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R1 DEAUVILLE [R-H]

C1 - PRIX DE CREVECOEUR - 1500m (a7f1/2) - TURF - Newcomers Race - Flat - EUR € 50,000

1. LIFELONG - Is a first timer by Zelzal out of the Galileo mare, Toujours who won over 1800m. Cristian Demuro rides and he can produce a promising showing

2. BURHAN - Unraced son of Siyouni out of a Dubawi mare, Jousi. André Fabre trains with Mickael Barzalona doing duty. The betting market will be a good guide

3. ONE MAJOR - Is a son of Romanised out of the Selkirk mare, Elhareer. Theo Bachelot does duty and he may need this outing

4. GALICIANO - Unraced son of Van Beethoven out of the Galiway mare, Galiciana. He will come on from this outing

5. MISUNDERSTOOD - Unraced son of Hello Youmzain out of the Observatory mare, Waldjagd. He may produce a positive run under Alexis Pouchin

6. DUTY - Unraced son of Romanised out of the Dark Angel mare, Justice Angel who was a three-time winner from 1200m to 1400m. May need the experience

7. CHAUNCEY GARDINER - Is a son of Sottsass out of a Le Harve mare, Mascha who won from 1700m to 1800m. Christophe Soumillon rides which is a bonus and the betting should give clues

Summary: BURHAN (2) hails from the powerful André Fabre stable with Mickael Barzalona in the irons. He is set to put up a bold showing in his first run. LIFELONG (1) gets the services of top jockey Cristian Demuro and he is well-bred. Look forward to a good first up run. CHAUNCEY GARDINER (7) is a well-bred son of Sottsass with Christophe Soumillon doing duty. The betting market will give the best clues. MISUNDERSTOOD (5) may be another that should run a positive race on debut.

SELECTIONS

BURHAN (2) - LIFELONG (1) - CHAUNCEY GARDINER (7) - MISUNDERSTOOD (5)

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C2 - PRIX DES 160 ANS DE L'HIPPODROME-VILLE DE DEAUVILLE (PX DES MARETTES) - 1500m (a7f1/2) - TURF - Newcomers Race - Flat - EUR € 50,000

1. MARQUES - Unraced daughter of Le Harve out of the Dubawi mare, Makruma. Cristian Demuro rides which is a plus and she may give a good account of herself

2. BELLA INDIA - Is a daughter of Goken with Maxime Guyon in the saddle. She may be in need of the experience

3. SEPULVEDA - Unraced daughter of Le Harve out of the Golden Horn mare, Sea The Gold. The betting market will give clues but she may need this

4. LANTANA - Mickael Barzalona is booked to ride this daughter of Camelot. She is out of a Zebedee mare and the betting market will give clues about her chances

5. VALMACCA - Unraced daughter of Ribchester out of the Street Cry mare, Rivalba. She is likely to be at her best over further

6. FLAMME ROUGE - Unraced daughter of Sea The Stars out of the Dubawi mare, Anaita. André Fabre is the trainer and she has the breeding to run a forward race. Watch the betting market

7. ULTRAFRAGOLA - Is the stable companion of Marques and she is a daughter of Sottsass. Christophe Soumillon rides and she may produce a forward showing

Summary: FLAMME ROUGE (6) is a well-bred daughter of Sea The Stars from the André Fabre stable. Alexis Pouchin is booked to ride and if not too green, she should run a big race. LANTANA (4) gets the services of top jockey Mickael Barzalona and she is a daughter of Camelot. She is likely to produce a forward showing. MARQUES (1) is a daughter of Le Harve and with Cristian Demuro up, she should give a good account of herself. ULTRAFRAGOLA (7) may produce a promising debut with the services of Christophe Soumillon. Watch the betting for a guide.

