R4 LES SABLES D'OLONNE [L-H]

C1 - PRIX PIERRE TRICHET - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Class B Race - Harness - EUR € 30,000

- **1. LAUREL LA RAVELLE -** Revealed potential in the harness category early this year but has found his way under the saddle finished 3rd in a 2200m mounted race at Vichy on 21 September. Unlikely threat back in this code
- **2. LE ROI SOLEIL** Won his only completed outing (3 starts) under the saddle before finishing 8th in both harness-code appearances, the latest at Nantes over 2275m on 27 September
- **3. LUNE DE L'EMION -** Disqualified in back-to-back recent appearances, the latest at Vincennes on 28 August. Open to improvement on her return
- **4. LADY BIRD JENILAT** Last-start winner at Laval on 26 September when displaying smart acceleration to score over 2850m. Shouldn't be underestimated
- **5. LODEN D'HERFRAIE -** Promising trotter whose reassuring last-start 2nd over 2150m at Enghien on 28 September was encouraging and will stand him in good stead here. Keep safe
- **6. LOVE ME AGAIN -** Caught the eye on debut (4th) in a harness race at Argentan in January but has failed to build on that promise in 4 subsequent appearances in this code won and finished 4th in 2 starts under the saddle. Others preferred
- **7. LOUSTIC DE SALOMAX -** Unexposed trotter with undeniable means debut winner at Monpazier in June and added to his tally at Enghien over 2175m on 28 September. Attractive outsider
- **8. LADY DADA -** Made an encouraging return from a 2-month absence at Meslay-du-Maine on 2 October, finishing well to take 4th over 2875. Warrants serious respect
- **9. L'AS DESBOIS -** Enigmatic but undeniably capable colt with sufficient means/ability to be competitive in a race of this nature. Not hastily condemned, despite finishing 7th over 3000m at Rochefort on 5 August
- **10. LIZY JOSSELYN -** Experienced filly with sound references/form credentials, including a last-start 2nd (barefoot) on 6 October over 2800m on the turf at Rambouillet. Dangerous to discount
- **11. LASH PERRINE -** Showed early promise in the second half of last year before holding his own at a higher level in the first semester of 2024. Absent since finishing 10th in a 2175m Group II at Vincennes on 28 May for another day
- **12. LITTLE STRAWBERRY -** Consistent filly with sound references/form credentials at a higher level, albeit without success (10-start maiden). Wasnt disgraced when finishing 8th in a 2175m Group II at Vincennes on 17 August candidate for the victory
- **13. LIGHT MY FIRE -** Placed (3rd) in a Group II event over 2700m but was outclassed (12th) in a Group I race over the same distance at Vincennes on 14 September. Should redeem himself in these calmer waters under the grip of Eric Raffin

Summary: LIGHT MY FIRE (13) did not get the best of run in the Critérium des 3 Ans. He faces an easier task here and looks hard to oppose with Eric Raffin in the kart. LITTLE STRAWBERRY (12) boasts solid form at this level and will not go down without a fight. LADY DADA (8) posted a good comeback run at Meslay du Maine and with the natural progress can make her presence felt. LODEN D'HERFRAIE (5) was an eye-catching finisher at Enghien last time out and is not out of it.

SELECTIONS

LIGHT MY FIRE (13) - LITTLE STRAWBERRY (12) - LADY DADA (8) - LODEN D'HERFRAIE (5)

