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R3 AUTEUIL [L-H]

C1 - PRIX KARGAL - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 1 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 62,000

- 1. HACKER DU BERLAIS** - Ran well when 2nd on chase debut at Auteuil over 3500m on September 10th and a winner before that of a Class 2 hurdle in May. In the mix
- 2. LAUTHENTYKO** - 3rd last time over 3500m on September 10th over 3500m in a chase at this track and promise before that over hurdles. Can feature
- 3. COLOR RITANO** - Won on his sole start to date over 3400m in a Class 5 chase at Beaupreau on August 24th. Can only improve and is worth considering each-way
- 4. SAGARRIC** - 4th on chase debut last time over 3500m at this track on September 10th. Has work to do
- 5. BARDENAS** - 5th on chase debut last time at Compiegne on September 11th in a Class 2 race over 3450m. Unlikely to trouble some of these
- 6. KIND OF MIX** - 3rd over hurdles last time over 3200m in a Class 4 hurdle at Compiegne on May 27th. Tries fences and is best watched
- 7. KOTKIDINA** - Won easily by 14L on her chase debut at Dieppe in a Class 2 race over 3500m on August 30th. Can follow up
- 8. ENTOURLOUPE** - Nice 2nd on her chase debut over 3450m at Compiegne on September 11th and 2nd in a Listed hurdle before that. One to pay attention too
- 9. BOTERVIA DU KALON** - 3rd on her second run over hurdles at Compiegne in a Class 4 race on September 11th over 3400m on the latest outing. Chasing debut and others make more appeal
- 10. MANIYSA BLEUE** - Unplaced last time, 4th before that over 3000m at this track in a Listed hurdle on April 27th. Hard to ignore

Summary: KOTKIDINA (7) won with plenty of authority in a Class 2 chase at Dieppe on her debut over the larger obstacles in late August on her latest run. She holds a leading chance of following up. ENTOURLOUPE (8) looks like the one to give the selection the most to think about after a decent at Compiegne over fences in September. HACKER DU BERLAIS (1) was a promising second at this track over fences recently and is one to consider. LAUTHENTYKO (2) heads the remainder.

SELECTIONS

KOTKIDINA (7) - ENTOURLOUPE (8) - HACKER DU BERLAIS (1) - LAUTHENTYKO (2)

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C2 - PRIX PRIDE OF KILDARE - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Newcomers Race - Hurdles - EUR € 62,000

- 1. LE PETIT CHEVAL** - Unraced gelding by Fly With Me, the dam ran twice on the flat. Will likely need this debut run. Any market support should be noted
- 2. HARTHUR DES OBEAUX** - Unraced by Bathyrhon, the dam never ran. Stable runners tend to need a run or two for experience. Watch the betting exchanges
- 3. LARZAC** - Unraced gelding by No Risk At All, the dam won twice on the flat. Stable runners warrant respect. Watch the betting for clues
- 4. DINO STYLE** - Unraced colt by Doctor Dino, the dam never ran. Should be well educated by his shrewd trainer. Any market support should be noted
- 5. PLANEUR** - Has had two runs on the flat, the latter when unplaced at Divonne over 2400m on September 1st. Unlikely to figure
- 6. CROWN DU BERLAIS** - Newcomer by Saint Des Saints, the dam was a top-class hurdler who won 10 races, including Listed, and all of the Graded Class races, including the Prix Renaud Vivier De Haies (Grade 1) over hurdles. Leading chance
- 7. L'ALIBI** - Unraced by Castle Du Berlais, trained by an astute trainer who can ready a newcomer. Watch the betting for any support
- 8. LIVE CONTI** - Newcomer by Cokoriko, the dam was placed on the flat. Stable runners warrant respect and any market support should be noted
- 9. SIX FIGURES** - Unraced gelding by Harzand, can be expected to improve for this debut run. Monitor the betting patterns
- 10. DITES MOI MAITRE** - Unraced by Morpheus, stable runners tend to need a run or two for experience. The betting can be informative
- 11. ROSEMALE HAS** - Unraced colt by Kapagarde, his dam was a 13-time winner over hurdles and fences including Listed and Grade 2 and 3 Class races. Bold show expected
- 12. PRINCE DE THOR** - Nice 4th on the flat over 2600m at Pompadour on September 1st. Will be well schooled and can make the frame
- 13. VAMOS A LA PLAYA** - Newcomer by Robin Of Navan, stable runners warrant respect and this gelding should know what is required. The market can guide
- 14. BANDANAS** - Won on the flat over 2600m at Pompadour on August 15th on his sole run. Will be nicely prepared for this hurdles debut. One to consider
- 15. GOLIATH DU LUY** - Newcomer by Goliath Du Berlais, the dam won over fences. Looks good on paper and should be on the premises on debut
- 16. ROYAL LOUIS HAS** - Newcomer by Goliath Du Berlais, the dam won over hurdles. Looks the part on paper and should be involved. watch the betting
- 17. PRINCE ATTENDU** - Unraced by Attendu, can be expected to improve for this debut run. Any support in the betting should be noted