SELECTIONS

FLAMME ROUGE (6) - LANTANA (4) - MARQUES (1) - ULTRAFRAGOLA (7)

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C3 - PRIX DES COLLECTIVITES LOCALES - 1900m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - Class 2 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 53,000

- 1. CASSIUS** - Disappointing latest when 12th over 2000m at Lyon Parilly in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 24 June 2024. Needs to put best foot forward
- 2. TIGRR** - Improved latest when 2nd over 1900m on this course in Class 3 Claimer on 6 July 2024. Faces much stronger here
- 3. UZEL** - Showed good signs of a form return when 2nd over 1800m at Clairefontaine in Class 3 Conditional on 28 June 2024. Chance if confirming that effort
- 4. BEAUTIFUL ASPEN** - Inconsistent type. Finished 15th over 2000m in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 17 June 2024. Needs to produce best
- 5. RAQEEDB** - Is better than his last start when 12th over 1800m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon in Class 2 Divided Handicap. Chance if finding form of penultimate run
- 6. KHOCHENKO** - Finished 9th over 1900m on this course in Class 3 Claimer on 6 July 2024. Place chance if repeating penultimate run
- 7. KLEORA** - Fair latest when 5th over 2000m at Saint-Cloud in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 17 June 2024. Is inconsistent but has claims on best form
- 8. COSMO BEAU** - Fair recent form. Finished 5th over 1800m at Chantilly in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 14 July 2024. Can go close with Alexis Badel up
- 9. SAINT HELLIER** - Is battling to find best form. Finished 11th over 2000m at Lyon Parilly in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 24 June 2024. Has upset potential if putting best foot forward
- 10. SULEYMAN** - Is better than his latest effort when 14th over 1800m at Chantilly in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 14 July 2024. If finding his earlier form, he is capable of winning this race
- 11. CHIAREGGIO** - Won over 2000m at Chantilly in Class 3 Limited Handicap on 16 June 2024. Takes a rise in class but is in a good space
- 12. LETTY'S MARVEL** - Finished 5th over 2400m at Parislongchamp in Class 3 Conditional on 13 July 2024. Has a say on best form shown
- 13. STORM CITY** - Has produced two good runs this year. Finished 4th over 1800m at Chantilly in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 14 July 2024. Has peak run and can go close
- 14. EDITED** - Finished 7th over 1800m at Chantilly in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 14 July 2024. Has upset potential on best form
- 15. NEKOLETO** - Finished 5th in Class 3 Handicap over 2000m at Le Lion D'Angers on 11 July 2024. Look elsewhere
- 16. GIVE ME GOLD** - Two poor runs this year. Finished 12th over 2150m at Parislongchamp in Class 2 Divided Handicap on 25 April 2024. Others are preferred

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Summary: SULEYMAN (10) is better than his recent form suggests. He is having his peak run and if finding his earlier form, he should be competitive. STORM CITY (13) has produced two good runs in the lead-up to this race and is a massive threat. RAQEEBB (5) is better than his disappointing latest effort and on his penultimate run, he should have a say in the outcome of this contest. UZEL (3) showed good signs of a form return last time. It would be no surprise to see him go one better.

SELECTIONS

SULEYMAN (10) - STORM CITY (13) - RAQEEBB (5) - UZEL (3)

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**C4 - PRIX ROTHSCHILD - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Gr1 Race - Flat - EUR €
300,000**

1. OCEAN JEWEL - Finished 11th in the Group 2 Duke of Cambridge Stakes over 1600m at Ascot on 19 June 2024. Needs to put best foot forward

2. ROGUE MILLENNIUM - Was not disgraced when 3rd in a Group 1 over 1600m at Newmarket on 12 July 2024. Place chance in this line-up

3. EXCELLENT TRUTH - Won over 1600m at Deauville in a Conditional Listed on 7 July 2024. Faces stronger and others have a better winning chance

4. MQSE DE SEVIGNE - Won the Group 1 Prix D'Isphahan over 1850m at Parislongchamp on 26 May 2024. Comes into this contest in top form and is the horse to beat

5. KELINA - Finished 3rd in a Group 3 over 1400m at Parislongchamp on 20 June 2024. Will strip fitter for this race and cannot be ignored

6. BLUE ROSE CEN - Disappointing latest when 7th in the Group 1 Prince of Wales' Stakes over 2000m at Ascot on 19 June 2024. Big runner on best form shown

7. RIBALTAGAIA - Finished 4th over over 1600m at Chantilly in a Conditional Listed on 29 June 2024. Takes a rise in class and may find this difficult

Summary: MQSE DE SEVIGNE (4) won this race last year and a Group 1 event at Parislongchamp last time. She comes into this race in top form and can bring up the hat-trick. BLUE ROSE CEN (6) is better than her disappointing last effort at Ascot. She is a filly with class and cannot be discounted with Christophe Soumillon up. KELINA (5) would have come on from her last outing in a Group 3 and has the ability to be competitive. ROGUE MILLENNIUM (2) comes into this race off a good 3rd at Newmarket and must have a say.

