

LAVAL [L-H] - 09 March

Race 1 - PRIX ALAIN GERBAULT - 2650m MOBILE F12 Harness. Purse EUR €18,000.

1. **JOE DES GOSSETS** - Fifth at Le Mont-St-Michel two-and-a-half weeks ago. Capable of a better showing.
2. **JACADI DE PEBRAC** - Easily accounted for last time when ninth at Nantes. Facing a tough assignment.
3. **JIBUS DE GODREL** - Finished 4.9L back in fourth at his latest outing at Le Croise-Laroche. Place hope.
4. **JUMPER DE LA NADE** - Made an encouraging return last start when he was second at Le Mont-St-Michel beaten 2.4L. Player.
5. **JE TE CHERCHE** - Made an impressive return last start with a 6.1L win at Maure-de-Bretagne. Can make it back-to-back wins.
6. **JULIO DES LANDES** - Last start finished seventh at this track. This may be too tough.
7. **JAZZ DU NOYER** - Last produced when he scored at Meslay-du-Maine four months ago. Market check.
8. **JABRIZ DU GITE** - Last-start winner by 0.4L at Nantes. Serious player again.
9. **JERZINO VICI** - Much better run last time finishing second at Pontchateau. Leading player.
10. **JACK TEJY** - Finished third at Nantes last start. One of the primary contenders.
11. **JASON BLUE** - Wasn't beaten far at all when resuming last start finishing fourth at this track. Solid prospect with that run under the belt.
12. **JORECAR DE FORGAN** - Last produced when seventh at Vincennes five months ago. This run will do him the world of good.

Summary: JE TE CHERCHE (5) delivered an impressive 6.25L victory at Maure-de-Bretagne. Runner-up that day has won since and he is taken to follow up in a new shoeing combination. JUMPER DE LA NADE (4) came home 2.5L second at Le Mont-Saint-Michel. Rates a big threat in this field. JACK TEJY (10) enters calculations following an 8.5L third at Nantes. JERZINO VICI (9) placed second when beaten 1.25L at Pontchateau. Warrants close consideration.

Selections

JE TE CHERCHE (5) - JUMPER DE LA NADE (4) - JACK TEJY (10) - JERZINO VICI (9)

Race 2 - PRIX FRANCOIS PYRARD - 2850m WALK-UP D125 HCP Harness. Purse EUR €27,000.

1. **HAPPY NONANTAIS** - Safely held last time when 6.3L from the winner in ninth at Nantes. Not keen on his chances in this line-up.
2. **HERMINE DAIRPET** - Disqualified last start at Caen on April 25. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
3. **HAPPY DE TOUCHYVON** - Seventh last start at Mauquenchy. Place contender.
4. **HOUGARDEN** - Finished 7.1L away in seventh most recently at his first run back from a spell at this track. Should strip fitter.
5. **HISTORIC DAY** - Finished 5.4L away in fifth most recently at his first run back from a layoff at this track. Can go well.
6. **HONEY MONEY** - Not a factor when resuming last start finishing eighth at Mauquenchy over 2850m and beaten 5.4L. More needed.
7. **HANIKA DU LUPIN** - Disqualified last start at Nantes. Looks ideally placed. Strong hope.
8. **HISTOIRE JOYEUSE** - Will be better for this run following a spell of 11 weeks. Last raced when seventh at Vincennes.
9. **HERAKLION DESBOIS** - Could find the frame on the form he showed when fourth here two starts ago.
10. **HEUREUX DE BOUERE** - Finished third at Cordemais two starts back then was fourth at Nantes last time. Sure to be there at the business end.
11. **HECTOR DE BASSIERE** - Is back from a four-and-a-half months break. Finished eighth at Enghien last outing. Best watched.
12. **HIGH DREAM** - Chasing a hat-trick of wins. Rates highly and expected to go on with the job after scoring at Vincennes by 1.8L.

Summary: HIGH DREAM (12) delivered a 1.75L victory at Vincennes. Selected to complete a hat-trick. HANIKA DU LUPIN (7) performed well prior to a late DQ at Nantes. Strong claims of making amends. HEUREUX DE BOUERE (10) gets a chance to shine following a 6L fourth at Nantes. HISTORIC DAY (5) came home 5.5L fifth off a 25m handicap at this track. Enters calculations with improvement likely.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">HIGH DREAM (12) - HANIKA DU LUPIN (7) - HEUREUX DE BOUERE (10) - HISTORIC DAY (5)</p>

Race 3 - PRIX ROBERT TATIN - 2650m MOBILE E49 Harness. Purse EUR €24,000.

