ENGHIEN [L-H] - 07 August

Race 1 - PRIX DE CHAUDES AIGUES - 2875m WALK-UP D52 Monte. Purse EUR €33,000.

- 1. **HEDONISTE D'EM** Down the field in this class of mounted event prior to a pair of driven DQs. Hard to enthuse.
- 2. **HIER HAUFOR** Placed in easier Chatelaillon mounted event twelve days ago. Others make more appeal.
- 3. **HOMEMADE QUICK** Won four of previous six mounted starts including on sole outing at this distance. Key player up in class.
- 4. **HARMONY QUICK** Completed a mounted hat-trick in this grade at Cabourg. The one to beat and looks stable number one choice.
- 5. **HAVRAIS** Ultra consistent mounted runner without winning with five placings from six attempts. Racing well and solid frame chance.
- 6. **HAYRTON MAGIC** Fifth in a stronger course mounted event a fortnight ago. Among the place hopefuls with pads on for the first time.
- 7. **HAWK DES LOISES** 2.5L victory on mounted debut at this course and distance three back. Notable runner who is unexposed with a top rider up.
- 8. **HELIUM** One placing from three mounted runs to date. Something to find.
- 9. **HERMIONE DU LEARD** Four-time mounted winner who has missed the placings in previous five attempts in stronger company. This looks a more suitable target.

Summary: HARMONY QUICK (4) completed a mounted hat-trick in this company at Cabourg. Expected to be tough to pass with plenty of experience to draw on. Rates highly. HAWK DES LOISES (7) is respected to maintain an unbeaten mounted record after an impressive debut three starts ago. Top rider booked. HOMEMADE QUICK (3) holds strong claims having scored in four of previous six mounted runs. Leading candidate. HAVRAIS (5) is an ultra consistent mounted performer. Solid each way chance.

Selections

HARMONY QUICK (4) - HAWK DES LOISES (7) - HOMEMADE QUICK (3) - HAVRAIS (5)

Race 2 - PRIX DE CROULEBARBE - 2875m WALK-UP CL R120 Harness. Purse EUR €18,000.

- 1. **ESTAK GENTIL** Infrequent winner who finished fifth in a better course walk up. Player with the trainer and driver one from one combined.
- 2. **FAMILY SAUTREUIL** Fair third in a grass walk up in stronger company at Vittel. Among the frame prospects.
- 3. FIONA DE BAILLY 12L seventh in a stronger autostart on reappearance. Others make more appeal.
- 4. **EXIL D'ERABLE** Midfield in previous pair of stronger walk ups. Could improve dropped into this easier level.
- 5. **EMAIL DE L'ITON** Seventh in previous pair of better walk ups including at this track a fortnight ago. Consider without shoes.
- 6. **FAST DES BROUSSES** Autostart winner in this company here on penultimate outing. Strong claims without rear shoes.
- 7. **EN VIKING** Down the field in previous trio of better driven starts. May improve with a notable rider taking over.
- 8. **FRIVOLE DES BORDES** Placed and won in previous pair of driven starts in this grade. Top chance racing barefoot.
- 9. **ELITE DE HOERDT** No threat in a couple of stronger grass walk ups last month. Better expected on this surface
- 10. FURIOSO BEACH Improved third in a better grade course walk up a fortnight ago. Player if replicating.
- 11. **ECHEC ET MAT** Arrives in good driven form and could feature with a new shoeing combination.

Summary: FRIVOLE DES BORDES (8) has shown good form in driven starts in this grade. Top chance racing barefoot. FAST DES BROUSSES (6) would have leading claims if bouncing back to a win in this class two outings ago at this track. Races without rear shoes. EMAIL DE L'ITON (5) has missed the placings in previous two walk ups of stronger ability. Enters each way calculations without shoes. ESTAK GENTIL (1) holds a key chance with the trainer and driver one from one thus far.

