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R2 CHERBOURG [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX CCAS DE CHERBOURG-EN-COTENTIN - 2550m (a1m1/2) -
Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 19,500**

1. LINDY D'OURVILLE - Yet to win a race but has been fair of late and was 5th last time out in Class F at Carentan over 2850m on 15 August. More is needed to win but could play a minor role

2. LITTLE DU RIB - Disqualified on debut but did a lot better when runner-up last time out in Class E at this course over 2625m on 16 June. Can go one better this time

3. LA MITIDJA - Unreliable and was 5th last time out in this division at Le Mans over 2950m on 27 July. Has run well at this course before and is not out of it

4. LIAISON MESLOISE - Yet to win a race but has been a runner-up in two of her last three starts, with the latest being in Class F at Le Sap over 2625m on 11 August. Has a place chance. Could play a minor role

5. LITTLE ITALY - Unreliable but did win her latest start, which was in Class F at Granville over 2400m on 4 August. Tackles stronger but deserves respect for that win

6. LINEA DE L'ALBA - Knocking hard at the door and was runner-up for the second time in a row in Class F at Agon-Coutainville over 2200m on 9 August.

7. LEEDS - Bounced back to her best with a win in Class F at Agon-Coutainville over 2200m on 9 August. Improving and has a place chance

8. LUNA BLANCA - Did now show her best when 8th last time out in Class E at Enghien over 2150m on 13 July. Capable of better and has a winning chance

9. LIMITLESS LOVE - Has disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Le Mont-Saint-Michel on 18 July. Won her penultimate start and could earn some minor money

10. L'IDOLE DRY - Has struggled so far and was 12th last time out in Class D at Cabourg over 2750m on 30 July. Needs major improvement to win

11. LISBONNE DELO - Has improved with each start and was a winner last time out in Class H at Sainte-Marie-du-Mont over 2425m on 4 August. Could make the frame

12. LOVELY GODIVA - Has some fair form and was 5th last time out in Class F at Meslay-du-Maine over 2875m on 30 July. Capable of making the frame

13. LOLITA - Disqualified in both starts so far, with the latest being in Class F at Rouen-Mauquenchy over 2850m on 22 July. Qualified in a smart time and could surprise if wise

Summary: LUNA BLANCA (8) returns to the province and could bounce back to beat these rivals. LITTLE ITALY (5) won her latest start and should be a threat if repeating that level of form but she is unreliable. LA MITIDJA (3) has run well at this track before and has a winning chance. LOLITA (13) qualified in a good time but has been disqualified in both starts.

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LUNA BLANCA (8) - LITTLE ITALY (5) - LA MITIDJA (3) - LOLITA (13)

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C2 - PRIX SUZANNE ET CLOVIS POTTIER - 2625m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Mounted - EUR € 19,500

- 1. KOHANA** - Battling to regain best form and was 6th last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Graignes over 2700m on 10 August. Needs to do more to win this race
- 2. KEILA TREMBLADAISE** - Showed improvement when barefoot and fourth last time out in Class F Mounted race at Rouen-Mauquenchy over 2850m on 5 August. Hard to trust but is capable of winning
- 3. KAMES MERITE** - Much improved since going barefoot and was third last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Rouen-Mauquenchy over 2850m on 5 August. Has a place chance
- 4. KIDAM DU METZ** - Has disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at La Capelle on 29 July. Others are much preferred
- 5. KELLY RAIN** - Unreliable but did show improvement when third last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Vire over 2825m on 12 June. Has a place chance
- 6. KEOPS DE GODINIÈRE** - Very unreliable but was third last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Graignes over 2700m on 1 August. Has disqualification issues but could earn some money
- 7. KALOU DE TESS** - In good form of late and was a winner last time out in a Class F Mounted race over this track and trip on 16 June. Can follow up
- 8. KALISTA DE LA COUR** - Holding form well and was third last time out in a Class F harness race at Agon-Coutainville over 2200m on 9 August. Tries a Mounted race and could score
- 9. KAIRAVE DES BAUX** - Has disqualification issues but did not run too badly when 5th last time out in a Class F harness race at Agon-Coutainville over 2200m on 9 August. Better under the saddle and could surprise
- 10. KIVIANA** - Has struggled of late and was 9th last time out in a Class E harness race at Châteaubriant over 2300m on 9 August. Does better in Mounted race but has yet to win
- 11. KAYENNE** - Has disqualification issues but did not run too badly when 5th last time out in a Class F Mounted race at La Capelle over 2750m on 29 July. Might play a minor role if smart
- 12. KATLINE MOUROTAISE** - Yet to win a race and was 6th last time out in a Class E Mounted race at Caen over 2450m on 17 June. Could make the frame
- 13. KALLYPIGE** - Disappointing form of late and was 6th last time out in a Class E Mounted race at Pornichet-La Baule over 2725m on 8 August. Capable of better but others are preferred
- 14. KARRY WHITE** - Seems at best at Graignes and was a barefoot winner last time out there in a Class F Mounted race over 2700m on 1 August. Can follow up if in the same mood
- 15. KISMIE DE MONTFORT** - On a very long losing run and was disqualified last time out at Cabourg on 6 August. Has run some fair races under the saddle and is not out of it
- 16. KOPERNIK DE GODREL** - Showed some improvement when third last time out in a Class E Mounted race at Pornichet-La Baule over 2725m on 8 August. Could earn some minor money

