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R1 CLAIREFONTAINE [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX VILLE DE SAINT-ARNOULT (PRIX DES FORSYTHIAS) - 3400m
(a2m1/8) - TURF - Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 40,000**

- 1. TWIST OF ART** - Good winner last time over 3500m in a Class 2 handicap chase at Toulouse on May 21st. Can score back over hurdles
- 2. CHANCE DE BALLON** - Unplaced last time, won before that at Le Lion D'Angers on May 9th over 3700m in a Class 3 hurdle race. In the mix
- 3. KAMONDO** - 4th in a Class 3 chase last time at Pau over 3900m on February 4th. Yet to win and others preferred
- 4. IRMINA** - Three unplaced runs this year so far, the latter over 3600m at Clairefontaine in a Class 2 hurdle on June 18th. Needs to get back on track
- 5. LILLOU** - Two unplaced runs since a win over 3600m in a Class 4 chase on March 3rd. Has outside place claims
- 6. JACK TOP** - 4th on the last two runs, won before that at Pau over 3700m in a claiming chase on January 25th. Makes limited appeal
- 7. DREAM RIQUE** - 3rd last time at Compiegne over 3600m in a Class 2 handicap hurdle on May 27th. Each way angle
- 8. GOLDROSCHEN** - Nice 2nd last time over 3400m in a Class 4 hurdle race at Nimes on May 25th. Handicap debut and can make the top four
- 9. KALEOTIC** - Three unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3400m in a Class 3 chase on May 9th. Opposable
- 10. FOR FRIENDSHIP** - Unplaced on the last two runs in competitive races, 4th before that on December 14th in a Class 3 hurdle over 3300m. One to keep safe
- 11. HIGH EXIT** - Was a good third last time at Auteuil in the same race as LIVERPOOL PARK (13) on June 13th and can once again be involved.
- 12. MON EMPEROR** - 4th last time over 3600m in a Class 2 handicap hurdle at Compiegne on May 27th. Place chance
- 13. LIVERPOOL PARK** - Ran a good race when 4th at Auteuil in a handicap hurdle last time over 3600m on June 13th. Has a good racing weight and can feature
- 14. THE WILD ROVER** - 4th last time over 3700m in a Class 3 hurdle on June 9th. Tries a handicap for the first time and has work to do
- 15. COOL HEART** - Fair 2nd last time over 3600m at Auteuil in a claiming hurdle on May 28th. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 16. LIBYA** - Three unplaced runs recently, the latest over 3600m in a Class 2 hurdle on June 18th. Can be avoided

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Summary: TWIST OF ART (1) is versatile and having scored last time over fences in a Class 2 race at Toulouse in late May he will be competitive back over hurdles despite having top weight. LIVERPOOL PARK (13) ran a pleasing race last time over 3600m at Auteuil on his handicap debut and off a nice racing weight he can be involved at the business end. HIGH EXIT (11) was a good third last time at Auteuil in the same race and can once again be involved. CHANCE DE BALLON (2) is also worth considering.

SELECTIONS

TWIST OF ART (1) - LIVERPOOL PARK (13) - HIGH EXIT (11) - CHANCE DE BALLON (2)

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C2 - PRIX VILLE DE BLONVILLE-SUR-MER (PRIX PORT SAID) - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Claiming - Hurdles - EUR € 20,000

