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R4 VINCENNES [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX DE METZ - 2100m (a1m1/4) - Class B Race - Harness - EUR €
43,000**

1. MADNESS - Put her debut run behind her when making short work of a 2050m Cabourg Class E on 13 August, and will be dangerous if she takes to the new profile

2. MAVISTA - In the frame in both starts, most recently close 2nd of 5 finishers in a 2250m Enghien Class C on 8 August. Is plainly on the way up and will be expected to challenge for the win

3. MASSIVE ATTACK - Placed first time out before running 2nd to MONICA JISCE in a 2150m Enghien Class D late-July. Is clearly a filly with considerable untapped potential and is not to be underestimated

4. MAYA BEE - Pleased in first 2 before faulting in a 2250m Enghien Class C on 8 August. Has evident ability but may just have her work cut out

5. MARINA ELLIS - 5th of 9, despite traffic problems, in a 2175m Class C here last week. Unlikely to shake things up but should still give an honest account

6. MONICA JISCE - Dominated a 2150m Enghien Class D on 28 July, first time out. Raffin has chosen to stay faithful to this filly and is again the horse to beat

7. MUSCADE LEMAN - 3rd of 9 in a 2175m Class C here last week. Steps up in category but deserves to take her chances and will not be going home empty-handed

Summary: After having qualified nicely, but unexceptionally, in early-July, MONICA JISCE (6) made short work of her Enghien debut later in the month and can expect to garner the lion's share of support. MAVISTA (2) is clearly close to her race, and MADNESS (1) got off the mark last time out.

SELECTIONS

MONICA JISCE (6) - MAVISTA (2) - MADNESS (1) - MASSIVE ATTACK (3)

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**C2 - PRIX DE BIHOREL - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class C Race - Mounted - EUR
€ 46,000**

1. LEGENDE DU BOULAY - Distant 4th of 7 in a Class E over course and distance last week and appears to have little to contribute

2. LOLLY MACKER - Has met no opposition in either start so far, most recently romping in a 2750m Cabourg Class F a month ago. In better company this time but still looks a serious proposition

3. LAURENE DE BAILLY - 7th of 8, behind LAFOLLY DELO (7), in a 2200m Class C here 2 weeks ago. Front pads fitted for the occasion but still not a priority

4. LUTTE DU LOGIS - 2nd of 7, on monté debut, in a 2875m Enghien Class D 3 weeks ago. Makes Vincennes debut with morale restored and, with form maintained, can play a leading role

5. LEGENDE DU GOUTIER - Has hardly put a foot wrong to date, most recently winning a 2250m Enghien Class E in style late-July. Sports 4 pads again and will take all the beating

6. LAURENCIA BELLA - Won over the inner course before faulting in a 2175m Class A here late-May. Unraced since and even with hind pads fitted, is unlikely to spring a surprise

7. LAFOLLY DELO - 2nd of 8 finishers in a 2200m Vincennes Class C a fortnight ago. Takes to the outer course for first time but, in present form, is very easy to like for a place in the frame

Summary: Simply excellent since her first steps on the track, LEGENDE DU GOUTIER (5) displayed her superiority across town last time out and, with Mathieu Mottier in the saddle, can double up. She is still going to face resistance from LOLLY MACKER (2) who has a realistic chance of keeping her unbeaten status intact. Pleasantly surprising first time in the discipline, LUTTE DU LOGIS (4) has pads fitted for the occasion and must be taken more seriously.

SELECTIONS

**LEGENDE DU GOUTIER (5) - LOLLY MACKER (2) - LUTTE DU LOGIS (4) - LAFOLLY
DELO (7)**

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C3 - PRIX DE BASTIA - 2100m (a1m1/4) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 35,000

1. KATNISS MORMOULIN - Has taken her game to a new level this summer, latterly 3rd of 12 in a 2150m Enghien Class E 3.5 weeks ago. Has been lurking for some time and can put her speed to good use here. Place chance

2. KINJAL DE BELLANDE - Never dangerous when sanctioned in a 2550m Beaumont-de-Lomagne Class D 11 days ago. Is better than that though, has solid main-track references, and must be considered a major player

3. KATAVIA PRESS - Pulled off the hat-trick, on return to competition late-July, in a 2475m Royan Class E. Has no references racing left-handed but it would be foolhardy to ignore her form

4. KIARA DES BORDES - Sanctioned in 2 of 3 return runs, most recently a 2725m Cabourg Class E mid-August, and has no possible chance