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Summary: KALOU DE TESS (7) is in good form and won over this track and trip last time out. He can score again under Anne Barthélemy. KALISTA DE LA COUR (8) has no run under the saddle before but has been consistent in harness races of late and would not be a surprise winner. KISMIE DE MONTFORT (15) has performed fairly in Mounted races and can contest the finish again. KEILA TREMBLADAISE (2) is hard to trust but is also capable of winning.

SELECTIONS

KALOU DE TESS (7) - KALISTA DE LA COUR (8) - KISMIE DE MONTFORT (15) - KEILA TREMBLADAISE (2)

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C3 - PRIX DELAUNAY PRODUCTIONS - 2625m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- 1. JOUVENCE DE KACY** - Has major disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Châteaubriant on 6 August. Needs major improvement to win
- 2. JOYCE PRIORY** - Very unreliable and was 6th last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Cabourg over 2750m on 6 August. Needs major improvement to win
- 3. JORDANIE** - Has struggled of late and was 8th last time out in Class F at Châteaubriant over 2300m on 9 August. Others are much preferred
- 4. JUDICIEUSE ZAILER** - Returned to her best when a barefoot winner last time out in Class F over 2750m on 26 July. Remains unshod and deserves respect for that win
- 5. JACKPOT DE PLOMB** - Unreliable but did run well when barefoot and runner-up last time out in Class F at Granville over 3125m on 4 August. Remains barefoot and is no out of it
- 6. JARNAC DE L'ITON** - Fluffed his lines with a disqualification last time out at La Roche-Posay on 11 August. Won two in a row before that and can bounce back to score
- 7. JOYAU PIYA** - On a very long losing run and was 5th last time out in Class F at Portball over 2650m on 11 August. Can win a race as weak as this
- 8. JOAL DU RIB** - Disqualified in his last four starts, with the latest being at Enghien on 14 August. Best watched for now
- 9. JUST FOR FUN** - Fluffed his lines with a disqualification at Laval on 26 June. Capable of popping up in a place when in the mood
- 10. JO DU DON** - Has disqualification issues but was no disgraced when 5th last time out in Class D at Enghien over 2875m on 3 August. Could play a minor role
- 11. JOYEUX NONNA** - On a very long losing run and was tenth last time out in Class D at Cabourg over 2750m on 26 July. Capable of earning some minor money when smart
- 12. JAZZ VERONE** - In very good form and was third last time out in Class E at Argentan over 1609m on 10 August. Can contest the finish
- 13. JUMBY BAY** - Disqualified last time out at Enghien on 13 July. Capable of better and has a place chance in this line-up
- 14. JODANNE DIESCHOOT** - Has disqualification issues but did run well last time out when runner-up in Class E at Enghien over 2875m on 28 July. Can go one better this time
- 15. JAHINA VITA** - Unreliable again this year but was not disgraced when third last time out in Class D at Langon over 2800m on 30 July. Can do even better this time around
- 16. JALENDRA DE MALAC** - Battling to find best form and was disqualified last time out at Abbeville on 11 August. Best watched for now

Summary: JOYAU PIYA (7) was not disgraced last time out and under Sébastien Ernault he could break a long losing run. JAHINA VITA (15) has been unreliable of late but can fight out the finish once again after a good last performance. JODANNE DIESCHOOT (14) only found one better on the day last time out but could go one better this time but does have disqualification issues. JARNAC DE L'ITON (6) won two in a tow before faulting last time out.

