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R4 PORNICHET [L-H]

C1 - PRIX FLEUR DE SEL - 1700m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. CALYPSO - Unreliable and finished 9th in a handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 21 January. Capable of earning some money when in the right mood

2. GOLFEUR - A runner-up in a handicap over this track and trip on 7 January. Likes this surface and can go one place better

3. GREAT ART - Showed some improvement and was runner-up in a claimer over this course and distance on 27 January. Has a place chance

4. ISCREAMFORICECREAM - A winner of a Conditions race over this track and trip on 24 January. Tackles tougher but is not out of it

5. DRUIDE - Holding form and finished fourth in a claimer over this course and distance on 27 January. Can earn some more money

6. MASTER PAT - Not reliable and was fourth in a class 4 Conditions race at Deauville over 1500m on 23 January. Might play a minor role at very best

7. BAILEYS TOPAZE - Only modest ot late and finished 7th in a claimer over this course and distance on 27 January. Needs to find a few lengths to score

8. TRUE VALUE - Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 27 December. More is needed to beat these rivals

9. FLEUR DE SEL - Only modest of late and finished 6th in a handicap at Lyon-Parilly over 1600m on 21 September. Could need this run returning from a break

10. SLEIPNIR NORMANDY - Not reliable but was runner-up in a handicap over this track and trip on 27 January. Can be competitive again

11. ICALERO - In very good shape and was runner-up in a handicap over this course and distance on 26 December. Be right there at the finish

12. ASTRA DREAM - Only modest of late and finished 6th in a handicap over this course and distance on 7 January. More is needed to beat these rivals

13. ALBERI - Has some fair form and finished fifth in a claimer over this track and trip on 19 January. Might play a minor role

14. GOLDEN RIVER - In good shape and finished third in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. Could earn some minor money

15. MINO PICO - Unreliable and was unplaced in a handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 21 January. Capable of an upset on best form

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Summary: A very open race with a lot of course-and-distance form. GOLFEUR (2) has a good recent record at this track and is capable of going one place better. ICALERO (11) remains in very good form and should contest the finish again. SLEIPNIR NORMANDY (10) is unreliable but quite capable of winning over this particular course and distance. ISCREAMFORICECREAM (4) is also in good form and would not be a surprise winner.

SELECTIONS

GOLFEUR (2) - ICALERO (11) - SLEIPNIR NORMANDY (10) - ISCREAMFORICECREAM (4)

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C2 - PRIX DE LA FLEUR D'AJONC - 1700m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 14,400

1. HARMATTAN - Not reliable and finished 6th in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. Capable of an upset on best form

2. NIGHT ACTION - Unreliable and finished 7th in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. More is needed to beat these rivals

3. LOVECAYAN - In good form and was runner-up in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. Be right there at the finish

4. DARIYANGEL - Unreliable and finished 8th in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. Capable of earning some minor money

5. TOOCOOLFORSCHOOL - Disappointing form of late and finished 6th in a handicap at Pau over 1400m on 18 January. Has a place chance on best form

6. MAGIC VATI - Finished 10th in a class 4 Conditions race over this track and trip on 27 January. Did win his penultimate start and could surprise again

7. ZAAHIR - Not disgraced when fifth in a class 4 Conditions race over this track and trip on 27 January. Can be competitive in this line-up

8. QUEEN LADY GOLD - Not reliable but was runner-up in a handicap over this course and distance on 7 January. Can contest the finish once again

9. PERFECTO - Unreliable and finished 7th in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 3 January. Might play a minor role at very best

10. PEYTON PLACE - Only modest of late and finished 7th in a handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 21 January. Capable of making the frame

11. MADRAS - Unreliable and finished 7th in a handicap over this course and distance on 26 December. Has a place chance in this line-up

12. AL RASSOUL - Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a handicap at Pau over 1600m on 28 January. Needs to do more to score

13. STRANGER - Unreliable and was unplaced in a handicap at over this course and distance on 7 January. Others make more appeal

14. BOKRA FIL MISHMISH - Finished 7th in a class 3 at this track over 1700m on 28 December. A non runner

Summary: A very open race. LOVECAYAN (3) gets the vote to score based on some good recent form. She only found one better on the day last time out at this track and deserves a winning turn. ZAAHIR (7) has some fair recent form and could challenge for top honours this time around. QUEEN LADY GOLD (8) put in a decent performance over this track and trip last time out but has tended not to be too reliable. PEYTON PLACE (10) could get involved with the finish if the pace is quick enough.