SELECTIONS

MQSE DE SEVIGNE (4) - BLUE ROSE CEN (6) - KELINA (5) - ROGUE MILLENNIUM (2)

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**C5 - PRIX DE CABOURG - 1200m (a6f) - TURF - Gr3 Race - Flat - EUR €
80,000**

1. COLUMNIST - Won over 1200m on debut at Chester and has proven his worth/competitiveness in subsequent Group races, finishing 3rd in 1200m Group II Coventry Stakes and 4th in 1400m Group II Superlative Stakes at Newmarket on 13 July. Keep safe

2. DAYLIGHT - Impressive wide-margin winner on debut at Chantilly (1200m) before confirming her obvious ability/promise with a creditable last-start 3rd in the Group III Prix du Bois over that course and distance on 16 June. Beware

3. NAANA'S DIAMOND - Finished 2nd in consecutive outings over 1000m - at Thirsk on debut and at Ascot in her next outing - before opening her account over 1200m in Italy when last seen on 9 June. Will find this a lot tougher

4. APOLLO FOUNTAIN - Finished 2nd to POLYVEGA (5) over 1100m on debut at Chantilly but improved with that experience to land the Listed Prix Yacowlef over 1000m at Deauville on 6 July. Exciting prospect who it should pay to follow

5. POLYVEGA - Authoritative debut winner over 1100m at Chantilly on 16 June and should have more to offer over the extra 100m. Beat re-opposing APOLLO FOUNTAIN (4) on debut and the latter has subsequently won a Listed race

Summary: Good race. APOLLO FOUNTAIN (4) finished behind POLYVEGA (5) when the pair debuted over 1100m at Chantilly but the former could hardly have been more impressive in winning the Listed Prix Yacowlef over 1000m earlier this month and, on the evidence of that display with the benefit of added experience to count on, seems capable of avenging that debut defeat. COLUMNIST (1) has proven references at Group level across the Channel and should, on the strength/consistency of his form, make his presence felt in the outcome. DAYLIGHT (2), despite finishing 3rd in the 1200m Group III Prix du Bois, was slightly disappointing and could make amends here.

SELECTIONS

APOLLO FOUNTAIN (4) - POLYVEGA (5) - COLUMNIST (1) - DAYLIGHT (2)

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C6 - PRIX DE PSYCHE SKY SPORTS RACING - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Gr3 Race - Flat - EUR € 80,000

1. AL KAMLAH - Unexposed daughter of Shalaa whose comeback 2nd over 2000m at Chantilly (on 26 June) was given a boost by her conqueror who subsequently won a Listed race at Vichy. Not taken lightly

2. ALMARA - Reliable performer with sound references/form credentials, which include finishing 2nd at both Group II and Group III level. Maintained her consistency with a good 3rd in a course-and-distance Listed race on 9 June

3. ROSE JAIPUR - Progressive sort who won a 1900m PSF handicap in May before taking out a course-and-distance Listed race last month. Didn't go unnoticed when 5th in a 2000m Group II at Saint-Cloud on 30 June

4. ROCK'N SWING - Highly regarded Camelot filly whose two outings at Group I level did not go according to plan - finished 11th in the 2100m Prix de Diane at Chantilly on 16 June. Beat Group I Poule d'Essai des Poulches winner Rouhia on this course in April

5. ULURU - Zoffany filly trained in Ireland. Caught the eye when finishing 3rd of 30 runners in the Sandringham Stakes at Royal Ascot over 1600m on 21 June. Dark horse

Summary: A small but competitive field for this Group III contest. Godolphin's ROCK'N SWING (4) was unsuited to how the races developed in both of her Group I appearances but has her sights lowered here, so could set the record straight. Consistent ALMARA (2), who has finished 2nd twice in as many outings at Group level, and progressive ROSE JAIPUR (3), whose limits remain unknown, also have legitimate ambitions of fighting for victory. AL KAMLAH (1) caught the eye on her reappearance and isn't underestimated.

