



# ÅBY WORLD GRAND PRIX

## ATG MAJOR RACES

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10 – ÅBY RACETRACK

### 1. FRANCESCO ZET

*Phenomenal horse that won everything as a young horse. Came with 18 straight victories to the Elitloppet where he finished fourth in the final. Is even better now according to the coach. Barefoot and one of the top favorites here.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **6 years**  
Pedigree: **Father Patrick – Shaqline**  
Trainer: **Daniel Redén** Driver: **Örjan Kihlström**  
Owner: **Stall Zet (Daniel Redén)** Breeder: **Brixton Medical AB**  
Record: **1.08,7a** Earnings: **SEK 20,355,000**  
Winning percentage: **86%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in the Swedish Derby 2022**



Phenomenon who totally dominated as a young horse. Won the Swedish Criterium as a three-year-old and as a four-year-old he won the Swedish Derby, the Kungapokalen, the Sprintermästaren and Breeders' Crown. Only four starts as a five-year-old and won the Jubileumspokalen. The horse finished fourth in the final of the Elitloppet, but has since won Norrbottens Stora Pris. Is, according to the trainer, optimally prepared for this race and from this position he is clearly one of the favourites.

### 2. SAN MOTEUR

*Super horse with enormous speed. Was injured at the start of the season but looked brilliant in the last comeback and should be even better now. Ideally drawn and fights for the victory.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **7 years**  
Pedigree: **Panne de Moteur – Aung San Suu Kyi**  
Trainer: **Daniel Wäjersten** Driver: **Daniel Wäjersten**  
Owner: **Stall Arvidsson AB** Breeder: **Håkan Arvidsson**  
Record time: **1.09,1a** Earnings: **SEK 12,747,187**  
Win percentage: **71%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in the 2023 Paralympiatravet**



Phenomenal horse that has been trained by Björn Goop throughout his whole career. Started with five straight wins before finishing second in the Swedish Criterium. He was third in the Swedish Derby and a year later he won the Jubileumspokalen. As a six-year-old, he took his biggest victory to date in the Paralympiatravet. In the same year, he finished second in the Elitloppet and won Årjängs Stora Sprinterlopp. Won at Vincennes last December but got injured after that. Looked brilliant in the last comeback. One of the favourites.

### 3. ORACLE TILE

*Norwegian horse that comes from victory in the Golden Divison at Axevalla. Driven again by Magnus A Djuse and could be a big outsider from this excellent position. Likes the long distance.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **8 years**  
Pedigree: **Ready Cash – Exotic Sund**  
Trainer: **Kristian Malmin** Driver: **Magnus A Djuse**  
Owner: **Stall Ready To Win** Breeder: **Vestmarka AB**  
Record time: **1.09,4a** Earnings: **SEK 5,492,266**  
Win percentage: **40%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in Jean-Luc Lagardere Prize 2023**



Norwegian top horse who, after a gallop in the debut, scored seven straight victories. Started his career for Trond Anderssen but has mainly competed for Kristian Malmin since three years back. Loves the long distance and in 2022 he was third in Åby Stora Pris behind Moni Viking and Hail Mary. Last year he won for Thierry Duvaldestin the Prix Jean-Luc Lagardère at Enghien in France. Driven for the first time by Magnus A Djuse last time and won outright.

### 4. HIGH ON PEPPER

*Very strong horse that is probably most favored by all participants of today's long distance. Was huge last winter and took an incredible eight wins in a row. Can do it tough and gets an offensive run.*

Gender: **Gelding** Age: **6 years**  
Pedigree: **Ready Cash – Piece Of Work**  
Trainer: **Katja Melkko** Driver: **Jorma Kontio**  
Owner: **Pepper AB & Silkstone HB** Breeder: **Tina Dale Brauti**  
Record time: **1.10,8a** Earnings: **SEK 4,692,180**  
Win percentage: **48%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in Sylvesterloppet 2023**



Started his career for Jerry Riordan but was moved early to today's trainer Katja Melkko. Had a breakthrough as a four-year-old when he won the Walter Lundbergs Memorial over today's distance, 3140 meter. Last winter the horse was phenomenal and took eight straight victories. In April this year he also won Örebro Int'l and shortly after that he came second in Harper Hanovers lopp. Faces tough opposition now but over the long distance he should not be underestimated.