SELECTIONS

LOVECAYAN (3) - ZAAHIR (7) - QUEEN LADY GOLD (8) - PEYTON PLACE (10)

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C3 - PRIX DE LA SAINT VALENTIN - 1700m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 19,200

1. KARLITO - Finished 6th in a Conditions maiden race over this course and distance on 1700m on 7 January. Needs to find a few lengths to win

2. MENACANT - Improving and was runner-up in a Conditions maiden race over this course and distance on 28 December. Be right there at the finish

3. VISIONNAIRE - Has not show much of late and finished 8th in a Conditions maiden race at Deauville over 1300m on 8 January. More is needed to score

4. STEEL DRUM - Only fair so far and finished fifth at Salisbury over 1390m on 12 September. Returns from a break and could need this run

5. CAPIZA - Not disgraced when 6th in a Conditions maiden at Deauville over 1500m on 2 December. Can get involved with the finish

6. PERSIA ON LINE - Only modest so far and finished 7th in a handicap at Deauville over 1900m on 2 January. Can make the frame

7. VATHANA - Unreliable and finished 10th in a Conditions maiden at Deauville over 1300m on 29 January. Did better before that and has a place chance

8. CLAIM A GIFT - A winner of a claimer over this course and distance on 19 January. Might earn some minor money at best

9. SELF CONTROL - In good shape and was runner-up in a Conditions maiden race over this track and trip on 7 January. Can go one place better

10. ZANINA - Only modest so far and was in 6th in a handicap over this track and trip on 27 January. Capable of earning some money

11. SILVAROLE FAL - A three-year-old flly by Without Parole out of Silverville who is making her debut. Will probably need the experience

Summary: SELF CONTROL (9) is threatening to win a race and gets a confident vote to score. MENACANT (2) has only had two runs so far and got close last time out, so will not be a surprise winner. CAPIZA (5) is also clearly capable of vast improvement after having had just two starts. Her last run at Deauville hinted at a good performance this time around. PERSIA ON LINE (6) did not run too badly in a handicap last time out and can also be a threat.

SELECTIONS

SELF CONTROL (9) - MENACANT (2) - CAPIZA (5) - PERSIA ON LINE (6)

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C4 - PRIX TERRE DE SEL - 1700m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. MY SECRET LIGHT - Not disgraced when fifth in a handicap at Deauville over 1900m on 16 January. Capable of an upset on best form

2. REDSIA FAL - In good shape and was third in a handicap over this track and trip on 7 January. Should contest the finish

3. BEST SELLER - Has improved of late and was victorious in a handicap over this course and distance on 7 January. Can follow up

4. MISS DAVIER - Only modest of late and finished 9th in a handicap at Deauville over 1300m on 21 January. Better at this track and has claims

5. TOOGOODTOBEROOD - Unreliable and finished 6th in a claimer over this track and trip on 27 January. Might play a minor role

6. KATIE LIGHT - In good form and was runner-up in a handicap at this track over 2400m on 19 December. Drops in distance but cannot be ruled out

7. YELLOW HAWK - Holding form and finished fourth in a handicap over this track and trip on 24 January. Clearly is not out of it

8. MA START UP - Not reliable and was unplaced over this track and trip on 3 January. Might sneak some minor money in this line-up

9. CHAPEL HILL - Not disgraced when fourth in a handicap over this course and distance on 7 January. Can make the frame

10. VESCO - Only modest of late and finished 6th in a class 4 Conditions race over this course and distance on 27 January. Has a place chance