5. KAMA D'EM - Did not enjoy the best of runs when 7th of 9 finishers in a 2725m Cabourg Class E 3 weeks ago. Gets Yoann Lebourgeois for the occasion but still faces a stiff test

6. KIARA DE JADE - Returns to Vincennes after a reassuring 4th of 9 in a 2725m Pornichet Class E a week ago. Has yet to deliver at Vincennes but in current condition is very easy to like for a spot in first 5

7. KAIPIRINHA - 4th of 7 behind KYOKA BOCNEUF (12) in a 2650m Pornichet Class E 2 weeks ago. Has never disappointed for Eric Raffin and is not about to start. Chance

8. KASSIOPEE DU NOYER - In the frame in last 2, latterly a 2050m Cabourg Class E a month ago. More performant racing right-handed though and others easier to back

9. KETTY WINNER AS - Went close at Le Mans before coming 4th of 12, a place behind KATNISS MORMOULIN (1), in a 2150m Enghien Class E 3.5 weeks ago. Has had time to come on and, in spite of a tough draw, still looks the pick

10. KYRIELLE PRINCESSE - Courageous 3rd of 11 in a 2850m Mauquenchy Class E a month ago. Goes barefoot again and, with some luck in running, can get a look-in

11. KIARA DU SAPTEL - Last of 8 in a 2775m Class E at Les Sables-d'Olonne last week. Has little going for her here and can be passed over

12. KYOKA BOCNEUF - 2nd of 7 in a 2650m Pornichet Class E a fortnight ago. Has progressed nicely over recent months and even though stepping up in category, she will be reined by Mathieu Mottier for the occasion and must not be overlooked

Summary: KETTY WINNER AS (9) took no time getting back in shape following the break; she could have gone closer last time had she not briefly faulted and, on better behaviour, can win this. Franck Nivard will still want to be wary of the well-positioned and barefoot KINJAL DE BELLANDE (2) who is significantly better than latest numbers would suggest, and KAIPIRINHA (7) who is barefoot for just her second appearance over the main track. KATNISS MORMOULIN (1) left a very good impression across town last month and will not be far off the mark if she takes to Vincennes conditions.

SELECTIONS

KETTY WINNER AS (9) - KINJAL DE BELLANDE (2) - KAIPIRINHA (7) - KATNISS

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MORMOULIN (1)

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C4 - PRIX ANDRE ROUER - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D Amateur Riders Race - Mounted - EUR € 42,000

- 1. UN MEC PAASLOO** - Seldom gets his nose in front but regularly in thick of things, latterly 4th of 7 under harness over 2000m at Gelsenkirchen on 1 August, but has yet to show any aptitude for the discipline
- 2. JUPITER DU PERCHE** - Sanctioned when preparing for this in a 2700m harness Class D at La Capelle 9 days ago. Has good references under these conditions and, with stride in check, will be no easy touch
- 3. JUDY BLUE EYES** - Last of 9, on return from a spell, in a 2850m Carentan Class E 3 weeks ago. Runs barefoot this time but clearly has too much to do
- 4. JUVENTUS** - Back in the capital after romping in a 2925m Cagnes Class F on 17 August. Takes on a better bunch here but can nevertheless hold her own
- 5. INDIGO GEDE** - Excellent over past month, latterly winning a 2725m Evreux Class H last Sunday. Finds himself in more exalted company here though and chances limited
- 6. JALEA JIEL** - 9th of 12 in a 3150m Abbeville Class E 3.5 weeks ago, on 2nd start back. Hind shoes off this time but still not an obvious choice
- 7. JUST A WINNER** - Sanctioned early, on return to competition, in a 2100m Class D here 10 days ago. Has bags of talent but 3 straight sanctions do little to inspire confidence
- 8. JUNE DE RODREY** - Won 2 in a row before coming 9th of 10 to JOKER DU HAMEL (12) in a 2425m Class F at Sainte-Marie-du-Mont on 4 August. Should not be too hastily judged and even stepping up in category, will have her supporters
- 9. JUDICIEUX** - Takes first competitive steps in the monté code after coming 11th of 15 in a 2875m harness Class D across town mid-August, and is not about to cause an upset
- 10. JUSTICE D'EOLE** - Reliable mare that trotted 3rd of 8 in a 2625m Class F at Saint-Jean-de-Monts a month ago. Out of the picture in last 3 main-track appearances though and others easier to back
- 11. HOLLYWOOD STONE** - Makes first appearance for new stable, not having raced since finishing last of 12 over 2880m at Aarhus (Denmark) in late-June. Is new to the code but if Mathieu Mottier runs him, he is here to win
- 12. JOKER DU HAMEL** - Won at Sainte-Marie-du-Mont before faulting in a 2850m Carentan Class E mid-August. Is confirmed here and, with Estelle Croisic in the saddle, will be afforded every chance
- 13. JOYEUX MESLOIS** - Takes first public steps under the saddle after coming last of 10 in a 2150m Argentan harness Class D on 10 August, and the change of scenery may be just the ticket to his redemption. Minor place chance
- 14. JAZZY THOURJAN** - Sanctioned in a 2175m Class C here last Friday. Has otherwise been in decent form, returns to racing barefoot, and represents a respectable first-5 prospect
- 15. JET MESLOIS** - Has gone from strength to strength this summer, most recently winning a 2875m Enghien Class D with ease on 3 August. Goes barefoot again and will be expected to confirm

