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## R4 LA TESTE DE BUCH [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX DE LA SOCIETE DES COURSES DE LANGON - 1200m (a6f) -  
TURF - Class 1 - Flat - EUR € 27,400**

- 1. PAS DANSANT** - Usually competitive and finished third in a Conditions race at Pau over 1600m on 3 February. Has won over this track and is not out of it
- 2. MAI DIRE MAI** - Not disgraced when 5th in a Conditions race at Deauville over 1300m on 28 November. Returns from a break but does have claims
- 3. MATAKI** - A winner of two of his last three starts, including last time out in a Conditions race at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1200m on 4 November. Returns from a break but can score again
- 4. THE BLACK STONE** - Holding form and finished fourth in a Conditions race at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1200m on 10 March. Can make the frame
- 5. INDY B** - Did not show her best when 13th in a Listed race at York over 1200m on 11 October. Returns from a break but can be competitive in this line-up
- 6. SENATRICE** - Has improved this year on the PSF, winning her last two starts, the latest in a handicap at Marseille-Vivieux over 1500m on 22 March. Probably prefers that surface but must be respected in this line-up
- 7. STERNLE** - Showed promise in two runs last year, the latest when third in a Listed race over this track and trip on 27 July. Returns from a lengthy break and could need this run
- 8. VALDORCIA** - Victorious in her third start, in a Novice Stakes at Kempton over 1400m on 29 October. Kept to PSF so far but should be a threat to these rivals
- 9. THE BEST GLORY** - Very unreliable but did win a Conditions race at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over this distance on 10 March. Hard to trust but cannot be ruled out
- 10. MARYZIA** - Consistent and was runner-up in a Conditions race at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over this distance on 10 March. Can earn some more money

**Summary:** A tricky opening event. MATAKI (3) was improving before his break with two wins in his last three starts. If fit enough, he could add another win to his tally. VALDORCIA (8) was kept to the PSF in the UK but does look talented and could be a threat on local debut. MAI DIRE MAI (2) returns from a break but he is consistent and clearly not out of it. SENATRICE (6) has some easy recent wins on the PSF and must be respected for that.

### SELECTIONS

**MATAKI (3) - VALDORCIA (8) - MAI DIRE MAI (2) - SENATRICE (6)**

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**C2 - PRIX TESTA IN BOGIO - 1900m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 - Flat - EUR  
€ 20,100**

- 1. LAPENTY** - Victorious on debut in a Conditions race at Le Mans over 1950m on 6 October. Returns from a break and must be respected
- 2. PLUTARQUE** - Successful last time out in a Conditions race at Pau over 2000m on 20 February. Can get involved with the finish once again
- 3. PELIGROSO** - Showed improvement second time out when scoring in a Conditions race at Lyon-La Soie over 2400m on 2 March. Improving and should be the one to beat
- 4. MAGDA** - Consistent and finished fourth in a Conditions race at Pau over 2000m on 20 February. Capable of making the frame again
- 5. SPORT WOOD** - Successful on debut in a Conditions race at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1900m on 21 October. Can be a real danger if fit from a break
- 6. NEW RUN** - Not disgraced when 5th in a Conditions race at Pau over 2000m on 20 February. Won on debut before that and has a place chance in this line-up
- 7. MICOCOULIER** - Victorious when returning from a break, in a Conditions race at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1900m on 10 March. Improving and has claims
- 8. BARISTO** - Returned from a break and finished fourth in a Conditions race at Toulouse over 1600m on 1 March. Could make the frame
- 9. CHILL Y FLAMA** - Consistent and finished third in a Conditions race at Le Mans over 1600m on 4 March. Can earn some more money
- 10. SHEERAN** - Victorious last time out in a Conditions race at Fontainebleau over 2200m on 28 February. Improving and could double up

**Summary:** PELIGROSO (3) is improving and was a good winner at Lyon-La Soie at the beginning of March. He can follow up trying the turf. SHEERAN (10) is improving and won well enough at Fontainebleau that she is respected in this line-up. SPORT WOOD (5) was a debut winner in October but is returning from a break, so his fitness will need to be taken on trust. BARISTO (8) will strip fitter from his run at Toulouse and can also contest the finish.