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18. NIRVALLA - Unraced filly by Nirvana Du Berlais, should improve for this debut run. The betting can be the best guide

Summary: CROWN DU BERLAIS (6) has a taking profile, his dam was a top-class performer who won 10 races over hurdles including Listed, and all of the Graded Class events. Her best win was the Prix Renaud Vivier De Haies (Grade 1). ROSEMALE HAS (11) could be the main threat, his dam was a 13-time winner over hurdles and fences including Listed and Grade 2 and 3 Class events. PRINCE DE THOR (12) showed promise on the flat and can have a say. GOLIATH DU LUY (15) heads the remainder.

SELECTIONS

CROWN DU BERLAIS (6) - ROSEMALE HAS (11) - PRINCE DE THOR (12) - GOLIATH DU LUY (15)

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C3 - PRIX LANISTE - 4400m (a3m) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 57,000

- 1. FIGUERO** - Ran well when 3rd in a Grade 3 chase last time on March 19th, 2023 over 4400m at this track. Should be ready and too smart for these
- 2. JOURNEE D'LA FEMME** - Unplaced last time, 4th before that over 3500m in a Class 2 chase at this track on May 28th. Has work to do
- 3. I CAN DO IT SIR** - Decent 2nd over 4100m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 3 chase on September 15th. Will be fit and can feature
- 4. JUST A CASTLE** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3800m in a Class 3 chase at Pau on February 14th. Each way option
- 5. JACHAR** - Fair 4th at this track in a Class 3 chase on September 14th over 3500m and placed before that over hurdles. Can make the top three
- 6. JOUVANCELLE** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3900m in a handicap hurdle at this track on June 25th. Has won over fences before. Outside place chance
- 7. JUAN DU LEMO** - Two unplaced runs this year, the latest over 3900m in a Class 3 chase at Dieppe on May 2nd. Makes no appeal
- 8. JUMPER DE CIERGUES** - Has four unplaced runs this year, the latter over 3450m at Compiègne on September 11th in a Class 3 event. Hard to fancy

Summary: Although he has been absent since March 2023, FIGUERO (1) has been found a good race by connections to make a winning return. He won the Prix La Haye Jouselin (Grade 1) chase in 2022 at this track. I CAN DO IT SIR (3) will have no fitness issues and was a decent second at Lyon Parilly last month in a Class 3 chase. JACHAR (5) is also one to consider. He is a Class 2 hurdle winner and shaped well when fourth over fences last month. JUST A CASTLE (4) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

FIGUERO (1) - I CAN DO IT SIR (3) - JACHAR (5) - JUST A CASTLE (4)

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C4 - PRIX MID DANCER - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 55,000

- 1. LEMNOS** - Unplaced last time, won before that over 3300m in a hurdle at Bordeaux Le Bouscat on his debut on April 1st. Others rate higher
- 2. PRIVATE JOKE** - Decent 2nd in a Class 2 hurdle at Clairefontaine on August 5th over 3400m and a win before that in June of a Class 4 hurdle. Can play a lead role
- 3. HOWE DES OBEAUX** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3000m at this track in a Class 3 hurdle on May 8th. Place chance
- 4. NILE BIRD** - Unplaced on the sole run over 3600m at this track in a hurdle race on September 14th. Unlikely to feature
- 5. LESTER** - Unplaced on the only run over hurdles, 3rd before that on the flat at Senonnes over 2300m on March 22nd on his debut. Hard to fancy
- 6. LIPRIKA D'ANJOU** - Two unplaced runs over hurdles, the latter over 3500m at this track in a Class 1 hurdle on June 25th. Needs vast improvement to trouble some of these
- 7. MAJDAME** - Nice effort when 3rd over 3400m at Clairefontaine in a Class 3 hurdle on September 6th. Placed before that. Player
- 8. L'AS DES AS** - Newcomer by Jeu St Eloi, the dam ran a few times on the flat. From a top stable who can ready one to strike on debut. Watch the betting for clues
- 9. GOOD TIME ROLL** - Credible 2nd at Compiègne in a Class 4 hurdle over 3400m on September 11th when last seen. Can make presence felt

Summary: MAJDAME (7) was a good third last time at Clairefontaine in early September and is given the vote ahead of PRIVATE JOKE (2) who has been consistent with a win two runs back at Aix-Les-Bains in June and an improved effort when second in a Class 2 hurdle in early August at Clairefontaine. GOOD TIME ROLL (9) looks like a good option for the each-way backers to latch on to. L'AS DES AS (8) has a nice profile and could be useful.

