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R3 CABOURG [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX DE BRICQUEVILLE - 2050m (a1 1/4m) - Class - Harness - EUR €
21.000**

1. LINOTTE DU MOUCHEL - Disqualified in her latest appearance but did show enough previously to have a winning chance in a race/field of this ilk. Keep safe

2. LITTLE UP - No champion but is not incapable of getting a look in here in a race of this nature. Has only a place chance

3. LA FEE D'HAVAROCHE - Finished 4th in a minor contest at Moulins-la-Marche in her second start but has failed to build on that in three subsequent outings. Outsider

4. LADY DE FOUQUE - A Diadème Atout filly owned and trained by Kévin Weska, who will also partner his charge on debut. Watch for now

5. LOUPIAC DE GODREL - Finished 7th in consecutive outings and hardly improved when finishing 6th last time. Best watched for now

6. LUCKY PIYA - Disqualified in two of his three starts, though did win his only completed outing over this track and trip back in October. Need only remain wise to redeem himself here

7. LOLLIPOP D'UNEVIE - Has nothing noteworthy to her name to warrant any consideration here so can be ruled out. Others preferred

8. L'ETOILE BLEUE - Thomas Levesque-trained Ouragan De Celland debutante who qualified well enough to be a factor here on debut. High on the shortlist

Summary : LUCKY PIYA (6) is a tricky customer but did win easily over this course and distance two starts back, so need only avoid disqualification to make amends here and recapture the winning thread. Newcomer L'ETOILE BLEUE (8) qualified well enough to suggest that she could fight for victory on debut, while LINOTTE DU MOUCHEL (1) is likely to be competitive too in a field of this ilk. LITTLE UP (2) is also worth considering with Yoann Lebourgeois a noteworthy engagement.

SELECTIONS

LUCKY PIYA (6) - L'ETOILE BLEUE (8) - LINOTTE DU MOUCHEL (1) - LITTLE UP (2)

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C2 - PRIX DE PICAUVILLE - 2725m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 22.000

- 1. KALINKA DE BOMO** - Fluffed her lines last time but retains the means necessary to redeem herself back at a right-handed track. Fully unshod for the first time and well positioned at the start
- 2. KILIWATCH** - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture here judged on her best references and with all four shoes now removed. Dark horse
- 3. KALAMATA BEACH** - Inconsistent but has the means to make her presence felt, though has more of a place chance than a winning one
- 4. KAKUETA VEDAQUAISE** - Showed some signs of improvement last time (5th) but will need to build on that progress to have a say here. Outsider
- 5. KINDNESS LIAMONE** - Unreliable though not entirely incapable of getting a look in here judged on her form references. One to watch out for
- 6. KISS ME TO LIVE** - A winner at this venue last time out and, on the evidence of that victory, ought to play a leading role here. Keep safe
- 7. KALOUMA DELADOU** - Absent since her latest failure here in August but did show enough previously (by winning twice) to warrant consideration here on he reappearance
- 8. KENNEDY STREET** - Improving last-start winner who warrants the utmost respect in a race/field of this nature. Will be a factor
- 9. KERAMIDA** - Struggling to regain any form or spark the improvement needed to be competitive so is not likely to trouble the judge
- 10. KARIMA DU PARC** - Out of sorts and not likely to trouble the judge here on the evidence of recent displays. For another day
- 11. KETTINA DU CYGNE** - Has been in very good form since returning to action, winning two of her last three starts including the most recent of those. Respected
- 12. KOUSINE CARISAIE** - Can be forgiven a recent failure (8th) having finished 2nd in consecutive previous outings. Not to be taken lightly

Summary : A four-year-old fillies' event that is hard to assess, especially as several of them will be racing unshod for the first time. KALINKA DE BOMO (1) is a lot better than her recent mishap and could be worth another chance with all 4 of her shoes removed. She gets the nod ahead of KISS ME TO LIVE (6), who reassured us of her form and well-being by winning last time out at this venue. With obvious room for improvement, last-start winner KENNEDY STREET (8) is another capable of fighting for victory along with KETTINA DU CYGNE (11), who has already revealed considerable promise. Good race!

