## **R4 GRAIGNES [L-H]**

## C1 - PRIX EQUIDIA - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 17,500

- **1. LACINIA -** Disqualified on her debut at Enghien on 19 March. Capable of improvement but others are preferred
- 2. LIZA DREAM Has not shown much in her four starts so far and was disqualified last time out at Rânes on 28 April. Unlikely to win
- **3. LUSITANIA -** Not disgraced when 6th on debut but was disqualified last time out at Cherbourg on 28 April. Best watched for now
- **4. LADY MAJOR -** Only found one better on her debut in Class F over this track and trip on 18 April. Big chance
- **5. LINDY D'OURVILLE -** Unreliable but was third last time out in Class F over this track and trip on 18 April. Can finish in the money again if wise
- **6. LOOKING FRANCE -** Has disqualification issues but was not disgraced when fourth last time out in Class F over this course and distance on 18 April. Might place
- **7. LLUVIA DU HOULBET -** Has run two fair races so far and was runner-up last time out in Class G at Méral over 2725m on 7 April. Can contest the finish
- **8. LINARES -** Was not disgraced in her two starts last year and was fourth last time out in Class F at Chartres over 2825m on 1 December. Might need this run returning from a break
- **9. LADY D'ECOTAY -** Has improved with each run and was runner-up last time out in Class F at Lisieux over 2625m on 14 April. Be right there at the finish
- **10. LADY D'ECAJEUL -** Has not been disgraced in her three starts to dare and was fourth last time out in Class F at Laval over 2850m on 25 April. Not out of it
- **11. LADY DREAM -** Disqualified on debut but did win her second start, a Class G harness race at Orléans over 2200m on 1 April. Can follow up

**Summary:** Runner-up on debut over this course and distance, LADY MAJOR (4) looks a solid prospect to go one better and is a firm first choice. LADY DREAM (11) won with ease at lesser level at the beginning of April and should be interesting to follow in this class of event. LADY D'ECOTAY (9) is in good shape and should post another solid performance. LLUVIA DU HOULBET (7) Rana good race last time out on turf.

#### **SELECTIONS**

LADY MAJOR (4) - LADY DREAM (11) - LADY D'ECOTAY (9) - LLUVIA DU HOULBET (7)

## C2 - PRIX CARENTAN TRANSPORTS - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 17,500

- **1. LYNX DE LARRE -** Unreliable and was 6th last time out in Class E at Rouen-Mauquenchy over 2225m on 21 February. More is needed to win this race
- **2. LONDON EYE -** Has disqualification issues and was disqualified last time out at Laval on 25 April. Hinted of ability when runner-up in the penultimate start and is not out of it if smart
- **3. LEONARD DE VINCI -** Only found one better on debut in Class F at Vire over 2825m on 31 March. Be right there at the finish
- **4. LOVELY FAST -** Only fair form of late and was fourth last time out in Class F at Amiens over 2400m on 19 April. Place chance
- **5. LARRE -** Ran well on debut when runner-up but did not repeat it when 5th last time out in Class F at Amiens over 2400m on 19 April. Could play a minor role
- **6. LE COQUIN -** Improved to win a claimer at Elbeuf over 2725m on 14 April. Tackles stronger this time but could play a minor role
- **7. LE DESTIN -** Won well on debut but was disqualified last time out at Rambouillet on 21 April. Better this distance and can bounce back to score
- **8. LISTER VEDAQUAIS -** Showed some promise when winning on debut last year in Class F at Cordemais over 2150m on 19 November. Returns from a break but can follow up

**Summary:** A half-brother to top-class performer Izoard Vedaquais, LISTER VEDAQUAIS (8) is expected to be fit and ready for his reappearance. LE DESTIN (7) lost his stride early in the race last time but is a smart trotter when applied, so shouldn't be hastily condemned. LEONARD DE VINCI (3) finished a promising 2nd on debut out and won't be long in winning either. LONDON EYE (2) is not out of it.

#### SELECTIONS

LISTER VEDAQUAIS (8) - LE DESTIN (7) - LEONARD DE VINCI (3) - LONDON EYE (2)

