

WEDNESDAY, 05/06/24

R3 TARBES [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX DU BALAITOUS - 1100m (a5f1/2) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Flat -
EUR € 27,000**

1. FRAISE DES BOIS - Won with a bit in hand over track/trip on the 11th of May 2024. She looks to be very progressive. One to beat

2. HELLO JEEBY - Runner up behind the reopposing favorite here over track/trip on the 11th of May 2024. Place chance

3. SPANISH ROSE - Finished 3rd over 1200m at Dax in a Class 3 event on the 20th of May 2024. Others preferred

4. PIC PEN - Dam won twice over 1200m and 1400m. This filly could need a couple runs before showing something positive.

5. MUXU - Finished 7th over 1200m at Dax in a Class 3 on the 20th of May 2024. One to pass by

6. REINE DU CIEL - Ran a solid race in 3rd spot over 1200m at Marseille Borely on the 27th of May 2024. Place claims

7. MISS LACOUMA - Finished 2nd over 1200m at Bordeaux Le Bouscat on the 16th of May 2024. Place chance

8. PRECIOUS GREY - Dam won once over 1400m on debut. This filly debuts in a strong maiden which doesn't make the task easy. One to keep an eye on

Summary: FRAISE DES BOIS (1) is on the up and looks to be going places. She sets the standard and looks to be hard to oppose in her bid to make it 3-3. HELLO JEEBY (2) found one to good last time out and it seems unlikely that he can turn the form around on 3.5kgs worse weight terms. MISS LACOUMA (7) can build on her debut performance and should be in the money. REINE DU CIEL (6) showed improvement last time out and could earn again.

SELECTIONS

FRAISE DES BOIS (1) - HELLO JEEBY (2) - MISS LACOUMA (7) - REINE DU CIEL (6)

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**C2 - PRIX DU PIC DU MIDI - 2300m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Flat -
EUR € 22,000**

1. SHASTANA - Winner over track/trip in a maiden event on the 20th of April 2024. Remains with scope for improvement. Capable of winning

2. BLOU LAGOON - Beaten in 4th position over 2200m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 1 on the 18th of May 2024. Could potentially earn

3. ZINGARELLE - Finished 4th over 2400m a La Teste in a Class 1 on the 25th of April 2024. Place chance at best

4. VENUS DES ROCS - Poor performance in 7th position over 2100m at Dax in a maiden on the 1st of May 2024. Would be a shock winner

5. SOFT WINDS - Finished 2nd over 2000m in a Class 1 at Le Lion D'angers on the 9th of May 2024. Winning claims

Summary: SOFT WINDS (5) met slightly stronger opposition last time out and with the drop in class looking favorable, she could get the job done. SHASTANA (1) looks to be the only other realistic winning hope after shedding her maiden tag last time out. She can provide the biggest threat. ZINGARELLE (3) will strip a fitter horse for this run and should be able to run into the money. BLOU LAGOON (2) is likely to struggle against this lot but is best of the rest.

SELECTIONS

SOFT WINDS (5) - SHASTANA (1) - ZINGARELLE (3) - BLOU LAGOON (2)

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C3 - CRITERIUM DES JEUNES A 12,5% - 2100m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 33,000

1. NAXOS AA - Finished in 3rd position in Classic two over 2100m at Dax on the 1st of May 2024. Big runner

2. FLAMBOYANTE AA - Won a good race over 2100m at Dax on the 1st of May 2024 in Classic two. Strong winning chance

3. LLASTOON PONTADOUR AA - No show on debut in 10th position over 2100m at Dax on the 20th of May 2024. Easy to pass by

4. BELLE MINETTE AA - Ran a fair race in 3rd position over 2100m at Dax on the 20th of May 2024. Place chance

5. LUPIN DA CLODIA AA - Fairly well held in 5th spot behind a couple reopposing types over 2100m at Dax on the 1st of May 2024. Place chance at best

6. LOOK ME AA - Finished 4th over 2100m at Dax on the 20th of May 2024. Needs to show more improvement to feature. Others preferred

7. LOUPITA D'OC AA - Dam remained a maiden after several starts over the jumps. This filly is unlikely to play a role on debut. Would be a surprise winner

Summary: FLAMBOYANTE AA (2) got her act together last time out and will only have more improvement to come. She should contest the finish. NAXOS AA (1) had to concede weight all round at his latest outing which was his downfall but is well treated here so will go close. BELLE MINETTE AA (4) produced a promising showing on debut and is likely to feature once again. LUPIN DA CLODIA AA (5) looks to be best off the rest and could earn.