Selections

FRIVOLE DES BORDES (8) - FAST DES BROUSSES (6) - EMAIL DE L'ITON (5) - ESTAK GENTIL (1)

Race 3 - PRIX DE MONTEVRAIN - 2875m WALK-UP E55 RST E Monte. Purse EUR €33,000.

- 1. **GULLIVER DES BOIS** Three mounted wins from seven attempts including a 6.25L success in easier company twelve days ago. Dangerous to dismiss.
- 2. **GWAII HAANAS** Down the field in a walk up debuting at Vincennes in June. Top driver booked but prefer to watch in a first mounted outing.
- 3. AMOUR DEL RONCO Unplaced in five driven runs. Best watched on mounted debut.
- GENOA SPORT Infrequent winner who has placed in two of previous three weaker mounted starts. Place chance.
- GEVREY D'AUTHISE Improved form with pads including a Laval mounted win on penultimate outing. Consider.
- 6. GUAPO MARBOULA Nose success in easier Saint-Malo mounted contest third up. Solid each way pick.
- 7. GOLDEN VIKING Five placings from eleven mounted runs to date. Among the place options.
- 8. **GAZELLE D'ISI** Fourth in this grade 21 days ago but a mounted winner in a stronger event previously. Top claims.
- 9. **GUITAR HERO** Eleven placings from 22 mounted runs to date. Each way appeal with a good record barefoot.
- 10. **GOOD MORNING BIBIS** Yet to score in mounted company but went close in this grade at Nantes three back. Pads on for the first time.
- 11. GOLD DE JADE Reached the frame in two of previous three mounted starts in this grade. Contender.

Summary: GAZELLE D'ISI (8) displayed ability with a fourth in a similar mounted event after scoring in tougher company previously. Excellent winning chance. GEVREY D'AUTHISE (5) has shown improvement with pads including a Laval mounted success on penultimate run. Seriously considered. One to note is GOLD DE JADE (11) who has pieces of solid mounted form this term. Include. GOOD MORNING BIBIS (10) could find a placing on best mounted efforts.

Selections

GAZELLE D'ISI (8) - GEVREY D'AUTHISE (5) - GOLD DE JADE (11) - GOOD MORNING BIBIS (10)

Race 4 - PRIX DE BANDOL - 2150m MOBILE C30 Harness. Purse EUR €38,000.

- 1. **ILLICO DE BOUTEAU** Unplaced in three autostarts but has shown good form in walk ups this term. Could improve with a notable driver booking.
- 2. IRVING DE BAILLY Fair sixth in this company here 21 days ago. Not ruled out.
- 3. IL MIO Down the field in a better autostart at Vincennes third up. Not ruled out on earlier form.
- 4. **IT'S PAT** 4.5L eighth on autostart debut at this track last month. Consider with good walk up form previously.
- 5. IVOLI ZEUS Fair 3L fifth debuting in autostart company here second up 21 days ago. Each way appeal.
- 6. **ISOCRATE D'ELA** Five placings from six walk ups including at this level. Strong claims for this autostart debut.
- 7. **IF I TELL YOU** All or nothing type who was impressive in a 6.25L success in an easier Cabourg autostart. Key player up in class if completing.
- 8. I AM HAPPY One placing from six autostarts but narrowly denied in this grade four runs back. Keep safe.
- 9. ISSALIO Yet to reach the frame from five autostart efforts. More needed but in safe hands.
- 10. **IDEAL CHALEONNAIS** Missed the placings on autostart debut. Could improve with driver Eric Raffin taking over.
- 11. ITEM BUISSONAY Fair three autostart runs without finding the frame. Placing not out of range.
- 12. ILLICO DE BUSSET Good start to walk up career with three placings. Notable autostart debutant.
- 13. **IPSOS DE SIMM** Three placings from five autostarts. Not out of this if delivering best having won here previously.
- 14. **IGREC DE CELLAND** 1.25L Cabourg success on autostart debut third up. Expected to go close up in standard.

