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4 - GRAND PRIX INTERHOME - JEAN-MAURICE BETE - 3100m (a1 15/16m) - Class A - Harness - EUR € 50.000

- 1. HOTLINE DE CARSI** - Delicate but talented mare who was well in contention when she lost her stride last time out. Can redeem herself with JM Bazire at the helm
- 2. FRANKY SATYNE** - Placed once in four starts this season and will have his work cut out in a race of this caliber
- 3. HOLD UP DREAM** - Solid winner on turf two starts ago and steps up in grade with serious hope. Has a leading chance from the front row
- 4. FORTISSIMOKO** - Showed signs of a return to form in last run, and from the front row today, must have a role to play
- 5. GOLD D'OCCAGNES** - Won eighteen from twenty-eight thus far. Won his last three but faces a tougher task and will need to improve to score
- 6. FALCO FUN** - Has done nothing of note in three starts this term and is hard to make a case for
- 7. ELEGANT FARCAP** - Has done nothing of note since October 2021 and is unlikely to trouble the judges at the finish
- 8. GINKGO THELOIS** - Solid trotter who is currently going through a purple patch. Well placed on the front row and has serious claims
- 9. GALET STED** - Consistent trotter who was far from disgraced in last run at Agon despite the 50 meters handicap. Faces an easier task from the second row today
- 10. FRENCH MAN** - Excellent recent form and runs barefoot for only the third time in his career. Include in calculations
- 11. GAUDEO** - Best to forget last run at Montluçon. Has a 25 meters handicap to overcome this time around and looks a solid proposition
- 12. FRAGONARD DELO** - Showed better intentions in last run at Châteaubriant but has not won a race for a long time. Others make more appeal
- 13. GALIPETTE PIERJI** - Useful mare under the saddle and will have no role to play in a contest of this nature. Ignore
- 14. ELINO BILOU** - Not devoid of ability but flopped in three starts this year and must reaffirm. Look elsewhere
- 15. EDY DU POMMEREUX** - Caused an upset when runner-up at 125/1 in a similar contest last time at Agon and will try to confirm
- 16. GAMAY DE L'ITON** - Comes in the race on the back of three consecutive victories. Has a 50 meters handicap to overcome but a player all the same

Summary : A sound winner of two similar events at Villeneuve sur Lot and La Roche-Posay, GAUDEO (11) remains well-placed at the start with a 25 meters handicap and looks a good starting point. Unlucky last time, HOTLINE DE CARSI (1) can make amends with the assistance of Jean-Michel Bazire sitting in the kart. The classy GAMAY DE L'ITON (16) and the very much in-form HOLD UP DREAM (3) are next best.

SELECTIONS

GAUDEO (11) - HOTLINE DE CARSI (1) - GAMAY DE L'ITON (16) - HOLD UP DREAM (3)

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