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**JOYAU PIYA (7) - JAHINA VITA (15) - JODANNE DIESCHOOT (14) - JARNAC DE L'ITON
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C4 - PRIX HORSY DREAM - 2550m (a1m1/2) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 20,000

- 1. IVA ROYALE** - Very consistent of late and was third last time out in Class F at La Ferté-Vidame over 2750m on 4 August. Capable of making the frame again
- 2. IDEAL DU BISTON** - Knocking hard at the door and was runner-up again in Class F at La Capelle over 2750m on 26 July. Can go one better this time
- 3. IGUANE DU BOCAGE** - Only modest of late and was 5th last time out in Class F at Les Sables-d'Olonne over 2650m on 7 August. Might earn some minor money
- 4. IN PETTO** - On a very long losing run and was 6th last time out in Class F at La Ferté-Vidame over 2750m on 21 July. Could be a threat in this line-up
- 5. IT'S EAGLE COGLAIS** - Has some fair form of late and was 5th last time out in Class F at Francheville over 2575m on 15 August. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 6. IRMA DE L'ECLAIR** - Disappointing last two runs, including when 13th last time out in Class F at Rochefort-sur-Loire over 3000m on 22 July. Did win twice before that and can bounce back to score
- 7. INVICTUS ORADEL** - Unreliable again this year and was 5th last time out in Class F at Saint-Malo over 2950m on 13 August. Could play a minor role at best
- 8. IGOVE DE LUNE** - A the top of his game and is hat-trick-seeking after some solid wins, with the latest being in Class F at Pornichet-La Baule over 2725m on 8 August. Not out of it
- 9. IF DU RIB** - On a very long losing run but did run well when runner-up last time out in Class E at Saint-Malo over 2950m on 7 August. Can contest the finish if in the same mood
- 10. IRINA DU GLAY** - Has major disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Carentan on 15 August. Needs major improvement to win

Summary: IDEAL DU BISTON (2) is at best going left-handed and deserves a turn of winning after two good recent runner-up performances. IN PETTO (4) is capable of better than the last run would suggest and is not out of it. IRMA DE L'ECLAIR (6) has struggled of late but did win two in a row earlier this year and deserves some respect. IF DU RIB (9) can also get involved with the finish if repeating the last run.

SELECTIONS

IDEAL DU BISTON (2) - IN PETTO (4) - IRMA DE L'ECLAIR (6) - IF DU RIB (9)

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C5 - PRIX DU PMU "LE NORMANDY" SAINT-SAUVEUR - 2625m (a1m1/2) - Class F Race - Mounted - EUR € 26,000

1. IRPIEU DE VARVILLE - Unreliable and he has been disqualified twice in his last three starts, including last time out at Les Sables-d'Olonne on 12 August. Has a winning chance when wise

2. IRIS DE TROUVILLE - Has been disqualified in her last five starts, with the latest being at Granville on 6 August. Best watched for now

3. I AM DE LA COUR - On a very long losing run and was disqualified last time out at Francheville on 15 August. Capable of making the frame when smart

4. ISPANO BELLO - Has disqualification issues but has been very good of late and was runner-up last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Meslay-du-Maine over 2875m on 16 May. Can win of fit from a break

5. HOULALA NONANTAIS - On a long losing run and was 5th last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Château-du-Loir over 2675m on 28 July. More is needed to win this race

6. ISIS WILD - Unreliable and was disqualified last time out at Châtelaillon-La Rochelle on 7 August. Did better earlier this year and has a place chance

7. GALOPIN DE CONDE - Disqualified in his last two starts, with the latest being at Graignes on 10 August. Others are preferred

8. FOREVER STONE - Unreliable this year and was 11th last time out in a Class E harness race at Cabourg over 2750m on 9 August. Did better under the saddle before that and can upset

9. ITALIA SOLO - Yet to win a race but is holding her form and was third last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Vibraye over 3100m on 15 August. Can contest the finish again

Summary: ISPANO BELLO (4) returns from a break but was in good form and can score if fit. ITALIA SOLO (9) is fit and holding form well but has yet to win a race. I AM DE LA COUR (3) is hard to trust and was disqualified last time out but does have a winning chance in an open-looking race. IRPIEU DE VARVILLE (1) is coming off three disqualifications but is another that is capable of winning.