C2 - PRIX JEAN MARY - 2750m (a1m1/2) - Class B Race - Harness - EUR € 30,000

- **1. KENOR DE BASSIERE -** Complicated trotter disqualified in 11 of 17 appearances, including 3 consecutive recent outings the latest in a 2750m claimer at Lisieux on 13 October
- **2. KRONOS DE VANDEL -** Disqualified in 4 of his 6 starts in the harness category, the latest at Nantes in February. Has established himself under the saddle, winning consecutive starts and finishing 3rd over 2850m at Laval on 23 May for another day
- **3. KOOL GEORGES -** Consistent performer proven under these conditions/in this shoeing configuration. Finished 6th over track and trip in a similar race last month and still in contention at the time of his fault at Cordemais on 6 October joker!
- **4. KOALA DES ARCS -** Considerably talented but delicate in equal measure needs only to remain wise/avoid disqualification to play a leading role. Not hastily condemned for his last-start sanction at Cordemais on 6 October
- **5. KOKINE JABA -** Soundly beaten (15th) over 2150m at Enghien on 9 October when resuming after a lengthy 9-month absence. Best watched for now
- **6. KARA DE PADD -** Out of sorts but undeniably capable of making her presence felt in a race of this nature, given her references at a higher level. Unplaced (10th) over 2100m at Vincennes on 13 September but shouldn't be underestimated
- **7. KAKOU CAYENNAIS -** Lightly raced trotter with considerable potential and sound references/form credentials at a higher level. Hasnt been seen since finishing 7th (unshod behind) over 2100m at Vincennes on 21 January one to keep an eye on
- **8. KENZO DU MONT -** Inconsistent but undeniably capable trotter, though most effective racing unshod. Unplaced (9th) over 2150m at Enghien on 3 August and is shod on his reappearance best watched for now
- **9. KALIDA MANIA -** Relatively unexposed filly with a progressive profile and sound references at a higher level, especially unshod. Absent since finishing 2nd over 2700m at Vincennes on 25 February and presented with her irons not for now
- **10. KWARTZ SIBEY -** Continues to blow hot and cold but retains sufficient means/ability finished 2nd at Vincennes when last seen on 13 April over 2700m. Races shod on his reappearance so is best watched for now
- **11. KEPI DU HOME -** Out of sorts but competed at a higher level for most of his career boasts sound references/form credentials. Returned from a 7-month layoff to finish 7th (shod) over 2850m at Meslay-du-Maine on 2 October not for now
- **12. KHARNAS -** Rewarded for consistency with a last-start victory on turf over 2775m at Craon on 23 September. Reunited with Eric Raffin with whom he has always finished on the podium
- **13. KIKA JOSSELYN -** Delicate but considerably talented filly won 6 times and finished 4th twice in 8 completed races (12 starts). Disqualified in the initial stages when returning from a 5-month absence at Meslay on 2 October all or nothing
- **14. KATIM DU GOUTIER -** Experienced hard-knocker with sound references/form credentials in this (barefoot) configuration at a higher level. Faulted when still in contention for the leading places at Le Croise-Laroche over 2800m on 2 October

- **15. KIPHYLE DESBOIS -** Ultra-consistent performer with undeniable means, even with her irons although most effective racing unshod. Unplaced (10th) over 2800m at Cordemais on 3 August when resuming after a 6-month absence one to watch
- **16. KOSANOSTRA** Has regained her form/momentum recently after back-to-back disqualifications in Group races at Vincennes in August. Caught the eye when finishing 3rd over 2850m at Meslay on 2 October not taken lightly
- **17. KRAFEN -** Sparingly raced colt runner-up in a Group I mounted race last year. Returned from a 7-month layoff when 14th (shod) over 2800m at Rambouillet on 6 October best watched for now
- **18. KEENAN DE JOUDES -** Classy colt with solid references at a higher level (in Group races), including a last-start 3rd in a 2700m Group II at Vincennes on 8 June. Races shod on his return so is best watched for now

Summary: a winner on turf at Craon last time out, KHARNAS (12) can follow up back on sand and gets the vote. If he can stay applied all way around, KOALA DES ARCS (4) can make life difficult for the selection. Trainer Jean-Philippe Monclin has a strong hand in this line-up with both KIKA JOSSELYN (13) and KOSANOSTRA (16) who have the ability to make the frame in a race of this nature. KARA DE PADD (6) also has ability and cannot be excluded of the equation.

SELECTIONS

KHARNAS (12) - KOALA DES ARCS (4) - KIKA JOSSELYN (13) - KOSANOSTRA (16)

C3 - PRIX CONSTANT MEUNIER - 2750m (a1m1/2) - Class B Race - Harness - EUR € 35,000

