C1 - PRIX ECHO - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class C Race - Harness - EUR € 46,000

- **1. LAPS GEDE -** Tricky customer with sound references boasts the form and experience to make his presence felt if avoiding disqualification. Confirmed as much with a reassuring 3rd over 2800m at Pontchateau on 6 June
- **2. LOVE ME DO -** Won on debut at Cagnes (on 29 February) and bounced back from the disqualification of his previous outing with a last-start victory over 2875m at Enghien on 25 May. Has a role to play
- **3. LIPTON LATAL -** Consistent and improving performer with sound references/form credentials, which include a last-start 2nd over 2850m at Laval on 5 June. Not taken lightly
- **4. LUCIFER -** Consistent performer with sound references/form credentials, including a creditable 6th over this course and distance on 24 May. Attractive outsider
- **5. LORENZO GRIFF -** Delicate but has sufficient means and usually performs well when avoiding disqualification, and confirmed as much by finishing a good 3rd over 2875m at Enghien on 25 May
- **6. LAUTREC QUICK -** Has confirmed the promise of his debut 3rd at Elbeuf with back-to-back subsequent wins, the latest on 8 May at Chartres over 2800m. Dark horse
- **7. LOOPING D'HERIPRE -** Confirmed the promise of his debut (2nd) and the improvement of his previous outing (2nd) with a last-start victory at Saint -Malo over 2950m on 19 May. Will be a factor
- **8. LARGO LIGNERIES -** Tricky customer with sufficient means to get involved if applied/diligent (avoiding disqualification). Didn't go unnoticed when 7th over track and trip on 24 May
- **9. LE SAP -** Revealed considerable promise last month, winning each of his 3 appearances the latest at Nancy over 2600m on 31 May. Best followed until beaten

Summary: LE SAP (9) revealed considerable promise last month, winning each of his 3 appearances, and he seems capable of preserving his unbeaten status in his first Vincennes outing. Improving last-start winner LOOPING D'HERIPRE (7) and debut scorer LOVE ME DO (2), after a reassuring 2nd last time, are likely to pose the biggest threat, with the shortlist completed by LIPTON LATAL (3), who has the form and experience to make his presence felt too.

SELECTIONS

LE SAP (9) - LOOPING D'HERIPRE (7) - LOVE ME DO (2) - LIPTON LATAL (3)

C2 - PRIX SAPIENTIA - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D Race - Mounted - EUR € 46.000

- **1. JOBERMAN DU HOME -** At the peak of his powers boasts good recent form and physical condition, confirmed as much with a 2nd at Nantes over 2275m on 3 June. Candidate for success
- **2. JULIENAS DE VRIE -** Seldom far from a fault but has the undeniable means to make his presence felt, if avoiding disqualification. Shouldn't be hastily condemned after his latest faux pas at Chartres on 2 June
- **3. JOAQUIM DIESCHOOT -** Versatile trotter with sound references/form credentials under the saddle in this shoeing configuration. Built on a pleasing comeback 6th in a harness race by winning in that category at Reims on 15 June dangerous
- **4. JUST PACHA -** Consistent performer under the saddle in this shoeing configuration has finished 2nd in consecutive recent outings, the latest over 2825m at Mondoubleau on 16 June. Not taken lightly
- **5. JET DES MALBERAUX -** Has already established himself under the saddle and boasts sound references in this category on this track. Would've benefitted from a a recent comeback outing (8th) in a 3000m harness race at Nantes on 3 June
- **6. JOTT DU BOCAGE -** Resumed winning ways with a last-start success over 2850m at Chartres on 2 June. Will remain competitive
- **7. JET MESLOIS -** Tricky customer with sound references boasts the form and experience to make his presence felt if avoiding disqualification. Confirmed as much with a reassuring 3rd over 2850m at Chartres on 2 June
- **8. JURANCON -** Hard-knocker who seldom finishes far off the mark but has no more than a minor place chance here, after his last-start 8th at Rambouillet on 16 June. Others preferred
- **9. JEUNE AMI -** Seldom far from a fault in the harness category but has revealed sufficient means, especially with this shoeing configuration (4th over 2875m at Enghien in April) to warrant respect in his first start under the saddle. Lurker
- **10. JIPCHO SKILL -** Finished 2nd under the saddle in this shoeing configuration over 2800m at Cholet on 14 June. Dark horse
- **11. JOJO DE L'AUNAY -** Has nothing to prove at this level and is most effective in this barefoot configuration. Finished 7th (shod) over 2725m at Lisieux on 7 June but is now unshod with Benjamin Rochard engaged keep safe
- **12. JAD DE CALIX -** Delicate but versatile trotter with sufficient means usually performs well when avoiding disqualification, and confirmed as much by finishing a good 4th in a 2725m mounted race at Lisieux on 7 June. Attractive outsider
- **13. JANARDAL CLUB -** Lacks references in the mounted code and was disqualified last time in his first start under the saddle 2600m at Nancy on 31 May so is best watched for now
- **14. JAFF DE MESLAY -** Most effective under the saddle in this barefoot configuration, so could do better than her latest (11th) outing in a harness race (shod) over 2850m at Laval on 5 June
- **15. JUPITER DU PERCHE -** Last-start winner over 2875m at Enghien on 15 March in this shoeing configuration. Respected on his return

