CHANTILLY [R-H] - **05 October**

Race 1 - PRIX DE LA CHAMBRE DE MONSIEUR LE PRINCE - 2000m HCP. Purse EUR €55,000.

- 1. **BROK** Strong handicap form to date including a fine runner-up in this grade at Dieppe over 1800m in August. Major appeal.
- 2. **NORVILLE** Down the field in a Deauville AW handicap over 1900m in August. Better expected back on turf.
- 3. **NEPALAIS** Finished behind Brok in a similar Dieppe handicap over 1800m two starts ago. Place chance.
- 4. **VAL BASSETT** 7L fifth on handicap debut at this track over 1800m last month. More needed but early days.
- 5. **MAGIC DAVIER** Got off the mark on fourth outing at Saint-Malo over 2500m. Keep safe if attracting market support on first handicap run.
- 6. **COOBIRD** Fair handicap form this campaign without winning. Others more likely but not discounted for a minor placing.
- 7. **HIGH LADY** Improved second in a similar Longchamp handicap over 2200m (good to soft) last month. Not ruled out.
- 8. **SUPER SUPER SONIC** Breakthrough victory in a Deauville AW handicap over 1900m. More needed raised in class back on turf.
- 9. ICI VINDECY Held ninth on second handicap outing at Longchamp four weeks ago. Drop in trip a concern.
- 10. **PRINCE DE MONTFORT** Dramatic improvement to land a course handicap over 1800m last month. Player raised in class and distance.
- 11. **VILLA WAGRAM** Consistent maiden form prior to a first win at Montier-en-Der over 1700m. Watch the market for clues on first handicap run.
- 12. **OK BOOMER** Fourth in a Toulouse 2000m claimer second up. Step forward required.
- 13. **SWEET BETSY** 4L sixth in a Saint-Cloud handicap over 3000m third up. Prefer to watch eased significantly in distance but a notable jockey booking.
- 14. **COEUR DAVIER** Down the field in this company three starts ago at Deauville over 2500m. Others preferred.
- 15. **NOBLE AMBER** Supplemented after a determined handicap success at this venue over 1800m. Improving and worth each-way thought.
- 16. **FULL FLOW** 1.5L course and distance success in a weaker handicap on penultimate outing. Thereabouts.

Summary: BROK (1) brings strong handicap form into this race after a fine runner-up effort tackling this grade at Dieppe. One of the main chances. FULL FLOW (16) delivered a 1.5L track and trip victory among easier company two starts ago. Leading contender with progress expected. PRINCE DE MONTFORT (10) could make the frame after improving to win a course handicap last month. MAGIC DAVIER (5) was off the mark fourth up in a Saint-Malo maiden and is worth keeping safe if attracting any market support on handicap debut. NOBLE AMBER (15) completes the shortlist.

Selections

BROK (1) - FULL FLOW (16) - PRINCE DE MONTFORT (10) - MAGIC DAVIER (5) - NOBLE AMBER (15)

Race 2 - PRIX DU TEMPLE DE VENUS - 1800m MDN. Purse EUR €27,000.

- 1. **SOCIETY BALL** Midfield when debuting in a Lyon-Parilly maiden over 1200m in May. Could improve upped in journey.
- 2. LASTOTCHKA Improved fourth second up at Deauville over 1600m in August. Not ruled out.
- 3. TWILIGHT 0.5L third in a Deauville maiden over 1600m second up 40 days ago. Major player.
- 4. **TASK** Supplemented after a solid fifth first up at Compiegne over 1400m three weeks ago. Bold showing on the cards.
- 5. **ALBEA** 0.5L runner-up in a newcomers event behind a subsequent winner at Deauville over 1600m in August. Leading candidate.
- 6. **CALIGINE** Lope de Vega debutante out of a New Approach mare. Appeals on pedigree and one to note in the betting.
- 7. SAKURACHAN Unraced Teofilo filly who catches the eye on breeding. Watch the market for clues.

