

# FRIDAY, 16/08/24

## C1 - PRIX DJARVIS - 3550m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 26,000

- 1. JOIKA D'HERODIERE** - Good 2nd last time in a Class 3 hurdle on July 22nd over 4100m at Rochefort-Sur-Loire. Should be too smart for her rivals
- 2. KASSIOPEE BRENUS** - Won last time over 3800m at Gramat in a Class 4 hurdle on August 5th. Will not lack for fitness and warrants respect
- 3. RABELLOISE** - 4th last time over 3800m in a claiming hurdle at Plesse on July 29th. Has an outside place chance
- 4. CHERRY DES BOIS** - Three unplaced runs so far, the latest on the flat over 2300m at Dinan in a Class 4 race 11 days ago. Hard to recommend
- 5. KATIKA D'ENGILBERT** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3200m in a Class 5 hurdle at Jarnac on October 8th. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 6. KARVOILA** - Four unplaced runs this year, the latest over 2900m at Senonnes on the flat 13 days ago. Opposable
- 7. DAMSOAH** - Nice 2nd on seasonal return at Rochefort-Sur-Loire over 3500m in a Class 4 hurdle on July 22nd. Will be fitter this time and can feature
- 8. ROSE DU RAZ** - Unplaced on her sole start this year, which was over 3700m in a Class 4 hurdle at Le Lion D'Angers 12 days ago. Hard to fancy
- 9. KALINE DU CHESNAY** - Unplaced on the sole start on the flat over 3100m at Granville on June 23rd. Best watched on hurdling debut

**Summary:** JOIKA D'HERODIERE (1) has run well on both of her recent starts, she won in early July and then was a good second in a Class 3 hurdle at Rochefort-Sur-Loire on July 22nd. She can score from the main threat DAMSOAH (7) who was a pleasing second on her seasonal return 25 days ago over hurdles. KATIKA D'ENGILBERT (5) should be a nice price and is advisable each way. KASSIOPEE BRENUS (2) scored at Gramat last time and will be in a good frame of mind after that win.

### SELECTIONS

**JOIKA D'HERODIERE (1) - DAMSOAH (7) - KATIKA D'ENGILBERT (5) - KASSIOPEE BRENUS (2)**

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**C2 - PRIX GACKO - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Hurdles - EUR  
€ 26,000**

**1. LOVELY LAURA** - Fair 4th in a Class 3 hurdle at Royan over 4100m 12 days ago. Finds it hard to be consistent

**2. MADAME DE LAMBALLE** - 6th last time over 3700m in a Class 3 chase at Clairefontaine on July 25th. Can be competitive

**3. ACTION SPECIALE** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 3400m at Dieppe on June 8th, 2023 over hurdles. Might need this run

**4. ISILANE** - Won on her latest run at Argentan on November 28th, 2022 over 3600m in a hurdle race. Fitness is taken on trust but can not be ruled out

**5. I CAN PATH** - Will strip fitter for a 5th placed effort at Dieppe in a Class 3 hurdle on July 13th on her return from a long absence. Player

**6. IDEE FOLLE** - Has run only four times since August 2021, the latest unplaced effort was at Erbray over 3800m in a claiming hurdle on July 7th this year. Hardly inspiring

**Summary:** I CAN PATH (5) shaped with promise on her seasonal return when she was fifth at Dieppe in mid-July. She can score from ISILANE (4) who had good form back in 2022. She won on her latest run that year and should be ready to give a good account of herself. MADAME DE LAMBALLE (2) was sixth over fences last time and can be involved on the switch back over hurdles.

## SELECTIONS

**I CAN PATH (5) - ISILANE (4) - MADAME DE LAMBALLE (2) - LOVELY LAURA (1)**

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## C3 - PRIX DE SAINT-CLOUD - 2650m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,000

- 1. ALMAGRO** - Credible effort when 4th at Corlay in a Class 4 race last time on July 14th over 3100m. In the mix
- 2. CANNELLO** - 4th on his last two starts, won before that at Les Sables in a Class 4 handicap on July 2nd over 1950m. Merits consideration
- 3. DON'T WATCH ME CRY** - 3rd last time at Saint-Malo on July 24th over 2500m in a Class 4 handicap. One to pay attention too
- 4. LEPTI PRINSADI** - Fair 3rd last time, won before that over 2400m at Granville on July 15th in a Class 4 race. Live chance
- 5. CAPTAIN EAGLE** - 3rd last time at Le Lion D'Angers on August 4th over 3000m in a Class 4 handicap. Each way option
- 6. SAAM** - Has five unplaced efforts of late, the latest over 2400m in a Class 3 handicap at Clairefontaine on July 31st. Unlikely to threaten
- 7. YOR** - 5th last time over 2700m at Les Sables in a Class 4 race on July 20th, he won earlier this year on the PSF in February. Has an outside place chance
- 8. JOLIEPIERRE** - Has been in top shape of late, with a win and two 2nd placed runs, the latest over 2500m at Saint-Malo on July 24th. Player
- 9. AND WE DANCED** - Two unplaced runs this year, the most recent at Saint-Malo on July 24th over 2500m when well beaten. Out of form and best avoided
- 10. MONTE CINTO** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that at this track over 2650m in a Class 4 handicap on May 12th. Hard to fancy
- 11. IDOLE MOME** - Has five unplaced runs of late, and won before that in a Class 4 handicap on March 31st at Le Lion D'Angers over 2400m. Needs to get back to form
- 12. SPIRIT OF DANCE** - Has several unplaced runs of late, the latest over 3000m in a Class 4 handicap on August 4th. Pass over

