

# THURSDAY, 21/03/24

## C1 - PRIX DUNETTE - 2100m (a1m 1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 53,000

### 1. GIVE ME GOLD -

**2. GIRAFFE** - In full possession of her means and thrives on heavy ground, which she confirmed by finishing 2nd in a 2000m Quinte+ on the turf at Marseille-Borely on 27 February

**3. BEAUTIFUL MEMORY** - Consistent performer with sound references, including a victory at this level. Finished 9th in a 2150m Quinte+ at Cagnes on 29 January on her comeback after an absence of three months - can do better

**4. SEA BREAKER** - Caught the eye on her reappearance when finishing 2nd over 2200m at Fontainebleau on 2 March after a three-month absence. Will have a role to play having already proven herself on heavy ground

**5. LOFSONGUR ISLANDE** - Has made six consecutive appearances in Quinte+ races and resurfaced with an encouraging 4th over 2500m on PSF at Deauville on 26 January. Must confirm on turf after a subsequent break

**6. DEEP SEA** - Last-start winner of a 1900m PSF handicap at Deauville on 29 November and carries a 3kg penalty in her comeback outing on turf. For another day

**7. LEGEND** - Has already proven her efficiency and competitiveness on heavy ground and at Quinte+ level. Hasn't been seen since finishing 6th on a 2400m turf Listed race at Toulouse on 26 November

**8. RODAINAH** - Progressive filly whose limits remain unknown. Won consecutive conditions races last year, on turf at Evereux in September winning her latest outing on PSF over 2400m at Pornichet on 2 October

**9. BRANDYWINE** - Consistent for the most part and has sound references, including a good 3rd in her only appearance at this level. Finished 3rd on her comeback over 2100m at Marseille-Borély on 13 February

**10. BUMBLE BEE** - Consistent, lightly raced mare whose references include a last-start 6th in a 1900m Quinte+ on PSF at Deauville against males on 3 February. Dark horse

**11. SPEEDY ANGEL** - Lightly raced mare plagued by soundness issues - has run just 5 times but already revealed serious means. Caught the eye on her reappearance when 5th over 1800m on PSF at Chantilly on 1 March

**12. KIMINA** - Inconsistent mare whose last success was achieved in November 2021. Confirmed on heavy ground but will be stretched by this distance, so can be ruled out - finished 7th over 1600m at Fontainebleau last time out (2 March)

**13. LIGHTED GLORY** - Returned to form with a last-start success in a 2150m claimer at Cagnes with Australian blinders for the first time on 7 February. Needs to confirm

**14. HADYA** - Last-start winner of a 2100m PSF handicap at Chantilly on 1 March in her first outing beyond 1950m. Carries a 2,5kg penalty back on the turf and in her Quinte+ debut

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**15. DREAM WUKAIR** - Inconsistent filly whose best references have been achieved at a lower level. Finished 13th in a 2500m turf handicap at cagnes on 21 February and races off an unchanged mark - watch for now

**16. MORISOT** - Consistent mare with sound references in the Quinté+ category off a higher mark. Hasn't been seen since finishing 5th in a 2500m PSF handicap at Deauville on 5 December

**Summary:** SPEEDY ANGEL (11) made an encouraging reappearance on her return from a lengthy 406-day absence when running on to finish an eye-catching 5th on PSF at Chantilly recently. She ought to have tightened up with the benefit of that comeback run so, with improved fitness on her side, should find herself fighting for victory if effective on heavy ground. GIRAFFE (2), on the other hand, has serious references on such going and is likely to pose a threat, as is 'mud-lark' LEGEND (7), who has a habit of running well under similar conditions. BEAUTIFUL MEMORY (3) also caught the eye on her seasonal reappearance at Cagnes and the booking of Stéphane Pasquier bodes well for her chances too, so must also be considered for the leading positions. SEA BREAKER (4), RODAINAH (8), and BRANDYWINE (9) complete the shortlist.