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### 5. GAMIN JABA

*Daniel Redén's second contribution in the race and driven by the trainer himself. French horse that came to Sweden a few months ago. Seems to be on the way up, could possibly cause an upset here.*

Gender: **Gelding** Age: **8 years**  
Pedigree: **Kesaco Phedo – Otika Vita**  
Trainer: **Daniel Redén** Driver: **Daniel Redén**  
Owner: **Stall Zet (Daniel Redén)** Breeder: **Gilberte Bazire**  
Record time: **1.10,7a** Earnings: **SEK 5,924,107**  
Win percentage: **27%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in Prix du Chesnay 2024**



French horse that this year came from Jean Michel Bazire to Daniel Redén. He took two big wins at Vincennes in February and earned more than SEK 750,000. Has now made five starts in Scandinavia and seems to be a really good stayer. Was fourth in Harper Hanover's lopp behind, among others, High on Pepper and after the victory in the Smålandsstayern, he finished third in the Ulf Thoresen Grand International. The distance is a big advantage.

### 7. HORSY DREAM

*French horse that has belonged to the French elite for several years. Won this year's Elitloppet in a phenomenal way and is clearly one of the favorites here. Has a tricky draw though.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **7 years**  
Pedigree: **Scipion du Goutier - Bonanza du Closet**  
Trainer: **Pierre Belloche** Driver: **Éric Raffin**  
Owner: **Closet Stable**  
Breeder: **Jean Marie Deschamps & Ec. you closet**  
Record time: **1.08,1a** Earnings: **SEK 15,573,012** Win percentage: **49%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in the Elitloppet 2024**



Fantastic French horse that really impressed in this year's Elitloppet and won the final in a cruel way. In France, the horse had already scored many great victories, including the Prix Tenor de Baune (2022), Prix de Belgique (2023) and Prix de Selection (2023). This year he has also been successful in both the Prix d'Atlantique and the Prix Rene Balliere. Coming in top form and despite this lane, he clearly belongs to one of the major candidates in the race.

### 6. BARACK FACE

*Great talent in the Kolgjini stable. Won the European Derby last year. After the victory in the Copenhagen Cup in his first start this year, he has not been as good. Galloped in the Hugo Åbergs Memorial.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **5 years**  
Pedigree: **Ready Cash – Lisa America**  
Trainer: **Adrian Kolgjini** Driver: **Adrian Kolgjini**  
Owner: **Ellerströmgruppen AB & Stall Behåll AB**  
Breeder: **Lutfi Kolgjini & Anna Svensson**  
Record time: **1.11,1a** Earnings: **SEK 6,457,043** Win percentage: **36%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in the 2023 European Derby**



Top pedigree horse (mother Lisa America earned an incredible 13 million Swedish kronor). Started for Lucas Wallin in the USA but came back quickly to Sweden and won straight away as a three-year-old. Was second that year in the Premio Going Kronos but the real breakthrough came as a four-year-old as second in the Swedish Derby behind Joviality and as a winner in the European Derby. However, after the victory in the Copenhagen Cup this year, he has not been at his best. The shape is a question mark.

### 8. HADES DE VANDEL

*Trained in Holland by Paul Hagoort. Is mainly strong and today's long distance is no problem. Does not win as often as his rivals and has got a tough draw as well.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **7 years**  
Pedigree: **Ganymede – La Tour de Vandel**  
Trainer: **Paul J P Hagoort** Driver: **Erik Adielsson**  
Owner: **Stable Why Not** Breeder: **E. A.R.L. Elevage La Tour De Vandel**  
Record time: **1.10,5a** Earnings: **SEK 5,489,804**  
Win percentage: **20%**  
Greatest result: **Victory in Oslo Grand Prix 2023**



French-born stallion with Dutch owners. Has competed in Scandinavia too and the biggest victory was last year in the Oslo Grand Prix. Shortly before, the horse was second in the Paralympiatravet behind San Moteur. Travels a lot and since last September he has competed in Belgium, Holland, France, Denmark, Norway and Sweden. In June he won the Midsummer race in Rättvik with Björn Goop. This time another Swedish driver, Erik Adielsson.





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### 9. GET A WISH

*Fairly new in this context and a big outsider. Has made three starts for Johan Untersteiner. Won the Guldsprintern second last and comes from a second place in the Hugo Åbergs Memorial.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **6 years**

Pedigree: **Wishing Stone – Amanda Vang**

Trainer: **Johan Untersteiner** Driver: **Johan Untersteiner**

Owner: **Geir Omholt**

Record time: **1.09,1a** Earnings: **SEK 4,248,236**

Win percentage: **38 %**

Greatest result: **Victory in the Danish Derby 2022**



Born and raised in Denmark. Started his career with Bo Westergaard where he won the Danish Derby in 2022. Has since won a number of bigger races in his home country before being moved to Johan Untersteiner in Halmstad this summer. The horse has now made three starts there. He won the Guldsprintern second last at his new home track and most recently he sprinted very nicely to second place in the Hugo Åbergs Memorial behind Borup's Victory. Top form.