SELECTIONS

KALINKA DE BOMO (1) - KISS ME TO LIVE (6) - KENNEDY STREET (8) - KETTINA DU CYGNE (11)

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**C3 - PRIX DE MATHIEU - 2725m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR €
22.000**

- 1. KILLY D'IRATY** - Struggling to regain any form or spark the improvement needed to be competitive so is not likely to trouble the judge
- 2. KRIS ROC** - Complicated but is undeniably capable of staking a claim in a race of this nature if remaining wise. Not taken lightly
- 3. KEMISSORO** - Improving last-start winner with sound references on right-handed tracks. Will remain competitive so can't be underestimated
- 4. KEN FEFAY** - Consistent sort with solid form references, including his two latest outings at Vincennes. Could fight for victory
- 5. KEOPS DU BUHOT** - Promising sort held in high regard by his connections. Will have more to offer after an encouraging comeback, so is the one to beat
- 6. KINGSTON DU BOURG** - Has not been seen for several months but it is a quality colt with considerable means. Respected on his reappearance
- 7. KONAN JERSEY** - Has regained freshness after his faux pas under the saddle and races fully unshod on his return. Not taken lightly
- 8. KSAR DU RIEU** - Delicate sort but has the means to be competitive in a race/field of this ilk. Should have done better last time and ought to make his presence felt here
- 9. KALOU D'IROISE** - More effective at a lower level, having been found wanting in this grade recently. Unlikely to trouble the judge here on the evidence of recent displays
- 10. KITO TURGOT** - Inconsistent although not entirely incapable of getting a look in here. Has more of a place chance than a winning one

Summary : Promising KEOPS DU BUHOT (5) confirmed his form and well-being with an encouraging 4th here on his reappearance so, with the likelihood of improvement, is good value to reconnect with success. KEN FEFAY (4), however, will pose a threat racing unshod on his return to a right-handed track. KONAN JERSEY (7) blotted his copybook when tried in the mounted code last time but cannot be underestimated back in the harness category. KSAR DU RIEU (8) is undoubtedly capable of better than his latest 6th and has the means to get involved, which also applies to returning KINGSTON DU BOURG (6).

SELECTIONS

KEOPS DU BUHOT (5) - KEN FEFAY (4) - KONAN JERSEY (7) - KSAR DU RIEU (8)

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C4 - PRIX DE COLOMBIERES - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 22.000

1. **JAMAICA SAM** - Unreliable although seldom far off the mark on a going day. Unshod behind and well positioned at the start but probably for another day
2. **JAVA SI** - Consistent and formidable performer under the saddle. More effective under the saddle and is best watched until reverting to that code
3. **JOYCE DE LA COUR** - Has few references in this shoe fitting and has, for some time now, continued to blow hot and cold. Outsider
4. **JULIANA DES LUCAS** - Delicate but usually does well when avoiding disqualification, seldom finishing far off the mark. Has a place chance
5. **JASMINA DES PRES** - Inconsistent although not entirely incapable of getting a look in here judged on her best references. One to keep an eye on
6. **JALNA DU BUISSON** - Versatile mare who possesses a formidable finishing burst. Not to be underestimated racing fully unshod
7. **JEEP DE DALINE** - An easy winner at this venue of her last start and looks capable of repeating the feat here. The horse to beat
8. **JOLLY CHIC** - Absent since finishing unplaced (8th) at Vire in September, after winning back-to-back outings at Châteaubriant and Pornichet. For another day
9. **JALBA DU FER** - Unreliable although seldom far off the mark on a going day. Could get a look in here racing unshod behind
10. **J'ADORE BLUE** - Struggling to regain any form or spark the improvement needed to be competitive here, so unlikely to trouble the judge
11. **JULOHA STAR ELGE** - Gutsy mare who has proven hard to pass when finding the lead. Will be a force to be reckoned with if allowed to dictate terms
12. **JACINTHE DES PRES** - Out of sorts and not likely to trouble the judge here on the evidence of recent displays. For another day
13. **JUST AN ARTIST** - Seldom far from a fault but her aptitude for this track and this category is beyond doubt and is an undeniable asset. Dark horse
14. **JOYCE D'AVEZE** - Consistent performer who is proven in this category and at ease on this track too. Will have a role to play
15. **JANE QUICK** - Inconsistent but quite capable of staking a claim in a race of this nature. Will find this an easier task than her latest assignment
16. **JEZABEL DU BISTON** - Favourably engaged here at the ceiling of earnings so ought to take advantage of this commitment by confirming the form of her latest outing (3rd). Should have a say

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Summary : JEEP DE DALINE (7) has improved in this shoe fitting and confirmed as much with a dominant win at this venue in her latest outing so, on the evidence of that performance, will certainly win the majority of votes and is taken to follow up. JOYCE D'AVEZE (14) is likely to lead the opposition with JEZABEL DU BISTON (16), who is favourably treated by these conditions at the ceiling of earnings, also capable of giving cheek to the selection. JULOHA STAR ELGE (11), capable of doing well if getting to the lead without too much difficulty, appeals most of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

JEEP DE DALINE (7) - JOYCE D'AVEZE (14) - JEZABEL DU BISTON (16) - JULOHA STAR ELGE (11)