**Summary:** JOLIEPIERRE (8) has been in good form this year with a win at Niort in May and two second-placed runs, the latest when she was beaten narrowly at Saint-Malo 23 days ago. She is preferred to LEPTI PRINSADI (4) who has also been in great heart of late, with a win two runs ago at Granville in mid-July. ALMAGRO (1) has top-weight but looks like a leading option each way. DON'T WATCH ME CRY (3) heads the remainder.

### SELECTIONS

**JOLIEPIERRE (8) - LEPTI PRINSADI (4) - ALMAGRO (1) - DON'T WATCH ME CRY (3)**

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**C4 - PRIX DES ETOILES - 2650m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat -  
EUR € 17,000**

**1. ZELZARI** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 2400m at Nantes on July 3rd in a maiden. Ought to be in the shake-up

**2. LOULOU BERE** - 4th on the sole start over 2900m at Senonnes 13 days ago in a maiden race. Drops back in trip and can only improve from his debut

**3. ZERAF A** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that at Lyon Parilly over 2400m in a maiden on June 1st. Key chance

**4. RECORDING QUEEN** - Unplaced on both her runs so far, the most recent over 2900m at Senonnes on July 6th. Makes limited appeal

**5. REINE DU RISK** - Fair 5th at Saint-Malo on her second start over 2500m when last racing on July 24th. Among the leading chances

**6. RUBBY EMERY** - Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 2900m at Senonnes 13 days ago in a maiden. Looks unlikely

**7. AFTERTHOUGHT** - Unplaced on the sole run last year over 1600m on December 13th at Kempton Park (GBR). Might need this outing

**Summary:** ZERAF A (3) was a tad below par last time, but was a good second at Lyon Parilly in June before that and should have enough to fend off her biggest rival in ZELZARI (1) who also arrives after a tame effort on his latest outing. He was however a nice second at Nantes in early July and warrants respect. REINE DU RISK (5) and LOULOU BERE (2) look destined to have a say in the finish, with preference for the former.

## SELECTIONS

**ZERAF A (3) - ZELZARI (1) - REINE DU RISK (5) - LOULOU BERE (2)**

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## C5 - PRIX GUY RAYNARD - 2650m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 15,000

- 1. UM ELNADIM** - 3rd last time, won before that over 2300m at Senonnes on July 6th in a Class 4 handicap. Each way must
- 2. SUNBEAM** - Has five unplaced runs this year, the most recent over 2500m at Saint-Malo in a Class 4 handicap on July 24th. Looks to have lost his way
- 3. NATHEPOLO** - Won last time over 2300m at Dinan in a Class 4 race on August 5th. Needs to be more reliable
- 4. GOT SHINE** - 2nd on her last two runs, the latest at Saint-Malo over 2500m in a class 4 handicap on July 24th. Leading chance
- 5. MY DARLING** - Decent 2nd on her last three runs, the latter over 3000m in a Class 4 handicap at Le Lion D'Angers 12 days ago. Player
- 6. SPRING EVE** - Has six unplaced runs this year, the latter over 2300m at Dinan in a Class 4 race on August 5th. Out of form and best watched
- 7. SEMEUR** - 4th last time over 2100m at Senonnes on August 3rd in a Class 4 handicap. Can make the frame
- 8. FIVE BY FIVE** - Fair 3rd last time at Le Lion D'Angers over 3000m in a Class 4 handicap 12 days ago. One to keep safe
- 9. ROCK OF SPIRIT** - Three unplaced runs of late, 3rd before that over 2250m at Niort on June 9th in a Class 4 race. needs to bounce back to form
- 10. LILLY BIRD** - 4th over 2500m at Saint-Malo in a Class 4 handicap on July 24th when last seen. Consider
- 11. STYRKA** - Has been unplaced over hurdles and fences of late, the latest was at Dinan on August 4th in a Class 5 chase. Back on the flat but needs to be avoided

**Summary:** GOT SHINE (4) has been knocking at the door on her last couple of runs, with a good effort at Saint-Malo in late July when narrowly beaten into second. She has leading claims to go one better today. MY DARLING (5) will try to make life difficult for the selection. She has also been runner-up on her last three runs and is sure to give another good account of herself. UM ELNADIM (1) and FIVE BY FIVE (8) can fight it out for minor honours.