# C3 - PRIX DE LA SOCIETE DU TROTTEUR FRANCAIS - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 20,000

- KALANSKA Unreliable but returned to her best when a barefoot winner last time out in Class
  F at Les Andelys over 2525m on 31 March. Remains barefoot and can follow up if in the same
  mood
- **2. KYRA D'ESSARTS -** Bounce back to her best when an unshod winner in Class F at Cherbourg over 2625m on 1 April. Remains barefoot and can fight out the finish again
- **3. KISS ME BEJI -** Probably needed her only run of this year when 7th last time out in Class D at Vincennes over 2100m on 16 February. Likely to do a lot better this time around
- **4. KELLY MARY -** Won twice last year but has disappointed since then and was 11th last time out in Class E at Caen over 2450m on 22 April. Capable of a surprise if wise
- **5. KASSIOPEE DU NOYER -** Mostly moderate form and was 7th last time out in Class E at Laval over 2850m on 25 April. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **6. KAPELLA DRY -** Won twice last year including over this track and trip but has struggled of late and was 9th last time out in Class E at Laval over 2850m on 25 April. Capable of an upset
- 7. KEILA DU PERCHE Yet to win a race but did show some improvement when fourth last time out in Class E at Ecommoy over 2750m on 1 April. Likes the grass but could play a minor role
- **8. KASSIOPEE DREAM -** Unreliable and was disqualified last time out at Chartres on 14 April. Capable of earning some minor money when in the mood
- **9. KINDY DU VIVIER -** A bit of a disappointment this tear and was 5th last time out in Class F at Le Mont-Saint-Michel over 2675m on 7 April. Capable of better and is not out of it
- **10. KARANGA -** Yet to win a race and was 7th last time out in Class F at Chartres over 2800m on 14 April. Others are preferred
- **11. KALINA LOVE -** Yet to win and was 7th last time out in Class F at Saint-Malo over 2950m on 14 April. Ran well at this track in the penultimate start and could earn some money
- **12. KABALVA -** Unreliable and was 5th last time out in Class F at Amiens over 2400m on 19 April. Others are preferred
- **13. KALISTA DE LA COUR -** Honest filly and was 5th last time out in Class F at Loudéac over 2825m on 21 April. More is needed to win but could sneak some minor money

**Summary:** Both KALANSKA (1) and KYRA D'ESSARTS (2) have just won in their first start unshod outings and line up here with the same shoeing configuration. Both fillies are frontrunners and should set a a very strong pace. KINDY DU VIVIER (9) is progressive and could stake a claim. KISS ME BEJI (3) has been off for an extended period but does have ability so is dangerous to discount.

#### **SELECTIONS**

KALANSKA (1) - KYRA D'ESSARTS (2) - KINDY DU VIVIER (9) - KISS ME BEJI (3)

## C4 - PRIX AGRIAL - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 20,000

- **1. KARACHO -** Won twice last year but has really struggled this year and was 9th last time out in Class F at Caen over 250m on 22 April. Unlikely to win
- **2. KANSAS BONBON -** Yet to win and was disqualified last time out at Caen on 21 March. Has run well at this course before and can contest the finish
- **3. KAPOCEO -** On the up and has won his last two starts with the latest being in Class F at this course over 2700m on 17 March. Can complete the treble
- **4. KENYA D'HERFRAIE -** Consistent at the start of his career but he has been disqualified in his last two starts with the latest being at Argentan on 18 February. Can contest the finish is wise
- **5. KENNEDY TEXAN -** Much improved of late and was a barefoot winner last time out in Class F at this course over 2700m on 18 April. Can follow up
- **6. KOLBY DE CLARAFLOR -** Remains in good form and was fourth last time out in Class F at Chartres over 2800m on 14 April. Can contest the finish again
- 7. KOLMI DES EPINES Showed some improvement when runner-up and barefoot last time out in Class F at Loudéac over 2850m on 21 April. Remains barefoot and could make the frame
- **8. KOOPER DU CHOQUEL -** Has not shown much at all and was 12th last time out in Class F at Le Croisé-Laroche over 2700m on 29 April. Very unlikely to win
- **9. KNOWN FACT -** Knocking hard at the door and he has been runner-up in his last two starts with the latest being in Class F at Laval over 2850m on 19 April. Go close once again
- **10. KINGWOOD DE GUELLE -** Unreliable and was 6th last time out in Class E at Cordemais over 2825m on 21 April. Capable of playing a minor role when wise

**Summary:** The hat-trick-seeking KAPOCEO (3) has been flying high this year and looks a very serious proposition again. He will surely take a power of beating. KNOWN FACT (9) has been runner-up in his last two starts and will not go down without a fight. KANSAS BONBON (2), who returns to a course on which he has proven himself can earn some more money. KENYA D'HERFRAIE (4) can be a tricky customer but is not without ability.