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**C5 - PRIX DE BERNESQ - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Mounted - EUR €
23.000**

1. JAGUAR DU RIB - Inconsistent although not entirely incapable of getting a look in here. Has more of a place chance than a winning one

2. JUSQUIAME - Out of sorts and not likely to trouble the judge here on the evidence of recent displays. For another day

3. JASMINE DE GREZ - Disqualified in her last harness outing and again when switched to this code last time out. Best just to watch for now

4. JADE DU PARC - Consistent mare with sound form credentials and a good record at this venue. Should have a role to play

5. JOLIE INDIENNE - Usually does well when avoiding disqualification and has the means to redeem herself in a race of this nature. Dark horse

6. JAVA DE CORDAY - Didn't go unnoticed when finishing 7th in a stronger race last time and is likely to find this an easier assignment, so has to be respected. Beware

7. JABADAMES - Has taken well to the mounted code. Confirmed the promise of her debut under the saddle (3rd) by winning last time out and ought to play another leading role here

8. JACOBSON - A model of consistency racing barefooted under the saddle. Has a winning chance on the strength of his recent form

9. IBILI DE SALTA - Delicate sort who tends to do well when not disqualified but was sanctioned in his last harness race and again switched to this code recently. For another day

10. JADE DU CEDRE - Unreliable but is seldom far off the mark under the saddle when avoiding disqualification. Not to be taken lightly

11. JOLLITY GABY - Probably more effective on left-hand tracks but has good enough references around right-handed circuits to fight for victory here

12. IPANEMA DE LOU - Lost her way in the harness category recently so is best watched for now switching to the mounted code

Summary : A good race in which a case for winning can be made for several entrants, although none more so than JACOBSON (8) who acquitted himself competitively in four successive outings at Vincennes late last year and is likely to be rewarded for that consistency with a victory here if arriving in similar form. JOLLITY GABY (11), delicate as she may be, is capable of great things when avoiding disqualification so could pose a threat, along with JABADAMES (7) who has struck up a formidable partnership with Léo Balu. With Mathieu Mottier aboard for the first time, JADE DU PARC (4) could also get in on the action.

SELECTIONS

JACOBSON (8) - JOLLITY GABY (11) - JABADAMES (7) - JADE DU PARC (4)

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C6 - PRIX DE TREVIERES - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 22.000

1. **JEWELKIM** - Unreliable but seldom finishes far off the mark on a going day. Hard to trust but as hard to rule out, even in this shoe fitting
2. **JALISCO DE NEUVY** - Has, for some time now, nothing noteworthy to his name to warrant any consideration here, so can be ruled out. Overlook
3. **JOYAU DU RIB** - Didn't go unnoticed last time, despite his disqualification. Has already revealed sufficient means to be competitive in a race of this nature
4. **JILINO** - Absent since August and has proven more effective in a different shoeing configuration, so is best watched for now
5. **JULES DES CHAMPS** - Out of sorts and not likely to trouble the judge here on the evidence of recent displays. Others make more appeal
6. **JASPE DU DOLLAR** - Bounced back to winning ways with an effortless last-start success, albeit against slightly lesser opposition. Ought to remain competitive
7. **JULIUS BERRY** - Struggling to regain any form or spark the improvement needed to be competitive here, so unlikely to trouble the judge
8. **JUSTAUCORPS** - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture judged on his best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out
9. **JACKSON DU CLOS** - Has, for some time now, nothing noteworthy to his name to warrant any consideration here, so can be ruled out. Overlook
10. **JOPLIN DES CROUAS** - Delicate sort but has sufficient means and will be much more comfortable on a right-handed track. Dark horse
11. **JERRY QUICK** - Bounced back to form with a reassuring 2nd at this venue last time and need only confirm that form to play a leading role here
12. **JUMBO JACK** - Consistent and competitive for the most part, even when racing with his irons. Will attract lovers of outsiders
13. **JANNIG D'EREVAN** - Returned to form with a reassuring 2nd last time and needs only to repeat that performance here to fight for victory
14. **JOHNY DU VIVIER** - Has been impressive in racking up a string of victories racing barefooted, so is hard to oppose here racing without his irons once more

Summary : Undefeated racing without his irons, JOHNY DU VIVIER (14) is hard to oppose here in his bid for a sixth successive win. JANNIG D'EREVAN (13), having bounced back to form recently, and JASPE DU DOLLAR (6), who trounced lesser rivals last time, are those most likely to give cheek to the selection. JERRY QUICK (11) showed the tenacity last time that will stand him in good stead here, so he should not be underestimated either. JOYAU DU RIB (3), who put in an interesting performance despite his disqualification last time, completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