- **1. JOKER DES APRES -** Achieved his best references (both career wins) at a significantly lower level and isn't likely to trouble the judge on the evidence of consecutive 10th-placed finishes, the latest at Nantes over 3000m on 7 October
- **2. JASMIN DU LUPIN -** Has won twice on this track but was disqualified in each of his 4 appearances in this (unshod) configuration. Wasn't disgraced in finishing 7th over 2650m at this venue on 9 August one to note with freshness on his side
- **3. JACOTTE DE TIZE -** Enigmatic mare with undeniable means usually acquits herself competitively (seldom far off the mark) when applied/remaining wise. Needs to reaffirm after recent disqualifications, the latest at Lyon-Parilly on 6 October
- **4. JAZZ MARTINEZ -** Model of consistency alternating between the 2 trotting codes won a 2700m mounted race at Graignes in August and finished a creditable 6th in a better 2850m harness race/field at Vincennes on 27 September beware!
- **5. JUNKY DE CHENU -** Consistent, lightly raced performer with sound references/form credentials never in this shoeing configuration. Didnt go unnoticed when 5th (shod) over 3000m at Nantes on 7 October
- **6. JILANZA DU MOULIN -** Disqualified twice and soundly beaten last time in 3 starts this year. Finished 11th at Nantes in a 3000m harness race on 27 September resuming after a 6-month absence
- **7. JOKE DE CHENU -** Inconsistent but undeniably capable trotter, though most effective racing unshod. Finished a reassuring 2nd over 2100m at Vincennes)when last seen on 25 June but races with her irons on her reappearance just watch for now
- **8. JAVOTTE MADRIK -** Rewarded for consistency with a last-start victory over 2700m at Vincennes on 9 October. Should be competitive
- **9. JADE HERINIERE -** Capable hard-knocker with the form and experience to acquit herself competitively at this level. However, hasn't been seen since finishing 5th over 2300m at Chateaubriant on 26 May for another day
- **10. JOLYDOLE -** Delicate but performs well when applied/remaining wise won her last 5 completed races (8 starts). Unbeaten in 3 associations with Eric Raffin, so can make amends for her last-start Pornichet disqualification on 21 September
- **11. JALOUZ D'OLIVERIE -** Disqualified in 3 consecutive outings early this year and hasn't been seen since the latest of those sanctions over 2150m at ENghien on 15 March. Best watched for now
- **12. JOY DU RIF -** Experienced mare with sound references/form credentials, though most effective racing unshod. Sidelined since 30 July when finishing 3rd (barefoot) at Langon over 2800m. For another day
- **13. JAVA D'ANAMA -** Last-start winner (unshod) at Vincennes over 2700m in the Quinte+ of 22 September. Presented with her irons for this commitment so unlikely to follow up
- **14. JABALPUR -** Capable trotter with sound references/form credentials at a higher level, including a Quinte+ victory over 2150m at Enghien in August. Outclassed (9th) in a 3000m Group I at Vincennes on 14 September shod but drops in class

- **15. JEWELCANDLE FAC -** Versatile last-start winner (unshod) of a 2700m Group II harness race at Vincennes on 13 April. One to note on her reappearance, even with her irons fitted
- **16. JAZZ IN MONTREUX -** Talented trotter under the saddle and last-start winner of a 2600m mounted race at Cherbourg on 25 September. Flattered to deceive in the harness category but races unshod here with Jean-Philippe Monclin engaged respect
- **17. JE M'ENVOLE -** Classy, versatile trotter with sound references/form credentials in both trotting disciplines but at best under the saddle (multiple Group winner in the mounted category). Absent since his disqualification on 17 December 2023
- **18. JAKARTAS DES PRES -** Well-performed trotter in both codes with references at a higher level. Didn't go unnoticed when 5th (shod) over 2600m at Cherbourg on 25 September dark horse

Summary: JOLYDOLE (10) can be a tricky customer but she is very smart when applied and can get the job done. She is entrusted to Eric Raffin and is worth a good look in. JUNKY DE CHENU (5) runs barefoot for the first time and looks the main threat to the selection. JAVOTTE MADRIK (8) won well at Vincennes last time out and can follow up despite the stiffer task. JAZZ IN MONTREUX (16) is better known in the ridden code but remains hard to ignore in a race like that.

SELECTIONS

JOLYDOLE (10) - JUNKY DE CHENU (5) - JAVOTTE MADRIK (8) - JAZZ IN MONTREUX (16)

C4 - PRIX DU VENDEE GLOBE - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Class D Race - Harness - EUR € 35,000