Summary: A close-knit affair with multiple chances. IF I TELL YOU (7) is an all or nothing character who displayed his good side when an impressive 6.25L winner in easier company at Cabourg. Expected to go close up in class if able to complete. ISOCRATE D'ELA (6) maintains excellent consistency. Strong claims on autostart debut. IGREC DE CELLAND (14) produced a winning run on autostart debut at Cabourg. Makes appeal up in standard. IT'S PAT (4) is another to keep in mind if back to winning form from two starts ago.

Selections

IF I TELL YOU (7) - ISOCRATE D'ELA (6) - IGREC DE CELLAND (14) - IT'S PAT (4)

Race 5 - PRIX DE BALIZAC - 2875m WALK-UP E112 HCP Harness. Purse EUR €33,000.

- 1. FAVORI DE NAY Second in a modest race at St Omer six days ago. Needs to improve upon that to factor.
- 2. **FIXOU D'AGAY** Much better effort when a 1.75L second at Montier-En-Den. This is tougher however and would need significant improvement again.
- 3. **FAST AND GOOD** 2L winner at this track two starts ago although disappointing when upped to this grade last time. Needs more.
- 4. **FLOCON MONTJEANAIS** Finished second on last two starts in grade F races. Needs more amongst this field.
- 5. **FIFTY WINNER** Form figures make little appeal and he is best watched here.
- 6. **FALCAO DE CHENU** Won two of last three starts and seems to be thriving at present. 1.25L success here last time actually came in a stronger grade. Will prove hard to beat.
- 7. **FAVORI DE BRY** Behind the re-opposing Falcao De Chenu latest and work to do to reverse that form. Consistent type however so rate each way.
- 8. **FOSBURY** Thriving at present and has won three of last four starts. This is more competitive but easy to fancy in current form.

Summary: FALCAO DE CHENU (6) gamely held rivals at this journey in a better race than this two weeks ago. Hard to oppose with conditions to suit. FOSBURY (8) has won three of last four starts. This is a tougher task but is in good form. Keep safe. FAVORI DE BRY (7) has been running consistently this campaign. Should go close once more. FLOCON MONTJEANAIS (4) can fill a place amongst this field.

Selections

FALCAO DE CHENU (6) - FOSBURY (8) - FAVORI DE BRY (7) - FLOCON MONTJEANAIS (4)

- 1. HIBISCUS DES BAUX Struggled recently and happy to oppose.
- 2. **HONEY QUICK** Won three of last five starts. Rapidly progressive and was particularly impressive when a 1.75L winner last time. Keep safe.
- 3. **HASHTAG DE TAGOR** Can be excused DQ last time given string of positive results before that. Remains a maiden after 28 starts however so likely a place will prove best.
- 4. **HORACIO DE CERISY** 1L victory here in a similar contest last month. Sets the form standard on that performance and confidence will be high bidding for the hat-trick. Big chance.
- 5. **HED** Has some strong form at best but been below that recently. Mid-field finish anticipated.
- 6. HEQUILEO JIEL Running well earlier in the campaign but DQ the last twice and needs to re-find form.
- 7. **HELENCIO** Just missed the placings on last two starts in similar contests. Can improve further and has an each way chance.
- 8. **HERMES DU LEARD** Game 1.25L winner at Cagnes-sur-Mer when last seen. Continues to progress and this is only marginally tougher. Shortlisted.
- 9. **HELIOS DES CHAMPS** DQ on last two starts. Happy to oppose at present.
- 10. **HECTOR DE BASSIERE** Nineteen race maiden. Would be a surprise were he to change that amongst this field.
- 11. **HASPARREN** Won last two starts at Montignac. Deserves try in better race following that and goes barefoot. Threat to all.

Summary: HORACIO DE CERISY (4) held rivals for a 1L success in a similar contest here. Sets the standard on that run and can be hard to beat again. HONEY QUICK (2) is progressing rapidly this campaign and won three of last five starts. Expect another bold showing. HERMES DU LEARD (8) holds a good record for this driver including a victory at Cagnes-sur-Mer. Easy to fancy once more. HASPARREN (11) has won last two outings. Upped from grade F so will need a career best but remains a potential threat to all.

