

WEDNESDAY, 24/07/24

R4 VICHY [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX GOUVERNANT - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat - EUR
€ 17,000**

1. HIGHFIELD MYSTERY - Poor effort in 14th spot over 1800m at Clairefontaine in a maiden on the 11th of July 2024. Would be a surprise winner

2. EVERGREEN - Finished 3rd over 1800m at Clairefontaine in a maiden on the 11th of July 2024. Winning chance

3. SUPER TIE BREAK - Finished 4th over 2000m at Marseille Borely in a maiden on the 27th of May 2024. Place chance

4. HAZBAIYA - Finished 4th over 1400m at Le Mans in a maiden on the 15th of May 2024. Should be involved at the finish

5. MIZ SWEET - Finished 5th over 1700m at Marseille Borely in a maiden on the 14th of June 2024. One to pass by

6. MIXED APPROVAL - No show in 10th spot over 1400m at Compiègne in a maiden on the 9th of July 2024. Hard to fancy

7. ISLAND FANTASY - Comfortably held in 2nd spot over 1600m at Nantes in a maiden race on the 3rd of July 2024. Others preferred

8. EXQUISEMENT - Dam won once on debut over 1200m in England. This filly is well bred and could run a good race on debut. Follow the market

Summary: EVERGREEN (2) has been improving with each start and may find the drop in trip ideal at this time in his career. He ticks a lot of boxes and rates the one to beat. HAZBAIYA (4) has produced two solid efforts in France and will have more to offer stepping up to a suitable trip. EXQUISEMENT (8) has a nice pedigree and could be of interest should there be confidence behind her in the market. SUPER TIE BREAK (3) is seldom far off the action and has the right form to be a threat.

SELECTIONS

EVERGREEN (2) - HAZBAIYA (4) - EXQUISEMENT (8) - SUPER TIE BREAK (3)

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C2 - PRIX DE RAVEL - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR €
12,000

- 1. LAZULITE** - Finished 6th over 2500m at Aix-Les-Bains in a limited handicap on the 4th of July 2024. Place chance
- 2. URBAN TERRITORY** - Finished 3rd over 2400m at Chantilly in a claimer on the 2nd of July 2024. Winning chance
- 3. SORRY** - No show on debut in 11th position over 2400m at Clairefontaine in a maiden on the 5th of July 2024. Unlikely to threaten
- 4. L'INITIE** - Produced a solid effort in 4th position over 2500m at Saint-Malo in a claimer on the 15th of July 2024. Should go close
- 5. GOLDEN FLASH** - Well beaten in 3rd position over 2400m at Salon-De-Provence in a claimer on the 25th of June 2024. Others preferred
- 6. L'HORLOGE** - Finished 5th over 2400m at Salon-De-Provence in a limited handicap on the 25th of June 2024. Outside place chance
- 7. SISKARO** - Weak effort in 8th spot over 2400m at Nantes in a maiden on the 3rd of July 2024. Would be a surprise winner
- 8. NEVER LEAVE** - Far from disgraced in 5th spot over 2000m at Aix-Les-Bains in a claimer on the 9th of July 2024. Can outrun odds
- 9. SOLTANA BELIEVE** - Finished close up in 4th position over 2500m at Aix-Les-Bains in a limited handicap on the 4th of July 2024. Include in the play

Summary: L'INITIE (4) has been running to a solid level and been threatening to get that maiden win out the way. He bumps into a suitable field and should be very effective. URBAN TERRITORY (2) has been a model of consistency and looks to be ready to win again after a pleasing effort at her latest outing. SOLTANA BELIEVE (9) gets the services of a claiming apprentice and with bottom weight she should make her presence felt. LAZULITE (1) gets some valuable weight off the back and shouldn't be too far off the action.

