

# WEDNESDAY, 08/05/24

## R2 STRASBOURG [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX DU MUGUET - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 4 Handicap - Flat  
- EUR € 17,000**

**1. KARMINA BELLA** - Yet to win and was 12th last time out in a handicap. Distance-suited and is capable of contesting the finish

**2. KING'S CROWN** - Better over shorter but was not disgraced when third last time out in a handicap over 180m on 2 April. Could play a minor role

**3. HAYAMI** - Better over shorter but was not disgraced when third last time out in a handicap over 180m on 2 April. Could play a minor role

**4. BALLING DE JUILLEY** - Won a Conditions race at this course last year but she has struggled in two starts this year and was 13th last time out in a handicap over this track and trip on 22 April. Can upset

**5. NO TIME** - Disappointing last time when 9th in a handicap at Compiègne over 1400m on 16 April. Needs to do more to win this race

**6. MISS GREELEY** - Picked up two claimers last year but has only been modest this year and was tenth last time out in a Conditions race at Lyon-Parilly over 2400m on 27 April. Capable of bouncing back to be a threat

**7. HADLEIGH** - Very consistent of late and was third last time out in a Conditions race at Evreux over 2500m on 24 April. Big chance

**Summary:** HADLEIGH (7) is fit and is very consistent so does appear to set the standard of this race. He deserves a win and may well get it this time. MISS GREELEY (6) has only been modest of late but is capable of being a threat to these rivals. KARMINA BELLA (1) is capable of contesting the finish being well suited to this distance. BALLING DE JUILLEY (4) is capable of better and deserves some respect.

### SELECTIONS

**HADLEIGH (7) - MISS GREELEY (6) - KARMINA BELLA (1) - BALLING DE JUILLEY (4)**

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**C2 - PRIX DES VIOLETTES - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Flat -  
EUR € 15,000**

**1. SOCIETY MAN** - Unreliable but did run well when fourth last time out in a Conditions race at Lyon-Parilly over 1350m on 17 April. Can fight out the finish again

**2. ALCANOR** - Disappointing last run when well beaten in a handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 5 March. In good form before that and has a winning chance

**3. NEW LIGHT** - May have needed is only run of the year when 5th last time out in a handicap at Lyon-Parilly over 1600m on 20 April. Can bounce back and score

**4. AGRI** - Mostly disappointing form this year and was 7th last time out in a handicap at Lyon-Parilly over 1600m on 20 April. Place chance

**5. BOCA SPIRIT** - Yet to win a race and was 7th last time in a handicap at Dortmund over 1600m on 3 December. More is needed to win this race

**6. LOVELY LADY** - Fair first three starts and was 5th last time out in a Novice race at Ayr over 1600m on 6 October 2022. Returns from a lengthy break and is likely to need this run

**7. MAGIC MOMENT** - Has struggled in her four starts so far and she was well beaten in a handicap last time out at Nancy over 2500m on 24 March. Others are much preferred

**8. ALEXANDRETTA** - Very consistent without winning in the UK and was third last time out in a Novice race at Kempton over 1400m on 31 January. Can win on French debut

**Summary:** SOCIETY MAN (1) is unreliable but ran well enough last time out to suggest he could be ready to score a race like this. ALCANOR (2) was in good form before a disappointing last run so is capable of bouncing back to win. ALEXANDRETTA (8) is very consistent and a first success can not be too far away. NEW LIGHT (3) proved in need of the last run and should do a lot better this time.