SELECTIONS

ISPANO BELLO (4) - ITALIA SOLO (9) - I AM DE LA COUR (3) - IRPIEU DE VARVILLE (1)

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C6 - PRIX DES 3 JOURS CYCLISTES DE CHERBOURG - 2550m (a1m1/2) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 24,000

- 1. I RUN DE JANEIRO** - On a very long losing run and was 7th last time out in Class F at Argentan over 1609m on 10 August. Needs major improvement to win
- 2. ILLICO PRESTO FAC** - Did not show his best when 8th last time out in Class D at Enghien over 2875m on 3 August. In good form before that and has a winning chance
- 3. ILLICO DE BUSSET** - Disappointing recent form and was disqualified last time out at Argentan on 10 August. Capable of better but others are preferred
- 4. HERNANDO BELLO** - On a very long losing run but was runner-up last time out in Class E at Agon-Coutainville over 3450m on 9 August. Can go one better this time
- 5. HIER ENCORE** - Disqualified in his last two starts, with the latest being at Saint-Malo on 8 July. Needs major improvement to win
- 6. IDEFIX JIHEM** - Only modest of late and was 6th last time out in Class F at La Capelle over 2750m on 22 July. Capable of better and could play a minor role
- 7. HERMES DE BELHEME** - In good form of late and was fourth last time out in Class G at Pornichet-La Baule over 2725m on 8 August. Could play a minor role
- 8. ILARIA KILY** - Disappointing of late and was disqualified last time out at Laval on 27 June. Remains barefoot and is capable of an upset if smart
- 9. GANOVO** - Has lost his way of late and was disqualified last time out at Enghien on 20 July. Others are preferred
- 10. GRANADOS** - Did not show his best when unplaced last time out in Class F at Le Sap over 2625m on 11 April. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- 11. INDICE DU CAIEU** - Battling to find best form and was 9th last time out in a Class D Mounted race at Vincennes over 2700m on 24 December. Likely to need this run returning from a break
- 12. HULINA D'ARGOUGES** - In good form of late and was fourth last time out in Class G at Châteaubriant over 2300m on 9 August. Has a place chance
- 13. ICARE DU POMMEREUX** - Has some fair form of late and was 5th last time out in Class E at Cabourg over 2725m on 6 August. Can do even better this time around.
- 14. IGGY DES RIOULTS** - Has disqualification issues but was runner-up last time out in Class E at Cabourg over 2725m on 6 August. Should fight out the finish if wise

Summary: HERNANDO BELLO (4) was runner-up last time out over a lot further but is well positioned at the start and could go one better this time. There was not much between IGGY DES RIOULTS (14) and ICARE DU POMMEREUX (13) last time out at Cabourg earlier this month and both are capable of fighting out the finish again. ILLICO PRESTO FAC (2) was in good form before a disappointing last run and is another to consider.

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**HERNANDO BELLO (4) - IGGY DES RIOULTS (14) - ICARE DU POMMEREUX (13) -
ILLICO PRESTO FAC (2)**

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C7 - GRAND PRIX CLOVIS-YVES POTTIER - 2550m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 29,000

- 1. HARDY DES LANDES** - Out of sorts - went off the boil some time ago. Wasn't disgraced in finishing 5th over 3000m on 4 August at Neuillé-Pont-Pierre
- 2. IMPERIAL DURABUTIN** - Rejuvenated recently and is confirmed under these/similar conditions (without his irons), winning 3 of his last 4 starts - the latest over 2775m at Lignieres on 21 July. The one to beat
- 3. IDAHO A LA BRUYERE** - Complicated and seldom far from a fault - disqualified in 3 of his last 4 starts, the latest at Vincennes (2175m) on 4 February
- 4. HOPENESS** - Tricky customer with undeniable means - seldom finishes far off the mark when avoiding disqualification. Not written off despite her recent failure at Enghien on 14 August
- 5. GIGA DES PLAINES** - Out-of-sorts veteran mare who has finished unplaced in 3 consecutive recent outings, the latest over 2800m at Compiègne on 3 August
- 6. HAZILYS** - His entourage decides to return to the carriage after a disappointment under the saddle. Mistrust.
- 7. FIGARO GEMA** - Complicated veteran disqualified in 3 of his last 4 appearances, the latest over 21750m at Vincennes (8 August)
- 8. GAULE ROMAINE** - Unreliable performer, albeit at a higher level. Didn't go unnoticed when finishing 4th in a stronger race/field at Le Man over 2950m on 27 July
- 9. GOLD DE BERG** - Stopped his run of 4 consecutive disqualifications with a reassuring 5th over 2750m at La Capelle on 29 July. Confirmation required
- 10. IDEAL BOY** - Model of consistency with proven references under these conditions and at this level - finished 5th over 3000m at Rochefort on 22 July. Candidate for success
- 11. IN LOVE DE JIEL** - Out of sorts recently but undeniably capable of better, especially with David Thomain at the helm. Shouldn't be hastily condemned for his last-start 10th over 2700m at Vittel on 28 July