## SELECTIONS

**SPEEDY ANGEL (11) - GIRAFFE (2) - LEGEND (7) - BEAUTIFUL MEMORY (3)**

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**C2 - PRIX DU DEBUT - 900m (a4f 1/2) - TURF - Newcomers - Flat - EUR €  
30,000**

- 1. REVOLUTIONNAIRE** - Mickaël Barzalona rides this Penny's Picnic filly who was supplemented to participate in this event by trainer Francis-Henri Graffard
- 2. EL KRAKEN** - Goken colt trained by Stéphane Cérulis who has engaged Christophe Soumillon to ride. Keep safe
- 3. LA MOSCA** - Hiroo Shimizu-trained Le Brivido filly to be ridden on debut by Jacky Nicoleau with the aid of a 1,5kg allowance
- 4. CONVO** - Amy Murphy-trained Kodiak filly whose sister Jibber Jabber was precocious. Tony Piccone engaged to ride
- 5. MIA WAVE** - Giovanni Sias' 3,5kg allowance will benefit this Silverwave filly trained by Alessandro & Giuseppe Botti
- 6. HERRENCHIEMSEE** - Fabrice Vermeulen-trained Goken debutante to be ridden by Aurélien Lemaitre. Not taken lightly
- 7. BOMBONERA** - Birchwood debutante whose dam is closely related to the smart Garlingari. Ronan Thomas rides for the Carlos & Yann Lerner stable

**Summary:** Amy Murphy has been very successful with her two-year-olds which bodes well for the chances of well-bred newcomer CONVO (4), whose sister finished 5th in a Group II race at Santa Anita. REVOLUTIONNAIRE (1) represents the formidable stable of Francis-Henri Graffard and is also a candidate for success with Mickaël Barzalona engaged for the ride. Of the remainder, both BOMBONERA (7) and EL KRAKEN (2), with Christophe Soumillon aboard, are others capable of getting involved.

## SELECTIONS

**CONVO (4) - REVOLUTIONNAIRE (1) - BOMBONERA (7) - EL KRAKEN (2)**

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## C3 - PRIX SUAVE DANCER - 2000m (a1m 1/4) - TURF - Newcomers - Flat - EUR € 27,000

- 1. CANET DE SALARS** - Giovanni Sias takes 3,5kg off the back of this New Bay gelding on debut for Alessandro & Giuseppe Botti
- 2. DIANTHUS** - Adrien Fouassier-trained Zelzal colt to be ridden by Pierre Remoué with the benefit of a 3,5kg allowance
- 3. INTISAR** - This Intello gelding is closely related to the useful Marzouk, also trained by Mikel Delzangles. Cannot be underestimated with Ioritz Mendizabal engaged to ride
- 4. KALET** - Enzo Crublet takes 2,5kg off the back of this Le Havre colt trained by Jean-Claude Rouget. Keep safe
- 5. LARCIN** - Hugo Journiac has been booked to ride this City Light gelding trained and owned by Rodolphe Collet
- 6. HUNGRY HEART** - Zelzal gelding trained by Mauricio Delcher-Sanchez who has engaged Len Meury to ride. Outsider
- 7. MISTER PRESIDENT** - The Grey Gatsby colt to be ridden on debut by Tony Piccone for trainer Henri-Alex Pantall. Dark horse
- 8. EXISTENTIALISTE** - Magna Grecia colt trained by Andreas Schutz whose decision to engage Cristian Demuro is notable. Respect
- 9. NEWLOOK** - Ronan Thomas rides this New Bay gelding on debut for Carlos & Yann Lerner. Best watched for now
- 10. GLANCE OF STARS** - Cloth Of Stars colt entered in the Group I Prix du Jockey Club. Trainer Damien Artu has also engaged Christophe Soumillon to ride
- 11. MORO** - Stéphane Pasquier rides this Montmartre colt on debut for trainer Pascal Bary. Will tempt lovers of outsiders
- 12. BENIMARU** - Gleneagles colt whose brother, Greenland, won a Group III race on this track. Alexis Pouchin rides for trainer Stephane Wattel
- 13. MAITRE D'ARMES** - Wootton Bassett gelding trained by Francis-Henri Graffard and to be ridden by Mickaël Barzalona. Not taken lightly
- 14. BIRTHDAY GIFT** - Damien Artu-trained Montmartre gelding to be ridden on debut by Eddy Hardouin. Best watched for now
- 15. NOOTKA BAY** - George Vancouver gelding on debut for trainer Sébastien Jésus who has engaged Rosario Mangione to ride
- 16. BABAKOOL** - A well-bred Dubawi colt with classic commitments. Trainer Christophe Ferland has engaged Maxime Guyon to ride

