

R5 LE LION D'ANGERS [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX DES ELEVEURS D'AQPS ANJOU-MAINE - 3700m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles - EUR
€ 26,000**

- 1. MON BONHEUR** - Placed on all three runs this year, 4th on the latter over 3600m at Compiègne in a Class 3 hurdle on May 13th. Can be competitive
- 2. MON IDEE** - Placed 4th on the latest start over 3800m in a Class 2 chase at Bordeaux Le Bouscat on May 5th. Outside place chance
- 3. MACALO DE GREZ** - Fair 5th on his sole start at Saint-Malo over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle on August 29th. Open to progress and can feature
- 4. MAGE DES GENIEVRES** - Failed to complete the course on his only run over 3600m in a Class 3 hurdle at Auteuil on April 25th. Needs more to be on the premises
- 5. MISTIC DE SARTI** - Two unplaced runs on the flat of late, the latter over 3100m in a conditions race at Haras Du Pin on May 24th. Hurdles bow and is one to watch
- 6. MEDALENN** - Gelding by Bathyrhon, the dam won 1 race over jumps. Some good aspects to his profile and he is one to consider if the betting vibes are lively
- 7. MONTENDER** - Gelding by Violadenuo, the dam was unraced. Likely to improve from this debut run and others seem more likely to make the frame
- 8. MESSIRE JOLY** - Gelding by Dschingis Secret, the dam was placed over hurdles. Should know a good deal more after this run and is one to watch with the future in mind
- 9. MONA LISA D'AMSYL** - Unplaced last time at Compiègne on May 13th, a 3rd before that over 3500m at Auteuil on March 22nd in a Class 3 hurdle. Ought to be thereabouts

Summary: MACALO DE GREZ (3) ran with promise on his debut at Saint-Malo in August last year. He should improve from that experience and is given the marginal vote with fitness taken on trust. His main threat could be MON BONHEUR (1), who has been placed on all three runs and is sure to make life difficult for the selection. MON BONHEUR (1) was a decent third two runs back at Auteuil and warrants respect. MEDALENN (6) has a nice pedigree and is worth a market inspection on debut.

SELECTIONS

MACALO DE GREZ (3) - MON BONHEUR (1) - MONA LISA D'AMSYL (9) - MEDALENN (6)

C2 - PRIX JASMIN II - 3700m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 26,000

1. **LECA DE THAIX** - Three good runs this year, a win on her latest over 3700m at Questembert on May 17th in a Class 4 chase. Capable of following up
2. **REMEMBRANCE** - Three unplaced runs this year, failed to complete at Auteuil over 3600m in a handicap hurdle on May 2nd. Should not be ruled out despite form figures
3. **KEPLER** - Ran well to be 2nd at this track in a handicap chase over 4000m on May 7th. One to pay close attention to
4. **MONTSERRAT** - Three unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3900m at Dieppe in a Class 3 chase on April 30th. Capable of a better performance
5. **SOBEST** - Recent win over 3800m at Chateaubriant on May 24th in a handicap hurdle. In form and is worth considering each-way
6. **ASTALAVISTA** - Out of form of late, failed to finish on thye last start over 3600m at Auteuil on May 30th in a handicap hurdle. Hard to recommend
7. **KIND OF MIX** - Not seen since a below par effort at Pau over 3500m in a claiming hurdle on December 31st. Likely to need this run and is best watched
8. **ROCK TEEN** - Two wins of late, the most recent over 3800m in a handicap hurdle at Strasbourg on May 8th in a handicap hurdle. Can be on the premises
9. **POMME ROSE** - Finished 5th on her latest start over 3800m at Niort in a Class 4 hurdle on May 17th. Alternatives appeal more
10. **CIEL DIVIN** - Two decent efforts over fences recently, 2nd on the latter at Meral in a Class 5 chase over 3600m on May 10th. Among the leading chances
11. **TORONADO BELLO** - Three unplaced runs this year over hurdles, the latter over 3600m at Auteuil in a claiming event on May 26th. Has to bounce back to be involved
12. **JOXANA** - Placed 4th last time in a Class 4 hurdle at Jallais over 3700m on May 3rd. Looks held by some of these
13. **SPINOZZAR** - Three uninspiring efforts of late, the latter over 3600m in a handicap hurdle at Senonnes on April 8th. Pass over

Summary: LECA DE THAIX (1) has strong credentials. She has been placed on her last three runs, and her latest when successful at Questembert in mid-May in a Class 4 chase. KEPLER (3) looks like the one to make the selection work hard for the win. He was a decent second in early May at this track in a handicap chase and is hard to ignore. REMEMBRANCE (2) has been a tad low key this year, but remains capable and can be on the premises. MONTSERRAT (4) is another that can get back on track and be involved.