## SELECTIONS

**SOCIETY MAN (1) - ALCANOR (2) - ALEXANDRETTA (8) - NEW LIGHT (3)**

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## C3 - PRIX DU HAUT KOENIGSBOURG - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 4 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 23,000

**1. KAOLAK** - Only found one better on debut and was not disgraced when 6th last time out in a Conditions hurdle race at Auteuil over this distance on 21 April. Should bounce back and fight out the finish

**2. HEAVY BOY** - Showed improvement when fourth last time out in a Conditions hurdle race at its course over 3300m on 22 March. More is needed to win but has a chance

**3. KANSAS DU SEUIL** - Disappointing last run when well beaten in a handicap hurdle at Compiègne over this distance on 23 April. Capable of better and can contest the finish

**4. ZANHOWE** - Mostly moderate form and was 7th last time out in a Conditions hurdle at Wissembourg over 3400m on 1 May. More is needed to win this race

**5. TOUGH TIMES** - Did not run too badly when 7th on debut in a Conditions hurdle at Fontainebleau over 3550m on 29 March. Improvement likely and can contest the finish

**6. GALIDOR DU MOULIN** - Showed some improvement when 6th last time out in a Conditions hurdle over this course and distance on 22 April. Can play a minor role

**7. BULIE** - Has not shown much at all and was well beaten in a Conditions hurdle at Lyon-Parilly over 3800m on 2 April. Best watched for now

**8. SANNY** - Dislodged her rider when making her debut over this course and distance on 22 April. Capable of vast improvement

**Summary:** KAOLAK (1) was not disgraced last time out and did even better on debut so does get a confident selection to be victorious this time around. HEAVY BOY (2) showed improvement last time out and could have more to offer. KANSAS DU SEUIL (3) is capable of better than the last run would suggest and could contest the finish. GALIDOR DU MOULIN (6) showed some improvement last time out and is not out of it with further improvement expected.

### SELECTIONS

**KAOLAK (1) - HEAVY BOY (2) - KANSAS DU SEUIL (3) - GALIDOR DU MOULIN (6)**

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## C4 - PRIX DU COMITE REGIONAL D'EQUITATION DU GRAND EST - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 4 Race - Flat - EUR € 14,000

- 1. ANTRIM** - Battling to gain a second victory but was runner-up last time out in a handicap over this track and trip on 22 April. Go close again
- 2. MOTORSPORT** - On a very long losing run and was well beaten in a handicap over this course and distance on 22 April. Capable of better and could play a minor role
- 3. FRANKIE'S BOY** - Distance suited and ran well when third last time out in a handicap over this track and trip on 22 April. Should contest the finish again
- 4. BREMONTIER** - Non runner
- 5. SKIPPER** - Not disgraced when fourth last time out in a handicap over this course and distance on 22 April. Be right there at the finish once again
- 6. SCILIAR** - Proved in need of his only run of the year when 7th in a handicap over this course and distance on 22 April. Fitter and could play a minor role
- 7. COGOLIN** - Disappointing last run when well beaten in a handicap at Deauville over 1900m on 5 November. Returns from a break but will like it back on the grass. Might place
- 8. POLDI'S LIEBLING** - Disappointing two runs this year and was 6th last time out in handicap at Lyon-La Soie over 1800m on 6 April. Capable of better back on the grass
- 9. BABY GLORY** - Struggling of late and was well beaten last time out in a handicap at Nancy over this distance on 4 April. Others are preferred
- 10. YAVAIKA** - Yet to win a race and was 8th last time out in a Conditions race at Lyon-Parilly over 2400m on 27 April. Better this distance and capable of making the frame

**Summary:** A very open-looking race and FRANKIE'S BOY (3) gets a narrow vote to score. He is distance-suited and in good heart. SKIPPER (5) ran well when fourth last time out and should do even better this time. ANTRIM (1) only found one better last time out over this course and distance and deserves the utmost respect in this line-up. YAVAIKA (10) has yet to win but could get involved with the finish over this distance.