### SELECTIONS

**GOT SHINE (4) - MY DARLING (5) - UM ELNADIM (1) - FIVE BY FIVE (8)**

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**C6 - PRIX USEFUL - 2650m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat - EUR  
€ 20,000**

- 1. JACK THOU LEZ** - Got the job done when scoring over 2900m at Senonnes 13 days ago and can be expected to play a lead role
- 2. JACOBIN** - Won on his latest run at Mauron over 2600m on July 28th. Can improve further and looks like the one to beat
- 3. JANLY** - Unplaced last time, won before that over 2400m at La Roche-Posay on June 23rd. Ought to be thereabouts
- 4. JEWEL STAR** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3800m in a Class 3 handicap hurdle at Saint-Brieuc on March 10th. Back on the flat and others preferred
- 5. JOLLY WAY** - 5th last time, 2nd before that over 3000m at Le Lion D'Angers on April 1st. Might find this difficult
- 6. JAWAR SENORA** - Has six unplaced runs so far, the latter over 2900m at Guerlesquin in a Class 4 race on July 29th. Looks of limited ability
- 7. KIMFLY** - Fair 3rd on her sole start at Brehal over 2850m on July 29th 18 days ago. In the mix with improvement likely
- 8. JOKE** - 4th on the flat last time over 2600m at Mauron on July 28th, after some runs over jumps before that. Hard to recommend

**Summary:** JACOBIN (2) will be in a good frame of mind after a recent win at Mauron 18 days ago and looks like he can keep improving. He is a marginal choice ahead of JACK THOU LEZ (1) who is also a recent winner having scored at Senonnes 13 days ago. JANLY (3) has won twice in the summer and can be expected to have a say at the business end. KIMFLY (7) is also worth a mention.

## SELECTIONS

**JACOBIN (2) - JACK THOU LEZ (1) - JANLY (3) - KIMFLY (7)**

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**C7 - PRIX DE PARISLONGCHAMP - 1950m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,000**

- 1. EXCESSIVENESS** - 7th in a big field of runners at Deauville on the PSF 15 days ago over 1900m. Back on the turf he can be effective
- 2. MARA WOOD** - Five unplaced runs since a win on the PSF over 2100m in a maiden on January 27th. Can be overlooked
- 3. JUBBAH** - Won two runs ago over 2100m at Dax in a claimer on July 8th. Might find a few of these too smart
- 4. INTELLITA** - 4th last time in a claimer over 1800m behind LOVEFORCE (6) on July 24th. Meets on the same terms and is one to consider
- 5. E BASTA LA** - Nice 2nd over 2400m at Dieppe in a handicap on July 23rd. Should be involved despite the drop in distance this time
- 6. LOVEFORCE** - Won at Saint-Malo over 1800m in a claimer on July 24th when last racing. More needed but she can feature
- 7. ANNA MANDARA** - Two unplaced runs of late, 4th before that at Niort over 2250m in a Class 3 race on June 9th. Place chance
- 8. STARGOLD** - 4th last time over 2100m at Pornichet in a handicap on March 2nd. Has yet to win and looks likely to have to wait
- 9. SOMMERDANCE** - Fair 4th at Clairefontaine over 1400m on June 28th in a handicap on her latest run. Warrants respect and can make the frame
- 10. ELTON** - Has several unplaced runs of late, the latter over 2000m at Vichy on July 16th in a handicap. Hard to fancy

**Summary:** EXCESSIVENESS (1) ran a credible race on the PSF at Deauville 15 days ago, but will be happier this time and can score on a more favoured surface. He won at this track in May over today's trip. E BASTA LA (5) looks like the main danger, he was a good second at Dieppe in late July when last appearing over a longer trip than today. LOVEFORCE (6) is one for the each-way backers to take seriously. SOMMERDANCE (9) makes up the shortlist.

## SELECTIONS

**EXCESSIVENESS (1) - E BASTA LA (5) - LOVEFORCE (6) - SOMMERDANCE (9)**

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## C8 - GRAND PRIX DE CHATEAUBRIANT - 1950m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Flat - EUR € 22,000

**1. KING SPORT** - Two unplaced runs of late, won before that over 2900m in a Class 4 race at Durtal on June 2nd. Opposable

**2. MONTY** - Decent 4th in a Class 1 race 15 days ago at Deauville over 1900m on his latest run. Can not be overlooked

**3. LOVE IS GOLD** - Three unplaced runs, 2nd before that over 1900m in a Class 2 handicap on February 3rd. Needs to get back on track

**4. KOVANOF** - 5th last time over 1900m in a Listed race at Bordeaux Le Bouscat on May 25th. Others more likely

**5. PERLE ROUGE** - Nice 4th in a Class 1 race last time at La Teste over 1600m on July 21st. Can be hard to beat

**6. THE LAST WALTZ** - Fair 3rd in a class 2 race on her return from a nine-month absence on July 12th at Compiègne over 2000m. Can have a say

**Summary:** In a competitive race, PERLE ROUGE (5) can edge this after some decent efforts in Class 1 races, the latest in late July at La Teste when she was fourth and beaten less than a length. MONTY (2) will make her work hard, he is not the force of old but is still good enough to have a say in proceedings. THE LAST WALTZ (6) looks the best of the other four, she will strip fitter for a credible effort when third in mid-July on her first run for nine months.

### SELECTIONS

**PERLE ROUGE (5) - MONTY (2) - THE LAST WALTZ (6) - KOVANOF (4)**