SELECTIONS

FLAMBOYANTE AA (2) - NAXOS AA (1) - BELLE MINETTE AA (4) - LUPIN DA CLODIA AA (5)

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C4 - CRITERIUM DES JEUNES 37,5 % - 2100m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 33,000

- 1. LINGOT D'ARGENT AA** - Winner over 2100m at Dax in a maiden on the 20th of May 2024. Should have a lot more to offer. Winning chance
- 2. SISLEY DE L'ABBAYE AA** - Showed some fight to win over 2100m at Dax on the 1st of May 2024. Can only improve. Include in the play
- 3. PARIS GAGNANT AA** - No show on debut over 2100m at Dax on the 20th of May 2024. Needs to show huge improvement. Easy to look elsewhere
- 4. FIRST COLOR AA** - Comfortable winner on debut over track/trip in a maiden on the 31st of March 2024. Should go very close
- 5. ASLAN AA** - Narrowly denied victory in 2nd spot over 2100m at Dax on the 1st of May 2024. Include in all bets
- 6. MY DARLING AA** - Finished 5th over 2100m at Dax on the 20th of May 2024. Well held behind a reopposing rival. One to pass by
- 7. LAOS PONTADOUR AA** - Finished last of 10 on debut over 2100m at Dax on the 20th of May 2024. Would be a shock winner
- 8. BRUYERE AA** - Weak performance in 9th spot over 2100m at Dax on the 20th of May 2024. Unlikely to win here

Summary: FIRST COLOR AA (4) won in a convincing manner on debut and looks to have quite a lot of ability so could be hard to oppose despite meeting stronger. LINGOT D'ARGENT AA (1) put it all together to win at the second time of asking and should run a bold race. SISLEY DE L'ABBAYE AA (2) managed to found more to score last time out and will be in the shake up. ASLAN AA (5) has been consistent and will be on the premises.

SELECTIONS

FIRST COLOR AA (4) - LINGOT D'ARGENT AA (1) - SISLEY DE L'ABBAYE AA (2) -
ASLAN AA (5)

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C5 - PRIX MAX DAGUZAN GARROS - 1500m (a7f1/2) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat - EUR € 21,000

- 1. EL CANTIZAL** - Moderate debut in 7th place over 1500m at Tarbes last month. Can improve, but will need to
- 2. WATHAB** - Will need to do more than recent 8th over 1600m at La-Teste and is hard to fancy for the win. Small place chance at best
- 3. PONTEJOS** - Two good efforts thus far, placed 2nd over 1500m at this course on the 11th of last month and has serious claims. Big runner
- 4. PRINCIPITO** - Is taking time to get it all right but finished 4th over 1500m at Tarbes on the 11th of last month. Quartet claims
- 5. KHELECLAT** - Managed only 8th place on debut over 1800m at Langon-Libourne and will need considerable improvement to feature here. Unlikely winner
- 6. ROOFOFTHEWORLD** - Finished 4th on debut and followed up with an improved 3rd over 1500m at this track. Each way chance
- 7. LIBERTY JAMES** - Improving, good effort last time when 2nd over 1500m at this track and is the one to beat. Strong win
- 8. LEVITATION** - Can build on debut 7th over 1500m at this course last month but will need to. Prefer others
- 9. PEGGY** - An improving filly that finished 3rd over 1500m at this track on the 11th of May. She has strong each way claims
- 10. MRS HOLIDAY** - Never shone at all on debut finishing 13th over 1800m on the 17th of May and is hard to fancy on that
- 11. KIRBY** - A son of Born To Sea out of a Singspiel mare that will need to be very precocious to beat these experienced runners
- 12. EVIDENCE RECORDER** - She is by Recorder out of a two time winning mare that could end up being anything. Watch the betting as race time looms
- 13. MAI KHON DIAO** - A daughter of Born To Sea out of a Le Harve mare that will need to be very good to beat these experienced runner on debut. Pass by
- 14. ROSY LIGHT** - Daughter of Hunter's Light out of a Grand Lodge mare that could get in to the action on debut. Watch the betting trends

Summary: LIBERTY JAMES (7) is lightly raced, progressing rapidly and caught the eye when second at this course last month. She rates the one they all have to fear the most. PEGGY (9) is another that is progressing with racing experience and can give plenty cheek to the first selection. PONTEJOS (3) ran an absolute cracker at this venue over 1500m at the second time of asking and should, again, be very competitive. ROOF OF THE WORLD (6) is showing promise and can be given a strong place chance.