- **1. HELIA DE FROMENTIN** Experienced mare with sound references/form credentials, though most effective racing unshod. Disqualified at La Capelle on 23 September and races shod here others preferred
- **2. HIT PERRINE -** Honest performer, seldom far off the mark but rarely wins his races (just 3 victories from 61 appearances). Proven under these conditions/this configuration and game-in-defeat 5th over 2800m at Rambouillet on 6 October
- **3. HARPIE DE JED -** Consistent hard-knocker with sound references/form credentials, including a creditable last-start 4th at Enghien in a 2875m Quinte+ on 9 October not taken lightly
- **4. FAXIMA -** Out of sorts but isn't entirely incapable of getting a look-in here, despite finishing 10th (shod) at Segré last month (29 September). Rarely seen in this barefoot configuration
- **5. HELIA DE LAXA -** Demonstrating commendable consistency and is proven under these conditions/in this configuration. Finished a good 4th over 2750m at La Capelle on 23 September and the booking of Jean-Philippe Monclin augurs well
- **6. HOPPELA THEPOL -** Inconsistent but retains sufficient means, even with her irons fitted. Unplaced (8th) over 3000m at Nantes when last seen on 27 September outsider
- **7. HIPPY DE LA COUDRE -** Consistent and in good form/physical condition. Finished 5th at Alencon over 2650m on 6 October but races with all 4 shoes removed for this commitment, the same configuration in which he scored at Pornichet last month
- **8. GAMIN DE COKTAIL -** Enigmatic trotter with undeniable means. Usually acquits himself well/competitively (seldom far off the mark) on a going day but is out of sorts at present finished 10th over 2850m at Lyon-Parilly on 18 September
- **9. HOSANNA DE CHENU -** Out of sorts but has the undeniable means/ability to make her presence felt in a race of this nature, even with her irons after a 6-month absence. Hasnt been seen since her disqualification at Neuillé-Pont-Pierre on 28 April
- **10. HORIZON CARISAIE** Versatile veteran with sound references/credentials in both trotting disciplines although most effective under the saddle. Returns to the harness code after finishing 6th (unshod) in a 2250m Enghien mounted race on 8 October
- **11. HELLO JADE RUSH -** Runner-up in 5 of her last 6 starts (all under the saddle), including 3 consecutive recent outings the latest over 2875m at Meslay on 2 October. Not incapable of getting a look-in back under harness
- **12. HISTOIRE MODERNE -** Complicated and seldom far from a fault but usually acquits herself well when applied/avoiding disqualification. Sanctioned in back-to-back recent starts, the latest at Enghien on 9 October but won on her last visit to this track
- **13. GAZELLE DE VAL -** Well-performed versatile veteran and winner of back-to-back recent starts in the mounted category, the latest at Vincennes over 2175m on 7 September. Most effective racing unshod but shouldn't be underestimated
- **14. GREZ -** Out of sorts but undeniably capable of making his presence felt in a race of this ilk, judged on his best references at a higher level. Unplaced (9th) over 2875m at Enghien on 7 October dark horse

- **15. HARISON DU PLESSIS -** Thriving veteran trotter enjoying a purple patch won consecutive recent appearances, the latest over 2650m at Cordemais on 6 October. Sets the standard
- **16. GAI MATIN -** Consistent, hard-knocking veteran in good form and physical condition. Didn't go unnoticed when 7th at Alencon on 6 October (performed better than his ranking suggests) and is a candidate for success with Benjamin Rochard
- **17. GIANINA BELLA -** Inconsistent but undeniably capable veteran mare, though most effective barefoot. Showed her form/well-being by finishing 5th in a 2875m Quinte+ at Enghien on 9 October
- **18. HERE I GO AGAIN -** Well-performed trotter in the mounted category with references at a higher level. Unlikely to trouble the judge on his reappearance (shod) in this code after finishing 4th under the saddle at Vincennes when last seen on 21 June

Summary: An easy winner of his last two races, HARISON DU PLESSIS (15) looks unstoppable at the minute and can make it three in a row.. HISTOIRE MODERNE (12) has run well at the venue before and should also be shortlisted. GAI MATIN (16) ran a better race than his last placing suggests and cannot be overlooked in a race of this nature. HIPPY DE LA COUDRE (7) won under the same shoeing feature last month at Pornichet and is worth a good look in.