SELECTIONS

ROCK'N SWING (4) - ALMARA (2) - ROSE JAIPUR (3) - AL KAMLAH (1)

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C7 - PRIX SIX PERFECTIONS SKY SPORTS RACING - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Gr3 Race - Flat - EUR € 80,000

1. ANGEAL - Unbeaten Wootton Bassett filly whose 1200m winning debut at Saint-Cloud was backed up with a 1400m win at that same venue last time (30 June). Rivals behind her that day placed at Listed level since - horse to beat

2. ROYALTY BAY - Suffered her only defeat (from 3 starts) at Royal Ascot in the Group II Albany Stakes - finished a creditable 6th of 16 runners. Back to winning ways over 1200m at York on 12 July and the longer trip should suit - keep safe

3. MISS LACOUMA - Progressive sort, unbeaten over this distance after winning a claimer at Dax (23 June) and at Vichy in her last start on 15 July. Career-best performance needed to be competitive in this grade/company

4. BINIORELLA BAY - Built on the promise of her Lingfield debut (2nd) on 30 May to open her account over 1400m at Newmarket in a Novice Stakes on 21 June. More needed but is likely to improve

5. BRAVO BAY - Confirmed the promise of her Saint-Cloud debut (4th) on 20 May - finished close-up behind both ANGEAL (1) and RELAXX (6) - by winning her next/last start over 1400m at that venue on 11 June. Not taken lightly

6. RELAXX - Caught the eye when running on to finish 3rd on debut - behind ANGEAL (1) with BRAVO BAY (5) only a little way behind - and confirmed the promise of that introduction by winning over 1400m at Chantilly on 26 June. Will be a factor

Summary: Debut winner ANGEAL (1) preserved her unbeaten record with a 1400m success at Saint-Cloud last time and the form of that win has worked out well - both the 2nd and 3rd have placed at Listed level since. She is capable of keeping her 100% record intact. RELAXX (6) finished a close-up 3rd to that rival over 1200m on debut and has won over this extended trip since so could improve to pose a threat. ROYALTY BAY (2), who suffered her only defeat in the Group II Albany Stakes at Royal Ascot, and BRAVO BAY (5) complete the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

ANGEAL (1) - RELAXX (6) - ROYALTY BAY (2) - BRAVO BAY (5)

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**C8 - PRIX DU CARROUSEL - 3000m (a2m) - TURF - Listed Race - Flat -
EUR € 52,000**

1. GOYA SENORA - Well-performed, honest veteran who has displayed commendable consistency. Wasn't disgraced in 2 recent Listed races over 2400m (finished 5th on both occasions, the latest at Vichy on 16 July) - attractive outsider

2. SUNFAST - Posted a career-best performance (4th) in the Group III Prix de Barbeville over the same course and distance on 28 April. Hasn't been since but would've regained freshness, so cannot be underestimated on his return

3. NAGANO - Sparingly raced six-year-old gelding 2nd in a 2800m Group III at Goodwood in August 2021 but has raced just twice since. Made a winning stable/French debut in 3100m Class 3 conditions race at Saint-Cloud on 30 June

4. BEL ET BIEN - Has won twice and finished 2nd twice in 4 starts over 3000m, so is distance-suited. Was supplemented to run in this race after finishing 2nd in a 3000m Listed race at Saint-Cloud on 21 June. Sets a very good standard

5. ZULU WARRIOR - Acquitted himself well in his first start beyond 2500m- finished 4th in a 3000m Listed race at Saint-Cloud (the key reference race) on 21 June. Should have a role to play

6. GUET APENS - Ultra-consistent, maturing stayer whose limits remain unknown. Made an impressive winning reappearance (after a 7-month absence) over 2400m at Chantilly on 11 May and this longer trip should be more to his liking

7. KANESHYA - Lightly raced five-year-old entire with solid handicap references/form credentials, which include a last-start victory in a 2400m Quinte+ handicap at Compiègne on 9 July. Steps up in class but open to improvement

8. SCENIC - Placed (3rd) in a 2000m Listed race at York as a three-year-old but has only a minor role to play after finishing 6th in a 2400m Group III (Haydock) and 5th in a 2400m Listed race (Pontefract) last month. Tries further now

Summary: Exciting BEL ET BIEN (4) has already proven his worth/competitiveness in this grade (finished 2nd and 3rd in his two Listed-race appearances) and is likely to play another leading role here. Paul De Chevalny's runner has been lightly raced and remains open to further improvement in just his 10th start, so his progress could be worth following here. ZULU WARRIOR (5) finished behind that rival in a 3000m Listed race last time and should give the selection most to fear, although GUET APENS (6) is another whose limits remain unknown after an encouraging comeback success. KANESHYA (7) isn't without a prayer either, even at this level.