JOHNY DU VIVIER (14) - JANNIG D'EREVAN (13) - JASPE DU DOLLAR (6) - JERRY

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QUICK (11)

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**C7 - PRIX DE NEGREVILLE - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Mounted - EUR €
33.000**

1. HINSERT MAHCATH - Very delicate sort who has been frustrating to follow, seldom far from a fault. Has the means to play a role if avoiding disqualification

2. GREAT GANGSTER - Seldom far off the mark and is barefoot for the occasion so can get into the picture but has no more than a place chance

3. HARIBO DU SURF - Capable performer whose last start/failure (9th) isn't a true reflection of his worth. Has sufficient means to play a leading role

4. HIROISE DU PARJAT - Versatile mare who is inconsistent, though not incapable of getting a look in here. Needs to reaffirm

5. GABEUR DAIRPET - An honest veteran in good form and physical condition. Can make his presence felt here with front shoes removed

6. HOLIDAY WELL - At the top of her game with a 2nd and two wins from her last three starts, including her most recent outing. Has a winning chance here racing unshod in front and starting from the first row

7. FINGER DES LANDES - Out of sorts recently in the harness category but would've been prepared for this engagement. Did finish 3rd when last seen (three starts back) in this code - dark horse

8. GUOPECK DE VIVOIN - Honest hard-knocking veteran with sound references at this venue. Should again acquit himself competitively

9. FELINE DE JANVILLE - Finished a reassuring 3rd on this course last time out and will be fully unshod on this occasion, so is likely to confirm that improvement

10. HILTON MAZA - Unreliable but has the means to get into the picture, if judged on his best form references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out

Summary : HOLIDAY WELL (6) is at the peak of her powers and is likely to take capitalise on this favourable engagement by adding to her tally. FELINE DE JANVILLE (9), having acquitted herself well at this venue late last month, could pose the biggest threat, although GUOPECK DE VIVOIN (8) is closely matched on that form and ought to make his presence felt too with a repeat of that performance. HARIBO DU SURF (3) has been hard to win with but is confirmed under these conditions and should also have a role to play.

SELECTIONS

**HOLIDAY WELL (6) - FELINE DE JANVILLE (9) - GUOPECK DE VIVOIN (8) - HARIBO DU
SURF (3)**

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C8 - PRIX DE VIERVILLE-SUR-MER - 2725m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 33.000

1. **HONEY KING** - Capable of a lot better than his latest performance (8th) suggests. Played a leading role in the finish in each of his last two appearances over this course and distance
2. **FALKIR BUIZARDERIE** - More effective under the saddle and is probably using this outing as preparation for future targets. Watch for now
3. **GROUPE DE POTES** - Versatile veteran with sound references in this code but is more effective with shoes removed. Best watched for now
4. **FELICITA D'ECOUVES** - Out of sorts and not likely to trouble the judge here on the evidence of recent displays. For another day
5. **HUDO DU RUEL** - Was far from disgraced last time in a stronger race/opposition and ought to find this an easier task. Winning chance
6. **HORATIUS D'ELA** - Versatile performer whose only appearance at this venue was a winning one. Should play a leading role in the outcome
7. **FLOCON DIGEO** - Honest hard-knocking veteran with sound references at this venue. Ought to again acquit himself competitively
8. **FETU DES MALBERAUX** - Inconsistent and is more effective when racing unshod, so is best watched for now. Others make more appeal
9. **HOUSTON TUILERIE** - Seldom far from a fault but is confirmed under these conditions and not incapable of causing a stir if avoiding disqualification
10. **EUDES DE L'AUNAY** - Showed some signs of improvement last time (4th) but will need to build on that progress to have a say here. Outsider
11. **FOLETTE DU MANS** - Seldom finishes far off the mark and could get into the picture here racing fully unshod. Has only a place chance though
12. **GENEVRIER** - Capable veteran who has the means to bounce back from recent inconsistent efforts now that he's racing unshod in front. Not taken lightly

Summary : In this race for trotters between the ages of seven and 10 (inclusive), there are several capable of winning. None make more appeal, though, than HUDO DU RUEL (5) who finished 5th in a stronger race and against better opposition in his latest outing. HORATIUS D'ELA (6), a winner of his only appearance at Cabourg, heads the list of potential dangers that also includes HONEY KING (1), who even with his irons is capable of posing a threat. GENEVRIER (12), unshod in front, and barefoot FLOCON DIGEO (7) complete the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

HUDO DU RUEL (5) - HORATIUS D'ELA (6) - HONEY KING (1) - GENEVRIER (12)