SELECTIONS

LIBERTY JAMES (7) - PEGGY (9) - PONTEJOS (3) - ROOFOFTHEWORLD (6)

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C6 - PRIX DE L'ECHEZ - 1500m (a7f1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 15,000

- 1. YSSINGEAUX** - Attractive 2nd place finish on the 1st of May at Dax over 1400m in a Handicap. Big chance
- 2. BRIDGE WATER** - Finished 13th last time over 1400m in a Handicap at Dax. Pass by and ignore from all bets
- 3. KATHALINA** - Was a winner three races back, finished 6th over 1600m at Toulouse in a Handicap on the 21st of last month and has claims. Include
- 4. CALEDONIA** - Won at Toulouse over 1600m in a Handicap on the 21st of last month and could follow up. Strong each way claims
- 5. REPEL GHOSTS** - Would be a shock if featuring in the first four as current form is uninspiring. Pass by
- 6. FORCE CAT** - Can do way better than 5th place at Dax on the 1st of May over 1400m in a Handicap. Good chance and can go close
- 7. POLIVATE** - Brings solid form into the race, placed 3rd over 1600m at Chantilly in a Handicap last time. Win chance
- 8. VICTORY CAT** - Fair 3rd over 1600m at Toulouse late last month and can place again. Good chance
- 9. PRINCESSE VERA** - Finished 4th over 1600m in Handicap class last time and can feature in the first four again. Chance
- 10. GOOD'ID** - Will need to improve drastically on current declining form. Hard to like. Unlikely winner
- 11. SOLITARY MAN** - Finished only 7th last time over 1600m in a Handicap at Toulouse. Much more needed for the win
- 12. WYSPER** - Caught the eye when 2nd over 1800m at Gabarret last month. An outsider with a small chance against this field
- 13. ODIN** - Won well at Carcassonne on the 12th of May over 1600m and has an outside chance in this field. Small chance
- 14. MANA SIS** - Hard to make a case for on current form and can be ignored from all bets. Finished only 10th in last run. No

Summary: POLIVATE (7) is in mustard form currently and ran a bold race finishing 3rd over 1600m in a Handicap at Chantilly recently. She rates the one to be with. YSSINGEAUX (1) ran a much better race last time when 2nd at Dax and can go close again. Strong place chance. FORCE CAT (6) can be expected to progress on current local form and CALEDONIA (4) won well last time and is a must for all bets.

SELECTIONS

POLIVATE (7) - YSSINGEAUX (1) - FORCE CAT (6) - CALEDONIA (4)

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C7 - PRIX LOUIS DUCRU - 1500m (a7f1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,000

- 1. WABAL** - Caught the eye in 3rd over 1600m at Carcassonne on the 12th of May and can place again. Good chance
- 2. LOUIS SKI** - Posted an encouraging 3rd over 1600m at Toulouse on the 21st of May and has to be taken seriously. Chance
- 3. PREMIERE D'ESTEJO** - In hot form, finished 2nd over 1600m at Lyon Parilly in a Handicap on the 27th of April. The one to beat
- 4. SILVER SILENT** - Placed 5th over 1600m in a Handicap at Toulouse on the 21st of May and can feature in the finish. Place chance
- 5. ROYAL ETINCELLE** - Will need to progress on recent 5th over 1850m at Agen. Is an outsider that looks to have it all to do. Pass by
- 6. HONG KONG STAR** - Won penultimate at La Teste, followed up with an attractive 3rd over 1400m at Dax on the 1st of last month. Respect
- 7. LADIES LAW** - Needs to find a few lengths on current form to feature and is hard to fancy on latest 11th over 1600m. Unlikely
- 8. WAIPA** - Finished 7th over 1600m in a Handicap at Toulouse on the 21st of last month. Hard to fancy
- 9. ROCKENVOY** - Running well, finished 3rd over 1500m in a claiming race on the 24th of last month. Outside place chance at best
- 10. JORDAN BAKER** - Holding form, finished 4th over 1300m at Saint-Cloud last time at the races. Strong each way claims
- 11. ATLANTA** - Current form is not encouraging at all and would be a shock winner. Pass by
- 12. LADY LUNE** - Ignore last run, finished 2nd before that over 1300m in a Handicap at Deauville. Include in bigger quartet perms
- 13. CAVANI KAIZEN** - Finished 4th over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux on the 24th of May and could get in to the action. Outsider with a chance
- 14. CHIEF RED CLOUD** - Much better 2nd at Toulouse last time over 1600m in a competitive Handicap. Good chance

Summary: PREMIERE D'ESTEJO (3) is ultra-consistent, honest and tries hard. Her form tells us that. She finished 2nd last time at Lyon Parilly and is confidently selected to go one better. JORDAN BAKER (10) has been running well and should be able to notch up another victory soon. Strong each way claims. CHIEF RED CLOUD (14) ran a much better race at Toulouse on the 21st of last month and based on that alone, must be included in the quartet. LOUIS SKI (2) has a place chance and is worth considering for all bets.

SELECTIONS

PREMIERE D'ESTEJO (3) - JORDAN BAKER (10) - CHIEF RED CLOUD (14) - LOUIS SKI (2)

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