SELECTIONS

L'INITIE (4) - URBAN TERRITORY (2) - SOLTANA BELIEVE (9) - LAZULITE (1)

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C3 - PRIX DE BILLOM - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,000

- 1. SOLIMAN** - Fair run in 5th spot over track/trip in a Class 4 value claiming handicap on the 20th of July 2024. Outsider to include
- 2. LOR BLANC** - Finished 6th over 3100m at Saint-Cloud in a Class 3 event on the 30th of June 2024. Others make more appeal
- 3. VIRTUS** - Runner up over 2600m at Vitteaux in a Class 4 on the 7th of July 2024. Place chance
- 4. SECOND TO NONE** - No type of run in 8th spot over 1900m at Chantilly in a Class 4 course qualifier on the 17th of May 2024. More needed to feature
- 5. NABUNGA** - Finished 4th over 2700m at Le Touquet in a Class 4 divided handicap on the 1st of July 2024. Include in the play
- 6. PAIDEIA** - Not seen to best effect in 8th spot over 2400m at Compiègne in a Class 4 course qualifier on the 12th of July 2024. Can bounce back
- 7. VOILA POURQUOI** - Weak effort in 7th spot over 2900m at Clairefontaine in a Class 3 divided limited handicap on the 11th of July 2024. One to pass by
- 8. JARDIN BLEU** - No show in 10th position over 2500m at Aix-Les-Bains in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 14th of July 2024. Unlikely to pose a threat
- 9. ASPEN** - Finished 5th over 2600m at Marseille Borely in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 14th of June 2024. Place chance
- 10. ANNA CARIBEA** - Comfortably held in 5th over 2350m at Strasbourg in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 8th of July 2024. Easy to look elsewhere
- 11. MOUTRAKI** - Finished a fair 5th over 2500m at Aix-Les-Bains in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 14th of July 2024. Place chance
- 12. PASIPHAË** - Narrowly denied victory in 2nd spot over 3150m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 3 handicap on the 15th of June 2024. Big winning chance
- 13. SIXUNION** - Finished close up in 4th over 2100m at Dax in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 8th of July 2024. Potential to outrun odds
- 14. WILLY BOY** - Winner over 2400m at Lyon La Soie in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 25th of October 2023. Returns off a long layoff
- 15. TUNDRA** - Finished 5th over 2300m at Dax in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 23rd of June 2024. Can run into the money

Summary: PASIPHAË (12) brings some of the best form to the table and now drops in class for this assignment which will make life easier. She is the one to beat. NABUNGA (5) is holding form quite nicely and should be involved at the finish. VIRTUS (3) is generally a solid horse and he could challenge despite the big weight. MOUTRAKI (11) hasn't been too far off the action and could have a say for the minor spots.

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PASIPHAE (12) - NABUNGA (5) - VIRTUS (3) - MOUTRAKI (11)

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C4 - PRIX DE BORT - L'ETANG - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 15,000

- 1. INSIGNIA OF RANK** - Poor run in 11th over 2400m at Compiègne in a Class 4 course qualifier on the 12th of July 2024. Makes no appeal
- 2. MANDLEFT** - Moderate effort in 9th spot over 2000m at Vichy in a Class 4 divided handicap on the 15th of July 2024. Others make more appeal
- 3. WIEBKE** - Weak run in 10th over 2400m at Wissembourg in a Class 4 on the 14th of April 2024. Easy to look elsewhere
- 4. FEEDESREVES** - Solid performance to win over 2400m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 1st of June 2024. Winning chance
- 5. MORNING SPIRIT** - Found one too good when 2nd over 2600m at Marseille Borely in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 14th of June 2024. Big runner
- 6. SYLVER SAMBA** - No type of run in 9th spot over 2500m at Aix-Les-Bains in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 14th of July 2024. Unlikely to win here
- 7. MISS ROAZHON** - Finished 6th over 2250m at Parislongchamp in a Class 3 divided limited handicap on the 4th of July 2024. Place claims
- 8. SUMMIT** - No show in 14th position over 2900m at Clairefontaine in a Class 3 divided limited handicap on the 11th of July 2024. Capable but erratic
- 9. SIXTINE BAAL** - Finished 5th over 2500m at Aix-Les-Bains in a maiden on the 9th of July 2024. Would be a surprise winner
- 10. ALROMY** - Finished 7th over 2000m at Vichy in a Class 4 divided handicap on the 15th of July 2024. One to pass by
- 11. HIGHEST MOUNTAIN** - No show in 14th position over 2000m at Vichy in a Class 4 divided handicap on the 15th of July 2024. Would be a surprise winner
- 12. DARLING CHALLENGE** - Finished 5th over 2350m at Strasbourg in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 8th of July 2024. Include in the play
- 13. EXHIT** - Finished 5th over 2350m at Strasbourg in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 8th of July 2024. Outside place chance
- 14. AMIATA** - Narrowly beaten in 2nd over 2350m at Strasbourg in a Class 4 divided limited handicap on the 8th of July 2024. Each way chance

