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R1 DEAUVILLE [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX DU CHATEAU DE CREVECOEUR - 1900m (a1 3/16m) - ALL
WEATHER - A RECLAMER - Flat - EUR € 24.000**

1. GOLDEN GLOBE - Intello colt from the stable of Alessandro & Giuseppe Botti with Giovanni Sias engaged to ride. Rider's 3,5kg allowance is a huge help

2. CALON LAN - Revealed sufficient means in each of his three starts in the South West, finishing 4th on debut and 3rd in consecutive outings. Not taken lightly

3. EVERSTAR - Consistent for the most part with sound form references. Will have a leading role to play at this level

4. HASHTAG JOA - Has remained consistent after her debut win and has held her own in stronger races/company than this including a recent 3rd in the handicaps. One to beat

5. GRAND GIOMAR KODI - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture judged on her best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out

6. LOST IN MUSIC - Improving sort who has won back-to-back outings in this grade. Ought to continue his momentum but faces tougher opposition here

7. COLT PILOT - Progressing with each start. Confirmed the improvement of her previous outing (6th) by finishing 5th last time but will need to eke out more to have a say here

8. ELASTIC HEART - Has improved with each outing and, after finishing 5th last time, could get into the picture here. Place chance

9. FLY FALCON FLY - Has nothing noteworthy to her name to warrant any consideration and is, in fact, hard to make a case for

Summary : HASHTAG JOA (4) has maintained a good level of form and consistency at a higher level after her winning debut and, in so doing, revealed enough quality to make a winning start in the claiming division. EVERSTAR (3) has held his own in stronger races too, so ought to be competitive for the leading positions. LOST IN MUSIC (6), undefeated in two starts at this level, is also capable of fighting for victory. CALON LAN (2) ran well enough in three outings in the South-West to also warrant a mention but has only a place chance.

SELECTIONS

HASHTAG JOA (4) - EVERSTAR (3) - LOST IN MUSIC (6) - CALON LAN (2)

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**C2 - PRIX DU CHATEAU DE BLANC-BUISSON - 2500m (a1 9/16m) - ALL
WEATHER - Class - Flat - EUR € 19.000**

1. IDEAL KING - Inconsistent and hasn't been seen since July but has serious references on this surface and will benefit from Delphine Santiago's 1,5kg allowance. Big runner

2. LORENZO DE MEDICI - Has struggled to make an impression in stronger races recently but will prove a different proposition in this grade. Keep safe

3. JAAFAR - Unreliable and costly to follow recently but is well placed here with Dorian Provost's 2,5kg allowance. Winning chance back on his preferred surface

4. STRONGER TOGETHER - Struggling to regain any form or spark the improvement needed to be competitive here, so unlikely to trouble the judge

5. IDEM DES ONGRAIS - Won a steeplechase race three starts back and, as she is most effective over obstacles, is probably here only for conditioning purposes. Overlook

6. BADEN ROCKS - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture judged on his best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out

7. HAVOC - Struggling to regain form or maintain any consistency but does have the means to get into the picture in a race of this nature

8. INTERSTELLA - Showed signs of improvement last time and could get a look in here if building on that progress. Place chance

Summary : JAAFAR (3) has been frustrating/costly to follow in his last three starts but, back on his preferred surface, looks good value here to repay the faith of his supporters by recapturing the winning thread. He gets the nod ahead of returning IDEAL KING (1), absent since 10 July but proven on this surface, and LORENZO DE MEDICI (2) whose recent form figures do not reflect his capabilities. BADEN ROCKS (6) continues to disappoint but will make his presence play if rediscovering his best form.

SELECTIONS

JAAFAR (3) - IDEAL KING (1) - LORENZO DE MEDICI (2) - BADEN ROCKS (6)

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C3 - PRIX DE SAINT-CENERI-LE-GEREI - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Divised Handicap - Flat - EUR € 53.000