### SELECTIONS

**FRANKIE'S BOY (3) - SKIPPER (5) - ANTRIM (1) - YAVAIKA (10)**

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## C5 - PRIX LIONS INTERNATIONAL - PRIX DE LA BELLE STRASBOURGEOISE - 3000m (a2m) - TURF - Class 3 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 18,000

- 1. MOZART DES BRIERES** - Good second in a Handicap at Toulouse over 3000m on 21 April. In eight attempts over 2500m or more has been in the top four seven times. Big chance
- 2. GARIGLIANO** - Unplaced in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. Ignore the latest effort and is seldom far off them
- 3. PARTNUN** - Finished 7th in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. She has yet to taste success but has been a runner-up in four of eight attempts. Not out of it
- 4. WALDSTEIN** - Fourth in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. Well placed in the handicaps and has been the distance. Respect
- 5. AUEN ADVENTURE** - Third in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. Has had three attempts at this track for one success and a third. Can be involved in the finish again
- 6. NANA GINA** - Was 5th in a Handicap at Fontainebleau over 3000m on 30 April. Trying Australian blinders for the first time. Performs well at this track and deserves to be respected
- 7. DIANA** - Finished 8th in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. The last two efforts at this track have been well beaten. Needs to find a few lengths
- 8. BADEN ROCKS** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 3200m on 7 February. Long losing streak and is best to watch for now
- 9. INNIS** - Unplaced in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. Placed at this track in May last year. Unplaced since May last year
- 10. VISIONARY DREAMER** - Finished 7th in a Conditions race at Wissembourg over 2400m on 14 April. Can play a minor role at best
- 11. MAYDANA** - Unplaced in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. Probably needed the last start and can improve
- 12. HEGRINA** - Finished 10th in a Conditions race at this track over 3000m on 22 April. Others are preferred in this line-up

**Summary:** MOZART DES BRIERES (1) only found one better last time out and can go one better this time around. WALDSTEIN (4) is consistent in this division and should be contesting the finish again. AUEN ADVENTURE (5) likes this course and should be right there at the finish. PARTNUN (3) has yet to win but does respect in this this line-up this track and trip.

### SELECTIONS

MOZART DES BRIERES (1) - WALDSTEIN (4) - AUEN ADVENTURE (5) - PARTNUN (3)

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## C6 - PRIX DUNADEN - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 20,000

- 1. THUNDERHEART** - Unplaced in a Conditions race at Compiegne over 1400m on 16 April. Yet to place and is an unlikely winner
- 2. BOMBEY** - Second in a Handicap at Chantilly over 1400m on 15 April. The last four efforts have been in the top four. A similar run can be expected
- 3. DULINI** - Non partante
- 4. MASTERPLAN** - Finished 8th in a Conditions race at Deauville over 1300m on 28 November. Probably will be needing the run.
- 5. SOMMERBLITZ** - Finished 8th in a Conditions race at Chantilly over 1800m on 15 April. Others are preferred in this line-up
- 6. HONKY TONK WOMAN** - Winner of a Claimer at this track over 1400m on 22 April. She can double up.
- 7. NORONHA** - Finished 8th in a Conditions at this track over 2000m on 22 April. Three poor efforts after a break. Best watched for now
- 8. XAARINE** - Good third in a Claimer at this track over 1400m on 22 April. Decent latest effort and can go close again
- 9. FATU HIVA** - Good 5th in a Conditions race at Divonne-les-Bains over 1700m on 21 April. She is making her Handicap debut and could be a surprise package
- 10. BAWE ISLAND** - Finished 8th in a Handicap at Fontainebleau over 1200m on 3 May. Has sufficient means to fight for a podium position
- 11. SEVENTH WONDER** - Decent fourth in a Claimer at this track over 1400m on 22 April. Carmen Bocskai is an astute trainer and places her horses well

**Summary:** A very competitive handicap and it may pay to be with FATU HIVA (9). She was not disgraced when fifth last time out and could pop up on handicap debut. HONKY TONK WOMAN (6) won a claimer last time out but does deserve respect in this line-up. SEVENTH WONDER (11) was not disgraced last time out and could do even better this time out with a shrewd trainer. XAARINE (8) is another that can contest the finish.