1. **INITIALE MACHA** - Disqualified last start at Vincennes on March 2. Prepared to overlook.
2. **ITALIE FRANCE** - Finished second last start at this track on the back of a win at Vincennes two runs back. Well-placed in this contest. Capable of taking this out.
3. **IRIS COURTOISE** - Racing well with placings at her last three starts the latest a second at Graignes beaten 2.1L. Winning chance.
4. **IN LOVE GEDE** - Last produced when seventh at Vincennes three-and-a-half months ago. Maybe later.
5. **IBIZA DU CHERISAY** - Will be better for this run following a spell of three-and-a-half months. Last raced when winning at Graignes.
6. **ITALIA JADOR** - Racing consistently at her last few starts most recently when fourth at Machecoul. Should be involved on her recent form.
7. **IZIA DE MONGIVAL** - Finished 18.2L away in eighth at Vincennes. Capable of a better showing but place looks best.
8. **ILOWA D'OHARA** - Won at Argentan last outing. Winning prospects in this suitable affair.
9. **IRIS THORIS** - Well-beaten seventh at Graignes 17.7L from the winner. Must do more.
10. **IBANA DE MONTI** - Disqualified last start at this track. Overlook the last run. Key claims on back-to-back placings prior.
11. **IVORY PERRINE** - Finished second at Vincennes two starts. Solid top-three prospects.
12. **INVINCIBLE TOUCH** - Disqualified last start at Nantes. Capable of better.

Summary: IRIS COURTOISE (3) delivered a 2.25L second at Graignes. Taken to go one better. ILOWA D'OHARA (8) came home 1.25L clear of her rivals when defying a 25m handicap in a walk-up at Argentan. Dangerous in this event. ITALIE FRANCE (2) won impressively at Vincennes on her penultimate start. Strong claims following a 3.5L second here subsequently. IBANA DE MONTI (10) placed twice prior to a DQ here. Cannot be dismissed.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">IRIS COURTOISE (3) - ILOWA D'OHARA (8) - ITALIE FRANCE (2) - IBANA DE MONTI (10)</p>

Race 4 - PRIX AMBROISE PARE - 2850m WALK-UP D245 HCP Harness. Purse EUR €35,000.

1. **FAKIR DU CHATEAU** - Last raced at Segre on October 2 when he was disqualified. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
2. **EIKO VET** - Last start finished eighth at Amiens. Could find the frame.
3. **DIORICIMO D'EVA** - Last produced when 11th at Nantes four months ago. This run will do him the world of good.
4. **GEZADE DU BOCAGE** - Tailed off at Segre five months ago. Maybe later.
5. **ESPRIT DE BELFONDS** - Well beaten at Cholet last outing. Others preferred.
6. **GRAPHISTE DREAM** - Finished fourth last time out at Vincennes beaten 0.8L. Has a good record here with two wins from five starts. Among the leading chances.
7. **FANSONNETTE DALBER** - Safely held last time out in ninth at Cholet beaten 32.7L. Not keen.
8. **FLEURON D'IROISE** - Will be better for this run following a spell of six-and-a-half months. Last raced when well beaten at this track.
9. **FILOU DE LARRE** - Held 12th at Mauquenchy latest. Capable of better but risky.
10. **GAI PRINTEMPS** - Finished sixth most recently at his first run back from a spell at Pontchateau. Strips fitter and is a solid top-three chance.
11. **CEPAGE DES ULMES** - Finished ninth at Vincennes last time out. Claims on prior efforts.
12. **FANFARONNEUR** - Finished runner-up at Chateaubriant two starts ago then was a good fourth at Vincennes. Key player.
13. **GAUDEO** - Much better run last time finishing second at Pontchateau. Genuine contender.

Summary: GAUDEO (13) delivered a 1.25L second off a 25m handicap at Pontchateau. Looks up to going one better here. FANFARONNEUR (12) rates a major danger following a 1.25L fourth at Vincennes. GRAPHISTE DREAM (6) enters calculations on the back of a 0.75L fourth off a 25m handicap at Vincennes. CEPAGE DES ULMES (11) recorded a 1.75L fourth in a Class C Europeen event at Vincennes on his penultimate start. Of note in this field. GAI PRINTEMPS (10) may take a step forward following an 11L sixth off a 25m handicap at Pontchateau.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GAUDEO (13) - FANFARONNEUR (12) - GRAPHISTE DREAM (6) - CEPAGE DES ULMES (11) - GAI PRINTEMPS (10)</p>

Race 5 - PRIX ORGANISME AGREE MAINE NORMANDIE - 2650m MOBILE F12 Harness. Purse EUR €18,000.