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Summary: After producing some fine performances this summer, the well-engaged JET MESLOIS (15) was rewarded with victory across town last time out and, even in the absence of Eric Raffin, can double his money. Danish import HOLLYWOOD STONE (11) is untried in the discipline but sports a new configuration and looks a player. JOKER DU HAMEL (12) must be forgiven his Carentan blip; form is not in question and, with application, he can go far. JUPITER DU PERCHE (2) has references in a superior category and, barefoot for the occasion, will be competitive.

SELECTIONS

JET MESLOIS (15) - HOLLYWOOD STONE (11) - JOKER DU HAMEL (12) - JUPITER DU PERCHE (2)

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C5 - PRIX DE GIVORS - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class R Claiming - Harness - EUR € 18,000

- 1. LABEL MARANCOURT** - Debuts in the capital after faulting in a 2750m Class F at La Ferté-Vidame 2.5 weeks ago and seems to be biting off more than he can chew
- 2. LOZEN DE BANVILLE** - 5th of 7 in a monté Class E over course and distance last week. Has yet to make her mark in this category and is not about to start
- 3. LOVE LETTERS FERM** - Disappointing since returning to competition, latterly sanctioned in a 2050m Cabourg Class E 9 days ago and, even with just front pads fitted, cannot be considered a player
- 4. LEADER DE CERISY** - In the frame in last 2 claimers, latterly 3rd over 2800m at Les Sables-d'Olonne on 17 August. In better company this time though and chances limited
- 5. LUCKY LADY D'AMOUR** - Returns to the harness code with 4 pads fitted for first time, after coming 5th of 7 in a 2875m Enghien monté Class D 3 weeks ago. Eric Raffin reining and is unlikely to be far from the action
- 6. LADY DE CORDAY** - 7th of 10 finishers in Enghien race of reference. Has otherwise been consistent in this category and looks a respectable first-5 prospect
- 7. LOYALE DAIRPET** - Pleased in the provinces before coming 4th to LORIE DE LA PRADE (11) in a 2150m Enghien claimer mid-August, and will not be available at 27/1 this time around
- 8. LANKA** - Sanctioned when unsupported in race of reference. Has previously won at this level but needs to get her house in order
- 9. LIBELLA DU HOULBET** - Left a good impression in 16 August race of reference despite her disqualification. Unlikely to win this but can still finish in the mix
- 10. LARIFLETTE** - Ran better in the race of reference than her 6th place would imply. Appears to be on the way back up and will have the measure of most. Place chance
- 11. LORIE DE LA PRADE** - Won a 2150m Enghien claimer mid-August on first appearance in the category. Benjamin Rochard reining this time and will again be a contender for the trophy
- 12. LANCELOT VENESI** - In the frame in last 2, latterly unlucky 3rd in a 2150m Enghien claimer on 16 August, but can more than make amends if Franck Nivard keeps him out of trouble
- 13. LE PONT FOULT** - Pulled-up after a poor-trip in the race of reference, but did please at Vincennes on penultimate start. Modified shoeing but others still preferred

Summary: Dependable on the whole and solid in the claiming category, LANCELOT VENESI (12) was denied a run at Enghien 3 weeks ago and Franck Nivard will be out to turn the tables on LORIE DE LA PRADE (11) who imposed that day. A pleasantly-surprising 6th on that occasion, LARIFLETTE (10) will appreciate a return to 2700m. LIBELLA DU HOULBET (9) finished in the money only to be disqualified for interference but, reuniting with Mathieu Mottier will do her prospects no disservice.