Summary: FEEDESREVES (4) bounced back to winning ways with a pleasing run and could go in once again with her confidence restored. MORNING SPIRIT (5) just missed out on that hat-trick but could resume winning ways in this event. DARLING CHALLENGE (12) brings the right type of form to the table and should mount a strong challenge. MISS ROAZHON (7) has put in some good efforts and could be a factor for the minor spots.

SELECTIONS

FEEDESREVES (4) - MORNING SPIRIT (5) - DARLING CHALLENGE (12) - MISS ROAZHON (7)

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**C5 - PRIX DE NERIS-LES-BAINS - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Claiming - Flat -
EUR € 12,500**

1. NEW WAY BABY - Forgive her last run, she was a winner before that over 1300m in a claiming race at Argentan. Serious chance

2. YOUNG AND PROUD - Won at this track over 1600m on the 17th of this month in a claiming race and can follow up. Bright win claims

3. PLACID'OO - Finished 5th over 1400m last time at Nantes and form before was not too great. Needs serious improvement. Pass by

4. HAVREL - Is by Le Havre out of a Silver Frost mare that never raced. Much prefer others today

5. ALLABARA - Will need to build on latest form and is hard to make a case for. Unlikely and can be ignored from all bets

6. QUEEN'S CITY - Is still a maiden, ignore last run, placed 3rd over 1100m before that at Salon Provence. Big place chance

7. BELLAROSE - She will need to improve on both runs to date. Finished 6th over 1200m last time and would be a surprise winner. No

8. AMERICADREAM - Finished 9th over 1400m at Saint-Cloud on the 17th of June and will need to improve on that for the win. Small place chance

Summary: YOUNG AND PROUD (2) comes into the race fresh off his maiden win at this track over 1600m. He is selected to follow up. NEW WAY BABY (1) can be forgiven for her last run, especially as she had recorded two wins in row before that. Strong each way chance. QUEEN'S CITY (6) has not yet won the maiden, but should do so soon. Strong place chance. AMERICADREAM (8) can finish in the first four.

SELECTIONS

YOUNG AND PROUD (2) - NEW WAY BABY (1) - QUEEN'S CITY (6) - AMERICADREAM (8)

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**C6 - PRIX AQUIS CALIDIS - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Flat -
EUR € 15,000**

1. CRICRI D'AMOUR - Won last run which was over 1850m at Hyeres on the 28th of June. More needed for the win. Prefer others

2. CLASH OF CURRENTS - Ignore last run when 8th, finished 3rd over 1800m before that at Marseille Borely and a much better effort is likely. Good chance

3. RAFFERTY - Has run three times for two 2nds and has as serious chance. Last 2nd was over 1800m at Compiegne in a claimer. Good chance

4. GRAN HABANO - Finished 4th over 1800m at Clairefontaine in a Handicap on the 28th of last month and looks ready for the win. The one to beat

5. SKADOOSH - Ran 3rd on the 8th of July over 2100m in a Handicap at Strasbourg and could place again. Include in larger quartets

6. VULDETRADE - Placed 7th over 2000m at this track on the 16th of July and has fair earlier form. Place chance at best

7. BLUES SINGER - Won her last start which was on the 15th of July over 2500m at Saint-Malo in a weak claiming race. Each way chance