- 1. GHOST FLIGHT** - Nice 6th in a Grade 3 hurdle over 3500m last time on May 19th at Auteuil. Can play a lead role
- 2. GRAND DISCOURS** - Unplaced on the sole run over 3400m in a hurdle race on June 18th at Clairefontaine. Opposable
- 3. ST BRIAC** - Nice third at Auteuil over 3000m in a claiming hurdle on May 28th and has not been out of the first four in five recent runs. Player
- 4. SAUCATS** - Unplaced last time in a Class 3 hurdle at Nantes over 3500m on June 18th. 2nd in mid-April in a claiming hurdle and can make the frame
- 5. TARMELO** - Decent 2nd last time in a Class 3 hurdle over 3700m at Le Lion D'Angers on June 9th. Looks progressive
- 6. SPEAKER NICKI** - 3rd last time over 3700m in a Class 3 hurdle on June 9th at Le Lion D'Angers. Needs much more to have a say
- 7. MARSELAN** - 4th two runs ago over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle at Lyon Parilly on May 9th. Can place at nice odds
- 8. BREEZE D'AUTEUIL** - Unplaced last time on hurdle race debut over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle at Dieppe on June 6th. Modest on the flat and others rate higher
- 9. JADE OR** - 4th last time over 3000m in a claiming hurdle at Auteuil on May 28th. Looks vulnerable
- 10. MONTCHAUVET** - 4th last time over 3000m in a claiming hurdle at Auteuil on May 4th. Ought to be involved
- 11. ORATORIO DE L AUBE** - Won last time over 3700m in a claiming hurdle on June 9th. Might find a few of these too smart
- 12. KISSY** - Credible 3rd last time over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle at Dieppe on June 6th. In the mix
- 13. MISS TREZY** - Unplaced on the sole run over 3200m at Dieppe over hurdles on May 2nd. Opposable
- 14. PARWAZ** - Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 2400m in a claimer on the flat on June 12th. Hurdle debut and can be passed over
- 15. LES FLOTS BLEUS** - 3rd three runs ago over 3000m in a claiming hurdle at Auteuil on May 4th. Has yet to win and others are preferred
- 16. BAILAK** - Three unplaced runs so far, the latter over 3700m at Jallais on June 16th in a Class 4 hurdle. Pass over
- 17. LA LOUISIANE** - 2nd three runs ago over 3200m at Compiègne in a claiming hurdle on April 3rd. Needs a few to falter
- 18. ROSA TREZY** - Won two runs ago over 3000m in a claiming hurdle at Fontainebleau on April 17th. Can not be ruled out

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Summary: GHOST FLIGHT (1) faired well in a Grade 3 hurdle last time at Auteuil on May 19th, which was a big jump in class after a win in a claiming hurdle at the same track on May 4th. He looks like a horse who is on the improve. ST BRIAC (3) was a nice third at Auteuil over 3000m in a claiming hurdle on May 28th and has not been out of the first four in five recent runs. TARMELO (5) and KISSY (12) can fight it out for the place positions.

SELECTIONS

GHOST FLIGHT (1) - ST BRIAC (3) - TARMELO (5) - KISSY (12)

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C3 - PRIX VILLE DE VILLERVILLE (PRIX RIDEO) - 3900m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Divided Handicap - Steeple Chase - EUR € 62,000

- 1. IDYLLE FLEURIE** - Won her last two runs, the latter over 4200m in a Class 3 handicap chase on May 29th at Strasbourg
- 2. STYLE DE ROCK** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 4000m in a claiming chase at Orleans on June 9th. Makes limited sense
- 3. EASTER SUNDAY** - Credible 3rd last time over 4200m in a Class 4 chase on June 2nd at Landivisiau. Hard to discount
- 4. DEMOISELLE KAP** - Won two starts ago over 3900m at Pau in a Class 3 chase on January 26th. Best to look at alternatives
- 5. ZIINGARA** - Nice 2nd last time in a Class 4 chase over 3400m on June 2nd. Can play a leading role
- 6. TAKARIAN** - 5th last time over 4250m in a Class 4 chase at Rostrenen on May 20th. Others seem more likely
- 7. SPES ENERGIALL** - Two unplaced runs of late, 4th before that over 4200m over fences on December 27th. She can make her presence felt
- 8. GREAT PARADE** - 4th two runs ago over 3900m in a claiming chase on May 13th at Compiègne. Merits consideration
- 9. FRIDAY THIRTEEN** - Two unplaced runs recently, 4th before that over 4000m in a Class 4 hurdle on March 31st. Might find this difficult
- 10. MASSATREE** - Fair 3rd last time over 4200m at Strasbourg in a handicap chase on June 13th. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 11. IAKA** - 2nd on the last two runs, the latter over 4250m at Rostrenen in a Class 4 chase on May 19th. One to pay attention too
- 12. BAT DRIM** - Four unplaced runs of late, won before that over 3900m at Compiègne in a claiming chase on March 13th. Hard to recommend
- 13. QUICK DADDY** - 3rd last time over 3800m in a Class 3 handicap hurdle on June 20th. Might find this tough
- 14. ZAPOROGUE** - Nice 2nd last time over 3900m in a claiming chase on June 18th at Clairefontaine. Among the leading chances
- 15. GAYA DE ROUHET** - 2nd last time over 4500m at Corlay in a Class 4 chase on June 9th. Looks vulnerable
- 16. AMERICAN POWER** - 3rd over 3800m in a Class 3 chase at Pontivy on May 5th when last racing. Others make more appeal