## SELECTIONS

**PELIGROSO (3) - SHEERAN (10) - SPORT WOOD (5) - BARISTO (8)**

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## C3 - PRIX DE LA SOCIETE DES COURSES DE TARBES - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

- 1. EUSKADI** - Only modest of late and was 7th in a handicap at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 2000m on 18 February. Could be a threat back on the grass
- 2. BELLE ANSE** - Unreliable and finished 9th in a handicap at Pau over 2000m on 9 January. Capable of an upset when at her best
- 3. LIVRY** - Much improved this year and is hat-trick seeking, her latest win in a handicap at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 2000m on 11 February. Can score again
- 4. VERITABLE** - Returned to form with a runner-up performance in a handicap at this track over 2400m on 21 March. Has claims of scoring
- 5. SIEGLINDE** - Did not show her best when tenth in a handicap at Toulouse over 2400m on 10 October. Returns from a break and could need this run
- 6. NIKOLAJ** - In good shape and finished fourth in a handicap at this track over 2400m on 21 March. Can contest the finish again
- 7. ZVALIKOVA** - Returned from a break and was succesful in a claimer at Lyon-La Soie over 2150m on 2 March. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 8. ABACUR** - Off form and was 11th in a handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1900m on 10 March. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 9. MANGAKEN** - Not reliable and finished 9th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1200m on 23 March. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 10. PIANO MAN** - Finished third in a handicap at Dax over 2100m on 19 August. Consistent but is likely to need this run returning from a break
- 11. CHAI D'OEUVRE** - Probably needed the run when returning from a break and fourth in a handicap at Bordeaux- Le Bouscat over 1900m on 10 March. Fitter now and should fight it out
- 12. VA S'Y MIX** - May have needed his only run of the year when 9th in a handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1900m on 10 March. Might play a minor role, fitter this time
- 13. KIRBY** - Unreliable and was tenth in a handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1900m on 10 March. Capable of a surprise on best form
- 14. ROSE OF THE CITY** - Returned from a break and was unplaced in a claimer at Pau over 1600m on 29 February. Others make more appeal
- 15. SEVEN FOR ALL** - Has not shown much so far and finished 7th in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 23 March. Others make more appeal on handicap debut
- 16. REMIX** - Has shown improvement of late and was victorious in a claimer last time out at Pau over 2400m on 23 February. Might play a minor role

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**Summary:** A competitive handicap. LIVRY (3) has two good wins of late at Cagnes-sur-Mer. Both those wins were on the PSF, but she has also won on the turf. It will be interesting to see if she can complete a hat-trick under a double penalty. NIKOLAJ (6) has improved this year and can challenge for top honours again. CHAI D'OEUVRE (11) will be fitter after his comeback run and can contest the finish. VERITABLE (4) showed improvement at this course and could go one place better.

## SELECTIONS

LIVRY (3) - NIKOLAJ (6) - CHAI D'OEUVRE (11) - VERITABLE (4)

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## C4 - PRIX DU PORT OSTREICOLE DE LA-TESTE-DE-BUCH - 3900m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 26,000

- 1. ASTALAVISTA** - Has struggled of late and finished 11th in a handicap chase at Toulouse over 4200m on 18 March. Better over hurdles but needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 2. BEAU DINO** - Yet to win a race but did return from a break and was runner-up in a claiming hurdle at Loudeac over 4000m on 15 March. Can make the frame
- 3. MY WAY** - Has improved of late and was victorious in a claiming chase at Montluçon - Nérises-Bains over 3500m on 22 March. Can follow up in a weak race
- 4. BUMBASIA** - Did not show her best when 7th in a handicap hurdle at Auteuil over 3900m on 7 March. Capable of being a threat to these rivals
- 5. DO RE MIX** - Not reliable but was victorious in a handicap hurdle at Mont-de-Marsan over 3650m on 12 March. Carries a penalty but does have claims again
- 6. HOLIGAN DU BERLAIS** - Has struggled this year and was tenth in a handicap hurdle at Mont-de-Marsan over 3650m on 12 March. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- 7. KLOVIS BLEUE** - Yet to win a race and has fallen twice in his last three starts, including last time out in a handicap hurdle at Angers over 3800m on 24 February. Better in chases and others make more appeal
- 8. LADY ANGE WIN** - Not disgraced when fifth in a handicap hurdle at Lyon-Parilly over 3800m on 15 March. Quite capable of scoring in this line-up
- 9. VADIVAR** - Has some fair form and finished fifth in a handicap hurdle at Les Sables-d'Olonne over 3450m on 7 August. Returns from a break but can be a threat if fit enough
- 10. KARESSE DU LARGE** - Yet to win a race but was runner-up last time out in a Conditions chase at Montluçon - Nérises-Bains over 3500m on 22 March. Might play a minor role at very best
- 11. MARS ATTACK** - Did not show his best when 14th in a handicap hurdle at Mont-de-Marsan over 3650m on 12 March. Capable of doing better and has a place chance

**Summary:** LADY ANGE WIN (8) ran better than her finishing position showed last time out at Lyon-Parilly. She is in good shape and can make amends and win a race of this nature. VADIVAR (9) returns from a lengthy break but can be competitive at this level if fit enough. DO RE MIX (5) carries a penalty for her latest win and should be a threat once again. MY WAY (3) has improved of late and can also get into the mix of things.