Summary: With the benefit of a much-needed comeback outing (in a harness race) under his belt, it could pay to follow the progress of JET DES MALBERAUX (5) on his return to the mounted code saddle in this shoeing configuration. JOBERMAN DU HOME (1) is enjoying a good spell and ought to continue his momentum, so will make life difficult for the selection. Last-start winner JOTT DU BOCAGE (6), delicate JULIENAS DE VRIE (2), who retains undeniable means, and recent scorer JUPITER DU PERCHE (15), even on his return from a break, are also likely to be competitive for a spot on the podium. JOAQUIM DIESCHOOT (3) completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

JET DES MALBERAUX (5) - JOBERMAN DU HOME (1) - JOTT DU BOCAGE (6) - JULIENAS DE VRIE (2)

C3 - PRIX IRENE - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D Race - Harness - EUR € 40,000

- 1. KROSS FINGERS Tricky customer but has revealed obvious ability/quality. Shouldn't be hastily condemned following his latest disqualification over 2100m at this venue on 11 June
- **2. KINO DE LAUMIERE -** Showed early promise but, on the evidence of his last 3 starts, has lost his way recently. Only 10th (2875m) at Meslay-du-Maine on 30 May
- **3. KARMA POWER -** Has won 4 of his 5 appearances, including all 3 outings this year in this barefoot configuration the latest over 2850m at Laval on 23 May. Sets the standard
- **4. KING GEORGES ELLIS -** Built on an encouraging (5th) reappearance by finishing an improved 2nd over 2550m at Reims on 2 June. Barefoot for the first time dark horse
- **5. KRICK DU GUESCLIN -** Showed early promise and would've benefitted appreciably from his two comeback outings the latest (7th) over track and trip on 31 May. Keep safe
- **6. KOLBY DE CLARAFLOR -** Bounced back to form with an encouraging 2nd over 2100m at this venue on 11 June in his first appearance in this barefoot configuration. Confirmation expected
- **7. KENNEDY FRANCE -** Returned to form with an improved/encouraging 2nd (barefoot) over 2150m at Enghien on 25 May. Unlikely to confirm that progress given the change in his shoeing configuration
- **8. KING DU VIVIER -** Undefeated in this shoeing configuration after back-to-back recent victories, the latest over 2200m at Caen on 10 June. Candidate for success
- **9. KERCHAK -** Consistent performer, even with his irons, and seldom finishes far off the mark. Only 7th over 2850m at Feurs on 14 June for another day
- **10. KILLER BOND -** Has regained momentum and confirmed as much with a last-start success over 3000m at Nantes on 3 June. Unshod for the first time beware
- **11. KAVANI -** Has revealed undeniable means but proved most effective racing unshod in front. Hasn't been seen since his disqualification on 29 March over track and trip watch for now