1. **JAMBA DE GLADJESS** - Might need this run following a spell of three months. Last raced when sixth at Cabourg.
2. **JAZZ MELODY** - Finished only 1.2L away in fifth at Graignes latest. Major appeal.
3. **JALOGNY** - May need the outing following a spell of five months. Last raced when third at Nuille-sur-Vicoïn.
4. **JUNON MESLOISE** - Sound sixth most recently at her first run back from a layoff at Vincennes. Major player.
5. **JASKA DES LANDES** - Finished third at Mauquenchy two starts ago. One of the better chances.
6. **JALIKA ROUSSETIERE** - Scored at Amiens last time out. Will be right in the thick of things.
7. **JOLLY CHIC** - Disqualified last start at Argentan. Won three starts ago and cannot be ignored.
8. **JADE DE CALVI** - Ran a better race last time out when sixth at Le Croise-Laroche. Each-way hope.
9. **JIVA FLEC** - Might need this run following a spell of 11 weeks. Last raced when 13th at Meslay-du-Maine.
10. **JALNA DU BUISSON** - Last raced at Saint Brieuc three-and-a-half months ago when she finished second. Betting will guide.
11. **JULIETTE** - Disqualified last start at Nantes on February 27. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
12. **JOUVENCE JENILOU** - Disqualified last start at Vibraye on August 15. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
13. **JOLIE MOME CHIC** - Finished second at Cherbourg two starts back. Winning prospects on that form.

Summary: With a new shoeing combination tried JALIKA ROUSSETIERE (6) is selected to complete a double following a nose win at Amiens. JAZZ MELODY (2) can go well on the back of a 1.25L fifth at Graignes. JUNON MESLOISE (4) registered a 7.25L sixth at Vincennes first up. Expected to show improved form here. JOLIE MOME CHIC (13) enters calculations having placed second at Cherbourg on her penultimate start.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">JALIKA ROUSSETIERE (6) - JAZZ MELODY (2) - JUNON MESLOISE (4) - JOLIE MOME CHIC (13)</p>

Race 6 - PRIX JEUNES AGRICULTEURS 53 - 2650m MOBILE E49 APP Harness. Purse EUR €21,000.

1. **IOUPY TOLLEVILLE** - Was a winner by 1.2L at Argentan last time, his second win from the last four starts. Rates highly on recent efforts. Can measure up again.
2. **ILLUMINATI** - Has been given a let-up of a month since finishing sixth at Graignes when well in the market. In the mix.
3. **IDEFIX DES LANDES** - Bounced back last start when third at this track, beaten 2.5L. Expected to go well again.
4. **IBLIS GEMA** - Hasn't raced since a disappointing tenth at Vincennes four weeks ago. Has the ability to be in the finish.
5. **ISO DE KERYANN** - Was sixth at Vincennes last start after filling a minor placing at Vincennes two starts back. Expected to go well.
6. **INSTINCT DE CLERCE** - Might need this run following a spell of three-and-a-half months. Last raced when third at Vincennes.
7. **IPSO SIMARDIERE** - Easily accounted for last time at the first run of the campaign when 27L from the winner in seventh at Nantes. Unlikely to threaten.
8. **IRUN DU BOCAGE** - Was last produced when he scored at Vincennes 12 weeks ago. Happy to watch this time.
9. **IZELBIO** - Won at Machecoul last time out after a plain effort at Nantes the start prior. Hard to beat.
10. **IL TROTTE JARL** - Failed to feature two runs back then last start was a well-beaten seventh at Nantes, 8L from the winner. Can improve sharply.
11. **IGGY DE CELINIERE** - Last start unplaced over 2700m at Graignes. Not doing enough to threaten the top few.
12. **ILLUSTRE BLUE** - Last raced at Saumur four-and-a-half months ago when he finished down the field. Needs more.
13. **IDEAL BOY** - Missed out last start when eighth at Vincennes after finishing in the placings at Vincennes the start prior. Major player on best form.
14. **IFF LOUZEEN** - Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while but wasn't beaten all that far when sixth last start at Nantes. Big chance based on that latest run.

Summary: IZELBIO (9) impressed when drawing 3L clear of his rivals at Machecoul. Looks capable of following up. IDEFIX DES LANDES (3) placed third when beaten 2.5L at Laval. Capable of challenging for the win. IOUPY TOLLEVILLE (1) rates a threat on the back of a 1.25L win off a 25m handicap at Argentan. ISO DE KERYANN (5) came home 1.75L sixth at Vincennes. Danger to all dropping in grade.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">IZELBIO (9) - IDEFIX DES LANDES (3) - IOUPY TOLLEVILLE (1) - ISO DE KERYANN (5)</p>
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Race 7 - PRIX ALFRED JARRY - 2850m WALK-UP F29 Monte. Purse EUR €21,000.