1. **SHINNING OCEAN** - Consistent sort who again acquitted himself well last time from an unfavourable (No 16) starting stall. Drawn wide again here but should make his presence felt
2. **ZOOM** - Well-bred colt who showed abundant promise as a two-year-old but has flattered to deceive this year, despite finishing 4th in a Listed race back in July. Could do better on this surface and now in a handicap
3. **HOT SPOT** - Gutsy winner of a recent conditions race and lines up here in full possession of his means. Appreciates fibresand but has little margin off his current mark - outsider
4. **DEEP HOPE** - Did not go unnoticed when finishing 10th in a Quinte+ on the turf two starts back and is a lot better than his last start suggests. Worth another chance back on a surface he particularly appreciates
5. **TAIRANN** - Was not disgraced in the Grand Handicap des Flyers (9th) and confirmed that form by finishing 2nd just a few days later on PSF. Competitive at this handicap value 41 so warrants the utmost respect
6. **BULLACE** - Has performed impeccably since joining the Lerner's stable and was not winning out of turn last time at ParisLongchamp. Finished 2nd in a Quinte+ in his only start on Deauville's PSF, so can't be taken lightly
7. **PTIT PEDRO** - Has maintained a good level of form and consistency with blinkers fitted on and ought to improve with the benefit of a pleasing (5th) comeback outing. Has won at this venue and has sound claims here
8. **TORPEN** - Has been disappointing since his Grand Handicap des Sprinters success but is gradually regaining a competitive handicap value. Capable on the PSF but needs to spark improvement - just watch for now
9. **SZAFRAN** - Former Jean-Claude Rouget inmate who has changed trainers twice since August. Seldom disappoints on the PSF is probably too high at this handicap value to be competitive
10. **ASHIKTASH** - Has won two handicaps since joining Yoann Bonnefoy's stable but must prove himself at this handicap value and is probably better on turf. Others preferred
11. **INNOVATOR** - Up 4,5kg for winning easily back in August but showed his limits when only 11th at ParisLongchamp in his last start. Most effective on this surface but probably too high at this value to have a say here
12. **CAMELOT SONG** - Showed her form and well-being by winning a conditions race at Cholet last time, but her only start off this mark ended in failure. Others make more appeal
13. **MAAYAFUSHI** - Was not disgraced last time, despite finishing 8th, and probably should have achieved a better result. Lacks references on this surface but is ideally suited to the 1400m distance - has upset potential
14. **HOLLYHOCK** - Runner-up in a Quinté+ event on 7 September when equipped with Australian blinkers but has been disappointing in both starts since. Remains capable at this level though, so cannot be discounted

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15. CENTRAL PARK WEST - Honest performer who is seldom far off the mark and he boasts serious references on this surface. Has won over this distance and is likely to get the pace in this race which serves his interests. Dark horse

16. TOIJK - Finished 5th in a Quinté+ at this venue on 1 August and is capable of a lot better than his last two starts (unplaced in both) suggest. Thrives on this surface and is competitive at this value, so can have a say

Summary : DEEP HOPE (4) caught the in his penultimate outing and shaped as one to be with next time, but let the side down by only managing to finish 12th in the Grand Handicap des Flyers when very popular in the market. It could, however, pay to give him another chance here back on his preferred surface with Théo Bachelot aboard and a handicap value reduced by 1kg. Well-bred ZOOM (2) returned to form recently and should, with a repeat of that performance, acquit himself competitively on his handicap debut. He ought to play a leading role and so too should last-start winner BULLACE (6), who is capable of defying the 2,5kg penalty by fighting for victory once more. TAIRANN (5), runner-up in her most recent outing, PTIT PEDRO (7), who should have more to give after a much-needed but pleasing comeback run (5th), as well as consistent SHINNING OCEAN (1) all have the means to play a role in the finish and ought to be competitive for the places. HOLLYHOCK (14) and CENTRAL PARK WEST (15) could get into the picture under light weights, so are others to consider.

SELECTIONS

DEEP HOPE (4) - ZOOM (2) - BULLACE (6) - TAIRANN (5)

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C4 - PRIX DU BESSIN - 1900m (a1 3/16m) - ALL WEATHER - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 22.000

1. **SAPRISTI** - Made the expected improvement with the benefit of an introductory run (7th) to finish an encouraging 3rd last time. Will fight for victory with further progress likely
2. **COGNAC** - Seldom finishes far off the mark and could get into the picture here, though has no more than a place chance
3. **LOU DARGENT** - Ought to improve after a satisfactory debut 5th, although probably best watched for now. For another day
4. **BAUHINIA RHAPSODY** - Was far from disgraced when finishing 5th in his first start on French soil and would've come on since. Place chance
5. **AXIOME** - Has been disappointing in his last two starts but ought to be competitive if bouncing back to his earlier form. His experience will also stand him in good stead
6. **AKA'BRILLA** - Likely to improve after a modest debut 8th but is probably best just to watch for now. Others preferred
7. **GALILEE DREAM** - Finished a well-beaten 8th on debut and would have gained plenty from that experience, but best just to watch for now
8. **NOIRELLE** - Did not go unnoticed when finishing 7th on debut and would have come on appreciably for that outing. Keep safe
9. **TIMETOSHINE** - Ultra-consistent and wouldn't be winning out of turn. Needn't improve a great deal on her comeback 2nd to win here
10. **MISS SUPERNOVA** - Finished 4th in three consecutive starts before her disappointing last-start 5th. Could have more to give with blinkers fitted
11. **MIURA** - Unplaced in each of her three outings to date so is hard to make a case for. Others make more appeal