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Summary: ZIINGARA (5) has leading claims to get off the mark after a good effort when second last time over 3400m on June 2nd over fences. Her chief threat could be SPES ENERGIALL (7) who has had a couple of unplaced efforts of late, but was a pleasing fourth before that in late December and can be involved at the business end. IDYLLE FLEURIE (1) looks like a safe option for the each-way backers to latch on to after two wins of late. EASTER SUNDAY (3) heads the remainder.

SELECTIONS

ZIINGARA (5) - SPES ENERGIALL (7) - IDYLLE FLEURIE (1) - EASTER SUNDAY (3)

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C4 - PRIX GENYBET SUPER TOP 5 (PRIX LEOPOLD D'ORSETTI) - 3900m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Divided Handicap - Steeple Chase - EUR € 110,000

- 1. ROSE SECRETE** - Nice effort when 4th in a Listed chase over 4400m at Auteuil on June 15th. Among the leading chances
- 2. CHARMINO** - 4th over hurdles last time at Nantes in a Class 1 race on May 30th over 3900m. Consider
- 3. HERALISTE** - Won the last two runs, the latter over 3800m in a Class 1 hurdle at Dax on June 2nd. Can be competitive
- 4. AIR COMMODORE** - Nice run when 4th over 3700m at Auteuil last time in a Class 2 chase on May 8th. One to keep safe
- 5. DENTOR DES OBEAUX** - 4th last time over 3500m in a handicap chase at Auteuil on June 1st. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 6. SLICE AND DICE** - Won last time over 3500m at Auteuil in a Class 2 chase on June 15th. Has place claims
- 7. MUHTALAD** - Won two runs back over 3700m in a Class 3 handicap chase at Auteuil on April 21st. Looks vulnerable
- 8. HARMONIE D'AINAY** - Unplaced on the last two runs, won before that in a Class 2 chase at Compiègne on March 7th. Others rate higher
- 9. FLASH DAVIER** - Unplaced recently, nice 4th before that at Auteuil in a Class 2 chase over 3700m on February 24th. Hard to rule out of the frame
- 10. JOLI LOOK** - 5th last time, 2nd before that in a Class 3 hurdle at Lyon Parilly on May 9th. Opposable
- 11. JANGO D'AIRY** - Won last time over 3900m in a claiming chase on May 13th at Compiègne. More needed in a better race
- 12. QUEL PATRON** - Unplaced last time, won before that in a Class 3 chase over 4200m on April 14th. Can be opposed
- 13. SOLIGO** - 3rd last time over 4400m at Dieppe on June 6th in a Class 3 chase. Has work to do to feature
- 14. JOYVOL** - Won over 4300m in a Class 3 chase last time at Nantes on May 30th, and has won three of his last four starts. Very honest and can feature
- 15. JUMPER SACRE** - Unplaced last time, 4th before that over 3500m at Auteuil on May 4th in a Class 2 chase. Can be a threat
- 16. LINK AND BALL** - Won last time over 3900m at Morlaix in a Class 4 handicap chase on May 12th. Pass over

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Summary: HERALISTE (3) has been in top form with two wins of late, the latter over 3800m in a Class 1 hurdle at Dax on June 2nd. He can be competitive in this open handicap. JOYVOL (14) did well when he won over 4300m in a Class 3 chase last time at Nantes on May 30th and has won three of his last four starts. He will make things interesting. ROSE SECRETE (1) warrants respect off top weight and looks like a solid option each way. AIR COMMODORE (4) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

HERALISTE (3) - JOYVOL (14) - ROSE SECRETE (1) - AIR COMMODORE (4)

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C5 - PRIX VILLE DE TOUQUES (PRIX BELLE ISLE) - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Claiming - Hurdles - EUR € 20,000