#### **SELECTIONS**

KAPOCEO (3) - KNOWN FACT (9) - KANSAS BONBON (2) - KENYA D'HERFRAIE (4)

#### C5 - PRIX INTERMARCHE CARENTAN - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D Amateur Riders Race - Mounted - EUR € 24,000

- JAMBAVATI Very unreliable and was 11th last time out in a harness claimer at Vore over 2850m on 21 April. Others are much preferred
- **2. JEDI -** Ultra-consistent last year and was runner-up last time out in a Class D Mounted race at Cabourg over 2750m on 18 July. Likely to need this run but cannot be dismissed away easily
- **3. IMAGE D'AIROU -** Hard to trust and is coming off four disqualifications in a row with the latest being at

Pontchâteau on 31 March. Best watched for now

- **4. JET MESLOIS -** Has lost his way of late and is coming off two disqualifications with the latest being at Caen on 27 April. Best watched for now
- **5. ISLANDE VOLSIN -** Showed some improvement when fourth last time out in a Class F Mounted race at Alençon over 2650m on 21 April. More is needed to win this race
- **6. IF DU RIB -** Showed some improvement when 6th last time out in Class E at Caen over 2450m on 22 April. Could play a minor role
- **7. JABADAMES -** Disappointing last two runs and was 6th last time out in a harness race at Reims over 2500m on 17 April. Capable of better and is not out of it
- **8. I AM DE LA COUR -** Unreliable but it is best to ignore his last run in a harness race at Alençon over 2650m on 21 April. Better in Mounted races and can contest the finish
- **9. JOJO DE L'AUNAY -** Unreliable of late and was 6th last time out in a Class E Mounted race at Vincennes over 2700m on 28 February, Could play a minor role
- **10. IGGY DE FLORANGE -** Very honest and was runner-up last time out in Class F Mounted race at Alençon over 2650m on 21 April. Be right there at the finish once again
- **11. JOCIE DU VILLARD -** Unreliable and was well beaten last time out in a harness race at Vincennes 2100m on 16 April. Ran better in this discipline before that and could play a minor role
- **12. IDEFIX D'OURVILLE -** On a very long losing run and was 11th last time out in a harness claimer at Vore over 2850m on 21 April. Others are preferred

**Summary:** IGGY DE FLORANGE (10) rarely disappoints in this shoeing configuration (unshod behind) and is probably the one to side with. I AM DE LA COUR (8) made a discreet comeback in the harness category but is an entirely different proposition under the saddle and can fight for victory. JABADAMES (7) has sound references in this discipline so is another with legitimate ambitions on his return to the mounted code. JEDI (2) hasn't been seen for many months but isn't incapable of getting into the picture either,

#### **SELECTIONS**

IGGY DE FLORANGE (10) - I AM DE LA COUR (8) - JABADAMES (7) - JEDI (2)

## C6 - PRIX TREFIBOIS - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- **1. JALNA DU BUISSON -** Only fair of late and was 6th last time out in Class E at Vincennes over 2100m on 12 April. Has a winning chance in this line-up
- **2. JOLIE DES RACQUES -** Unreliable and was 8th last time out at Marseille-Borély over 2350m on 22 March. Did better in her penultimate start but does seem to like Cagnes-sur-Mer. Others are preferred
- **3. JESSIE METEOR -** Disqualified last time out at Reims on 8 April. Disappointing form of late and others are preferred
- **4. JAZZ MELODY -** Disqualified in two of last three starts including last time out at this course on 14 April. Won her penultimate start and is capable of bouncing back to score
- JALANSKI Unreliable and was well beaten last time out in Class E at Angers over 2350m on 11 April. Won his penultimate and is capable of winning when in the mood
- **6. JACINTHE DE DAIDOU -** Has shown improvement of late and was fourth last time out in Class D at Châtelaillon-La Rochelle over 2625m on 21 April. Can do even better this time
- **7. JANICK DU VIVIER -** Unreliable and was 7th last time out in Class E over its track and trip on 23 November. Could need this run returning from a break
- **8. JAPON DAIRPET -** Returned to best when a barefoot winner of a claimer last time out at Le Mont-Saint-Michel over 2700m on 7 April. Tackles stronger but is not out of it
- **9. JOVIAL DE ROCK -** Showed some improvement when third last time out in Class E at Cherbourgover 2625m on 1 April. Unreliable but is capable of playing a minor role

**Summary:** JAZZ MELODY (4) is a tricky customer but has won three times without her shoes. She is good value to redeem herself after a recent faux pas and is preferred ahead of JACINTHE DE DAIDOU (6) whose recent performances bode well for her chances in a race of this nature. JALNA DU BUISSON (1) is ideally positioned behind the autostart and has already proven her competitiveness in this grade, so is another with the means to play a leading role. JAPAN DAIRPET (8) appeals most of the remainder.