Summary: ALBEA (5) went close on debut in a newcomers event finishing behind a subsequent winner at Deauville. Expected to prove tough to beat with that run under her belt. TWILIGHT (3) delivered a fine placing in a Deauville maiden over 1600m on second career outing. Obvious contender for a top stable. TASK (4) could step forward from a satisfactory debut at Compiegne attempting 1400m. Holds place claims up in journey. Keep an eye on the betting for the first-starter CALIGINE (6) who makes for plenty of appeal as a daughter of Lope de Vega out of a New Approach mare.

Selections

ALBEA (5) - TWILIGHT (3) - TASK (4) - CALIGINE (6)

Race 3 - PRIX DU JEU DE L'OIE - 1800m MDN. Purse EUR €27,000.

- 1. SELOUS 8L eighth in a newcomers event at this track over 1600m eleven days ago. Improvement needed.
- 2. **ATHABASCAN** Reached the frame when debuting in a Lyon-Parilly maiden over 1600m four weeks ago. Likely stable second string but place claims.
- 3. **HAYA ZARK** Third behind a subsequent winner first up this season at Saint-Cloud 25 days ago. Genuine hope.
- 4. **OFFICER OF STATE** Placed on both outings including second in the Listed Criterium du Fonds Europeen de l'Elevage over 1600m at Deauville in August. Can get off the mark.
- 5. **L'AVVOCATO** Placed in all three outings including on reappearance at Mont-de-Marsan. Solid pick.
- 6. HYPOTENUS Good placing on first run at Longchamp over 1600m a month ago. Among the main chances.
- 7. **MUTAMANNI** Well-bred Kitten's Joy colt out of a Sea The Stars mare. Notable runner if given a market push.

Summary: OFFICER OF STATE (4) can get off the mark third up after a second in the Listed Criterium du Fonds Europeen de l'Elevage over 1600m at Deauville. Rates highly for a top trainer. HAYA ZARK (3) placed on first outing at Saint-Cloud and that form has been boosted. In the mix. ATHABASCAN (2) also made the frame on debut. Attempted a Lyon-Parilly maiden on that occasion and though looking the stable second string would be folly to dismiss. HYPOTENUS (6) is another to include after a fine first up effort at Longchamp. May progress.

Selections

OFFICER OF STATE (4) - HAYA ZARK (3) - ATHABASCAN (2) - HYPOTENUS (6)

Race 4 - PRIX DES USAGES - 1200m MDN. Purse EUR €27,000.

- 1. **JAZZY WOOD** Seven placings from ten attempts on a straight track. Sets the standard but vulnerable to improvers.
- 2. ZAWAAYA 0.5L second when debuting at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m a month ago. Solid claims.
- 3. OOPS ADAAISY Fifth in a newcomers event over course and distance last month. Can improve.
- 4. LOLIWOOD No threat on first outing at Complegne. Best watched.
- 5. TILL WE DIE 18L defeat in a Fontainebleau 1200m claimer five days ago. Others preferred.
- 6. **LORY** Ran better than her finishing position suggests on first run at Compiegne. Contender for notable connections with progress likely.
- 7. **YELLOW CURRY** Good runner-up in a newcomers race over track and journey 24 days ago. Leading claims.
- 8. DREAM QUEEN Improved 2L second over course and distance eighteen days ago. Consider.
- 9. INVINCIBLE DANI Son of Profitable making a first start. Market check advised.
- 10. MADRAS Markaz debutante. Tough assignment first up.

Summary: YELLOW CURRY (7) showed promise when second debuting over course and distance. Expected to go one place better with experience on side. JAZZY WOOD (1) sets the standard managing seven placings from ten starts on a straight track. Top claims to break through. LORY (6) ran better than her finishing position suggests first up. Can improve for a notable trainer. DREAM QUEEN (8) progressed to make the frame tackling this track and trip and is one to keep on side.