### SELECTIONS

LADY ANGE WIN (8) - VADIVAR (9) - DO RE MIX (5) - MY WAY (3)

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## C5 - PRIX DE LA SOCIETE DES COURSES DE POMPADOUR - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

- 1. TALISMAN TOUCH** - Unreliable but finished third in a Conditions race at Limoges over 2100m on 15 March. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 2. VARENNE** - Not reliable and was 13th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Quite capable of making the frame when he is in a good mood
- 3. SALSA ROSE** - Not reliable and was fifth in a claimer at Pau over 1600m on 23 February. Will like it back on the grass and can contest the finish
- 4. ZOFFWALTZ** - Unreliable of late but was third in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Can be a threat yet again
- 5. GONDOLO** - Has struggled this year and was tenth in a Conditions race at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 23 March. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 6. ALPHABIA** - Only modest of late and finished 5th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over this distance on 12 March. More is needed to beat these rivals
- 7. AGUA VITAE** - Not reliable but finished fourth in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over this distance on 12 March. Might play a minor role
- 8. MANA MAHA** - Off form and was 12th in a handicap at le Mans over 1400m on 20 March. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 9. TORNILLA** - Victorious in a handicap at this track over 1800m on 5 August. Returns from a lengthy break and is likely to need this run
- 10. FREGATE** - Returned from a break and was fourth in a Conditions race at Limoges over 1400m on 15 March. Can earn some money on handicap debut
- 11. GRECIAN RULER** - Off form and finished 12th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- 12. POWER PAPERS** - Finished 9th in a claimer at Mont-de-Marsan over 2000m on 23 March 2025. Returns from a lengthy break and could need this run
- 13. ARYVESAN** - Unreliable and was unplaced in a handicap at Chantilly over 1900m on 3 March. Others make much more appeal
- 14. GRIS DE PERLES** - Finished 6th in a handicap at this course over 1900m on 21 March. Capable of an upset this shorter distance
- 15. JORDAN BAKER** - Liked it back on the grass and was runner-up in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over this distance on 12 March. Can go one place better
- 16. HONNEUR'S ORACLE** - Only modest of late and finished 6th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Distance suited and has a place chance

**Summary:** A very open-looking race. JORDAN BAKER (15) showed improvement back on the turf and can go one place better this time around. SALSA ROSE (3) has some fair form and should be a lively danger returning to the grass. ZOFFWALTZ (4) is not reliable but did run well at Mont-de-Marsan a couple of weeks ago and is suited to this distance, so not out of it. VARENNE (2) is very unreliable but quite capable of making the frame.

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**SELECTIONS**

**JORDAN BAKER (15) - SALSA ROSE (3) - ZOFFWALTZ (4) - VARENNE (2)**

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## C6 - PRIX DE LA FONDATION CLAUDE POMPIDOU - 3900m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles - EUR € 24,000

- 1. SOBEST** - Unplaced last time out in a handicap hurdle at Auteuil over 3600m on 29 October. Yet to win but can make the frame
- 2. MRS ROBINSON** - Only modest of late and finished 7th in a Conditions hurdle at Mont-de-Marsan over 3650m on 12 March. Has a place chance on best form
- 3. BIENBATHY** - Returned from a break and was unplaced in a Conditions hurdle at Toulouse over 3500m on 17 February. Did better in some claimers last year and might play a minor role at very best
- 4. LE KERRY** - Finished 7th on debut in a Conditions hurdle at Moulins over 3500m on 21 March. Capable of improvement and should be a threat
- 5. CITY LIFE** - Showed what he is capable of with a victory in a Conditions flat race at Lignieres over 3200m on 7 March. Did fall in a hurdle race before that. Can follow up
- 6. SHIRBAWI** - Unplaced on hurdles debut, in a Conditions race at Machecoul over this distance on 8 March. Has won four times on the flat and is not out of it
- 7. PLEIN SUD** - Has not shown much so far and finished 11th in a Conditions flat race at Le Mans over 3200m on 29 October. Returns from a break and needs improvement to win
- 8. HIGH TACKLE** - Returned from a break and was fourth in a Conditions hurdle at Machecoul over 3900m on 8 March. Capable of improvement and can make the frame
- 9. RAFFLES GLORY** - Finished 11th on debut in a Conditions hurdle at Argentan over 3600m on 6 March. Capable of improvement but others make more appeal
- 10. LE SEUM** - A five-year-old gelding by Buck's Boum out of La Bien Nommée who is making his debut. His dam did not race. Monitor the betting
- 11. LA CHATELAINE** - Has struggled this year and was unplaced in a handicap hurdle at Mont-de-Marsan over 3650m on 12 March. Might play a minor role at very best
- 12. PIALOTTA** - Did all that was asked of her when scoring on debut in a Conditions flat race at Limoges over 3000m on 15 March. Must be respected on hurdles debut