Summary : Consistent TIMETOSHINE (9) improved to finish 2nd on her reappearance at Fontainebleau and with any progress ought to belatedly open her account in her first start on this surface. However, she will have to thwart the challenge of SAPRISTI (1) who finished an improved 3rd last time and should have more to offer. MISS SUPERNOVA (10) could spark improvement of her own equipped with blinkers for the first time, so must also be respected. NOIRELLE (8) is one to note on her return and she could also make her presence felt.

SELECTIONS

TIMETOSHINE (9) - SAPRISTI (1) - MISS SUPERNOVA (10) - NOIRELLE (8)

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C5 - PRIX NONOALCO - 1300m (a6 1/2f) - ALL WEATHER - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 30.000

1. ROSHVAR - Well-bred colt who revealed serious means with a promising 2nd on debut. Need only repeat that effort to win here

2. AMOUAGE - Has looked rather ordinary to this point and has shown nothing to warrant any consideration here. Can be ruled out

3. CHANAZ - Built on a quiet debut 7th to finish an improved 3rd last time and is likely to continue that progress, so ought to be competitive here

4. HARRY BASSETT - Finished an encouraging 4th on debut at York and his trainer has a good record with her youngsters on French soil. Respect

5. BROTHERS OF LILY'S - Consistent since the start of his career and improved to finish 2nd last time out. Will play a leading role with a repeat of that performance

6. VERTBOIS - Was well supported in the betting on debut and finished an encouraging 5th on that occasion. Will have more to offer

7. BELLANO - Caught the eye with an improved 2nd last time out and could go one better if making similar progress. Big runner

8. HAPPY AGAIN - Made no impression when finishing unplaced on debut and, although open to improvement, is easily overlooked

9. MASTERPLAN - Runner-up in his second start but finished unplaced in the two outings either side of that. Others make more appeal

10. HANTANO - Finished an encouraging 2nd on debut but has failed to confirm that promise by regressing in his two subsequent starts. For another day

11. WEST BAY - Adaay gelding trained by Anne-Sophie Crombez and to be ridden on debut by Thomas Trullier. Best just to watch for now

Summary : Well-bred ROSHVAR (1), who is closely related to the useful Rozgar, finished an encouraging 2nd on debut in the Prix de Saint-Désir and is likely to open his account with any improvement. BELLANO (7) took a big step forward to finish 2nd last time out, between two useful colts and, and will fight for victory with further progress anticipated. BROTHERS OF LILY'S (5), VERTBOIS (6), CHANAZ (3) and HARRY BASSETT (4) have all shown enough to pose a threat to those two principals and ought to make their presence felt.

SELECTIONS

ROSHVAR (1) - BELLANO (7) - BROTHERS OF LILY'S (5) - VERTBOIS (6)

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C6 - PRIX DE L'AUBERGE MOISY - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Divised Handicap - Flat - EUR € 22.000

1. **TOLLARD ROYAL** - Has hardly been convincing since arriving on French soil but is not devoid of the means necessary to be competitive in a race like this
2. **THE CHARM** - Unreliable but seldom finishes far off the mark on a going day. Has no more than a place chance though
3. **CALIFANO** - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture judged on her best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out
4. **PERTUSATO** - Runner-up in each of his last three starts and deserves to get his head in front. Drawn wide but rider's 2,5kg allowance is a plus
5. **CHILLI BOY** - Finished a reassuring 3rd last time and is likely to play a leading role here fitted with classic blinkers for the first time. Include
6. **VENTURA VISION** - Consistent and proven performer in this category and is likely to acquit herself competitively despite a wide starting stall
7. **OYAPOCK** - At the top of his game at present after consecutive victories but has no margin at this handicap value
8. **PAINT IT BLACK** - Inconsistent but is not incapable of getting into the picture judged on her best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out
9. **DIEPPE** - Has been rather ordinary for some time now so her chances here are limited, even at this level. Ignore
10. **KINGSFOLD** - Out of sorts but his two comeback runs would undoubtedly have done him a lot of good. Capable of better
11. **MONSIEURVALCHOP** - Struggling to regain any form or show signs of improvement needed to be competitive here, so unlikely to trouble the judge
12. **HEARTBEAT** - Seldom finishes far off the mark and could get into the picture here but has no more than a place chance
13. **COLD PLAY** - Consistent performer in this class and has every chance here with Alexis Pouchin engaged. Keep safe
14. **SPACE QUAKE** - Nothing noteworthy to his name, to warrant any consideration here, for some time now. Can be ruled out
15. **PLENTY CITY** - Well placed here with Coralie Pacaut weight allowance so cannot be discounted in a race of this nature. Dark horse
16. **GIN GEMBRE** - Has performed rather poorly for some time now, so his chances are limited even at this level. Ignore