Summary: Recent hat-trick scorer KARMA POWER (3) is undefeated in 2024 and is the horse to beat. KING DU VIVIER (8), even on a left-hand track, and KROSS FINGERS (1), who shouldn't be hastily condemned after his latest faux pas, seem best equipped to challenge. KRICK DU GUESCLIN (5), after two comeback outings, KOLBY DE CLARAFLOR (6), having distinguished himself in this (barefoot) configuration, complete the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

KARMA POWER (3) - KING DU VIVIER (8) - KROSS FINGERS (1) - KRICK DU GUESCLIN (5)

C4 - PRIX NUNKY - 2100m (a1m1/4) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 41,000

- **1. JOKE DE CHENU -** Disqualified last time out at Laval on 23 May. In good form before that and can bounce back to score
- **2. JADE DE PAME -** In good form of late and was runner-up last time out in Class E at Paray-le-Monial over 2625m on 9 June. Place chance
- **3. JADE DE TOUCHYVON -** In good form and was a winner last time out in Class C at Beaumont-de-Lomagne over 255m on 25 May. Not out of it
- **4. JALNA DU BUISSON -** Unreliable and was 7th last time out in Class E at Laval over 2850m on 23 May. Barefoot this time and can bounce back to score
- **5. JIFF LINE -** On a very long losing run but did show improvement when runner-up last time out in Class E at Segré over 2700m on 15 June. Might place
- **6. JALNA DU PALAIS -** Unreliable and was third last time out in a Class E Mounted race at Vichy over 2950m on 12 June. Might play a minor role
- **7. JUSTESS VIKING -** Yet to win a race after 43 starts and was fourth last time out in Class E at Reims over 2500m on 2 June. More is needed to win this race
- **8. JUSTICE DE JOUDES -** Very consistent this year and was runner-up again last time out in Class E at Reims over 2500m on 2 June. Be right there at the finish once again
- 9. JADE DU BILLARD Disappointing last run when tenth in Class E at Laval over 2850m on 13 June. In good form before and can contest the finish
- **10. JAVA DE CASTELLE -** Has struggled of late and was 11th last time out in Class E at Rambouillet over 2800m on 9 June. Needs major improvement to win

Summary: JALNA DU BUISSON (4), helped by the flying start, and JOKE DE CHENU (1), comfortable on this route, should play a leading role. JADE DU BILLARD (9), not devoid of speed, and JUSTICE DE JOUDES (8), who repeats her races, also have arguments. JADE DE PAME (2), prominent in the Center of France, and JALNA DU PALAIS (6), performing well in both specialties, will aim for a place.

SELECTIONS

JALNA DU BUISSON (4) - JOKE DE CHENU (1) - JADE DU BILLARD (9) - JUSTICE DE JOUDES (8)

C5 - PRIX MARCEL GOUGEON - 2850m (a2m) - Class R Claiming Amateur Riders - Harness - EUR € 18,000

- **1. IRENE D'OCCAGNES -** Disqualified at Chalons Champagne last month and only 9th at that venue over 2600m on 16 June. Not likely to trouble the judge
- **2. ICE DREAM KERUZOC -** Out-of-sorts trotter with poor recent form. Finished a well-beaten 7th over 2900m at Amiens on 27 May
- **3. IRON MAN DE HOERDT -** Has made no impression in any of his 4 starts this year disqualified in each of his last 3. Others preferred
- **4. IVOIRE D'ERPION -** Returned to form with an improved/encouraging 2nd over 2700m at Le Croisé-Laroche on 17 June. Need only repeat that performance to fight for victory
- **5. IGGY RUDLAND -** Seldom far from a fault but has the means, especially with this shoeing configuration, to play a leading role if avoiding disqualification. All or nothing again a question of wisdom
- **6. IRIS D'AVIGNERE -** Honest hard-knocker who seldom finishes far off the mark but rarely wins (just 1 victory in 54 starts). Has only a place chance
- **7. INES TURGOT -** Didn't go unnoticed when 5th over 2700m at Graignes on 13 June. Has the means to get into the picture
- **8. ILLUSTRE DE CHENOU -** Consistent hard-knocker with sound references/form credentials, including a last-start 4th at Montluçon over 3025m on 16 June. Keep safe
- **9. IRON MIJACK -** Capable trotter with sound references at a higher level, although is currently out of sorts only 9th at Enghien over 2150m on 2 May. Outsider
- **10. IPSO DU FER -** Proven at this level and confirmed under these conditions. Caught the eye with a reassuring 4th over 2100m at this venue last time (4 June) sets the standard

