGENUITY** - Placed 5th on the last two runs, the most recent over 3400m at Dieppe in a claiming hurdle on June 10. Merits consideration
12. **HAPP'INES** - Three unplaced efforts so far, failed to complete the course last time over 3400m at Dieppe in a claiming hurdle over 3400m on June 10. Hardly inspiring
13. **KELLY CHIRON** - Placed 2nd on the last run over 3400m at Dieppe in a claiming hurdle on June 10. One to look at each-way

Summary: KING MARCEAU (2) has finished runner-up on his last two starts, most recently over 3,400 metres in a claiming hurdle at Dieppe. With that consistent form behind him, he is taken to come out on top. The main threat could be FLOS DES FLOS (5), who finished third in a claiming hurdle at Dieppe 19 days ago and is expected to be competitive once again. WOODLIGHT (3) won in this grade at Fontainebleau in April and has the ability to make her presence felt. KELLY CHIRON (13) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

KING MARCEAU (2) - FLOS DES FLOS (5) - WOODLIGHT (3) - KELLY CHIRON (13)

**C3 - UNE COURSE A GAGNER UNE SECONDE POUR REAGIR (PRIX FRANCOIS DE GANAY) - 3700m
(a2m1/4) - TURF - - Steeple Chase - EUR € 30,000**

1. NIL D'AUNOU - Not seen since an unplaced run over in a chase at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on December 25 in a Class 3 race. Fitness to prove

2. IMPERIAL CIERGUES - Two unplaced runs this year over fences, the latter over 3900m at Pau in a Listed race on February 8. Won over hurdles but is best watched for now

3. LEWIS GREY - 5th on the most recent run in a Class 3 chase in December 25, 2025 over 3700m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Useful hurdler who has each way claims if fit to go

4. MERLIN DU LARGE - Placed 4th on the last run over 4200m at La-Roche-Sur-Posay on June 6 in a Class 5 chase. Can be overlooked

5. MISE A JOUR -

6. SQUARE COLBERT - Placed on the three runs over hurdles, the latter when 4th in a Class 3 hurdle at Auteuil over 3500m on May 30. Tries fences for the first time and can score

7. HASPARREN - He has been 5th on the last two runs, the most recent over 3600m at Auteuil in a handicap hurdle on May 16. Tries fences and warrants respect

8. MISSILE RAFFLES - Placed 3rd last time over in a handicap hurdle over 3700m on May 7 at Le Lion D'Angers, and a win before that in April over hurdles at the same track/trip. Player on chasing bow

9. MONZON - Five unplaced runs over hurdles recently, the latter over 3800m at Dieppe in a handicap on June 10. Hard to fancy

10. KELLE KIFF - Unplaced last time over 3600m in a handicap hurdle at Auteuil in May, a win before that over 3800m in a Class 2 hurdle at Lyon-Parilly on April 18. Chase debut and can feature

11. VENETIAN BEAUTY - Failed to complete over hurdles last time, a win before that over in a hurdle on her last start, a win before that at Le Lion D'Angers in a handicap hurdle on May 7 was encouraging. Hard to ignore on chase bow

12. ROSE CORBON - Finished 6th on the latest start over 3550m at Fontainebleau in a Class 3 hurdle on December 2. Chasing debut and others preferred

Summary: SQUARE COLBERT (6) has shown nice promise over hurdles with three placed runs, the latter when fourth at Auteuil in a Class 3 hurdle late in May. He has the size and scope to make a useful chaser. He faces stiff competition in VENETIAN BEAUTY (11), who can be forgiven for a below par effort last time, but scored at Le Lion D'Angers in May in a handicap hurdle and should do well in this code. MISSILE RAFFLES (8) and KELLE KIFF (10) can dual for minor honours on their chase debuts.

SELECTIONS

SQUARE COLBERT (6) - VENETIAN BEAUTY (11) - MISSILE RAFFLES (8) - KELLE KIFF (10)

**C4 - LE QUIZZ DES CHAMPIONS (PRIX BELLE ISLE) - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles -
EUR € 34,000**

- 1. GRANDBAT** - Good win last time over 3800m in a Class 4 hurdle at Niort on May 17. Can make his presence felt in a competitive event
- 2. NORVILLE** - Placed 4th in a Quite + handicap hurdle at Auteuil over 3600m last time on May 30. One to look at each-way
- 3. ASTA LA PASTA** - Three solid place efforts of late, 3rd on the latter over 3600m at Compiègne on May 28 in a Class 3 hurdle. Outside place chance
- 4. TIPPERARY SUNSET** - Placed 3rd on the last run over 3600m in a Class 3 hurdle at Strasbourg on June 16. Unlikely to be a threat
- 5. DUNSTALL RAMBLER** - 5th last time in a Class 3 hurdle on May 28 at Compeigne, 3rd previously at Auteuil in a Class 2 hurdle over 3900m on May 2. Looks vulnerable
- 6. LORD RAFFLES** - Unbeaten in three runs, the latest success over 3600m at Auteuil in a Class 2 hurdle at Auteuil on October 1st. Back from a layoff and warrants close attention
- 7. KIF KIF BOURRICOT** - He has failed to complete the course on the last two runs, the latter over 4400m at Auteuil on May 30 in the Prix Des Drags chase (Gr.2) when falling. Useful performer on his best form and is hard to ignore
- 8. HURRICK DES OBEAUX** - Ran well to be 2nd on the last run over 3500m in a handicap chase on May 30 at Auteuil . Has work ahead to be involved
- 9. NADURRA** - No show on the last three runs, 8th in a Class 2 handicap hurdle over 3600m at Compiègne on March 12, 2025 on the last start. Look elsewhere