Selections

YELLOW CURRY (7) - JAZZY WOOD (1) - LORY (6) - DREAM QUEEN (8)

Race 5 - PRIX DE MOURS - 2200m CL2. Purse EUR €31,000.

- 1. BARATTI Winner in this class at Saint-Cloud over 2100m last month. Obvious appeal.
- 2. ALASTOR 5.25L ninth in the Listed Prix Nureyev at Deauville over 2000m. This looks an easier target.
- 3. GALACTICA Off the mark third up at Clairefontaine over 2400m in August. Place appeal.
- 4. **SERPENT'S TOOTH** Two fair efforts in this grade including a third behind a pair of subsequent winners on penultimate run. Consider.
- 5. DANILOVA Fifth in a Ascot (UK) 1603m conditions event before a 160 day absence. Has ability.
- 6. REVOLTEE 1.5L fifth in this grade at Saint-Cloud over 2500m seventeen days ago. Unexposed.

Summary: BARATTI (1) was a winner in this grade at Saint-Cloud over 2100m and is expected to complete a double. Notable contender. ALASTOR (2) ran below par among tougher at Deauville tackling 2000m. This is easier and might be involved in the finish. SERPENT'S TOOTH (4) provided a good level of form so far. Genuine frame hope. DANILOVA (5) needs respect on first French outing after a fifth in a conditions event at Ascot (UK).

Selections

BARATTI (1) - ALASTOR (2) - SERPENT'S TOOTH (4) - DANILOVA (5)

Race 6 - PRIX DE L'EMBARCADERE - 2200m CLM CL3. Purse EUR €19,000.

- 1. **SAHELIAN** Fifth in a Baden-Baden (Germany) handicap over 1800m last month. This is a more suitable target.
- 2. ANATELLO Second career success in a minor 1800m event 24 days ago. Not discounted.
- 3. **QUINTARELLI** Completed a double before a below par effort at Baden-Baden (Germany) over 2400m. Could bounce back at this trip.
- 4. AUENWOLF Midfield in previous couple of strong handicaps. Contender eased significantly in grade.
- 5. **KAYRAT** 6.75L eighth in a good 1800m handicap at this track 24 days ago. Strong appeal on previous second at this level.
- 6. **BERTRIMONT** Eighth in this grade first up at Deauville AW in December 2019. Improvement required.
- 7. **FUGAZ** Son of Anodin making a first start. Watch the market for clues.
- 8. **LOR BLANC** Down the field in a strong Marseille-Borely handicap over 2100m (good) 127 days ago. Lively player if sharp after a break.
- 9. AMARHALEN Mixed handicap form this campaign but place appeal on best form eased in class.
- 10. **L'INDOMPTABLE** Three consecutive placings at this standard. Obvious contender for a good trainer and jockey combination.

Summary: L'INDOMPTABLE (10) arrives in good condition at this level. Well positioned to regain the winning thread in a winnable contest. AUENWOLF (4) is eased significantly in grade following a pair of midfield runs attempting strong handicaps. Genuine hope. KAYRAT (5) could go close if transferring solid handicap form to this easier target. LOR BLANC (8) may improve after a break securing a notable jockey which catches the eye.

Selections

L'INDOMPTABLE (10) - AUENWOLF (4) - KAYRAT (5) - LOR BLANC (8)