SELECTIONS

MAJDAME (7) - PRIVATE JOKE (2) - GOOD TIME ROLL (9) - L'AS DES AS (8)

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C5 - PRIX PIERRE ET JEAN-MARIE MERCIER - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 57,000

1. TISKO DU CHAMP - Not seen since a 3rd placed effort over 3500m at this track in a Class 2 chase on December 2nd, 2023. Showed useful form over hurdles and is lightly raced with more to come

2. LE CHARDONNAY - Won last time over 3400m in a handicap hurdle on September 2nd at Royan. Might find a few of these too smart

3. LETOS - 3rd on the last two runs, the latter over 3500m at this track in a Class 3 hurdle on June 1st. Needs a few to falter on chasing debut

4. KING CONTI - Failed to complete the course in a Grade 1 hurdle last time, but a good 3rd before that in the Prix Amadou (Grade 2 hurdle) at this track on April 27th over 3900m. Player on chase debut

5. ASTALAVISTA - Unplaced last time, won before that in a Listed hurdle at this track on March 24th over 3600m. Has place claims

6. GRYFFONDOR - Won on his only run over hurdles at this track over 3600m on September 10th. will improve and can be involved on chase debut

7. KIF KIF BOURRICOT - Fair 3rd over 3500m in a Class 3 chase at Dieppe on August 30th when last seen. Should improve for that run and is in the mix

8. ANOTHER WORLD - Won over 3600m at this track in a Class 3 hurdle on June 25th. Second run over fences and makes limited appeal

9. OCRE - 5th over 3500m in a handicap chase at this track on September 10th on chase debut. Needs to improve to be involved

Summary: KING CONTI (4) makes his chasing debut and failed to complete last time in a Grade 1 hurdle in May. He was however a good third in the Prix Amadou (Grade 2 hurdle) before that in late April. HGRYFFONDOR (6) won on debut over hurdles last month at this track and although lacking experience it is interesting that he now goes straight over fences. KIF KIF BOURRICOT (7) showed promise when third over fences at Dieppe in August and warrants respect. TISKO DU CHAMP (1) is one to watch closely.

SELECTIONS

KING CONTI (4) - GRYFFONDOR (6) - KIF KIF BOURRICOT (7) - TISKO DU CHAMP (1)

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C6 - PRIX DE MAISONS-LAFFITTE - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Gr3 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 135,000

1. PISTACHE DORE - Has won his last two races, the latter over 3900m in the Prix Alain Du Bresil (Grade 1). Leading chance

2. LEON DU BERLAIS - Unplaced on the last two runs, won before that over 3600m at this track in a Grade 3 hurdle on March 17th. Live chance

3. KINGLAND - Nice 2nd last time over 3900m in the Prix Alain Du Bresil (Grade 1 hurdle) at this track on May 19th behind PISTACHE DORE (1). Can be involved

4. KHAL TYRON - 5th on the last two runs, the latter over 3600m at this track in a handicap hurdle on June 15th. Looks held by some smart opponents

5. MILAN TINO - Unplaced last time in a Grade 3 hurdle over 3300m at Cheltenham (GBR) on March 12th. Placed at this track last year. Might find this difficult

6. LOSANGE VERT BLEU - Credible 3rd in a Grade 3 hurdle at this track over 3600m on April 6th last time. One to consider

Summary: LEON DU BERLAIS (2) could be the answer to this competitive Grade 3 hurdle. He won well in a Grade 3 hurdle three starts ago and is marginally preferred to PISTACHE DORE (1) is improving and looks like the main danger after scoring in the Prix Alain Du Bresil (Grade 1) last time. KINGLAND (3) was second in that race and meets on the same terms, but he can be competitive. LOSANGE VERT BLEU (6) heads the remainder.