**Summary:** PIA LOTTA (12) impressed when winning on debut on the flat. This is her first hurdle race but gets the vote to score. LE KERRY (4) was not disgraced on his hurdles debut and is likely to improve. He can be a threat to these rivals. CITY LIFE (5) bounced back from a fall in this discipline to win on the flat. He must be respected for that and has claims. HIGH TACKLE (8) will be fitter this time and is another to consider.

### SELECTIONS

**PIALOTTA (12) - LE KERRY (4) - CITY LIFE (5) - HIGH TACKLE (8)**

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## C7 - PRIX DE LA SOCIETE DES COURSES DE CASTERA-VERDUZAN - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 14,400

1. **NEW BALL** - Has not show much yet and finished 7th in a Conditions race at Pornichet-La Baule over 2100m on 28 December. Could need this run returning from a break
2. **FRUITION** - In good form and was runner-up in a Conditions race at Pau over 1400m on 20 February. Has shown improvement of late and should contest the finish
3. **ROSADORA** - Finished 16th in a handicap at Deauville over 1300m on 18 December. Has struggled of late and needs major improvement to score
4. **SEDITION** - Yet to win a race and was 7th in a handicap at this track over 1900m on 21 March. Needs to find a few lengths to score
5. **BAILEYS ILLUSION** - Yet to win a race and was 9th in a claimer at Lignieres over 1400m on 15 March. Needs to do better and others make more appeal
6. **ALEXEI** - Unreliable and was 10th in a handicap at Toulouse over 1200m on 30 November. Returns from a break and is likely to need this run
7. **MALWINA BELLA** - Showed some improvement when 4th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Has room to improve and can upset
8. **FANLINE** - Not disgraced when 6th in a Conditions race at Pau over 1400m on 20 February. Can be a threat back in a handicap
9. **ALTIMUS** - Did not show his best when 9th in a handicap at this course over 1900m on 21 March. Should do better this distance and is not out of it
10. **SISSI IMPERATRICE** - Not reliable and finished 6th in a handicap at this course over 1900m on 21 March. Victorious earlier in March and can contest the finish
11. **WATHAB** - Only modest of late and finished 8th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Capable of doing better and could earn some money
12. **FLEUR D'AQUITAINE** - Only modest of late and was 6th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. On a long losing streak and others are preferred
13. **MACANELLA** - Off form and was 13th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Unreliable and others are preferred
14. **PENRHEAD** - In good shape and was 3rd in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Can be competitive yet again
15. **XARUN** - Only modest of late and was 5th in a handicap at this course over 1900m on 21 March. Might play a minor role
16. **GARMI** - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Capable of scoring

**Summary:** A competitive-looking handicap. GARMI (16) is well drawn and threatening to win off her current handicap mark. She can go one place better this time around. FRUITION (2) is in good shape and finished off her race well at Pau, so is a danger. PENRHEAD (14) remains in good form and should be competitive over this track and trip. FANLINE (8) is not easy to trust but could also get in the frame, with improvement expected.