SELECTIONS

HARISON DU PLESSIS (15) - HISTOIRE MODERNE (12) - GAI MATIN (16) - HIPPY DE LA COUDRE (7)

C5 - PRIX DES PARIEURS - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 24,000

- **1. INAO SAINT CLAIR -** Performs well in this shoeing configuration and has solid references at this level. Disappointing 8th (unshod) over 2850m at Durtal on 13 October but isn't hastily condemned, especially with Jean-Philippe Monclinat the helm
- **2. ISEO PRIOR** Honest performer with sound references/form credentials seldom far off the mark, though rarely wins (has just 3 victories from 36 appearances). Races shod here after finishing 5th (unshod) at Durtal over 2850m on 13 October
- **3. IGGY PERRINE -** Out of sorts but, judged on his best form/references, has the means to make his presence felt in a race like this if bouncing back from consecutive recent disqualifications the latest at Graignes on 29 September. Dark horse
- **4. IDEAL CHALEONNAIS -** Experienced but has little else going for him unlikely to trouble the judge on the evidence of his latest (unplaced) race at Thouars over 2700m on 14 September. Others preferred
- **5. INDIANA TESS -** Complicated and rarely far from a fault but tends to acquit herself competitively when applied/remaining wise, especially in this shoe-fitting. Didn't go unnoticed when 6th (shod) over 2750m at Cabourg on 3 October
- **6. IMPECC BLUE -** Enigmatic trotter disqualified in consecutive recent outings, the latest over 2650m at Laon on 13 October. Needs to reaffirm
- **7. ICONE DE L'ETRE -** Tricky customer with undeniable means/ability. Confirmed the form/improvement of her penultimate start (2nd) by finishing 3rd at Laval over 2850m on 5 October. Legitimate candidate for success with Eric Raffin at the helm
- **8. IASELMA -** Bounced back to form with a reassuring last-start victory in this shoeing configuration over 2750m at Cabourg on 3 October. Will be a factor here if reproducing that performance
- **9. IRONIE DE CHENU -** Capable trotter with sound references at this level and a victory on this course over 2625m in July. Not as effective in 2 starts since, the latest (4th) in a 2900m claimer at Challans on 13 October after a 3-month absence
- **10. ISMIR DE L'ORMERIE -** Honest, versatile trotter with undeniable means usually acquits himself competitively (seldom far off the mark) on a going. Didn't go unnoticed when 6th in a 3200m harness race at Blain on 22 September but races shod here
- **11. HANACK DE VIVOIN -** Consistent hard-knocker with solid references/form credentials seldom finishes far off the mark. Reassured with an improved 4th in a better race/field at Vincennes over 2700m on 4 October. Not taken lightly
- **12. INTERIM BOY -** Model of consistency throughout 2023 and in 2 starts this year (finished 2nd in both) before blotting his copybook with a last-start disqualification at Vincennes on 1 March. Presented shod on his reappearance so for another day
- **13. IRRESISTIBLE PAJ -** Honest hard-knocker whose competitiveness at this level is beyond doubt. Finished 10th at Graignes over 2725m on 13 October when resuming after a 2-month absence but would've come on from that race will fight for victory
- **14. IDEAL DE RIVRAY -** Enigmatic trotter who continues to blow hot and cold. Reassured with an improved/encouraging 4th over 2750m at Angoulême on 6 October confirmation is expected

- **15. IDEAL DELADOU -** Wasnt winning out of turn when adding to his tally with a 2750m Cabourg success on 5 October, after consecutive 2nd-place finishes in 2 starts prior. Remains competitive for the leading places
- **16. INSTANT D'HAUFOR -** Inconsistent but undeniably capable trotter, though most effective with his irons removed (unshod). Disqualified (shod) at Nantes on 27 September when resuming a 6-month absence
- **17. IDEFIX DU MANS -** Prolific this year, winning 4 times and finishing 2nd twice in 7 completed outings (8 starts). Scored over 2850m at Nuillé-sur-Vicoin on 13 October

Summary: IRRESISTIBLE PAJ (13) did not get the best of run last time at Graignes. He is on a redemption mission and should be able to make the balance for his unlucky last run. IDEAL DE RIVRAY (14) is not the most reliable trotter but he goes barefoot today and should be closely monitored. IASELMA (8) won well at Cabourg last time and in similar form is another one who can play a leading role. ICONE DE L'ETRE (7) is back in a harness race with Eric Raffin at the helm and cannot be discounted.