8. LAMIRAL DARHAAN - Finished 5th over 2100m in a Handicap at Strasbourg last time but plenty more required to win this. Pass by

9. SACHA SUNRISE - Only managed 8th over 2000m on the 9th of July in a weak race. Has a lot to find to win this. No

Summary: GRAN HABANO (4) has placed five from eight starts and looks cherry ripe for the victory. His last run was in a Handicap at Clairefontaine. BLUES SINGER (7) won for the first time last time and could be competitive again. She was ultra-consistent before the victory. CLASH OF CURRENTS (2) can do way better than he did last time and can find himself in the first three. RAFFERTY (3) ran an attractive second earlier this month and can go one more.

SELECTIONS

GRAN HABANO (4) - BLUES SINGER (7) - CLASH OF CURRENTS (2) - RAFFERTY (3)

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C7 - PRIX DES MALAVAUX - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 16,500

1. LA ROSEE - Ran well for 4th place on debut over 2400m at Vittel on the 14th of this month. With natural improvement, she could be hard to beat. Strong win

2. LILIDA - Finished 5th over 2400m at Vittel on the 14th of this month and will need to do much more to threaten. Unlikely

3. LOLLY POP - Will need to build on debut 6th over 2400m at Granville and far prefer others for the shortlist. Pass by for today

4. LADY GA - Scope to progress on fair debut 6th over 2400m at Saint-Brieuc on the 9th of May. Huge runner if not in too much need of this comeback run

5. LOUBA - Might need the run first time out and the opposition may be too strong for her today. Much prefer others for the win

6. LIBERTE D'ESPRIT - Daughter of Saint Des Saints out of a Polyglote mare that could be absolutely anything. Watch the betting trends. Chance

7. LIPSTICK MACALO - Daughter of Cokoriko out of a mare that never won. A likely outsider and might need the run. Pass by

8. LOLIROCK - A daughter of Tunis that might be able to run well first up. Watch the betting trends as race time looms

Summary: LA ROSEE (1) caught the eye when running really well on debut finishing 4th over 2400m at Vittel earlier this month. With natural improvement, she could be hard to beat. LADY GA (4) was not too far adrift the winner first up and more than likely has plenty more to offer. Expect her to get much closer this time. LIBERTE D'ESPRIT (6) makes her debut and could well be up to the task at hand to threaten first time out. Watch the betting trends as race time looms. The same thing can be said for LOLIROCK (8).

SELECTIONS

LA ROSEE (1) - LADY GA (4) - LIBERTE D'ESPRIT (6) - LOLIROCK (8)

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**C8 - PRIX VIPPIACUM - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat -
EUR € 16,500**

1. LEK WILL - Ran very well first time out when 2nd over 2400m at Vichy on the 26th of May and should race fresh. With natural improvement, should be hard to beat

2. LE DIVIN ENFANT - Son of Saint Des Saints out of a mare by Network. Watch the betting trends as race time gets closer but should be able to be right there on debut

3. LEWIS DU SEUIL - By No Risk At All out of a Saint Des Saints mare that might well have a good chance first up. Respect and include

4. LIVE PERFORMANCE - Is more than likely going to be in need of a run or two before learning the racing trade. The betting will be a good indicator

5. LYNX DES GENIEVRES - Is more than likely going to be in need of the run on debut and will come on from the experience. Prefer others today

6. LE RISKEL - Son of No Risk At All out of a Epalo mare called Vodkelle that might be able to threaten first up. Watch the betting. Good chance

Summary: LEK WILL (1) showed that he has ability by finishing an encouraging 2nd over 2400m at Vichy on debut and is confidently selected to go one more. LE RISKEL (6) is nicely bred being by No Risk At All out of a mare that never raced. Keep watch on the betting market before taking final bets. LE DIVIN EN FANT (2) is another that could make his presence felt at the first time of asking. He could be anything, as, too, could LEWIS DU SEUIL (3) be.

SELECTIONS

LEK WILL (1) - LE RISKEL (6) - LE DIVIN ENFANT (2) - LEWIS DU SEUIL (3)