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**SELECTIONS**

**GARMI (16) - FRUITION (2) - PENRHEAD (14) - FANLINE (8)**

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**C8 - PRIX RENE BOUTELOUP - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles  
- EUR € 24,000**

- 1. MISSDENUO** - Not reliable and finished 7th in a handicap hurdle at Auteuil over 3500m on 1 October. Returns from a break but can make the frame
- 2. WISHFUL EYES** - A good winner on debut in a Conditions hurdle at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 3400m on 8 December. Quite capable of following up
- 3. L'ODYSSEE** - Yet to win a race and finished 6th in a handicap hurdle at Toulouse over 3500m on 18 March. Others are preferred
- 4. IRUPTA MATUTA** - A faller on debut in a Conditions hurdle at Machecoul over 3500m on 10 February. Likely to improve and could make the frame
- 5. MELODIE ROSE** - A four-year-old filly by Ivanhowe out of Casbah Rose who is making her debut. Her dam won 1 of her 13 starts. Could need this experience
- 6. GOLDIDAME** - A four-year-old filly by Goliath du Berlais out of Rainbowline who is making her debut. Her dam won 6 of her 16 starts. Monitor the betting
- 7. JAVA DU BERLAIS** - A four-year-old filly by Masked Marvel out of Jalisca Du Berlais who is making her debut. Can be a threat. Monitor the betting
- 8. AMOUR DE BAUNE** - Not disgraced when fourth on debut in a Conditions hurdle at Bordeaux-le-Bouscat over 3700m on 10 March. Can contest the finish
- 9. MAIRYGARDE DE MEE** - A four-year-old filly by Kapgarde out of Mairy Gold who is making her debut. Her mother never won after 6 starts. Others make more appeal
- 10. MERCALINE** - May have just needed the run when 5th in a Conditions hurdle at Senonnes-Pouance over 3600m on 13 March. Can play a minor role

**Summary:** A very interesting race. WISHFUL EYES (2) is highly regarded and was a good winner of her only start. That level of form sets the standard for the race. GOLDIDAME (6) is a well-bred newcomer that catches the eye and can be a threat. MISSDENUO (1) returns from a break but has got some ability and can contest the finish if fit enough. IRUPTA MATUTA (4) fell on debut but is probably smarter now and can make the frame.

## SELECTIONS

**WISHFUL EYES (2) - GOLDIDAME (6) - MISSDENUO (1) - IRUPTA MATUTA (4)**

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## C9 - PRIX DE L'HIPPODROME DE MONT DE MARSAN - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 13,000

1. **CHARM KING** - Off form and finished 15th in a handicap at La Teste-de-Buch over 1900m on 21 March. Capable of winning a race wearing blinkers this time
2. **TOUT SCHUSS** - Yet to win a race but was 5th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Might earn some minor money
3. **POLIVATE** - Finished 12th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Capable of doing better and can contest the finish
4. **SOLAIRE** - Has struggled of late and finished 12th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Others are preferred
5. **BALEGRIO** - Finished 9th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Needs to find a few lengths to score
6. **BECHO** - Unreliable but was runner-up in a handicap at this track over 1900m on 21 March. Has claims in this line-up
7. **ODIN** - Returned from a break and was 15th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. Could need this run as well
8. **MADIGAN** - Off form and finished 7th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 12 March. More is needed to win this race
9. **MISTER BRYAN** - Yet to win a race but did finished 4th in a handicap at Saint-Cloud over 1500m on 19 March. Can do even better this time around
10. **LILY OFTHE KINGDON** - Unreliable and finished 9th in a handicap at Lyon-La Soie over 2150m on 11 March. Needs to do a bit more to beat these rivals
11. **LA PORTUGAISE** - Finished 4th in a claimer at Limoges over 1400m on 15 March. Has shown improvement and can earn some money
12. **MARQUISE VERA** - Has some fair form and finished 5th in a handicap at Lyon-La Soie over 1800m on 21 March. Could earn some minor money
13. **MOLINO** - Only modest of late and finished 8th in a handicap at this track over 1900m on 21 March. Needs to find a few lengths to score
14. **TOP GLORY** - Unreliable and finished 10th in a handicap at this course over 1900m on 21 March. Usually does better at this track and is not out of it
15. **ZASTER FOR ALL** - Victorious in a handicap at Pau over 1600m on 28 January. Unreliable and carries a penalty but cannot be ruled out
16. **DO IT FOR ME** - Not reliable and finished 16th in handicap at Pau over 2000m on 20 December. Could be the surprise package of the race back on the grass

**Summary:** A very weak lucky last race and anything is possible. BECHO (6) is not reliable but she did hit the crossbar last time out and is capable of scoring. TOP GLORY (14) did not show his best last time out and he usually runs well at this track, so remains a threat. CHARM KING (1) will wear blinkers this time, so a much better performance is likely. POLIVATE (3) is another that has been modest of late but is capable of a success.

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**SELECTIONS**

**BECHO (6) - TOP GLORY (14) - CHARM KING (1) - POLIVATE (3)**