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Summary : PERTUSATO (4) will logically win the majority of the votes here and he wouldn't be winning out of turn, especially back on his preferred surface. CHILLI BOY (5) is also a potential winner if confirming the improvement of his last start and will fight for victory. VENTURA VISION (6) and COLD PLAY (13) line up here in good form and physical condition, so could make their presence felt at the finish. CALIFANO (3) should have more to offer after a much-needed comeback run and has sufficient means to complete the winning Pick 5 combination.

SELECTIONS

PERTUSATO (4) - CHILLI BOY (5) - VENTURA VISION (6) - COLD PLAY (13)

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C7 - PRIX LA BAMBA - 1300m (a6 1/2f) - ALL WEATHER - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 30.000

1. **ROUHIYA** - Caught the eye on debut with a fast-finishing 3rd and should open her account sooner rather than later. Follow
2. **CASAURINA** - Confirmed the promise of her debut 3rd by finishing 2nd last time and will acquit herself competitively once more
3. **MISS CHOO** - Made no impression when well beaten and unplaced on her debut. Could improve but is best watched for now
4. **MAKEMAKE** - Made an encouraging debut (4th) and is open to any amount of improvement given that experience. Keep safe
5. **TAZARA** - Acquitted herself on debut when finishing 4th at Chantilly and is open to any amount of improvement. Respect
6. **CARDISTRY** - Did not go unnoticed when finishing 6th on debut and is likely to improve given that experience. Watch out
7. **LIBERTE** - Has finished 3rd in her two outings and was talked about on both occasions. Should have a role to play
8. **MIELA** - Runner-up on debut and should be wiser to the task now given that experience. Has more to do in this grade/company
9. **INTELLITA** - Showed her inexperience on debut but still ran with promise by finishing 4th. Will know more about it
10. **AMORCITA** - Finished a well-beaten 9th in her first start and, while likely to improve with that experience, is best just to watch
11. **MME JOURDAIN** - Finished a very encouraging 2nd on debut and would have gained plenty from that experience. Will be a factor
12. **FALBALA** - Not entirely disgraced when finishing 7th on debut and is likely to improve given that experience. Watch for now
13. **WAHAYEB** - Maurizio Guarnieri-trained Soldier's Call filly to be ridden on debut Coralie Pacaut. For another day
14. **MAY DAY SPIRIT** - James Grassick's Swiss Spirit filly to be ridden on debut by Manon Fleury. Others make more appeal
15. **NICE SPIRIT** - Well-bred newcomer from the Christopher Head stable, which is usually formidable in races of this ilk. High on the shortlist

Summary : A hard race to assess as most of these fillies are likely to know a lot more about it now after pleasing introductory outings. However, it could pay to follow the progress of ROUHIYA (1) after her eye-catching and fast-finishing 3rd on debut, though the same could also be said of MME JOURDAIN (11) who finished a promising 2nd first time out. NICE SPIRIT (15) is one to note on debut, as she represents the formidable Christopher Head stable. TAZARA (5), who should have achieved a result better than her 3rd on debut, should also have a role to play.