- 1. BOLERO** - 5th last time over 3600m in a claiming hurdle at Auteuil on June 15th. Has work to do
- 2. CLAY** - Unplaced last time, 4th before that at Auteuil on March 31st in a claiming hurdle over 3600m. Unlikely
- 3. LUCKY DREAM** - Has been running well of late without success, 6th last time over 3900m in a Class 3 hurdle on May 6th. Can be competitive
- 4. BURGANDY** - 5th at Auteuil two runs ago in a Class 2 handicap on April 27th was eye-catching. Can feature
- 5. GHOST RIDER** - Three unplaced runs since a win over 3800m in a Class 4 hurdle at Niort on May 21st. Needs to get back on song
- 6. GENTO DES OBEAUX** - 2nd when last seen over 3550m at Fontainebleau on October 26th. Likely to need this run after a layoff
- 7. HAVANIA** - 3rd last time over 3700m in a Class 5 hurdle on June 9th. Has won two claiming hurdles at Auteuil before and warrants respect
- 8. JOJO MOME** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3700m in a Class 5 hurdle on May 26th. Among the leading place chances
- 9. ROYAL MOON** - Has four unplaced runs since a win over 3600m at Auteuil in a Class 3 handicap hurdle on February 24th. Has place claims
- 10. I AM NO RISK** - Nice 3rd three runs ago over 3600m in a Class 3 handicap hurdle at Compiègne on April 23rd. Player
- 11. JELO DU SEUIL** - Two unplaced runs in 2023, no form since a win over 3200m in a claiming hurdle on May 31st, 2022. Hard to fancy
- 12. PLATINA** - 6th last time, 3rd before that over 3800m in a Class 4 hurdle on May 1st at Wissembourg. Can not be discounted
- 13. HEAVENLY SUN** - Won at Jallais over 3700m in a claiming hurdle last time on June 14th. Outside place chance
- 14. LUDELLA** - Won a Class 4 chase when last seen on June 6th, 2023 at Rostrenen over 4250m. Makes return and will improve for this outing
- 15. JOLITA BAIE** - Unplaced over 3800m on the sole run so far on July 24th, 2023. Hard to recommend

Summary: LUCKY DREAM (3) has been running well of late without scoring and has leading claims to get back in the winner's enclosure. BURGANDY (4) looks like the main threat. She has competed in decent handicap hurdles of late, a 5th at Auteuil two runs ago was encouraging in a Class 2 handicap on April 27th. I AM NO RISK (10) looks like the best option each-way. HAVANIA (7) is also one to keep safe.

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LUCKY DREAM (3) - BURGANDY (4) - I AM NO RISK (10) - HAVANIA (7)

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C6 - PRIX VILLE DE VAUVILLE (PRIX DES PEUPLIERS) - 3700m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 37,000

- 1. JUJUBELLE** - Unplaced last time, won at Angouleme on March 3rd over 4000m in a Class 3 chase. Needs a few to falter
- 2. KERIDA** - 4th last time in a Class 4 hurdle at Dieppe on June 6th over 3800m. Won a chase in late May over 3400m. Can not be overlooked
- 3. TROUVAILE DEBELAIR** - Three unplaced runs of late, 4th before that over 3800m in a Class 3 handicap hurdle on March 10th. Place chance
- 4. LA GACHERE** - Won her last two races the latter over 3500m in a Class 4 chase by 4L at Dieppe on June 6th. Can keep improving and win again
- 5. BONITA DE LA SERRE** - 4th in a Class 3 chase at Lyon Parilly on June 2nd last time over 4100m. Looks vulnerable
- 6. ISOLA DI CAPRI** - 3rd last time over 3800m at Dax in a Class 2 chase on June 10th. Has outside place claims
- 7. KASTELL SAPI** - 2nd over 4000m at Durtal in a Class 4 chase last time on June 2nd. Others rate higher
- 8. ALTESSEROYALETAVEL** - 2nd last time over 3700m in a Class 3 chase at Craon on June 10th. Can make her rivals work hard

Summary: LA GACHERE (4) won nicely over fences last time at Dieppe and has solid claims of following up. KERIDA (2) shaped with promise when fourth in a Class 4 hurdle on her latest run and won on two of her previous three runs over fences in May. She looks like the main danger. ALTESSEROYALETAVEL (8) looks like the most logical each-way option after a pleasing second at Cron on June 10th over fences. TROUVAILE DEBELAIR (3) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