Summary: A modest claimer in which it could pay to side with IPSO DU FER (10), who is proven/confirmed at this level. IVOIRE D'ERPION (4), having proven his form in the provinces recently, and IGGY RUDLAND (5), if avoiding disqualification, have the means to fight for victory. ILLUSTRE DE CHENOU (8), INES TURGOT (7) and IRON MIJACK (9) complete the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

IPSO DU FER (10) - IVOIRE D'ERPION (4) - IGGY RUDLAND (5) - ILLUSTRE DE CHENOU (8)

C6 - PRIX GARUMNA - 2100m (a1m1/4) - Class F Amateur Drivers Race - Harness - EUR € 12,000

- **1. GALTON SAINT BAR -** Returned to form with an improved/encouraging 2nd over 2350m at Angers on 11 June. Not taken lightly
- **2. HELECHO** Last-start winner at this venue over 2850m on 18 June. Ought to remain competitive, even over this shorter trip
- **3. HEMILIO PIERJI** Won 4 consecutive races, including three outings over track and trip, before his latest disqualification (also at this venue over 2100m) on 14 June. Can set the record straight
- **4. IMPACT CASTELETS -** Runner-up in 3 of his last 3 starts, including his latest over track and trip on 14 June. Candidate for success
- **5. GOWEN CHALEONNAIS -** Inconsistent but has nothing to prove at this level. Well-beaten 11th over track and trip on 14 June but ought to fare better here from an ideal starting berth
- **6. ELMET BLUE -** Out-of-sorts veteran with poor recent form. Finished a well-beaten 13th over track and trip on 14 June
- **7. FUN LOVER -** Unplaced in all 5 appearances this year and is unlikely to trouble the judge after a recent disqualification at Les Andelys on 16 June
- **8. GLAMOUR YOMA -** Caught the eye when finishing an improved/encouraging 3rd over track and trip on 14 June. Will be a factor
- **9. HIVER D'AUTHISE -** Hard-knocking veteran with references at a higher level, especially in this barefoot configuration, but appears to have lost his way recently disqualified on 9 June before a modest last-start 7th over 2525m on 16 June
- **10. GOOD DREAM -** Tricky customer, seldom far from a fault, but has references in this category with this shoeing configuration. Must bounce back from a recent disqualification at Rambouillet on 16 June
- **11. GOPTION MONTAVAL -** Out-of-sorts veteran mare whose inconsistency inspires little confidence. Unplaced over 2600m at Chalons on 16 June

Summary: HEMILIO PIERJI (3) finds the opportunity to resume his victorious outings. The danger could come from IMPACT CASTELETS (4), seeking its race, from the recent winner HELECHO (2), or from GLAMOR YOMA (8), convincing on June 14. GOWEN CHALEONNAIS (5), in his category, and GALTON SAINT BAR (1), often placed, are valid outsiders.

SELECTIONS

HEMILIO PIERJI (3) - IMPACT CASTELETS (4) - HELECHO (2) - GLAMOUR YOMA (8)