SELECTIONS

IRRESISTIBLE PAJ (13) - IDEAL DE RIVRAY (14) - IASELMA (8) - ICONE DE L'ETRE (7)

C6 - PRIX CAMILLE BOUGRAS - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 24,000

- **1. JAXO DE LA NOEMIE -** Didn't go unnoticed when 4th at Saint-Jean-de-Monts over 2625m on 7 September but that was in a considerably weaker race than this. Others preferred
- **2. JAG DE MARCAY -** Authoritative last-start winner of a 2850m Lyon-Parilly harness race on 22 September. Faces a sterner examination

3. JACADI DE PEBRAC -

- **4. JULIETTE D'OO -** Out of sorts at present but boasts sound references at this level/under these conditions, so shouldn't be hastily condemned for an underwhelming last-start 8th at Châteauroux on 29 September
- **5. JOYAU WINNER -** Rarely far from a fault and continues to blow hot and cold. Didn't go unnoticed when 7th (unshod) over 2750m at Angouleme on 6 October
- **6. JACK IS HAUFOR -** Delicate trotter with undeniable means although most effective unshod. Disqualified (shod) at Nantes over 3000m on 27 September
- **7. JIGSAW D'AMOUR -** Tricky customer who is seldom far from a fault but usually acquits himself competitively when not disqualified. Absent since finishing 3rd over 2100m at Vincennes on 23 February
- **8. JUST PRINCESS -** Sparingly raced mare with undeniable means. Produced a career-best performance to win her most recent outing over 2100m at Vincennes on 8 June one to keep an eye on
- **9. JUSTE SNOB** Inconsistent but not entirely incapable of getting into the picture if building/improving on his comeback 6th over 2850m at Laval on 5 October
- **10. JIVA -** Out of sorts at present, albeit in other shoeing configurations but retains sufficient means and has references at a higher level. Not taken lightly despite finishing an underwhelming 11th over 2875m at Enghien on 9 October
- **11. JAMBIER -** Tricky customer seldom far from a fault, though usually acquits himself well/competitively when not disqualified. Finished a reassuring 4th over 2750m at Cabourg on 3 October
- **12. JYTRACE DE HOUELLE -** Last-start winner (unshod) over 2850m at Vincennes. However, that was way back on 18 February watch for now
- **13. JONQUILLETE CREPIN -** Has won 4 times and finished 2nd twice in 6 completed outings (10 starts) this year and shouldn't be condemned for her last-start faux pas in a 2700m Group II mounted race at Vincennes on 11 October. Question of her wisdom
- **14. JACK BARROW -** Lightly raced trotter with sound references in both codes. Races barefoot in this category for the first time after a last-start disqualification under the saddle at Dozule on 16 June. Interesting prospect on his reappearance
- **15. JOYAU BLUE -** A model of consistency who rarely disappoints when racing unshod. Proven at this level and under these/similar conditions confirmed as much with consecutive recent victories, the latest over 2050m at Laval on 26 September

- **16. JALNA GIRL -** Delicate trotter with undeniable means/ability, even with her irons fitted confirmed as much with a good 2nd at Vincennes over 2700m on 28 May. Not taken lightly on her reappearance
- **17. JASMINE DE JYR -** Ended a run of 3 consecutive disqualifications with a reassuring 4th over 2875m at Meslay-du-Maine on 2 October. Confirmation expected

Summary: Quality trotter, JACK BARROW (14) is presented unshod on all four feet from his first appearance under the rule of Guillaume Gillot. Entrusted to Eric Raffin, he will be preferred to his training companion JONQUILLETE CREPIN (13), back in harness trotting. Full skin currently, JOYAU BLUE (15) is also a contender for the podium. JASMINE DE JYR (17) has just reassured and has her say in this event, like JIVA (10), completely unshod this time.

SELECTIONS

JACK BARROW (14) - JONQUILLETE CREPIN (13) - JOYAU BLUE (15) - JASMINE DE JYR (17)

C7 - PRIX JAMES MILCENDEAU - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Mounted - EUR € 30,000

- **1. ISABELLA DIMJY** Unreliable but did run well when third last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Meslay-du-Maine over 28275m on 2 October. Not out of it
- 2. IGNACE GUENESERIE Has disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Laon on 13 October. Capable of making the frame when in the mood
- **3. IDEAL DU NOYER -** Very consistent and was victorious last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Laon over 2850m on 13 October. Can follow up
- **4. IRESINE DU LUPIN -** Has lost her way of late and was tenth last time out in a Class D Mounted race at Meslay-du-Maine on 2 October. Others are preferred
- **5. GALION VOLSIN -** Has struggled of late and was tenth last time out in a Class D harness race at Segré over 2700m on 6 October. More is needed to win
- **6. HEVA BLONDE -** Has major disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Enghien on 14 October. Capable of contesting the finish when smart
- 7. IROKO DU LOIR Very consistent all year and was runner-up last time out in a Class E Mounted race at Pornichet-La Baule over 2725m on 21 September. Big chance
- **8. FALAKI DE CAHOT -** Diisqualified in the last two starts, with the latest bieng at Cavaillon on 20 September. Capable of better but others are preferred
- **9. EKINOA DU PATURAL -** Hard to trust and is coming off two disqualifications in a row , with the latest being at Beaumont-de-Lomagne on 9 September. Best watched for now
- **10. ISOCRATE D'ELA -** Has struggled of late and was 7th last time out in a Class A Mounted race at Cherbourg over 2600m on 25 September. Needs to find a few lengths to win