SELECTIONS

LECA DE THAIX (1) - KEPLER (3) - REMEMBRANCE (2) - MONTSERRAT (4)

C3 - PRIX DU PIANO DE LA JUIVERIE - 4500m (a3m) - TURF - Class 2 - Cross - EUR € 28,000

1. **KATELL DES BLINS** - Placed 4th last time over 4700m in a Class 2 cross-country at Compiegne on May 4th. One to look at each-way
2. **KING PEDRO** - Finished 5th last time at this track and trip in a Class 3 cross-country on April 5th. Can not be overlooked
3. **KING DE LA NOVERIE** - Won on his latest start over 4500m at this track in a Class 3 cross-country on May 7th. More to do in a stronger race but warrants respect
4. **SIERRO DINO** - Three nice runs of late, 2nd on the latter at Durtal over 4900m in a Class 4 cross-country race on May 1st. Sets the standard
5. **FIRST MARVEL** - Ran well to be 2nd over this track and trip in a Class 3 cross-country on May 7th behind KING DE LA NOVERIE (3). Needs a few to misfire
6. **KEEP YOUR HEAD UP** - Placed 2nd last time over this track and trip in a Class 3 cross-country on May 14th. Outside place chance
7. **LE MAGNIFICO** - Tad below par when 5th over this track and trip in a Class 3 cross-country on May 7th behind KING DE LA NOVERIE(3). Ought to be thereabouts
8. **POP LIGHT** - Recent 3rd over this track and trip in a Class 3 cross-country on May 7th behind KING DE LA NOVERIE (3). Can reverse that form and has a leading chance
9. **PEPITE BLEUE** - Finished 4th last time at Senonnes over 4750m in a Class 4 cross-country on May 3rd. Others make more appeal
10. **ST HENRI DETAILLON** - Creditable 4th two runs back at Pau over 4100m in a Class 1 cross-country on February 3rd. Lacks consistency and best overlooked

Summary: SIERRO DINO (4) has been in good shape recently, and was a decent second at Durtal in a Class 4 cross-country early last month. He is given the nod over KING PEDRO (2), who was fifth in a Class 3 cross-country at this track when last seen in early April. KATELL DES BLINS (1) has solid each way credentials after a pleasing effort at Compiegne on May 4th. POP LIGHT (8) completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

SIERRO DINO (4) - KING PEDRO (2) - KATELL DES BLINS (1) - POP LIGHT (8)

**C4 - PRIX DE LA FEDERATION REGIONALE ANJOU-MAINE CENTRE-OUEST - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF
- Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300**

1. **MICHIGAN FIRE** - Three unplaced runs of recently, 8th at Evreux in a Class 4 race over 1800m on May 26th. Has eased in the weights and is one to consider
2. **STAR MAUVE** - Recent win at Rostrenen over 2200m in a Class 4 race on May 23rd when last appearing. Can have a say in proceedings
3. **HEMATITE** - Out of form of late, 8th at Saint-Cloud in a Class 3 handicap on March 19th over 2000m on the latest run. Looks best watched
4. **BURATTINA** - Recent 3rd over 1800m in a Class 4 race at Le Croise-Laroche on May 17th . Ought to be involved in the shake-up
5. **DALYAMIX** - Placed 3rd on her latest start over 1800m at Parislongchamp on May 3rd in a Class 3 handicap. Live chance of scoring
6. **CAZADERO** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 2100m at Senonnes on April 8th in a conditions race. Can be in the frame
7. **MAESTRAL** - Two unplaced efforts of late, the latter over 2000m at Saint-Cloud in a Class 3 handicap on May 15th. Looks vulnerable
8. **BLOWN BY THE WIND** - Fair 4th two runs back over 2000m at Parislongchamp on April 30th in a Class 4 race. Has work to do to be involved
9. **LIKING** - Unplaced on all six runs this year, well beaten over 2000m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 4 handicap on May 14th. In the mix
10. **HAPPY HUNTER** - Placed 4th on his last run over 2500m at Le Croise-Laroche in a Class 4 race on May 17th. Hard to recommend
11. **KATIE LIGHT** - Three unplaced efforts recently, well in the rear division over 2000m in a Class 3 handicap at Chantilly on April 22nd. Capable of making the frame at nice odds
12. **ZAMASIYA** - Placed 4th on the latest run over 1700m at La-Roche Posay in a Class 4 event on May 17th. Others make more appeal
13. **SENECHALE** - Finished 5th on the PSF on the last run over 1900m at Chantilly in a Class 4 race on February 25th. Unlikely to be a threat
14. **BY FAR** - Creditable 5th last time over 1950m in a Class 4 handicap at Chateaubriant on May 5th. Among the leading chances
15. **HAPPY HARRY** - Not seen since a 3rd over 3800m in a handicap hurdle at Pau on January 2nd. Back on the flat and makes limited appeal
16. **FELIX FELICIS** - Unplaced last time, a win before that over 2500m at Deauville in a Class 3 handicap on February 6th. Might need a few to falter

