

THURSDAY, 14/11/24

R3 NANTES [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX DES SABLONNETS - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Flat -
EUR € 27,000**

1. OUT OF AFRICA - Two good 2nd placed runs of late, the latter of them over 1600m in a Class 2 race at Angers on October 27th. Solid chance of success

2. THE SNARK - Unplaced last time, 4th before that over 1650m in a Class 2 race at Craon on September 22nd. Opposable

3. YOUNG AND PROUD - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 1900m at Deauville on November 2nd in a class 2 race. Others seem more likely

4. EAGLE GATE - 6th on the last two runs, both Class 2 races, the latter of them at Chantilly on October 29th. In the mix

5. RAWIYA - Unplaced last time, won before that over 1600m at Toulouse on October 11th. Can be competitive despite a below par run last time

6. LYUBOVKA - Won on her sole start over 1400m at Haras-Du Pin on October 27th. Can improve and play a lead role

7. MAMINOVA - Fair 4th on her latest run over 1600m in a Class 2 race at Angers on October 27th. Looks held by a few of these

Summary: OUT OF AFRICA (1) has been in good form recently, she won at Craon in a Class 2 race in September and then had two solid efforts in Class 2 races at Angers when second on each of them. She can score from LYUBOVKA (6) who won on her debut at Haras-Du-Pin and will have learned plenty from that. RAWIYA (5) fluffed her lines last time but can be forgiven and is sure to be thereabouts. EAGLE GATE (4) is also worth considering.

SELECTIONS

OUT OF AFRICA (1) - LYUBOVKA (6) - RAWIYA (5) - EAGLE GATE (4)

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C2 - PRIX DE LA SENSIVE - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 27,500

1. JAKARTA DE FROM - Has been racing in good races of late, 4th two runs back at Clairefontaine over 2400m on August 12th in a conditions race and 4th in a Group 3 AQ race before that in July. Player

2. KID ALONE - Has won his last two races, the latest over 2700m at Les Sables on October 12th by 8L. Looks like the one to beat

3. JANLY - Unplaced last time, won before that over 2650m at Chateaubriant on August 16th. Ought to be in the shake-up

4. KATE TO WIN - Unplaced last time, won before that over 2400m at Saint-Brieuc on October 6th. Merits consideration

5. KARNAC - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 2900m at Senonnes on August 3rd. Others rate higher

6. JE RELANCE - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 2850m on September 15th at Sable-Sur-Sarthe. Needs a few to misfire

7. JUST BOUM - Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 2400m at Saint-Brieuc on October 27th. Unlikely to feature

8. JEWEL STAR - Three unplaced runs of late all over hurdles, 4th before that on the flat over 2650m on August 16th at Chateaubriant. Makes limited appeal

9. KIMFLY - Won last time over 2950m at Machecoul on November 3rd and was 2nd before that in September. Has outside place claims

Summary: KID ALONE (2) is improving with experience and was a facile winner at Les Sables last time by eight lengths in mid-October. He gets the vote ahead of JAKARTA DE FROM (1) who is a threat and has been racing in strong events of late. She was a good 4th in a Group 3 AQ race three starts ago at Vichy in July. JANLY (3) looks like the each way option after a win two runs back at Chateaubriant in August. KATE TO WIN (4) is also worth a mention.

SELECTIONS

KID ALONE (2) - JAKARTA DE FROM (1) - JANLY (3) - KATE TO WIN (4)

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C3 - PRIX DU CHATEAU DES DUCS DE BRETAGNE - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,000

1. MERI LILOU - Fair 5th last time, 3rd before that over 1600m at Lyon Parilly in a handicap on May 18th. Not seen since June but can be competitive

2. ROUDOUDOU - 5th last time over 2400m in a handicap at Clairefontaine on October 22nd. Has work to do

3. DYLAN'S SPIRIT - Nice 3rd last time at Argentan on October 9th over 2900m in a handicap and won at Le Lion D'Angers in August. Can not be overlooked