#### **SELECTIONS**

JAZZ MELODY (4) - JACINTHE DE DAIDOU (6) - JALNA DU BUISSON (1) - JAPON DAIRPET (8)

## C7 - PRIX DE LA BRASSERIE DE L'HIPPODROME - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- **1. INEDIT DU PAVILLON -** In good form of late and was fourth last time out in Class F at Lisieux over 2725m on 14 April. Can contest the finish
- **2. IONIQUE -** Best when barefoot and was 5th last time out in Class F at Lisieux over 2725m on 15 April. Remains barefoot and is not out of it
- **3. IDEAL DE SASSY** He has only been moderate in his three starts this year and was 7th last time out in Class F at Lisieux over 2725m on 14 April. Needs to find a few lengths to win this race
- **4. IDEFIX JIHEM -** Probably best to ignore his last start when 6th in Class G at Rambouillet over 2800m on 21 April. Barefoot this time and could score
- **5. INDULGENTE -** Has some ability but has been poor this year and was disqualified last time out at Laval on 17 February. Others are preferred
- **6. IPSOS DANOVER -** On a very long losing run but did run very well when runner-up last time out in Class E at Laval over 2850m on 19 April. Can make the frame if in the same mood
- **7. IDEAL DU DIGEON -** On a very long losing run but was not disgraced when third last time out in Class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 21 April. Distance suited and deserves respect
- **8. INFANTE DU BUISSON -** Unreliable and was 11th last time out in Class E at Meslay-du-Maine over 2600m on 19 March, Capable of earning some minor money
- **9. INDIANA TESS -** Unreliable but did run well when runner-up last time out in Class F at this course over 2700m on 14 April. Can contest the finish when in the mood
- **10. ISIDORO DIDAN -** On a very long losing streak and was 8th last time out in Class F at Pontchâteau over 2800m on 8 March. Others are much preferred
- **11. IZIJAL** On a very long losing run and was disqualified last time out at Cherbourg on 1 April. Best watched for now
- **12. IPOCALYPSE LOVE -** Showed some improvement when fourth last time out in Class E at Reims over 2550m on 25 April. Very unreliable but can play a minor role

**Summary:** IDEFIX JIHEM (4) has been carefully prepared for this race and, barring any incident, will be hard to beat. INEDIT DU PAVILLON (1) is ideally positioned on his inside and has the means to pose a threat, while IONIQUE (2) is also capable of making his presence felt after an encouraging last start. Consistent IDEAL DU DIGEON (7) and IPSOS DANOVER (6) are competitive for a spot on the podium.

#### **SELECTIONS**

IDEFIX JIHEM (4) - INEDIT DU PAVILLON (1) - IONIQUE (2) - IDEAL DU DIGEON (7)

## C8 - PRIX DISTRICO - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 30,000

- **1. FILOU DES OUBEAUX -** On a very long run and was well beaten last time out in Class E at this course over 2700m on 18 April. Others are preferred
- **2. HERCULE DE LEAU -** Showed some improvement last time out when 5th in Class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 21 April. Won three times last year and can bounce back to score
- **3. GERGOVIE DE GODREL** Disappointing form of late and was barefoot and 12th last time out in Class E at Caen over 2450m on 22 April. Remains barefoot and others are preferred
- **4. HOTKATISSIME -** Showed some improvement when fourth last time out in a Mounted race at Argentan over 2875m on 16 April. Better in Mounted races but could sneak some minor money
- **5. HOVA DE BASSIERE -** Only fair of late and was 6th last time out in Class E at Caen over 2450m on 22 April. Better this distance and can contest the finish
- **6. GUCCI DE BARB -** Honest sort and was runner-up last time out in Class F at Nantes over 3000m on 14 December. Returns from a break but could play a minor role
- **7. FISH DE HOUELLE -** On a very long losing run but is holding form well and was fourth last time out in Class F at Cordemais over 2825m on 24 April. Can contest the finish again
- **8. FAX MADRIK -** Disappointing form of late and was 7th last time out at Vincennes over 2100m on 16 April. Capable of better but is best watched for now
- **9. GOLFE JUAN -** Unreliable of late and was disqualified last time out at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat on 15 November. Could need this run so others are preferred
- **10. HIGOR DAIRPET -** Unreliable but did run well when fourth last time out in Class F at Laval over 2850m on 19 April. Can do even better this time
- **11. FLEUR DE LARRE -** Mostly moderate form of late and was 6th last time out in Class F at Enghien over 2875m on 26 March. Needs to find a few lengths to win
- **12. HOPENESS -** Disappointing last run when tenth last time out in Class E at Cherbourg over 2625m on 1 April. Capable of better and has a place chance

**Summary:** HERCULE DE LEAU (2) has regained momentum with each comeback outing this year and seems close to his best, so ought to make the most of this golden opportunity by returning to winning ways. He will, however, have to fend off the likely challenge of HOVA DE BASSIERE (5), who hasn't gone unnoticed in either outing since his reappearance, and HIGOR DAIRPET (10) whose encouraging 4th last time would've teed him up nicely for this commitment. FISH DE HOUELLE (7) isn't making up the numbers, though, and has the means to make his presence felt too.

#### **SELECTIONS**

HERCULE DE LEAU (2) - HOVA DE BASSIERE (5) - HIGOR DAIRPET (10) - FISH DE HOUELLE (7)