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SELECTIONS

ROUHIYA (1) - MME JOURDAIN (11) - NICE SPIRIT (15) - TAZARA (5)

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C8 - PRIX DE L'AUBERGE DES PEINTRES - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Divised Handicap - Flat - EUR € 27.000

1. CHOP VAL - No longer has to prove himself on this surface and, despite a No 14 starting stall, is likely to make his presence felt

2. HARILA - Regained momentum by finishing an improved 4th last time and is not incapable of getting into the picture

3. WIND OF CHANGE - Inconsistent but is not entirely devoid of resources. Has more of a place chance than a winning one

4. SASSICA - Always gives her best and should take an active part in the finish. Consistent sort who will be a factor

5. ETEL DU NINIAN - Has enjoyed an amazing year and recently proved she remains competitive at this value. Not taken lightly

6. BACCHILIDE - Well placed in the starting stalls and is more than capable of redeeming himself after a much-needed comeback run

7. GALI LODGE -

8. RANCON ROYALE - Sparked improvement last time and should fight for victory if building on that momentum. Has a smart turn of foot

9. HARTWOOD MAN - Struggling to regain any form or show signs of improvement needed to be competitive here, so unlikely to trouble the judge

10. CHANEL GOLD - Inconsistent but is not entirely devoid of resources. Has more of a place chance than a winning one

11. PINK PONG - Unreliable but seldom finishes far off the mark on a going day. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out

12. SENSE OF BELONGING - Improved on his comeback 9th to finish 2nd last time and ought to play a leading role if making further progress

13. J'AURAIS DU - Seldom finishes far off the mark and could get into the picture here but has no more than a place chance

14. FASTER - Inconsistent but is not entirely devoid of resources. Has more of a place chance than a winning one

15. KATLEIYA - Maintaining a respectable level of form and consistency and seldom finishes far off the mark on a going day. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out

16. RESTLESS SPIRIT - Out of sorts but has dropped to an attractive handicap value. Will garner interest from the lovers of outsiders

Summary : Proven fibresand performer RANCON ROYALE (8) has the means to overcome his rivals and land the spoils in this handicap and is preferred ahead of BACCHILIDE (6) who ought to improve after a much-needed comeback outing. SASSICA (4), who always gives of her maximum, SENSE OF BELONGING (12), a good 2nd last time, and CHOP VAL (1) are all capable of staking a claim too.

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SELECTIONS

RANCON ROYALE (8) - BACCHILIDE (6) - SASSICA (4) - SENSE OF BELONGING (12)

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C9 - PRIX DU BELVEDERE DES AVALOIRS - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Divised Handicap - Flat - EUR € 20.000

1. **TOOCOOLFORSCHOOL** - Seldom finishes far off the mark and could get into the picture here but has no more than a place chance
2. **HYGROVE BEC** - Gusty frontrunner who is often difficult to get by if allowed to dictate terms. Cannot be taken lightly
3. **LORD MONCHABLON** - He has less margin now following his success last month but a place remains within his reach. Chance
4. **SALSA CHIC** - Struggling to regain any form or spark the improvement needed to be competitive here, so unlikely to trouble the judge
5. **ASHDEL** - Consistent performer who, despite an unfavourable No 15 gate, will be competitive for leading places. Keep safe
6. **MICOLEO** - Showed signs of improvement last time and could get a look in here if confirming that form. Place chance
7. **SIGLO DE ORO** - Finished an excellent 3rd on his return to action and should build on that momentum with improved fitness on his side
8. **RED NUDE ROUGE** - In good form and physical condition, so expected to fight for victory in a race of this nature. One to beat
9. **POLIVATE** - Last-start winner who has continued to blow hot and cold. Has little margin, if any, at this value so best watched for now
10. **BOWDRAGON** - Struggling to regain any form or spark the improvement needed to be competitive here, so unlikely to trouble the judge
11. **SENEPARK** - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture judged on her best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out
12. **BLOOD CHOPE** - Slowly but surely regaining her best form after a break and has a good chance of finishing in the places
13. **MURRAYFIELD** - Has nothing to prove at this handicap value and is effective on the surface. Should have a role to play
14. **BLACK PANTHER** - Has looked distinctly ordinary for some time now, so his chances are limited even at this level. Ignore
15. **GHAYADH** - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture judged on her best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out
16. **SOTCHI** - Seldom finishes far off the mark and could get into the picture here but has no more than a place chance

Summary : RED NUDE ROUGE (8) has regained her best form recently and will logically win many votes. However, she will need to be wary of ASHDEL (5), who finished a good 4th in his first start since joining Guillaume Courbot. SIGLO DE ORO (7), who was an excellent 3rd on his return at Chantilly, and MURRAYFIELD (13), who has nothing to prove at this handicap value, ought to pose a threat to those rivals. HYGROVE BEC (2) is not without a chance either.

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RED NUDE ROUGE (8) - ASHDEL (5) - SIGLO DE ORO (7) - MURRAYFIELD (13)