4. LOLA BERE - Won last time over 2400m at Nantes in a Class 3 race on November 1st. Can follow up

5. THE DUBLINER - Three unplaced efforts so far, the latter over 2800m at Compiegne on October 11th in a maiden. Opposable

6. ESPERANCE CHAUFOUR - 5th last time, 3rd before that over 2100m at Cholet on October 7th in a maiden. Has yet to win in 13 runs

7. CARNIVAL QUEEN - Credible 4th last time over 2900m at Argentan in a handicap on October 9th. Ought to be involved

8. GEMBRES - Placed on his last two runs, the latter when 2nd at Agen on October 27th in a Class 3 race. Others make more appeal

Summary: Course and distance winner LOLA BERE (4) can follow up after her success in a Class 3 race at the start of this month. Her main threat could be DYLAN'S SPIRIT (3) who won three starts ago and was a pleasing third at Argentan in early October on her latest run. MERI LILOU (1) looks like the each way option. CARNIVAL QUEEN (7) ran well when fourth last time and looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

LOLA BERE (4) - DYLAN'S SPIRIT (3) - MERI LILOU (1) - CARNIVAL QUEEN (7)

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C4 - PRIX VICE-PRESIDENT GILLES TARTOUE - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 30,000

1. PETIT TRUC - Won his last two races, the latter over 3600m in a Class 4 hurdle at Argentan on October 20th and a win over fences before that in September. Has only been beaten once in five runs so far. Sets the standard

2. KALCA MOME - Two good runs of late, 2nd over hurdles at this track last time on October 19th in a Class 4 race and a win over fences before that in September over 3400m. Live chance

3. TISKO DU CHAMP - Two unplaced runs this year over fences, the latter over 4400m at Auteuil in a handicap chase on October 24th. Was a promising hurdler and can be involved

4. KASS TETE - Two unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3450m in a Class 2 chase at Compiègne on October 3rd. Others rate higher

5. GRENAT - Decent 2nd over 4100m in a Class 3 chase at Saumur on November 3rd. Will not lack for match fitness

6. STRELIZIA - Credible 2nd last time over 3600m in a claiming chase at Saint-Brieuc on October 27th. More needed to make the top three

Summary: PETIT TRUC (1) has only been beaten once in five starts when second on that occasion. His latest win was over hurdles at Argentan in late October. He can edge this from KALCA MOME (2) who will keep the selection honest. He arrives after a decent second over hurdles at this track in mid-October. TISKO DU CHAMP (3) is one to side with each way. He has been racing in competitive races at Auteuil recently. GRENAT (5) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

PETIT TRUC (1) - KALCA MOME (2) - TISKO DU CHAMP (3) - GRENAT (5)

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C5 - PRIX DES FOIES GRAS BIRABEN - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 26,000

1. JIBSON - Fair 4th last time behind JELKA DE MEE (2) in a Class 3 chase at Saint-Brieuc on October 27th over 4200m. Can not be overlooked

2. JELKA DE MEE - Has won two of her last three runs, the latest at Saint-Brieuc over 4200m in a class 3 chase on October 27th beating a few of today's rivals. Has more to do but is in the mix

3. MARVIN FLIGHT - Good 2nd last time behind JELKA DE MEE (2) over 4200m in a Class 3 chase at Saint-Brieuc on October 27th. Can get a deserved win

4. AUTHORYTY SEVEN - 2nd on both runs last year over hurdles, the latter a Grade 2 race over 3900m at Auteuil on April 29th. Fitness taken on trust and his chase debut is a slight worry but he can be on the premises

5. BLACK MILORD TAVEL - 7th last time over 3700m in a handicap chase on October 30th at Auteuil. Others make more appeal

6. JUMPER DETE - Two unplaced runs of late, 2nd before that over 3500m at Pau in a handicap hurdle on February 18th. Chase debut and is best watched for now

Summary: MARVIN FLIGHT (3) was a good second at Saint-Brieuc 18 days ago in a Class 3 chase and can go one better this time at the expense of old rival JIBSON (1) who was fourth in the same race and looks like the main threat. JELKA DE MEE (2) won the race that all three contested last time and on less favourable terms she has more on her plate, although she can make her rivals work hard for success. AUTHORYTY SEVEN (4) warrants respect on chase debut and return from a layoff.