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**Summary:** Well-bred BABAKOOL (16) is the son of Terrakova, who finished 3rd in the 2017 Group I Prix de Diane, so will attract lots of attention on his racecourse debut. As brother to the talented Baby Rider, well-related GLANCE OF STARS (10) is also a candidate for success, especially as he's thought highly enough of by his connections to be deemed worthy of a Group I Prix du Jockey Club entry. MAITRE D'ARMES (13) represents the formidable Barzalona-Graffard combination so is another on the shortlist of potential winners. BENIMARU (12), EXISTENTIALISTE (8) and KALET (4) are not without a chance either/

## SELECTIONS

**BABAKOOL (16) - GLANCE OF STARS (10) - MAITRE D'ARMES (13) - BENIMARU (12)**

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## C4 - PRIX MONADE - 2000m (a1m 1/4) - TURF - Newcomers - Flat - EUR € 27,000

- 1. ZINDRA** - Well-bred Golden Horn debutante entered in the Group I Prix de Diane. Stéphane Pasquier rides for trainer Francis-Henri Graffard
- 2. SALVE CAMELIA** - The second string to Francis-Henri Graffard's bow. Mickaël Barzalona rides Le Havre filly on debut
- 3. AQUILAE** - Pierre Groualle-trained Zoustar newcomer to be ridden by Clément Lecoeuvre. One to make note of
- 4. ZARAKIVA** - This Zarak filly trained by Mikel Delzangles will be ridden on debut by Sophie Chuette, with the aid of a 2,5kg allowance
- 5. QUEENFLEUR** - Damien Artu-trained Cloth Of Stars debutante to be ridden by Eddy Hardouin. Best watched for now
- 6. PORTUCALE** - Alexis Pouchin is a notable jockey booking aboard this Ruler Of The World newcomer from the stable of Etienne & Grégoire Leenders
- 7. BEAUTOFOAL** - Augustin Madamet has been engaged to ride this Mathieu Brasme-trained Motivator filly on debut
- 8. REUILLY** - Nicolas Clément-trained Le Havre newcomer who runs in the interests of Gérard Augustin-Normand. Thomas Trullier rides
- 9. MISSION SECRETE** - Cristian Demuro is an eye-catching jockey booking aboard this Lucie Pontoir-trained Masked Marvel newcomer
- 10. PRINCESS OF AGATE** - Marie Vélon takes a handy 1,5kg off the back of this Le Havre debutante trained by Alessandro and Giuseppe Botti
- 11. SANDY BAY** - Christophe Soumillon is a notable jockey booking aboard this Lucie Pontoir-trained Spanish Moon debutante
- 12. STARS AND AWAY** - Sea The Stars debutante trained by Henri-Alex Pantall, who has engaged Tony Piccone to ride. Can't be underestimated
- 13. PRINCESSE ANDROS** - Sylvain Dehez-trained Taj Mahal filly to be ridden on debut by Ronan Thomas. Best watched for now
- 14. PENTRESHMES** - Stéphane Wattel-trained Le Havre filly whose dam, Tamazirte, established herself at Group I level. Théo Bachelot rides
- 15. MOSAIQUE** - Carlos Laffon-Parias has engaged Maxime Guyon to partner this Dubawi filly whose dam, The Juliet Rose, placed in the Group I Prix Vermeille. Keep safe

**Summary:** Group I Prix de Diane entry, ZINDRA (1) is a well-bred filly closely related to a Group III placed performer in Ireland and, being a well-bred Aga Khan newcomer, is likely to attract the majority of support. PENTRESHMES (14), as a daughter of the excellent Group I campaigner Tamazirte, is also expected to be competitive on debut. MOSAIQUE (15), in the colors of the Wertheimer brothers, as well as SALVE CAMELIA (2) and STARS AND AWAY (12), cannot be underestimated either in this contest for unraced three-year-old fillies.

### SELECTIONS

ZINDRA (1) - PENTRESHMES (14) - MOSAIQUE (15) - SALVE CAMELIA (2)

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**C5 - PRIX DE LA PORTE DE MADRID - 2400m (a1m 1/2) - TURF - Listed - Flat - EUR € 52,000**

**1. MIKA D'O** - Good form, finished 4th over 2150m in Listed company at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 25th of February. Huge chance

**2. HOMO DEUS** - Boasts strong form, won a Listed race over 2150m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 25th of February. Rates hard to beat. Win

**3. RASHFORD** - Was a winner of a Listed race over 2500m at Deauville on the 19th of October last year. Should need the run but can earn. Place

**4. ALWAYS WELCOME** - Posted an attractive 3rd over 2150m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer in a Listed field on the 25th of last month and has serious claims. Strong each way