LA GACHERE (4) - KERIDA (2) - ALTESSEROYALETAVEL (8) - TROUVAILE DEBELAIR
(3)

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C7 - PRIX VILLE DE BENERVILLE-SUR-MER (PRIX DES OEILLETES) - 3400m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 40,000

- 1. ITALIAN FLIGHT** - 5th last time, won before that over 3300m in a Class 4 hurdle at Strasbourg on May 29th. Has a place chance
- 2. MISTER CESSNA** - Won on the last run over 3500m at Dax in a Class 3 hurdle on May 20th. Among the leading chances
- 3. MOTY MARC** - 3rd last time over 3400m at Dieppe on June 6th in a Class 3 hurdle. Others make more appeal
- 4. EL GAVILAN** - 4th last time over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle at Lyon Parilly on June 2nd. Ought to be on the premises
- 5. MADEMOISELLE MIA** - 5th last time, won before that over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle race at Lyon Parilly on June 2nd. Can not be overlooked
- 6. LACRYMA CHRISTI** - Won last time over 3400m at Niort in a Class 4 hurdle on June 9th. Lightly raced and has more improvement
- 7. LILICA** - 2nd on both runs so far, with the latest over 3400m at Dieppe on June 6th in a Class 3 hurdle. Player
- 8. DASHKA** - Won last time in a claiming hurdle over 3000m on May 4th at Auteuil. Outside place chance
- 9. NONOLETA** - 4th on the last run over 3000m on her hurdle race debut at Auteuil on March 31st. Can improve and make an impact
- 10. BONE MINE** - Won last time over 3500m at Moulins in a claiming hurdle on May 5th. More required this time
- 11. ROYAL ROSI** - 5th last time over 3400m on June 18th over hurdles debut. Best watched for the time being

Summary: NONOLETA (9) was a decent fourth on the last run over 3000m on her hurdle race debut at Auteuil on March 31st. She can improve and make an impact. LILICA (7) has been second on both of her runs, with the latest over 3400m at Dieppe on June 6th in a Class 3 hurdle. EL GAVILAN (4) is also one to keep safe after a pleasing fourth at Lyon Parilly last time on June 2nd. MADEMOISELLE MIA (5) is another that is worth a mention.

SELECTIONS

NONOLETA (9) - LILICA (7) - EL GAVILAN (4) - MADEMOISELLE MIA (5)

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C8 - PRIX DE TROUVILLE-SUR-MER (PRIX DE PENNEDEPIE) - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 40,000

1. MCGROARTY - Unplaced when last seen in September 2023 in a hurdle race at Market Rasen (GBR). Won at Clairefontaine on July 27th, 2023 in a Listed hurdle race over 3600m. Opposable

2. EPIC TALE - Won last time over 3600m in a claiming hurdle at Auteuil on June 15th. First run for new connections and can be involved

3. ZVOLKOV - Unplaced last time on the sole run so far this year over 4200m in a Class 4 chase on June 2nd. Hard to recommend

4. IAMASTAR - Can improve for a 5th placed effort on April 8th in a Class 3 hurdle last time at Compiègne. Won a Class 2 chase last year in April. Player

5. FISTON DE BECON - Won his last three races, the latter at Warwick (GBR) on May 6th over 3250m over fences. Best watched on French debut

6. NARUTO - He was a pleasing second last time at Dieppe in a Class 4 hurdle over 3800m on June 6th. Sure he can be competitive

7. GOLDEN PARK - She ran a credible race last time at Lyon Parilly when she was third over 4000m in a handicap hurdle and she can have a say

Summary: IAMASTAR (4) is a very useful chaser having won at Class 2 level last April and Listed and Grade 3 placed. He will be sharper for a recent run over hurdles and can score for the second time over hurdles. NARUTO (6) was a pleasing second last time at Dieppe in a Class 4 hurdle over 3800m on June 6th. He can be competitive. GOLDEN PARK (7) ran a credible race last time at Lyon Parilly when she was third over 4000m in a handicap hurdle and she can have a say. EPIC TALE (2) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

IAMASTAR (4) - NARUTO (6) - GOLDEN PARK (7) - EPIC TALE (2)