SELECTIONS

MARVIN FLIGHT (3) - JIBSON (1) - JELKA DE MEE (2) - AUTHORYTY SEVEN (4)

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C6 - PRIX DE RICHEBOURG - 3900m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 23,000

- 1. MAORABEACH** - Unplaced last time, won before that over 3600m in a handicap hurdle at Saint-Brieuc on October 6th. Can not be overlooked
- 2. MADE BY DE HOUELLE** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 4200m in a Class 3 chase at Meslay-Du- Maine on October 27th. Leading contender
- 3. JALDA DES OBEAUX** - Four unplaced runs this year, the latter over 3600m in a handicap hurdle at Auteuil on June 1st. Capable performer on her day and can make the frame
- 4. UMAHYA** - Won last time over 3700m at Jallais on May 5th in a Class 5 race. Others rate higher
- 5. INSOLENT DE THAIX** - Credible 2nd last time over 3800m at Moulins on April 7th in a Class 3 handicap hurdle. Can make the frame
- 6. GOGODJET** - Won last time on her hurdles debut at Machecoul over 3900m in a Class 4 race on October 20th. Can improve and score
- 7. SOTTHILDA** - Has five unplaced runs this year, the latter over 3900m in a claiming hurdle at Machecoul on October 20th. Out of form and is best avoided
- 8. HIGBOURNE VELVET** - Newcomer by Blue Bresil, the dam never raced. From a respected trainer and is best watched in the betting for clues
- 9. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN** - 3rd last time over 2150m at Landivisiau in a Class 4 flat race on October 13th. Second run over hurdles and needs a few to falter

Summary: GOGODJET (6) won on her hurdling debut at Machecoul in late October by four lengths and she will improve from that outing. She also won twice on the flat and was placed on the only other start. She can score from MADE BY DE HOUELLE (2) who was a decent third in a Class 3 chase two starts ago at the end of last month. JALDA DES OBEAUX (3) has the talent to be involved despite some poor runs of late. MAORABEACH (1) can also not be discounted.

SELECTIONS

GOGODJET (6) - MADE BY DE HOUELLE (2) - JALDA DES OBEAUX (3) - MAORABEACH (1)

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C7 - PRIX DES SOCIETAIRES - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Claiming - Hurdles - EUR € 20,000

- 1. PIRINO** - Unraced by Morpheus, the dam won on the flat. Could be one to watch in the betting on debut for any support
- 2. LOKO MOME** - Fair effort when 4th over 3400m in a claiming hurdle at Compiègne on October 21st. Live contender
- 3. LOLITA QUEEN** - Unplaced on the one run on the flat over 2600m on October 20th at Angoulême. Others make more appeal
- 4. LAFUTAIE DESLANDES** - Unplaced on the one run over 3600m at Saint-Brieuc on October 27th on hurdles debut. Pass over
- 5. MASKED SOCIETY** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 3500m in a Class 3 hurdle at Le Touquet on September 29th. Ought to be thereabouts
- 6. FARADAWN** - Unplaced on the one run over 3100m in a Class 3 hurdle at Angers on October 27th. Unlikely to be a threat
- 7. WIN ALL BACK** - Unplaced on the sole run on the flat over 2900m at Senonnes on April 14th. Hurdle debut and might find a few of these too smart
- 8. STYLE AROMA** - Two unplaced runs of late, a win before that by 13L on August 25th at Vertou over 3150m in a maiden hurdle. Can have a leading role
- 9. ROSEWELL** - 5th last time over 3400m in a claiming hurdle at Compiègne on October 21st. Capable of being involved
- 10. LA BELLE HISTOIRE** - Credible 4th last time over 3600m at Argentan in a Class 4 hurdle on October 20th. Can have a say in proceedings
- 11. TANTE JAJA** - Has four unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3800m in a Class 4 chase on November 10th. Hard to recommend
- 12. LADY DE ROUHET** - Unraced by Gemix, the dam never raced. Stable runners tend to improve for a run. Watch the betting patterns
- 13. LORD DU MINCLOU** - Unraced gelding by Conillon, will likely need this outing for experience and is best watched in the betting for clues
- 14. ROSA RUGOSA** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 3900m at Nantes in a Class 4 hurdle on September 10th. Down in class and can make the top three