SELECTIONS

**LEON DU BERLAIS (2) - PISTACHE DORE (1) - KINGLAND (3) - LOSANGE VERT BLEU
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C7 - PRIX JULIEN DECRION - 4400m (a3m) - TURF - Handicap - Steeple Chase - EUR € 63,000

- 1. BOOM BOOM CIAO** - Has been running in good races of late, he was a good 3rd in a Grade 3 chase on March 31st over 4400m at this track and can score off top weight
- 2. IL Y A** - Fair 2nd last time over 3500m in a handicap chase at this track on September 10th. Honest filly who can not be overlooked
- 3. ROSE MELIMELO** - Ran well when 2nd at this track over 3500m in a handicap chase on June 25th. One to pay attention too
- 4. MEME PAS KAP** - 4th last time over 3500m at Auteuil on September 10th in a handicap chase. Needs a few to falter
- 5. L'ETOILEE** - Unplaced last time, won three races in a row before that, the latter of them at Le Lion D'Angers on July 26th over 3900m in a handicap chase. Needs to drop back down the weights a few kilos
- 6. KEEP CALM DARIYAN** - Has four unplaced runs since a win over 3700m at Angers on February 28th in a Class 2 chase. Needs to get back on track
- 7. THE MUST** - Unplaced on the last two runs, 4th before that over 3600m in a Class 3 hurdle on July 25th at Clairefontaine. Place chance
- 8. KALINE DES BOULLAT** - Fair 3rd over 3700m in a Class 4 chase at Clairefontaine on September 6th when last seen. Merits consideration
- 9. KELONIA** - Won last time over 3500m in a Class 3 chase on September 8th. Among the leading place chances
- 10. LE CABERNET** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3700m at Clairefontaine on August 5th in a handicap chase. Others make more appeal

Summary: BOOM BOOM CIAO (1) has been contesting better races than this and has performed credibly. He was a good third in a Grade 3 chase back in March at this track and can get the job done despite top weight. IL Y A (2) looks like a threat. She is an honest performer who rarely runs a bad race. She arrives after a decent second at this track in early September. ROSE MELIMELO (3) looks like a smart option for the each-way backers. KELONIA (9) is also worth a mention.

SELECTIONS

BOOM BOOM CIAO (1) - IL Y A (2) - ROSE MELIMELO (3) - KELONIA (9)

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C8 - PRIX MARITTIMO - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 55,000

- 1. MARCHE** - Won last time on September 6th, 2022 at this track in a Class 2 hurdle over 3500m. Has an absence to deal with but looked useful when he won
- 2. KAMARO D'HUEZ** - Has won his last two races, the latest on the flat in a Group 1 AQ race at Parislongchamp on September 5th over 2400m and a win at this track before that over hurdles in April. Form pick
- 3. CARAT DES NOES** - Unplaced on the two runs so far, the latter over 3600m at this track on September 10th over hurdles. Makes no appeal
- 4. JOCKER D'AINAY** - Unplaced on the only run this year over 3600m at this track over hurdles on September 10th. Won on the flat in November 2022. Opposable
- 5. JUPITER LE DUN** - Unplaced on the last run at this track over 3600m over hurdles on September 10th. Won on the flat in March 2023. Looks vulnerable
- 6. AFGHANY** - 5th last time over 3600m on his hurdling debut at this track over 3600m on September 10th. Won on the flat but is best watched for now
- 7. ESPRIT JOYEUX** - Unplaced last time at this track over 3600m on September 10th over hurdles. That was his hurdling debut. He won five times on the flat. Look for an alternative
- 8. CALME OLYMPIEN** - Fair 4th last time over 3600m at this track on September 10th over hurdles. Placed on the flat before that. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 9. LOU MARINA** - Unplaced last time on her hurdling debut at this track on September 10th. She has numerous placed runs on the flat and can make the frame
- 10. EL CLAVEL** - Won on his hurdling debut over 3600m at Compiegne on April 8th on his only run. Can improve from that and play a lead role
- 11. KABANA** - 4th on the last run over 3400m in a Class 4 hurdle at Lyon Parilly on September 15th. That was her first run over hurdles and had been off the track for two years after a win on the flat at Hyeres in 2022
- 12. FLAVIO NONANTAIS** - Promise when 3rd over 3550m at Fontainebleau in a Class 4 hurdle on February 20th. Can improve and be fit enough after an absence

Summary: KAMARO D'HUEZ (2) is useful over both codes. He stayed on gamely when scoring on the flat in a Group 1 AQPS race at Parislongchamp in early September and won over hurdles before that in April at this track. He is preferred to EL CLAVEL (10) who won like a nice horse at Compiegne on his only run so far in April over hurdles. He can improve and make things interesting. CALME OLYMPIEN (8) is one to include in all of the place bet permutations. LOU MARINA (9) can improve for her debut run.

SELECTIONS

KAMARO D'HUEZ (2) - EL CLAVEL (10) - CALME OLYMPIEN (8) - LOU MARINA (9)