Summary: During his recent outing in Pornichet, IROKO DU LOIR (7) only found Västerbo Imtheman (who confirmed) to block his path to victory. In this meeting, he found a great opportunity to return to the post in the lead. IDEAL DU NOYER (3), brilliant winner in last place, and ISABELLA DIMJY (1), who has just beaten the last one, will be directly opposed to him. If she deigns to remain wise, HEVA BLONDE (6) can come and confuse the cards.

SELECTIONS

IROKO DU LOIR (7) - IDEAL DU NOYER (3) - ISABELLA DIMJY (1) - HEVA BLONDE (6)

C8 - PRIX EFIKA SOLUTIONS - 2775m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 21,000

- 1. KOOKY LA HURETRY Yet to win a race but has been fair of late and was fourth last time out in class F at Cordemais over 2825m on 12 October. Might playa minor role
- **2. KENYA FLIGNY -** Has disqualification isues and was disqualified last time out at Segré on 29 September. Hard to trust and others are preferred
- **3. KRONOS SMART -** Showed improvement when runner-up last time out in Class F at Lisieux over 2725m on 22 September. Barefoot and ready to strike
- **4. KALYPSO -** Unreliable and was 9th last time out in Class E at Saint-Malo over 2950m on 29 September. Others are preferred
- **5. KRUG LOVER -** Has disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Lyon-Parilly on 18 September. Hard to trust but is capable of a surprise when smart
- **6. KINGA -** Disappointing form of late and was 6th last time out in Class F over this track and trip on 20 September. Needs to do more to win
- **7. KENZO A TROIS -** In good form and was a winner last time out in Class f at Niort over 2475m on 15 September. Tougher task this time
- **8. KAYCAT WARRIOR -** Showed some improvement when fourth last time out in Class F at Castéra-Verduza over 2800m on 7 October. Yet to win and others are preferred
- **9. KAVIASE -** In good form and was runner-up last time out at In Class F at Cordemais over 2825m on 12 October. Can go one better
- **10. KAOUITO DES GLENAN -** Yet to win a race and was 6th last time out in Class E at Nantes over 3000m on 7 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **11. KATINKA GEMA** Lost many lengths at the start last time out so was not disgraced when tenth in Class E at Vincennes over 2100m on 8 October. Can win if smart
- **12. KERRO DE HOUELLE -** Only modest of late and was 6th last time out in Class E at Laval over 2850m on 5 October. Barefoot this time and has a place chance
- **13. KROSS FINGERS -** Has disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Clairefontaine-Deauville on 14 July. Bets watched for now
- **14. KASSIOPEE DU NOYER -** Yet to win a race and was 6th last time out in Class D at Cabourg over 2750m on 16 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **15. KEJAIME DE HOUELLE -** Unreliable and was disqualified last time out at Vincennes on 14 May. Returns from a break and could need the run
- **16. KOUIDITCH D'ABOMEY -** Improving and was an easy winner last time out in Class E at Challans over 2900m on 13 October. Be right there at the finish once again
- **17. KENZA D'AMOUR -** Unreliable but was runner-up last time out at in Class E at Laval over 2850m on 5 October. Barefoot this time and has a winning chance

Summary: Author of a pleasant end to the race in the last place, KAVIASE (9) should soon return to success. KRONOS SMART (3), barefoot for the first time, KOUIDITCH D'ABOMEY (16), easy winner recently in Challans, and KENZA D'AMOUR (17), the richest in the event, will be rivals of choice. Noticed in the background during her last appearance in Vincennes, KATINKA GEMA (11) can take an active part in the finish, just like KERRO DE HOUELLE (12), unshod on all four feet for the occasion.

SELECTIONS

KAVIASE (9) - KRONOS SMART (3) - KOUIDITCH D'ABOMEY (16) - KENZA D'AMOUR (17)