**5. DIAMOND VENDOME** - Won a much weaker race last time over 2000m at La Teste and will need to do much more to threaten here. Pass by

**6. HARRY WAY** - Been in competitive races, finished 3rd over 2150m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 5th of last month and can go close. Strong place

**7. AMNERIS** - Ran a huge race when 2nd over 2500m at Deauville in December last year but has not been seen since. Should need the run, others stronger. Small chance

**Summary:** HOMO DEUS (2) boasts strong form and feature race victories too. His last win was in a Listed race over 2150m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer and he should be hard to oppose. MIKA D'O (1) is another in a rich vein of form, has won features and ran a great race last time when 4th over 2150m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. A huge effort can be expected again. HARRY WAY (6) looks to have more of a place chance than a winning one in this and is a must for the quartet. ALWAYS WELCOME (4) is holding his own in strong races and must be included on the shortlist. Bright chance.

## SELECTIONS

**HOMO DEUS (2) - MIKA D'O (1) - HARRY WAY (6) - ALWAYS WELCOME (4)**

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## C6 - PRIX RIVERQUEEN - 2100m (a1m 1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 27,000

- 1. REVOLTEE** - Finished 15th over 1900m at Deauville last time, recent form is uninspiring. Hard to fancy and can be ignored
- 2. VAYDENA** - She seems to have lost her gloss recently and will need to progress on latest 11th place finish at Saint-Cloud over 2000m on the 7th of this month. Can do better, but prefer others
- 3. MEDINA GOLD** - Ignore latest 7th, finished 3rd over 2150m at Lyon La Soie in penultimate and based on that is a live wire here. Good chance
- 4. LIGHTS COME ON** - She can build on recent 4th over 2000m at Saint-Cloud on the 7th of March. Expect a good effort and include in quartet perms
- 5. NANA GINA** - Running well, holding form, placed 3rd over 3000m in a Handicap at Fontainebleau on the 25th of November but has not been seen since. Can race fresh and could place
- 6. LAVIRCA DODVILLE** - Needs to do much more than recent 9th over 2400m in a Handicap at Pornichet on the 2nd of March. Small say but prefer others
- 7. IRLANDIA** - Won last two in impressive fashion. Won over 2000m at Fontainebleau in a Handicap on the 6th of this month. Huge chance of reeling off the hat trick. Can win
- 8. NEVA NEVADA** - Was a winner three runs back, can build on latest 12th place at Saint-Cloud over 2000m earlier this month in a Handicap. Strong place value choice
- 9. FLORES** - Current form has been on the serious decline and need to improve. Finished only 11th over 1900m at Chantilly last time. Pass by
- 10. MYMAP** - Hard to like on form. Finished 10th over 2400m at Pau on the 14th of last month. Happy to ignore from all bets
- 11. PREMIERE ETOILE** - Placed 2nd over 2400m at Pornichet in a Handicap on the 2nd of this month and can go one better. Huge runner. Can win
- 12. MANDLEFT** - Can build on recent 5th placing at Fontainebleau over 2000m in Handicap class on the 6th of this month. Can go very close to winning. Big chance

**Summary:** MANDLEFT (12) does bring some erratic form into the race but on her very best, can win a race of this nature. Her last run when 5th in a Handicap was solid enough to give her a bright winning chance. PREMIERE ETOILE (11) nearly won her last start at Pornichet and must be taken seriously. She was a winner four races back. NEVA NEVADA (8) won well at Saint-Cloud in March but has let the team down a tad thereafter. She can do way better and can be expected to bounce right back to near best. Place proposition. IRLANDIA (7) has won her last two impressively and there is no reason to suggest that she cannot reel off the hat trick. A must for everything.

### SELECTIONS

**MANDLEFT (12) - PREMIERE ETOILE (11) - NEVA NEVADA (8) - IRLANDIA (7)**



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## C7 - PRIX DU PETIT MORIN - 2500m (a1m 1/2) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 20,000