Summary: LOKO MOME (2) showed improved form when fourth at Compiègne in what looked like a competitive claiming hurdle in late October. She looks like she is improving and is the tentative selection ahead of STYLE AROMA (8) who has been unplaced on her last two runs but scored at Vertou in August before that in a maiden hurdle by thirteen lengths. ROSA RUGOSA (14) is one to include in all of the place bet permutations. LA BELLE HISTOIRE (10) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

LOKO MOME (2) - STYLE AROMA (8) - ROSA RUGOSA (14) - LA BELLE HISTOIRE (10)

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C8 - PRIX HUBERT HARDY - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 26,000

- 1. RELAX HAS** - Has improved with racing over hurdles, 3rd last time on October 21st at Compiègne in a Class 3 race over 3600m. Hard to rule out of the frame
- 2. KEPLER** - Unplaced last time, 2nd on debut over 3900m over hurdles at this track before that on October 7th. In the mix
- 3. KERDANE** - Unplaced last time, won on debut over 3500m in a Class 3 hurdle before that on September 8th at Le Touquet. One to keep safe
- 4. L'AUTOCRATE** - Two unplaced runs over hurdles, the latter over 3600m at Argentan on October 20th in a Class 4 race. Has work to do to be involved
- 5. KREMLIN** - Nice form on the flat, 2nd last time over 2400m at Saint-Brieuc on October 6th, won in May at Niort. Hurdles debut and will be well schooled for a bold show
- 6. KABYLIE** - Nice 3rd on the latest run over 3600m at Auteuil over hurdles on September 19th. Looks promising and the one to beat
- 7. MANAROSE** - Won last time over 3200m in a Class 4 flat race at Landivisiau on October 13th. Second run over hurdles and others are preferred
- 8. KEFIR DES BORDES** - Unplaced hurdle debut last time, 2nd before that on the flat at St-Jean-De Mont on August 25th over 3100m. Best watched for the time being
- 9. KLAP FOREVER** - Unplaced on both runs over hurdles, the latter over 3500m at this track in a Class 4 race on October 19th. Unlikely to feature
- 10. KINGMAN D'AMSYL** - 4th on the flat last time over 2600m in a conditions race at Landivisiau on October 13th. Others make more appeal
- 11. KAPACA DE THAIX** - Two unplaced runs on the flat, the latter when 7th at Saint-Brieuc on October 27th over 2400m. From a shrewd stable and warrants respect on hurdles debut
- 12. KITO DE LA RUE** - Unplaced on the sole run on the flat over 3300m at Morlaix on September 22nd. Hurdle debut and is one to watch this time
- 13. LORCAN** - Won three races on the flat, Unplaced last time over 1900m in a Class 2 handicap at Chantilly on October 1st. Tries hurdles and is one to watch in the betting
- 14. LITTLE HEART** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 2300m at Redon on the flat on September 1st. Has shown very little in three runs over jumps in the Summer
- 15. LELLA DESJY** - Two unplaced runs so far, the latest over 3300m over hurdles at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on December 6th, 2023. Will need this run after an absence

Summary: KABYLIE (6) was a decent third at Auteuil in mid-September on her second try over hurdles. She will be sharper for that and can get the verdict over KREMLIN (5) who is a winner and ran well recently when second at Saint-Brieuc in early October. He will be well schooled by connections and can play a lead role on his hurdling debut. KERDANE (3) is already a winner and can make the top three. LORCAN (13) won three times on the flat and is one to watch in the betting on hurdles debut.

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SELECTIONS

KABYLIE (6) - KREMLIN (5) - KERDANE (3) - LORCAN (13)