C7 - PRIX ALGINA - 2200m (a1m1/2) - Class D Race - Mounted - EUR € 40,000

- **1. LADY MILLION ANAJO -** Alexis Hureau-trained Prince Gédé newcomer to be partnered on debut by Anne Barthélemy. Watch for now
- **2. LATINA DU FER -** Revealed promise in the harness category (4th and 2nd) and is one to note switching to the mounted category after a recent disqualification over 2725m at Grenade-sur-Garonne on 2 June
- **3. LOUVE ANGEL -** Didnt go unnoticed when 4th under the saddle at Amiens over 2400m on 8 June. Could get into the picture
- **4. LA REINE DE BEYLEV -** Disqualified in back-to-back recent outings, the latest in harness race at Vire over 2700m on 12 June. Outsider
- **5. LOVELY D'OYSE -** Runner-up on debut in a harness race over 2800m and proved both her promise and versatility with another 2nd over 2825m at Sable-sur-Sarthe in a mounted race on 9 June. Keep safe
- **6. LITTLE STAR -** Confirmed the promise/improvement made under the saddle with a last-start victory over 2700m at Segré on 15 June. Should have more to offer
- **7. LOLA DAIRPET -** Built on the encouragement of her first start (5th) in the mounted code to open her account at Graignes over 2700m on 13 June. Confirmation expected
- **8. LORENE LA RAVELLE -** Lacks references under the saddle was disqualified in her only appearance in the mounted category (at Caen on 18 May). Sanctioned in a harness race last time at Nort-sur-Erdre on 8 June
- **9. LIONELLE DU SOLEIL -** Has revealed undeniable means under the saddle and confirmed as much with a reassuring 5th over 2850m at this venue on 7 June in this shoeing configuration. Dark horse
- **10. LEVADIA** Has found her niche in the mounted category confirmed the promise of her debut under the saddle (4th) by winning at Cabourg over 2750m on 1 June. Not taken lightly
- **11. LEONA DU GITE -** Made a winning start in the mounted category over 2850m at Laon last month and lost little in defeat last time when 3rd over 2850m at this venue on 7 June. One to beat

Summary: LEONA DU GITE (11) and LITTLE STAR (6) have made encouraging introductions to the mounted code and ought to improve. Both have the form and experience to fight for victory, although a slight preference is for the former after her encouraging track debut. LOVELY D'OYSE (5) and LOLA DAIRPET (7) have established themselves under the saddle and seem capable of posing a threat. LEVADIA (10) and LATINA DU FER (2) appeal most of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

LEONA DU GITE (11) - LITTLE STAR (6) - LOVELY D'OYSE (5) - LOLA DAIRPET (7)

C8 - PRIX ISTRIA - 2200m (a1m1/2) - Class D Race - Mounted - EUR € 40,000

- **1. LERWICK PERRINE** A three-year-old Uriel Speed newcomer who Pierre-Yves Verva trains, owns and will ride. One to watch
- **2. L'AS TEJY -** Finished an eye-catching 4th on debut over 2175m at this venue on 15 May. Would've benefitted appreciably from that experience
- **3. LUCKY DES SOURCES -** Caught the eye with an improved/encouraging last-start 3rd over 2175m at this venue on 15 May. Keep safe
- **4. LEOPOLD DU CLOS -** Won a 2750m mounted race at Ecommoy in March but failed to build on that form/improvement when only 6th in this shoeing configuration over 2450m at Caen on 5 May
- **5. LIBERO DU DONJON -** Won a harness race last month before showing his versatility by finishing 2nd in his first start under the saddle at Amiens over 2400m on 8 June. Attractive outsider
- **6. LISKI DE LA CRIERE -** Has no references in the mounted code and was disqualified in back-to-back harness races before a last-start 7th over 2575m at Agen on 15 June. Best watched for now
- 7. LOUSTIC Confirmed the promise of his reappearance/mounted code debut (3rd) with a laststart victory over 2325m at Toulouse on 31 May. Confirmation expected
- **8. LOTI SOLO -** Tricky customer with undeniable means under the saddle has confirmed as much with a win and a 3rd in his 2 starts in the mounted code over 2450m at Caen last month. Not taken lightly
- **9. LOBBY MESLOIS -** Made a winning start in the mounted code over 2300m at Le Mans last month, so shouldn't be condemned for his last-start disqualification over 2850m at this venue on 4 June. Worth another chance

Summary: Improving last-start winner LOUSTIC (7) is making an ambitious trip to Paris with legitimate ambitions, and it could pay to follow his progress. He gets the nod ahead of LOBBY MESLOIS (9), who is best judged on his Le Mans victory, and AS TEJY (2), whose 4th on debut at this venue didn't go unnoticed. LOTI SOLO (8) has found his way under the saddle and shouldn't be underestimated.

SELECTIONS

LOUSTIC (7) - LOBBY MESLOIS (9) - L'AS TEJY (2) - LOTI SOLO (8)