SELECTIONS

LANCELOT VENESI (12) - LORIE DE LA PRADE (11) - LARIFLETTE (10) - LIBELLA DU

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HOULBET (9)

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C6 - PRIX DE DURTAL - 2200m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Mounted - EUR € 35,000

- 1. KETTY KATE** - Last of 8 in a 2925m Cagnes harness Class E 2.5 weeks ago. Yet to show any aptitude for the monté game and can be ruled out
- 2. KOSEMARY** - Impressive 2nd of 8 to KERIDA DE MARZY (12) in a 2775m Class F at Les Sables-d'Olonne last week. Unlikely to repeat but should still acquit herself honourably
- 3. KALYOPIE DU CANET** - Honest sort that ran 4th to KERIDA DE MARZY (12) in a 2775m Class F at Les Sables-d'Olonne last week. Front shoes off but would still be preferred a level down
- 4. KLASS DU THEIL** - Takes first competitive monté steps after winning a 2625m Class F at Saint-Jean-de-Monts 2.5 weeks ago. Entrusted to Benjamin Rochard this time but still cannot be considered a priority
- 5. KARLA D'AVENIR** - Had a 2750m Class E at La Capelle in the bag on 29 July only to be sanctioned, for 6th straight time, and others easier to trust
- 6. KOURANE LA CHENAIE** - Has not raced since coming 5th to KLASSIC MUSIC (9) in a 2750m Cabourg Class E on 23 July. Runs barefoot though and can enjoy a first-5 payday if Alexandre Angot keeps her trotting
- 7. KANELLE LA RAVELLE** - 3rd under the saddle at Cabourg before being sanctioned in a 2775m harness Class F at Les Sables-d'Olonne 2 weeks ago. Is better racing clockwise and will have limited chances
- 8. KORFOU LEMAN** - Won at Chartres in June before coming 4th of 9 in a 2725m Pornichet Class E early last month. Will have come on for the run and will be expected to finish close
- 9. KLASSIC MUSIC** - Opened her account under the saddle on 23 July before finishing 7th of 9 in a 2750m Cabourg harness Class E a week later. Shod to preference this time and looks competitively well-in
- 10. KISMIE DE MONTFORT** - Back under the saddle after trotting 3rd of 13 in a 2750m Cabourg harness Class E 9 days ago. Has placed just once in the discipline but in this company can play a part
- 11. KARA DU FER** - Has not been seen out since faulting in a 2550m Reims Class F 5 months ago. Shoes on and is expected to need the run
- 12. KERIDA DE MARZY** - Made it 2 on the trot when successful in a 2775m Class F at Les Sables-d'Olonne last week. Went close on lone association with Eric Raffin and the hat-trick looks a distinct possibility
- 13. KERIDA PHEDO** - 5th of 9 finishers in a 2950m Saint-Malo Class F on 13 August. Is plainly in excellent shape and has the wherewithal to win a race of this nature

Summary: KERIDA DE MARZY (12) complemented her harness success with a convincing victory under the saddle at Les Sables-d'Olonne last week and, reunited with Eric Raffin, will be a tough nut to crack. That said, KERIDA PHEDO (13) reassured at Saint-Malo last time out and should be afforded more respect. Successful at Chartres before being sent for a spell, KORFOU LEMAN (8) has one race under her belt and returns to Paris with a good hand to play. Shod as she was when victorious at Cabourg, KLASSIC MUSIC (9) is not to be overlooked.

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SELECTIONS

**KERIDA DE MARZY (12) - KERIDA PHEDO (13) - KORFOU LEMAN (8) - KLASSIC MUSIC
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**C7 - PRIX D'AUZAT - 2850m (a2m) - Class R Claiming - Harness - EUR €
18,000**

1. KOOPLES DE LARRE - 8th of 11 in a 2650m Pornichet Class E a fortnight ago. Has never delivered at Vincennes but his claiming form is good enough to inspire confidence of a return to productive ways

2. KEATANA DU METZ - Disappointing since the start of the year, latterly sanctioned in a 2700m Class E here last Friday, and must first re-establish her credentials

3. KALINA STAR - 12th of 14 in a 2850m claimer over the main track here late last month. Hind shoes off but still hard to make a case

4. KOH SAMUI BOND - A handful in last 5 starts, most recently last of 8 in a monté Class D over 2700m here last week. Should be more competitive at this level and, with application, can get a look-in