11. GORA ERREALA - Of form and finished 7th in a handicap at Pau over 1400m on 13 January. Needs to find a few lengths to win

12. NIIA - Unplaced in a class 4 Conditions race over this course and distance on 27 January. Others make more appeal

13. BANDALIGHT - Only modest of late and finished 7th in a claimer over this track and trip on 19 January. Might play a minor role

14. ROYALTY FAIR - Off form and finished 8th in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 28 December. Needs to find a few lengths to score

15. BREIZH DANSE - Has struggled of late and finished 8th in a claimer over this track and trip on 19 January. Others are preferred

16. BAY MOON - Unreliable and was unplaced in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. More is needed to beat these rivals

Summary: Another very competitive handicap. MISS DAVIER (4) likes this track and is capable of winning a race of this nature, so gets a narrow vote to score. REDSIA FAL (2) has been consistent of late and can get involved with the finish yet again. BEST SELLER (3) has shown improved form of late and can go one place better this time around. YELLOW HAWK (7) has held his form and is capable of a strong finish, so must be respected for that.

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SELECTIONS

MISS DAVIER (4) - REDSIA FAL (2) - BEST SELLER (3) - YELLOW HAWK (7)

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C5 - PRIX DES OEILLETS - 2100m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 11,900

1. BAHIA WARANA - Has only been moderate of late and finished 7th in a Conditions race at this course over 2400m on 27 January. Needs to do more to beat these rivals

2. NORTH COAST - Finished 7th on debut in a Conditions race at La Teste-de-Buch over 1000m on 23 March 2024. Returns from a break and steps up in distance. Place chance

3. DHIGALI - Has only been modest so far and finished 6th in a Conditions race at this course over 2400m on 27 January. Others are preferred

4. THESIGER - Has really struggled of late and was unplaced in a Conditions race over this track and trip on 19 January. Needs major improvement to win

5. RHIPPER - Finished 6th in a claimer at this track over 1700m on 19 January. Needs major improvement to win this race

6. SUPERCLASS - Has struggled of late and finished 8th in a claimer at Durtal over 2000m on 1 November. Needs to do more to score

7. CICCINA MIA - Has not shown much so far and was 8th in a Conditions race over this course and distance on 19 January. Needs to find a few lengths to score

8. MARACAMAYA - Unreliable but was runner-up in a Conditions race at this track over 3100m on 19 January. Can contest the finish

9. BAILEYS ILLUSION - Battling to win a race and finished 7th in a Conditions race at this course over 1700m on 27 January. Might play a minor role

10. SMERWICK - Only modest of late and was unplaced in a handicap at Deauville over 1900m on 16 January. Capable of doing better and is not out of it

11. MA BARBIE'K - Improving and finished third in a Conditions race over this course and distance on 19 January. Be right there at the finish

12. WELPOME - Did not show her best when unplaced in a claimer at this track over 1700m on 19 January. Others make more appeal

13. NARGIZ - Finished 8th in a handicap at Deauville over 1600m on 9 August. Returns from a break but can win if fit enough

14. BUGATTI DESJY - Finished 6th on her debut in a Conditions race at this track over 3100m on 19 January. Capable of improvement and might play a minor role

Summary: NARGIZ (13) returns from a break and her fitness will need to be taken on trust, but she can win a race of this weak level. MA BARBIE'K (11) has improved with each run and did well enough over this course and distance to suggest a winning turn is not far away. MARACAMAYA (8) is not reliable but only found one better over a longer distance at this course last month and can get involved with the finish again. SMERWICK (10) is also capable of shining on her best form.