Summary: LORD RAFFLES (6) is unbeaten in three starts and, although absent since his Class 2 hurdle victory at Auteuil in early October last year, he is expected to be well prepared for his return run. The main threat could come from KIF KIF BOURRICOT (7), who has strong form over both hurdles and fences and is sure to make the selection work hard. He can make things interesting, as can GRANDBAT (1), who scored at Niort in mid-May over hurdles and is sure to be involved. NORVILLE (2) is also worth a mention.

SELECTIONS

LORD RAFFLES (6) - KIF KIF BOURRICOT (7) - GRANDBAT (1) - NORVILLE (2)

**C5 - LOGO BACKBOARD BY NICOLAS BAILLEUL (PRIX DE LA VILLE DE TOURGEVILLE) - 3600m
(a2m1/4) - TURF - Divided Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 83,000**

1. **MISS DES BOULLATS** - Hard trying 8th in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Can disrupt the top 4 play
2. **MARY SHELLEY** - Finished 5th in a Handicap over 3850m at Compiègne on the 23rd of March 2026. Will need the comeback run
3. **IRUPTA MATUTA** - Positive 3rd in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Must be given an each way shout
4. **BELLINA DU BERLAIS** - Bold 2nd in a chase over 3450m in a Class 3 Condition at Compiègne on the 13th of May 2026. Can pop up if wise
5. **MINUIT DU SEUIL** - Went missing in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. One to respectfully ignore here
6. **RAFFLES PRINCESS** - Tough 9th in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Top choices look more attractive
7. **CARISHA** - A winner in a Class 3 Condition over 3400m at Dieppe on the 1st of June 2026. Should not be excluded from anything
8. **MATHILDE DU BERGER** - A firm winner in a Handicap over 3600m at Compiègne on the 28th of May 2026. Can follow up in this field
9. **PHILADELPHIE** - Solid 2nd in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Has the credentials to win here
10. **HAMILTON AIR** - Hearty effort into 9th in a Listed over 3600m at Auteuil on the 16th of May 2026. Still a maiden but can make a big splash in exotics
11. **LUNAROSA** - Broke the maiden spell in a Class 3 Condition over 3800m at Nancy on the 20th of May 2026. Hard to make a confident case for
12. **MAGIC TRILLION** - Finished 5th in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. One for the larger backend of quartets
13. **DEHADAME** - Hearty 6th in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Place chance at best form
14. **LIMONCELOU** - A winner in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. One to respectfully pass by
15. **TRIBUTARIES** - Moved into 2nd in a Handicap over 3700m at Cholet on the 1st of June 2026. Another that takes on winners here and may be a tough ask
16. **CIEL MON CASTOR** - Another 2nd in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Taking on winners and will be a competitive task

Summary: PHILADELPHIE (9) delivered a cracking second last time out and certainly holds the right accolades to claim her second victory in which she looks to take a power of beating here. IRUPTA MATUTA (3) was just behind the top choice in their last attempt and as they renew their rivalry here, she is confidently selected to be in with a winning chance and will seek vengeance. MATHILDE DU BERGER (8) cruised into the winner's circle and will have every chance in maintaining her throne here. She can school the top two on ability. DEHADAME (13) should not be discounted on any betting calculations. MISS DES BOULLATS (1) deserves a mention for all quartet intentions.

SELECTIONS

PHILADELPHIE (9) - IRUPTA MATUTA (3) - MATHILDE DU BERGER (8) - DEHADAME (13)

C6 - IJOKEY (PRIX DE LA BELLE FERRONNIERE) - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Divided Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 53,000

1. **PATHOGNOMONIQUE** - Encouraging 3rd in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Can surprise pop up
2. **MAIMIX** - Credible 3rd in a Handicap over 3500m at Dieppe on the 1st of June 2026. Minor each way shout on form
3. **VOLSAINTE JELOIS** - Pleasing 4th in a Handicap over 3600m at Auteuil on the 17th of May 2026. Can disrupt the top 4 play
4. **GINGER TONIC** - Went missing in a Handicap over 3700m at Cholet on the 1st of June 2026. Others make more appeal
5. **MATADOR WOOD** - Ran 4th over the hurdles in a Class 3 Condition over 3800m at Nancy on the 20th of May 2026. Others preferred
6. **OPTIMUS** - Put a line through when finishing 9th in a Handicap over 3600m at Auteuil on the 17th of May 2026. Redemption can be made
7. **MAGIE DU CHENET** - Solid 2nd in a Handicap over 3600m at Auteuil on the 13th of April 2026. Good winning chance on form
8. **BELLE VENDANGE** - Inconsistent 10th in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Erratic of late
9. **MELCHIOR DU LARGE** - Hard trying 5th in a Class 4 Condition over 3400m at Dieppe on the 1st of June 2026. Has the potential to fight for quartets
10. **MACAREL** - Has not been in the best shape when going missing in a class 3 Condition over 3600m at Compiegne. One to pass by
11. **NANOUCK** - Difficult 8th in a Class 4 Condition over 3400m at Dieppe on the 18th of June 2026. Others seem more intriguing
12. **PAREIL PAREIL** - Trying 7th in a Handicap over 3800m at Dieppe on the 10th of June 2026. Can polish up in this field
13. **MAGOT DE L'ISLE** - Finished 5th in a Claimer over 3800m at Moulins on the 14th of June 2026. Best to look elsewhere