- 1. **STORMBRINGER** Triple course winner on the straight track including three runs back in the Listed Prix Hampton. Key chance.
- 2. **MILLAU** Two from two at this venue including in a Class Two conditions event over 1200m first up last month. Notable runner.
- 3. **SESTILIO JET** Down the field in the G3 Prix de Meautry at Deauville over 1200m five weeks ago. Something to prove.
- 4. **MILORD'S SONG** Winner of a strong Dieppe handicap over this trip last month. Worth a go raised in standard
- 5. COEUR DE PIERRE Back-to-back placings in the G3 Prix de Meautry in August. Among the frame hopes.
- 6. **LANAKEN** 0.5L fourth in a Deauville 1200m conditions event 40 days ago. Not ruled out at attractive odds.
- 7. **KING GOLD** One from one on a straight track when successful in a Class Two conditions event here eleven days ago. More on plate but steadily progressive.
- 8. **ARECIBO** Fair fourth in the 1009m Listed Scarborough Stakes at Doncaster (UK) last month. Not without hope with a good record at this trip.
- 9. **BATWAN** 6.5L ninth in the G3 Prix du Petit Couvert at Longchamp on reappearance 23 days ago. Could strip fitter.
- 10. **KILOECHO** Completed a hat-trick of handicap wins at Deauville over 1200m 51 days ago. Big improver who deserves this chance upped in class.
- 11. **KEN COLT** Trailblazing front-runner who ran down the field in the G3 Prix du Petit Couvert. Likely to find a few too strong.
- 12. **BAVARIA BABY** Improved runner-up in a Dieppe Class Two conditions event over this distance 64 days ago. Not out of the place chances.
- 13. **KENTISH WALTZ** 0.5L runner-up in a weak handicap 45 days ago. Making up the numbers on the figures.

Summary: STORMBRINGER (1) is a three-time course winner on the straight track including the Listed Prix Hampton three starts ago. Could take catching if on song. MILLAU (2) makes for obvious appeal after winning both course starts including a Class Two conditions event. May take the class rise in his stride. ARECIBO (8) is running well in the UK this term managing a fourth in the Listed Scarborough Stakes at Doncaster. Rates a place chance. KILOECHO (10) completed a hat-trick among handicap company and is worth a shot at this. Keep COEUR DE PIERRE (5) in line for multiples after placing in a tougher contest.

Selections

STORMBRINGER (1) - MILLAU (2) - ARECIBO (8) - KILOECHO (10) - COEUR DE PIERRE (5)

Race 8 - PRIX DU GRAND CABINET D'ANGLE - 2000m HCP. Purse EUR €28,000.

- 1. **SHARIYAR** Fair fifth on handicap debut at Longchamp over 2200m. Could improve for a notable jockey booking.
- 2. **JOEY UP** Completed a handicap double before a pair of moderate starts since resuming. Tough from this weight.
- 3. **FREEDOM** Down the field in a stronger Longchamp handicap last month. This is easier but others preferred.
- 4. **KIMINA** Placed in a Longchamp 2200m maiden first up nineteen days ago. Not discounted on first handicap start.
- 5. CHEESE Runner-up in previous couple of similar handicaps. Edging towards a first victory.
- 6. **ANTINEA** Off the mark on second handicap outing at Clairefontaine over 2200m. Leading chance to complete a double.
- 7. SELLY Six consecutive placings including at this standard 24 days ago. Major appeal.
- 8. **DREAM DUBAWI** Needs to bounce back from a below par course handicap run over 1800m. Place chance on earlier form.
- 9. **MI C'INFILO** Three from three at this track including a 1600m handicap win six days ago. Keep safe up in trip.
- 10. **SCILIAR** Behind Selly when fifth here over 1800m last month. Not without hope.
- 11. LOUP ROYANS Ran on into seventh at this level seventeen days ago. May sneak a placing.
- 12. **SHIRAZ** Down the field in both handicaps since resuming. Needs progress.
- 13. **NIPPER** Back to form with a second at Saint-Cloud over 2000m. Could build on that effort from a low weight.

Summary: CHEESE (5) is edging towards a breakthrough victory. Managed a pair of seconds in this grade and is a notable runner under suitable conditions. ANTINEA (6) was off the mark on second handicap outing at Clairefontaine. Leading claims. SELLY (7) arrives in scintillating place form. Made the frame on previous six starts including at this standard. Holds obvious appeal. Keep SHARIYAR (1) safe if building on a fair fifth delivering handicap debut at Longchamp. Secures a key jockey booking.

Selections

CHEESE (5) - ANTINEA (6) - SELLY (7) - SHARIYAR (1)