SELECTIONS

NARGIZ (13) - MA BARBIE'K (11) - MARACAMAYA (8) - SMERWICK (10)

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C6 - PRIX DES MARAIS SALANTS - 2100m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

1. BORN TO DEFEAT - Returned to form and finished fourth in a handicap at this course over 1700m on 27 January. Has major claims in this line-up

2. MATAURI QUEEN - Did not show her best when 9th in a handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 10 January. Clearly capable of better and has a winning chance

3. ASTRA BELLA - Has only had the three starts so far and finished 7th in a Conditions race at Deauville over 1900m on 29 December. Capable of improvement and can make the frame

4. ROBERTO PESTO - Did not show his best when 9th in a handicap at this track over 1700m on 26 December. Did win before that and is capable of winning again

5. ATALAYA - In good shape and finished third in a Conditions race at Lyon-La Soie over 2150m on 21 January. Can earn some more money

6. HABIBA - Has struggled of late and finished 8th in a Conditions race over this course and distance on 24 January. Others make more appeal

7. BLANQUETTE - Showed what she is capable of with a victory in a claimer over this course and distance on 27 January. This is tougher but it not out of it

8. REVE DE VIE - Showed some improvement when 7th in a Conditions race at Chantilly over 1900m on 21 January. Could be the surprise package of the race

9. LUCK HILA - Has struggled so far and finished 11th in a Conditions race over this track and trip on 24 January. Others are much preferred

10. BENOLY FAL - Has not shown much so far and was 8th in a handicap at this course over 1700m on 27 January. Needs to find a few lengths to win

11. BABADOO - Showed some improvement when runner-up in a claimer at Lyon-La Soie over 2150m on 21 January. Can play a minor role at best

12. ASTREDARGENT - Not disgraced when 5th in a claimer at Deauville over 1900m on 9 January. More is needed to beat these rivals

Summary: BORN TO DEFEAT (1) has a good record at this track and gets a confident selection to score over a distance that suits. MATAURI QUEEN (2) is clearly better than her last run would suggest and could be a lively danger on best form. BLANQUETTE (7) picked off a nice claiming win over this track and trip and could have more to offer. ROBERTO PESTO (4) won a good race in his penultimate start but flopped over the course and distance after that.

SELECTIONS

BORN TO DEFEAT (1) - MATAURI QUEEN (2) - BLANQUETTE (7) - ROBERTO PESTO (4)

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C7 - PRIX DES PALUDIERS - 2400m (a1m1/2) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. VIVRE LIBRE - Still improving and was victorious in a Conditions race at this course over 2100m on 19 January. Be right there at the finish

2. GABYLOU - Has been a disappointment of late and finished tenth in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. Capable of doing better but others are preferred

3. KEREMET - Unreliable and was unplaced last time out in a handicap at this track over 2100m on 24 January. Did better before that and could play a minor role

4. KUPKA - Yet to win a race but did finished fourth in a claimer at Chantilly over 2000m on 10 January. Might play a minor role at very best

5. EDIBEST FAL - In good form and was runner-up in a handicap at Deauville over 3400m on 23 January. Did win a claimer over this track and trip before that. Big chance

6. BYGOUDINE - Not reliable but did finish fourth in a handicap over this course and distance on 19 January. Capable of making the frame

7. AME DIVINE - Returned to form with a win in a handicap over this course and distance on 19 January. Carries a penalty but is capable of following up

8. MARYLIN CITY - Has struggled of late and was 8th in a handicap over 2100m on 24 January. Probably needs to find a few lengths to win

9. TEMIRI - Consistent and finished third in a handicap at Pau over this distance on 20 January. Can be competitive once again

10. AMKAR - Battling to find best form and was 11th in a handicap at this course over 2100m on 19 January. Needs to do more to win this race

Summary: EDIBEST FAL (5) has shown improvement of late and only found one better at Deauville about two weeks ago. He is better over this distance and should make a bold bid to take out this lucky last race. VIVRE LIBRE (1) gives weight away to all his rivals but was a solid winner last time out and should be a threat yet again. BYGOUDINE (6) has shown some fair recent form and can get involved in the finish. TEMIRI (9) is usually competitive and is clearly not out of it.

SELECTIONS

EDIBEST FAL (5) - VIVRE LIBRE (1) - BYGOUDINE (6) - TEMIRI (9)