- 1. LUIGI ANTINORI** - Races fresh off a win at Saint-Brieuc over 2400m on the 10th of this month. Can follow up and is the firm first choice. Win
- 2. SWEET DEVILDARLING** - Taking long to win, caught the eye when 3rd over 3200m at Le Mans just the other day. Others preferred for the win but can be very competitive. Serious claims
- 3. BELLE** - Ignore most recent 7th. Won three races back over 2500m at Deauville and is one for all bets. Good chance
- 4. WINELATO LAUJAC** - Taking forever to win, finished 7th over 3000m in a stiff Handicap on the 10th of March at Nancy. Can get much closer now. Strong place chance
- 5. VENICE WAY** - Placed 8th over 2100m in Handicap company at Chantilly on the 24th of January and can do way better than that. Good chance
- 6. NOIRELLE** - She can progress on recent 5th over 2400m at Compiegne and must be factored into all bets. Good each way claims
- 7. KAICLATHOLUKEV** - Needs to do more to feature. Placed 8th over 2400m at Nantes last time and far prefer others. Should battle against these. Pass by
- 8. GOLD CURTAIN** - Has shown absolutely nothing thus far and would be a shock winner. Finished 11th over 3550m at Fontainebleau on the 20th of February. Unlikely
- 9. COCO LOVE** - Placed 4th over 2600m at Marseille Borely on the 27th of February in Handicap class. An outsider that could run well. Value for the quartet
- 10. KREAM DU LARGE** - Needs to dramatically improve on overall form. Placed 7th over 2400m at Pornichet last time and is hard to fancy. Unlikely winner
- 11. ELLECOEUR DRALLIV** - Has not impressed in eleven starts and would be a shock if placing. Hard to fancy and cannot be included on form. Ignore

**Summary:** LUIGI ANTINORI (1) is lightly raced, fresh off a win and is confidently selected to go back-to-back. The victory came over a distance of 2400m at Saint-Brieuc on the 10th of this month. The one to be with. VENICE WAY (5) is taking time to reach the line first but has placed along the way. He should win soon, but for today, has more of a place chance than a winning one. NOIRELLE (6) is never too far adrift the winner and can get much closer than her recent 5th at Compiegne. A must for all bets. WINELATO LAUJAC (4) should be right there and cannot be excluded from any quartet permutations.

### SELECTIONS

**LUIGI ANTINORI (1) - VENICE WAY (5) - NOIRELLE (6) - WINELATO LAUJAC (4)**

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## C8 - PRIX DU GRAND MORIN - 2500m (a1m 1/2) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 22,000

- 1. BRAMESHOT** - Won well over 2400m at Pornichet on the 16th of February in Handicap class. Would be absolutely no shock, if following up. Good chance
- 2. ALMAGRO** - Running well, finished 2nd over 2950m at Machecoul on the 3rd of last month. Can go close to winning. Strong each way claims
- 3. KERDINA** - She is in top form currently, placed 3rd at Pornichet over 3100m on the 16th of last month. She rates the one to fear the most and the one to be with for the win
- 4. KOURAL** - Running close up, placed 2nd over 2000m at Nancy on the 17th of November but has not been sighted since. Can run fresh and well.
- 5. BREIZH WOOD** - He can serve up way better than his recent 7th placing at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 3200m. Expect better and include in the play. Bright chance
- 6. BURWASH** - Attractive effort last time when 3rd over 2400m at Lyon La Soie in a Handicap on the 8th of February. Has serious claims again. Good each way
- 7. MISTER POWER** - Can be included in the quartet based on recent 4th finish over 3100m at Pornichet. An outsider that can be in the firing line
- 8. EVIPPOS** - Current form has lost its gloss and will need to build a lot on recent 12th at Chantilly over 2100m in a Handicap on the 1st of March. Prefer others
- 9. MASTER LIGHT** - Caught the eye on the 18th of February over 2400m at Lignieres when finishing 4th. Can get much closer this time. Serious contender
- 10. GARDE COTE** - Placed 3rd over 2500m at Deauville In mid February and can run well. Outside place chance
- 11. MAZOURKA** - Would be a shock winner, finished way downfield in 10th over 3200m at Le Mans. Much more needed. Ignore

**Summary:** KERDINA (3) brings consistent and attractive form into the race and must be, as always, taken seriously. She is a one time winning daughter of Anodin and after this, can be a two time winner. The one to beat. KOURAL (4) is lightly raced but yet to win the maiden. She is knocking loudly at the door and can certainly go one more today. Huge runner despite the rest. BRAMESHOT (1) is in mustard form and comes into the contest off a victory at Pornichet. He can give plenty cheek all the way home. Respect and include. ALMAGRO (2) is a natural inclusion for the quartet bet. He should win soon.

### SELECTIONS

**KERDINA (3) - KOURAL (4) - BRAMESHOT (1) - ALMAGRO (2)**