1. **IDAHO D'ORBESTIER** - Last raced at Pontchateau on March 2 when he was disqualified. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
2. **I AM A FOOL** - Last raced at Gournay En Bray on March 5 when she was disqualified. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
3. **IRLINGTON** - Last raced at Maure-de-Bretagne on February 26 when he was disqualified. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
4. **IMPERIAL DU GASSEL** - Was ordinary when 37L away in seventh most recently at his first run back from a break at Mauquenchy. Expect to see a much better run.
5. **IZZY LISZT** - Last raced at Nantes on February 27 when she was disqualified. Forgive the recent mishap. Looks ideally placed.
6. **INVADER ARTWORK** - Returned as favourite at Gournay En Bray last start but could only manage second, beaten 1.3L. Will strip fitter and looks tough to beat.
7. **IXOR DE L'ITON** - Has filled a minor placing at his last two starts, the latest effort a third at Challans. Sure to go well again.
8. **ILE FLORES** - Was disqualified last start at this track on February 15. Forgive the latest run. Can turn things around.
9. **IONISA DE FELLIERE** - Turned in a solid run when resuming at Nantes last start, finishing second and beaten 2L. Fitter and sits high among the chances.
10. **IDAO DES NOUES** - Missed out two starts ago then finished seventh at his latest appearance at Challans, 10L adrift. Expecting a return to form.
11. **INTIME COTERIE** - Was among the top chances when fresh from a break recently, finishing seventh and beaten 7.3L at Cherbourg. Expected to bounce back.

Summary: IXOR DE L'ITON (7) placed third when beaten 4.25L at Challans. Taken to record a third career success with a new shoeing combination tried here. Big chance. IONISA DE FELLIERE (9) looks a danger on the back of a 2L second at Nantes. INVADER ARTWORK (6) came home 1.25L second at Gournay. Strong claims of going one place better. INTIME COTERIE (11) is expected to take a step forward following a 7.5L seventh at Cherbourg.

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<p style="text-align: center;">IXOR DE L'ITON (7) - IONISA DE FELLIERE (9) - INVADER ARTWORK (6) - INTIME COTERIE (11)</p>

Race 8 - PRIX GEO HAM - 2850m WALK-UP F2 Harness. Purse EUR €18,000.

1. **KANSAS JENILAT** - Gelding from the Hugues Lecoq yard on debut. Profiles nicely and is expected to measure up.
2. **KARMA TEJY** - Colt from the Cristophe Chalon stable on debut. Has the right profile for a strong performance.
3. **KESSERO** - Three-year-old gelding by Enino Du Pommereux from Quamissa having his first start. Prefer to see him under race conditions before recommending.
4. **KIGALI** - Three-year-old colt by Ave Avis from Tegali on debut. Market the best guide to his chances.
5. **KINGMAMBO BELLO** - Colt by Express Jet from Aura Des Jacquets on debut. Watch the betting closely. Profiles nicely.
6. **KENAVO DE CAHOT** - Has not been in the placings in two runs this time in work, the latest when 7.1L away in seventh at Cholet. Must do a lot more.
7. **KASHMIR JADOR** - Has raced twice this campaign and failed to threaten on either occasion, the latest when seventh at Pontchateau a week ago. Capable of a better showing.
8. **KHALIF DEL PHEDO** - Comes here after finishing a well-beaten sixth on debut at Vincennes a month ago. Solid top-three prospects.
9. **KINKAJOU** - Was not a factor when resuming last start, finishing fifth at Cholet and beaten 6.3L. Open to plenty of improvement.
10. **KOOK PRIOR** - Was disqualified last start at Cholet on February 26. Forgive the recent mishap. Looks ideally placed.
11. **KALIF LANDIA** - Turned in a solid debut when fourth and beaten 2.8L at Nantes. Likely improver.
12. **KAISER FERM** - Comes here after finishing a well-beaten eighth on debut at this track two-and-a-half weeks ago. Wait until he shows something.
13. **KOKA RIGHT** - Has failed to make the top-three in two career runs, the latest effort a fourth at this track. Rates highly in this line-up.
14. **KINGS CANYON ACE** - Was ordinary when 12L away in fifth most recently at his first run back from a layoff at Challans. Open to plenty of improvement.

Summary: Express Jet newcomer KINGMAMBO BELLO (5) is taken to debut with a victory having qualified at Meslay-du-Maine. KALIF LANDIA (11) performed well when 3L fourth at Nantes on debut. Bold show looks likely. KOKA RIGHT (13) gets a chance to shine on the back of a 7.25L fourth at this circuit. KANSAS JENILAT (1) is another newcomer to consider following a qualifying effort at Caen in November.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">KINGMAMBO BELLO (5) - KALIF LANDIA (11) - KOKA RIGHT (13) - KANSAS JENILAT (1)</p>