Summary: IMPERIAL DURABUTIN (2) has performed impressively since May, winning 3 of his last 4 starts including his latest, and is good value to continue his momentum entrusted to Thibault Dromigny once more. IDEAL BOY (10) is in good form and physical condition, and his candidacy shouldn't be underestimated on his return to this surface. HAZILYS (6) reverts to the harness category with legitimate ambitions, while IN LOVE DE JIEL (11), whose last 2 performance aren't reflective of his ability, is also dangerous to discount.

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IMPERIAL DURABUTIN (2) - IDEAL BOY (10) - HAZILYS (6) - IN LOVE DE JIEL (11)

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C8 - PRIX TENDANCE OUEST - 2600m (a1m1/2) - Class B Race - Harness - EUR € 29,000

- 1. KOUROUX** - Unplaced (8th) in a 2950m harness race at Le Mans in 5 August when resuming after a lengthy layoff. Just watch for now
- 2. KRISTAL DU RUEL** - Returned to form with a good 2nd in this (barefoot) configuration at Bréhal over 2850m on 12 August. Keep safe
- 3. KIKI DU ROC** - Versatile trotter whose best references have been achieved under the saddle. Disqualified in a 2950m harness race at Saint-Malo on 7 August
- 4. KADIJA MESLOISE** - Complicated filly seldom far from a fault - disqualified in 3 of her last 5 starts, including back-to-back outings at Vincennes recently, the latest on 14 June
- 5. KLASSIKA DIDALO** - Acquitted herself well when finishing 5th behind quality opponents over 2750m at Cabourg on 2 August. Lurker
- 6. KERMES** - Complicated and seldom far from a fault - disqualified in 5 of his last 6 starts, the latest over 2175m at Enghien on 3 August
- 7. KAP ORNE** - Versatile trotter with references in both codes. Unplaced (9th) under the saddle over 2750m at Cabourg on 2 August but reverts to the harness category with all 4 shoes removed (barefoot) for the first time in his career
- 8. KANO** - Ultra-consistent colt with sound references/form credentials, including a last-start 3rd at Clairefontaine over 2900m on 20 July
- 9. KHALEESI D'ALESA** - A tricky customer but she has undeniable means - confirmed as much by finishing 4th over 2150m at Enghien on 31 July. Keep safe
- 10. KEOPS TILLAYE** - Consistent for the most part and seldom finishes far off the mark. Didn't go unnoticed when 5th over 2850m at Carentan on 15 August
- 11. KATE MESLOISE** - Stylish last-start winner over 2700m at Vincennes on 21 June. Will be hard to beat if repeating that performance
- 12. KAPUSHA MIP** - Has shown her form and well-being with a win and a 2nd in her last 2 starts, both at Enghien over 2875m - latest on 20 July. Contender for the win
- 13. KARMA** - Lightly raced talented colt with sound references, especially in the harness category. Showed his versatility by finishing 5th in a Group II mounted race - disqualified in a Vincennes Group I mounted race on 23 June
- 14. KAVALA DE PADD** - Quality mare with references at a higher level but is best watched for now on her reappearance. Absent since finishing 2nd in a 2100m Group III at Vincennes on 17 December
- 15. KAMEHAMEHA** - Inconsistent performer, albeit at a higher level. Finished unplaced (11th) in a 2875m Quinte+ at Enghien (6 July) when resuming after a lengthy layoff

Summary: KATE MESLOISE (11) was an authoritative winner at Vincennes in late June and is probably worth siding with judged on that form. KAPUSHA MIP (12), whose competitiveness at this level is beyond doubt, and KHALEESI D'ALESA (9), after her reassuring recent 4th, are best equipped to challenge for the victory. KANO (8) made an interesting reappearance and could make his presence felt, along with KAP ORNE (7), who races barefoot for the first time.

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KATE MESLOISE (11) - KAPUSHA MIP (12) - KHALEESI D'ALESA (9) - KANO (8)