### 10. BANDERAS BI

*One of many top horses in the stable of Italian trainer Alessandro Gocciadoro. Comes from victory in the Oslo Grand Prix but has not raced since. Difficult lane and needs some luck.*

Gender: **Stallion** Age: **7 years**

Pedigree: **Ganymede – Ida Grandi**

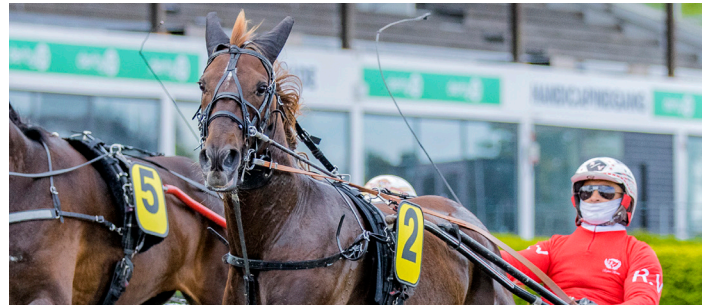
Trainer: **Alessandro Gocciadoro** Driver: **Alessandro Gocciadoro**

Owner: **Pachino Horse S.R.L.S** Breeder: **Az. Agr. Biasuzzi**

Record time: **1.09,4a** Earnings: **SEK 7,084,663**

Win percentage: **29%**

Greatest result: **Victory in Oslo Grand Prix 2024**



Italian horse trained and driven by Alessandro Gocciadoro. Has competed mainly in his home country but has also been successful in Scandinavia and above all Norway. Last year he won Ulf Thoresen's Grand International at Jarlsberg and this year the seven-year-old comes from victory in the Oslo Grand Prix. In April he scored a win in the Group I-race Gran Premio Costa Azzurra in Turin. He is now returning after a break and has also a difficult draw.

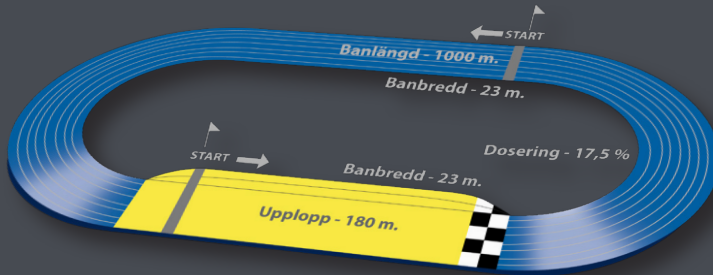


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## RACETRACK INFO



### ÅBY (Å)

Track length: **1000 m**  
Home stretch: **180 m**  
Home stretch width: **23,0 m**  
Back stretch width: **23,0 m**  
Open stretch: **Yes (double)**

## RACECARD – ÅBY WORLD GRAND PRIX

NR	HORSE	DRIVER	TRAINER	MLO
1.	FRANCESCO ZET	ÖRJAN KIHLSSTRÖM	DANIEL REDÉN	3/1
2.	SAN MOTEUR	BJÖRN GOOP	BJÖRN GOOP	5/1
3.	ORACLE TILE	MAGNUS A DJUSE	KRISTIAN MALMIN	24/1
4.	HIGH ON PEPPER	JORMA KONTIO	KATJA MELKKO	99/1
5.	GAMIN JABA	DANIEL REDÉN	DANIEL REDÉN	99/1
6.	BARACK FACE	ADRIAN KOLGJINI	ADRIAN KOLGJINI	49/1
7.	HORSY DREAM	ÉRIC RAFFIN	PIERRE BELLOCHE	2/1
8.	HADES DE VANDEL	ERIK ADIELSSON	PAUL J P HAGOORT	99/1
9.	GET A WISH	JOHAN UNTERSTEINER	JOHAN UNTERSTEINER	49/1
10.	BANDERAS BI	ALESSANDRO GOCCIADORO	ALESSANDRO GOCCIADORO	49/1

**RANKING: A: 7. B: 1-2. C: 3-6-10-9-4-5-8.**

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