Selections

HORACIO DE CERISY (4) - HONEY QUICK (2) - HERMES DU LEARD (8) - HASPARREN (11)

Race 7 - PRIX DE L'HERAULT - 2875m WALK-UP D78 Harness. Purse EUR €37,000.

- 1. **GINO VIVA** Inconsistent type but has good winning record for this driver. Rates highly on best and is a potential threat to all.
- 2. **GALOPIN DE MARTHE** Impressive 3L winner at Le Mont Saint Michel two runs ago and placed since. Now steps up in grade. In the mix.
- 3. **GORLANDO** Winless after 26 starts but has placed on last two starts and comes into this in good form. Solid place pick.
- 4. GLORIEUX Stayed on for a place here in this grade two weeks ago. Can progress and rates each way.
- 5. **GOSSIP BOY** 7L fifth at this track a fortnight ago. Needs to improve upon that if he is to trouble the judge although is a perfect one from one for this driver.
- 6. **GALA D'URFIST** Can be excused a DQ here given he had won three of four starts before that. Expected to go close once more.
- 7. **GREAT OF MADRIK** Best run yet this campaign when a 2.25L second at this track and trip. In similar contest so if able to improve has a big winning chance.
- 8. **GALEHAUT AMERICA** Won twice and placed on three of last six starts. Is both talented and consistent so deserves try in better race. Each way chance running barefoot.

Summary: GALA D'URFIST (6) can be excused a DQ. If ignoring that he sets a clear standard after three recent wins. Leading contender. GREAT OF MADRIK (7) was beaten just 2.25L into second in a similar contest when last seen. That form reads well and is easy to fancy subsequently. GALEHAUT AMERICA (8) has won twice and placed three times in last six starts. Thriving at present and should give a bold show. GALOPIN DE MARTHE (2) comes into this in great from. In better race now but holds each way claims.

Selections

GALA D'URFIST (6) - GREAT OF MADRIK (7) - GALEHAUT AMERICA (8) - GALOPIN DE MARTHE (2)

Race 8 - PRIX HENRI CRAVOISIER - 1609m MOBILE RST E Harness. Purse EUR €70,000.

- 1. **CAPITAL MAIL** Italian raider that has racked up close to €200,000 career earnings there. Potential threat to all on French debut.
- 2. **CHUKY ROC** Well beaten on only previous run in this country. Needs to improve on that effort if he is to factor.
- 3. **IT'S NOW OR NEVER** Drops in grade having contested the Vincennes G1 Sulky 3 Ans Finale Prix Albert Viel. This is easier and has proven ability at this level. Big chance.
- 4. **CARAMEL CLUB** High class type in native Italy. Interesting she has been brought over for his but expected to be competitive. Keep safe.
- 5. **IVENSONG** Smart type that has won three and placed on four of ten career starts. DQ last time can be excused and should give a bold showing here.
- 6. **CHARMANT DE ZACK** Second in similar contests past two starts. Can improve further and now looks ready to strike.
- 7. **CALLMETHEBREEZE** Just missed the placings at this track when a 2.25L fourth. Can improve again and looks an each way player.

Summary: IT'S NOW OR NEVER (3) drops in grade from the G1 Sulky 3 Ans Finale - Prix Albert Viel. Sets the form standard amongst this field and looks the one they all have to beat. IVENSONG (5) can be excused a DQ in which case he comes into this in great form. Keep safe. CARAMEL CLUB (4) travels from Italy for this. Expected to give a bold showing. CHARMANT DE ZACK (6) has placed in this level the last twice. Solid each way pick.

Selections

IT'S NOW OR NEVER (3) - IVENSONG (5) - CARAMEL CLUB (4) - CHARMANT DE ZACK (6)