Summary: MAGIE DU CHENET (7) furnished up nicely into second and certainly has the urge to break the maiden shackles off her hooves. She meets the right field where she can execute it successfully. PAREIL PAREIL (12) does not spark the eye at first glance when looking at his form but meets a division where he can furnish up and find himself in the placings. MAIMIX (2) is never far off the action and is always in the thick of things. She will be strongly involved once again. OPTIMUS (6) heads the rest.

SELECTIONS

MAGIE DU CHENET (7) - PAREIL PAREIL (12) - MAIMIX (2) - OPTIMUS (6)

**C7 - #JOCKEYSTAR (PRIX DES PEUPLIERS) - 3700m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Steeple Chase - EUR
€ 34,000**

1. LECA DE THAIX - A winner over the hurdles in a Handicap over 3700m at Lion D'Angers on the 5th of June 2026. Include in all plays

2. JOIE INTERIEURE - Bold 2nd in a Listed over 3450m at Compiegne on the 11th of November 2024. If the freshener is not needed, she can contend

3. COME AWAY - Supplemented and finished 2nd in a Class 5 Condition over 4000m at Orleans on the 17th of May 2026. Others preferred

4. MORGANE DU LARGE - Credible effort finishing 5th in a Listed over the hurdles over 3600m at Compiegne on the 4th of May 2026. Strong winning chance

5. AKADAME - Unlucky 2nd in a Class 4 Condition over 3500m at Dax on the 7th of June 2026. Has the ability to clean up here

6. CHELSEA STAR - Forgivable 12th over the hurdles in a Listed over 3600m at Auteuil on the 16th of May 2026. Can disrupt the top 4 play if wise

Summary: MORGANE DU LARGE (4) is yet to taste victory but already brings Listed and Group form into this contest. It will be her first outing in a chase race and has every chance of claiming her first career victory here. AKADAME (5) was narrowly beaten into second last time out and certainly packs the ability to give the top choice a run for her money. JOIE INTERIEURE (2) ran her heart out into second in a Listed but does return after a lengthy break. If the run is not needed, she can deliver a positive effort. LECA DE THAIX (1) completes the mix.

SELECTIONS

MORGANE DU LARGE (4) - AKADAME (5) - JOIE INTERIEURE (2) - LECA DE THAIX (1)

**C8 - GPA SPORT (PRIX DES TILLEULS) - 3900m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 - Steeple Chase - EUR €
34,000**

- 1. CHARMINO** - Bold winner in a Handicap over 4300m at Nantes on the 29th of May 2026. Can follow up in this smaller field
- 2. JAZZ ROQUE** - Supplemented and ran 5th over the hurdles in a Class 4 Condition over 3400m at Cholet on the 1st of June 2026. Can pop up
- 3. THE LIKELY LAD** - A winner over the hurdles in a Class 3 Condition over 3600m at Strasbourg on the 16th of June 2026. Can be lethal
- 4. ALLONS A VASSY** - Went missing over the hurdles in a Class 3 Condition over 4100m at Angers on the 12th of February 2026. May need the comeback run
- 5. DJIN'S** - Forgivable last start when going missing over the Hurdles in a Group III over 4300m at Auteuil on the 30th of May 2026. Has the form to be competitive
- 6. LEMNOS** - Decent 5th in a Class 1 Condition over 4100m at Lyon Parilly on the 6th of June 2026. Include in all plays

Summary: DJIN'S (5) best to put a line through that last effort as his overall form shows he is capable of being much more competitive. In this smaller contest and taking a drop in Class, he should showcase his true potential once again. CHARMINO (1) romped home into the winner's box last time out and looks to be the experienced soldier of the pack. Experience can very well prevail again. LEMNOS (6) has to be respected and does look to have a podium seating. THE LIKELY LAD (3) brings a victory with him into this race and this lad can spook this field if they decide to go missing.

SELECTIONS

DJIN'S (5) - CHARMINO (1) - LEMNOS (6) - THE LIKELY LAD (3)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day

DJIN'S (805)

Outsider of the day

MELCHIOR DU LARGE (609)

Reverse forecast

NUIT TORRIDE (108) - ASCENCIA (109)

Three pick of the day

ASCENCIA (109) - SQUARE COLBERT (306) - DJIN'S (805)