Summary: DALYAMIX (5) was a decent third on the latest start at Parislongchamp early last month and can take this open handicap. BURATTINA (4) could be the one that gives the selection plenty to think about, after a creditable effort when fourth at Le Croise-Laroche in mid-May. BY FAR (14) has a good racing weight and is one to consider each-way. CAZADERO (6) was a nice third on her penultimate start and looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

DALYAMIX (5) - BURATTINA (4) - BY FAR (14) - CAZADERO (6)

**C5 - PRIX DU CONSEIL DEPARTEMENTAL DU MAINE-ET-LOIRE - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 4
Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 14,400**

1. **CATHERINE'S GIFT** - Recent 3rd place effort over 2000m in a Class 3 handicap at Saint-Cloud was a solid run on May 15. Hard to rule out
2. **CHUBASCO** - Below expectations on all four runs this year, 10th in in a Class 4 handicap at Chateaubriant over 1950m on May 5. Place chance
3. **RHIPPER** - Placed on all three runs recently, 4th on the most recent over 2400m at Dieppe in a Class 3 handicap on May 16. Top-three chance
4. **MA BARBIE'K** - Finished 3rd on the latest start over 1700m at Saint-Brieuc in a conditions race on May 14. Might find this difficult
5. **HEY MAN** - Unplaced last time in late April, 4th previously over 1900m at Argentan in a Class 4 handicap on April 9. Looking for win number 13. Player
6. **DARIYANGEL** - Three placed runs of late, 3rd on the latter over 1900m at Chantilly on May 19 in a Class 4 handicap on the PSF. Leading contender
7. **KAHOUNA** - Finished 5th at La-Roche-Posay over 1700m in a Class 4 race last time on May 17. Others seem better equipped
8. **PURBRIGHT DRALLIV** - Fair 2nd three runs back at Argentan in a Class 4 handicap over 1900m on April 9. Not the most reliable and has yet to win in 21 runs
9. **TWIN BOY** - Numerous unplaced runs recently, 9th at Chantilly on the PSF over 1900m in a Class 4 handicap on March 30 when last racing. Can make the frame
10. **KON'NICHIIWA** - Finished 5th on the last run over 2200m at Rostrenen in a Class 4 race on May 23. Has work to do to be involved
11. **QUI EVIDAMENT QUI** - Yet to win in 17 runs, well beaten on the latest start at Parislongchamp over 2500m in a Class 3 handicap on April 30th. Pass over
12. **MEARAS STYLE** - Finished 8th on her latest start over 1800m in a Class 4 handicap at Compiègne on May 25. Faces a stiff task
13. **ANNA MANDARA** - - Has been unplaced several times this year, 8th over 2000m at Parislongchamp in a Class 4 race on May 24th when last seen. Can be opposed
14. **L'ENNEMI** - Not seen since a below par effort at Deauville over 1900m in a Class 4 handicap on the PSF on December 30th. Hardly inspiring
15. **BELLA CIAO** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 1900m at Argentan in a Class 4 handicap on April 9th. In the mix
16. **PRINCESS LAURA** - Finished 5th last time over 1800m at Nort-Sur-Erdre in a Class 4 race on May 29th. Unlikely to be involved

Summary: DARIYANGEL (6) has been placed on the last three runs and looks ready to get his head back in front after a third on the PSF at Chantilly in mid-May. His main danger could be CATHERINE'S GIFT (1), who was a decent third at Saint-Cloud in a Class 3 handicap in mid-May. RHIPPER (3) is one to look at each-way having been placed on the last three starts. HEY MAN (5) is searching for win number 13 and looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

DARIYANGEL (6) - CATHERINE'S GIFT (1) - RHIPPER (3) - HEY MAN (5)

**C6 - PRIX DES MEILLEURS OUVRIERS DE FRANCE - SECTION 49 - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF -
Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200**

1. **MUSICAL MOON** - Below par last time when failed to finish over 3500m at Royan on May 8th in a Class 5 hurdle. Has work ahead
2. **ASTREDARGENT** - Two wins of late, the latter over 2100m at Parislongchamp in a handicap on May 7th. The hat-trick is on the cards
3. **ROBERTO PESTO** - Placed 4th on his last run over 2100m at Pornichet on February 5th. Ought to be involved in the shake-up
4. **RUSH TO WAIT** - Got off the mark on her third run over 2500m at Argentan in a maiden race on April 9th. Handicap debut and has strong claims
5. **MALENA** - Unplaced last time, 4th previously over 2300m at Angers in a maiden race on May 2nd. Among the leading each-way chances
6. **RITMICA** - Placed 4th on her most recent start at Dieppe in a claiming race over 2400m on May 16th. Look elsewhere
7. **AUTOROUTE** - Nice win on her third run at La-Roche-Posay in a maiden race on May 17th. Can improve further and play a lead role
8. **REVE DE VIE** - Out of form with four unplaced runs recently, well beaten at Compiègne in a handicap over 1800m on May 20th. Hard to be enthusiastic about
9. **MISS HENGE** - Three solid runs, two wins in May and a 2nd at Dieppe last time over 2400m in a claiming race on May 16th. Honest but is up in class today
10. **ZOLIA D'OROUX** - Fair 2nd on her third run over 2200m at Vannes in a Class 3 race on April 19th. Might find a few of these too smart