### SELECTIONS

FATU HIVA (9) - HONKY TONK WOMAN (6) - SEVENTH WONDER (11) - XAARINE (8)

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**C7 - PRIX DOSTIEP - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 3 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 20,000**

- 1. SAGA TIMGAD** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at Deauville over 1400m on 10 April. Others are preferred in this line-up
- 2. FERNANDO** - Non-Runner
- 3. BALSAMAND** - A winner at Munchen Riem over 1400m on 14 October. Might need the run-back
- 4. MAAVAH** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Deauville over 1400m on 10 April. She performs well at this course and deserves to be respected
- 5. VINCA** - Finished 10th in a Handicap at Lyon-La Soie over 1800m on 30 November. Probably will need the run-back
- 6. PISORNO** - Winner in a Handicap at Moulins over 1400m on 14 April. Eddy Hardouin and this gelding get on very well. Can go close
- 7. TOTAL KNOCKOUT** - Fourth in a Handicap at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 1600m on 21 February. A long losing streak and best watched for now
- 8. WHY CHOPE** - Fourth in a Handicap at Marseille-Borely over 1200m on 24 April. Has won three times this year and will find it tougher
- 9. WAZIERS** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at Marseille-Borely over 1200m on 24 April. Four unplaced runs since winning in February.
- 10. SHYAMALA** - Finished 5th in a Handicap at Deauville over 1400m on 10 April. Poor recent efforts and best watched for now
- 11. LAURA TREZY** - Was 7th in a Handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 30 March. In October was a runner-up at this course and can play a minor role
- 12. GREY BELLE** - Decent third in a Handicap at Deauville over 1300m on 2 February. She performs well on the grass and can have a say
- 13. LADY ROCHE** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at this track over 1400m on 22 March. This will be the third run back and has sufficient means to fight for victory
- 14. SO GOLD** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at Compiègne over 1400m on 16 April. A consistent sort that is seldom far off them
- 15. YOU'VE GOT SAIL** - Finished 9th in a Handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 30 March. Would be a shock winner and others are preferred
- 16. PETERHOF** - Finished 6th in a Handicap at ParisLongChamp over 1400m on 25 April. Not in the best of form lately but has won three times at this course

**Summary:** FERNANDO (2) carries a penalty for the last-start win but is quite capable of winning once again. PISORNO (6) returned to best form with a handicap win last time out but carries a 4kg penalty this time around. PETERHOF (16) has not been at his best recently but is not out of. GREY BELLE (12) is best on the grass and is not out of it over a distance that suits.

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**SELECTIONS**

**PISORNO (6) - PETERHOF (16) - GREY BELLE (12) - LADY ROCHE (13)**



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**C8 - PRIX DE BRUMATH - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Race - Hurdles  
- EUR € 23,000**

**1. ZILCOVER** - Moderate form this year and finished 6th in a Handicap at this track over 3800m on 22 April. Others are preferred

**2. IN MY MIND** - Unplaced in a hurdle Claimer at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 4000m on 27 December. Capable of better and could contest the finish

**3. JUFULL DU SEUIL** - Yet to win a race and was well beaten in a handicap hurdle at Auteuil over 3600m on 27 April. Unreliable but can contest the finish

**4. CUNCERTO** - Fourth in a Handicap at Saint-Cloud over 3000m on 26 March. In good form on the flat would be a big threat trying a hurdle race

**5. JALISMANIC** - Disappointing 7th in a Conditions race at Loudeac over 2850m on 31 March. Returned on the flat and should be fitter. Can go close back in a hurdle race

**Summary:** A small but I would not rule any of them out of it in this lucky last race. JALISMANIC (5) will strip fitter after a fair flat run and should do better back in a hurdle race. CUNCERTO (4) has some good form on the flat and could win a hurdle race. IN MY MIND (2) is better than the recent form suggests. JUFULL DU SEUIL (3) is unreliable but is capable of doing better and being a threat.

## SELECTIONS

**JALISMANIC (5) - CUNCERTO (4) - IN MY MIND (2) - JUFULL DU SEUIL (3)**