5. KALEO DE BANVILLE - Sanctioned in 3 of last 4, latterly a 2600m Class E at Le Mont-Saint-Michel 2.5 weeks ago. Will appreciate the inner-track profile however and can return to winning ways

6. KETMIE PRINCESSE - 7th of 12 finishers, behind KARA DES BROUSSES (7), in a 2100m claimer here on 24 August. Has solid Vincennes references but current form does little to inspire confidence

7. KARA DES BROUSSES - Came 4th of 12 finishers, at 57/1, in a 2100m claimer here on 24 August. Is in her category and can mix things up

8. KLASSE DE BRUZEAU - Had been excelling before coming last of 11 in a 2875m Enghien Class D mid-August. Reunited with Eric Raffin who pleased with her at Vichy and takes to the inner-track with a good hand to play

9. KALIKA DU RIS - Put on a decent show to come 4th of 7 in a 2875m Enghien claimer late-July, but is too frequently sanctioned to warrant much attention

10. KEMBLA - Pleased despite being sanctioned in a 2100m claimer here on 24 August. Still has more to find though

Summary: After 2 sanctions last month, JMB has opted to race the good KALEO DE BANVILLE (5) at this level for the first time and, taking to the bike himself, will be determined to put things right. Eric Raffin takes over on KLASSE DE BRUZEAU (8) who was oddly out of sorts across town last month, and can set the record straight. KOOPLES DE LARRE (1) has never disappointed in the claiming category and will have his chances if Alexis Collette keeps him trotting. KARA DES BROUSSES (7) got back in the game 12 days ago here and, if focused, should confirm.

SELECTIONS

**KALEO DE BANVILLE (5) - KLASSE DE BRUZEAU (8) - KOOPLES DE LARRE (1) - KARA
DES BROUSSES (7)**

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C8 - PRIX DE SAINT-DIE - 2850m (a2m) - Class G Amateur Drivers Race - Harness - EUR € 12,000

- 1. HECTOR DE CORDAY** - Back in business following a quartet of sanctions, most recently 4th of 10 in a 2900m Arras amateurs Class G 2.5 weeks ago, but can expect to find this a much stiffer test
- 2. IRINA DU LUPIN** - Out of the picture this season, latterly 8th of 12 in a 2950m Mansle amateurs Class H 2.5 weeks ago, and can be confidently passed over
- 3. IROISE DES BAULTS** - 6th of 11 in a 2700m Graignes Class G a week ago. Starts in front and although not a priority, can still make first 5
- 4. IRON DES RACQUES** - 9th of 12 in a 2600m Berck-sur-Mer Class F 3 weeks ago. Is barefoot and on the front line, but still has more to find
- 5. ISEO PRIOR** - 3rd of 13 in a 2725m Pornichet Class F a week ago. Enjoys a front-line break and looks eminently capable of trotting his way onto the podium
- 6. ICONE PLANCHETTE** - Reassuring 4th of 10 in a 2100m amateurs Class F here on 24 August. Boasts a solid amateur record and even from the 2nd row, can give this a good go. Place prospect
- 7. FLIBUSTIA** - Trounced in all 4 starts this year, latterly last of 10 in a 2650m monté Class F at Le Sap 3.5 weeks ago, and has no realistic chance
- 8. GRYFFONDOR DU POLI** - Won at La Capelle before running 2nd to IQUITO PLANCHETTE (10) in a 2150m Enghien amateurs Class F 3.5 weeks ago. Is unlikely to impose but still looks the principal threat
- 9. HASCHELEY BERRY** - Disappointing in 2 since placing at Enghien 2 months ago. Goes barefoot this time and, if focused, should not be far from the action
- 10. IQUITO PLANCHETTE** - Won 2 at Enghien before securing another 2 at Vincennes, latterly outclassing the opposition over course and distance last week and, barring force majeure, can wrap this up

Summary: The big hitters are on the back line here but they will have to take on IQUITO PLANCHETTE (10) who legitimately vies to complete the 5-timer. Runner-up to him at Enghien last month, GRYFFONDOR DU POLI (8) again looks the main threat, with the favourite's stablemate ICONE PLANCHETTE (6) sure to figure prominently if she stays in stride. In the frame in 3 of his last 4, ISEO PRIOR (5) is 25m better off and Katia Guillon will be eager to put the head-start to good use.

SELECTIONS

**IQUITO PLANCHETTE (10) - GRYFFONDOR DU POLI (8) - ICONE PLANCHETTE (6) -
ISEO PRIOR (5)**