Summary: RUSH TO WAIT (4) got off the mark at Argentan in a maiden in early April on her latest start and looks reasonably well handicapped. She can follow up at the expense of AUTOROUTE (7), who is also a last time out winner and has more to come. ASTREDARGENT (2) has been in terrific form and is seeking a hat-trick. He can give another solid account, as can MALENA (5), who completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

RUSH TO WAIT (4) - AUTOROUTE (7) - ASTREDARGENT (2) - MALENA (5)

C7 - PRIX DU COURGEON - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Flat - EUR € 14,600

1. LITTORAL NORD - Won on debut at Tarbes in a conditions race by a narrow margin on April 5th over 2100m. He should step forward from that run and looks like the one to beat

2. SHARPSHOOT - Fair 2nd last time over 1900m at Bordeaux Le Bouscat in a maiden race on May 23rd on his second start. Can not be ruled out

3. EMPRESS OF LIGHT - Finished 5th last time over 1800m on May 17th, a win previously in a maiden race at Langon-Libourne on May 1st over 1800m. In the mix

4. GOT LOOK - Three unplaced runs of late, 7th on the latter over 2000m in a maiden on May 7th at this track. Can make the frame at nice odds

5. RIPLEY - Placed 4th on his second start over 2000m at Nancy in a maiden race on May 20th. Needs a few to misfire

6. TRYS - Got a nice win on her second run over 2600m at Savenay in a conditions race on May 24th. More is needed in what looks a better race

7. RUE RECAMIER - Placed on her last three runs, 4th on the most recent over 1950m in a Class 3 race at Parislongchamp on May 21st. Solid contender

Summary: LITTORAL NORD (1) won on debut at Tarbes with a game success in early April over 2100m. He is open to plenty of progress and looks like the one to beat. RUE RECAMIER (7) could be the one that shakes up the selection. She has been placed on her last three starts, the latest at Parislongchamp in a Class 3 race late last month. GOT LOOK (4) has shown more than his form figures and can make the frame at nice odds. EMPRESS OF LIGHT (3) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

LITTORAL NORD (1) - RUE RECAMIER (7) - GOT LOOK (4) - EMPRESS OF LIGHT (3)

C8 - PRIX DE SCEAUX D'ANJOU - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition - Flat - EUR € 17,000

1. NUNO KALEO - Gelding by Pour Moi, the dam won 3 races on the flat. Looks good on paper and should be well prepared for this racecourse bow

2. NIGHT SILVER - Gelding by Silverwave, the dam won 1 race over 2300m. Some good aspects to his profile and he will know what is expected on debut

3. NECTAR SMART - Placed on both starts, 4th on the latter over 2400m at Saint-Brieuc on May 14th. Might find a few of these too smart

4. NINA D'ANGE - Won on her sole start by a cosy 3 lengths on April 5th at this track and trip. Looks like a nice prospect and can follow up

5. NINA PIETRA - Filly by Nirvana Du Berlais, the dam won 3 races, on the flat and over jumps. Stable runners are respected on debut and she is worth a market check

6. NOSTALGIE FATAL - Unplaced on her most recent start over 2400m at Saint-Brieuc on May 14th in a conditions race. Pass over

7. NELOUBA - Filly by Masked Marvel, the dam won 3 races. She will be nicely tuned by connections and the betting can be the most informative guide

Summary: NINA D'ANGE (4) was a convincing winner by three lengths on her debut over this track and trip in early April and has solid claims of following up. Her main threat could be NUNO KALEO (1), who is out of a mare that won three races and this gelding can play a lead role on his first day at school. NIGHT SILVER (2) has some good aspects to his profile and is one to monitor in the betting for clues. NELOUBA (7) is also worth a mention and any market support should be noted.

SELECTIONS

NINA D'ANGE (4) - NUNO KALEO (1) - NIGHT SILVER (2) - NELOUBA (7)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

**Horse of the day
NINA D'ANGE (804)**

**Outsider of the day
MICHIGAN FIRE (401)**

**Reverse forecast
LECA DE THAIX (201) - KEPLER (203)**

**Three pick of the day
LECA DE THAIX (201) - RUSH TO WAIT (604) - NINA D'ANGE (804)**