SELECTIONS

BEL ET BIEN (4) - ZULU WARRIOR (5) - GUET APENS (6) - KANESHYA (7)

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C9 - PRIX DE PONT-L'EVEQUE - 1900m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 27,000

- 1. SAMAPY** - Versatile, lightly raced gelding with sound references off his current mark with headgear fitted (retained), including a last-start 4th in a Class 3 conditions race (turf) over 1800m at Saint-Malo on 15 July. Respect
- 2. NOSDARGENT** - Course-and-distance specialist who finished 2nd in a 2000m Quinté+ handicap on PSF at Cagnes (12 Feb) but has lost his way since (only 10th in a claimer over track and trip on 6 July). Dangerous off this mark
- 3. APOLLON** - Finished 3rd in back-to-back PSF handicaps, including one over this track and trip (9 April), and hasn't made any impression in 2 subsequent turf outings - the latest (11th) a 2000m handicap at Vichy (15 July)
- 4. DRUIDE** - Ultra-consistent, lightly raced versatile performer who caught the eye when 3rd on handicap debut over 1800m on turf at La Teste on 27 June. Should have a role to play
- 5. E VA BIN** - Finished 2nd three times and 3rd once in a 4-start sequence back in 2022 and has looked better than ever in 3 appearances this term - won once and finished 2nd twice. Runner-up in 2000m ParisLongchamp turf handicap on 9 June
- 6. HADEWIN** - Honest veteran handicapper with sound references on this surface and in this grade. Lost his form earlier this year - unplaced in consecutive outings, the latest (9th) at Chantilly on 26 April - so, just watch for now
- 7. ON Y VA** - Course-and-distance specialist with 2 handicap wins this year (one over track and trip in March, albeit off a lower mark). Proved his competitiveness off his current mark with a good 4th here on 6 July - keep safe
- 8. ALCOTAN** - Inconsistent but has sound references in handicaps on PSF, including a win and a 2nd from 3 starts over course and distance. Only 8th in a 1600m turf handicap last time (5 July) but can do better on this surface
- 9. KING OF TWIST** - Won a 1900m PSF handicap at Chantilly 2 starts back but struggled (11th) under a resultant 4,5kg penalty in a course-and-distance handicap on 6 July. Capable but has questions to answer
- 10. EASTERN STAR** - Soundly beaten (11th) on handicap debut over 2000m on turf at Compiègne on 9 July. Races on PSF for the first time
- 11. RECOLETTY** - Took advantage of a big drop in the weights/ratings to finish an eye-catching 4th in a turf conditions race over 1950m at Châteaubriant on 16 July. Dropped another 1,5kg for her return to the handicaps - beware
- 12. HERNAN CORTES** - Finished 3rd in back-to-back handicaps, one of those over this track and trip (9 April), before 2 no-shows in his last 2 appearances. Only 11th in a course-and-distance claimer on 6 July, so has to redeem himself
- 13. VILLA ROYALE** - Honest veteran mare with sound references/form credentials in handicaps on this surface, including a last-start 7th over this course and distance on 6 July. Will appeal to lovers to outsiders
- 14. INTO FAITH** - Honest hard-knocker who finished 2nd in a minor conditions race over 2400m at Biguglia when returning after a 2-month break on 9 June. Has been underwhelming on PSF for another day

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15. EDEN - A proven PSF performer who confirmed her liking for this surface with an improved/encouraging 3rd in a course-and-distance handicap on 6 July. Not taken lightly

16. TREASURE KEEPER - Consistent, hard-knocking handicapper who seldom finishes far off the mark. Didn't go unnoticed when 5th over 2000m in a turf handicap at Lyon-Parilly on 24 June and will appreciate the switch to this surface

Summary: E VA BIN (5) will be all the rage in this concluding handicap contest, having won his second start of the season and finished 2nd in the 2 outings on either side of that victory. He is good value to reconnect with success on the strength and consistency of that form. RECOLETTY (11), who continues to blow hot and cold, could pose a threat with a repeat of the performance that saw him finish a reassuring 4th in his last start. Consistent DRUIDE (4), after an encouraging (3rd) debut in this grade, and ALCOTAN (8), who is unreliable but dangerous under a lightweight, will have their supporters too.

SELECTIONS

E VA BIN (5) - RECOLETTY (11) - DRUIDE (4) - ALCOTAN (8)