

SATURDAY, 09/05/26

R4 MOULINS [R-H]

**C1 - PRIX SAINT DES SAINTS - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles
- EUR € 24,000**

1. ZIRCONNE - Recent success in a Class 3 hurdle over 3600m at Strasbourg on April 18th. More is needed in a stronger race

2. LE KERRY - Won on his second start over 3900m at La Teste in a Class 3 hurdle on April 1st. Lightly raced and has more to come

3. LARZAC DU MATHAN - Won over 3500m in a Class 3 hurdle at this track last time out on March 21st. Knows how to win and warrants respect

4. GIOTTO DES PLACHIS - Three unplaced efforts of late, the most recent over 3800m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 3 hurdle on April 18th. Seems out of sorts and others make more appeal

5. LILETTE - Unplaced last time in a Listed hurdle at Auteuil, 3rd before that over 3600m at Auteuil in a Listed hurdle on October 29th. Hard to ignore

6. CHIMICHURI - Two unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3800m at Compiègne in a handicap hurdle on April 21st. Can make the top-four

7. LOVERBOY DESLITAUX - Unplaced last time in April, 2nd previously over 3500m in a Class 3 hurdle at Moulins on March 21st. Might find this challenging

8. LIBERTY FLY - Recent winner at Lignières over 3200m in a conditions race on April 7th. Honest performer who is versatile on the flat and over hurdles

9. KABRIOLE DE SIVOLA - Unplaced last time in May 2025 on the flat, 4th before that over 3900m at Nîmes in a Class 4 hurdle on April 5th, 2025. Lacks a recent run and is best watched

10. ETHIE CASTLE - Unplaced over hurdles on April 15th, a win before that over 3400m in a Class 2 hurdle at Angers on February 26th. In the mix

11. VOLOVO - Three placed runs over hurdles, 4th on the latter over 3400m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 2 hurdle on November 23rd, 2024. Might need this after a layoff

Summary: LARZAC DU MATHAN (3) knows how to win and was successful in a Class 3 hurdle in late March when last seen and is given the vote ahead of LE KERRY (2), who scored on his second start at La Teste over hurdles early in April and has a good deal more to come. LILETTE (5) was third in a Listed hurdle two runs back at Auteuil in late October and warrants attention. LIBERTY FLY (8) completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

LARZAC DU MATHAN (3) - LE KERRY (2) - LILETTE (5) - LIBERTY FLY (8)

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C2 - PRIX DE SOUVIGNY (PRIX UCELLO II) - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles - EUR € 24,000

1. IRUPTA MATUTA - Won on the second start over 3600m at La Teste on April 1st by 2.5L. Looks capable of following up on a convincing debut success

2. LIPSTICK MACALO - Finished 4th on the most recent start over 3500m at this track in a claiming hurdle on November 9th. Needs to improve a good deal to trouble the principles

3. SHAMROCK MELODY - Got off the mark over 3400m at Loudeac in a Class 5 hurdle on April 5th last time out. Outside place contender

4. LOCCA DE THAIX - Won on her only run last year on the flat over 2300m at Durtal on January 26th, 2025. Long absence to overcome but is worth considering on hurdles debut

5. MARIE DES OBEAUX - Better effort to be 2nd over 3550m in a Class 4 hurdle at Fontainebleau on April 15th last time out. Progressive and can feature

6. JUBILATION - Four tame efforts so far, failed to complete the course over 3600m in a Class 5 hurdle at Argentan on March 6th last time out. One to pass over

7. MORELLE - 6th on her second run on the flat over 2400m at Lignieres on April 7th. Tries hurdles and should be well prepared on hurdles debut

8. LA CHOCOLATINE - Failed to complete over hurdles at Auteuil last month, a win before that at Saumur over 2700m in a Class 4 flat event on March 29th. Others preferred

9. MEDICIS SUN - Three unplaced runs of late, failed to finish last time at Auteuil over 3500m in a Class 2 hurdle on April 9th last time. Looks vulnerable

10. MAESTRIA BURGONDE - Filly by Indian Daffodil, the dam won 1 race over jumps. Likely to improve for this run and can be opposed on her first day at school

11. ROYALE CAKE HAS - Finished 8th on her sole start over 3500m in a Class 2 hurdle at Auteuil on May 27th 2025. Absence to deal with and can improve for this run

12. MOUSSE DU CHEF - Unraced filly by Stormy River, the dam won 2 races over jumps. She is from a respected trainer that knows the time of day. Can have a say if the market vibes are lively

13. NOT TODAY - Unplaced last time in a flat maiden in July 2025, 2nd before that over 2400m at Vichy in a conditions race on her debut on the flat on May 25th, 2025. Can be involved and will be well schooled

Summary: IRUPTA MATUTA (1) won well on her second start at La Teste over 3600m early in April and is expected to be able to follow up. MARIE DES OBEAUX (5) showed improvement on her second run over hurdles at Fontainebleau when second in mid-April on her latest start and can be competitive. LOCCA DE THAIX (4) scored on her latest start on the flat at Durtal and will be well prepared despite her long absence and she will be well schooled for this hurdles bow. MORELLE (7) heads the rest.

SELECTIONS

IRUPTA MATUTA (1) - MARIE DES OBEAUX (5) - LOCCA DE THAIX (4) - MORELLE (7)

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C3 - PRIX LAETITIA GUYOT - OPTIMHOME (PRIX ALAIN PLOUZEAU) - 2800m (a2m) - TURF - Condition - Flat - EUR € 10,100

- 1. BLACK WALL SHADOW** - Unraced gelding by Welstar, the dam ran once on the flat. Looks good on paper and he is one to pay attention to in the betting market
- 2. NOVICE DE CIERGUES** - Unraced gelding by Free Port Lux, the dam ran a few times. Stable runners tend to improve for a run or two and he is best watched with the future in mind
- 3. SEMPER ADAMAS** - Gelding by Tunis, the dam ran a few times. Can improve for this run and is best watched on his racecourse debut
- 4. NEW FLINT** - Unplaced on the one run over 2700m at Chatillon on the flat on April 27th. He needs a vast amount of progress to make the frame
- 5. MILORD'INOR** - Unplaced on the one run over 2400m at Saint-Cloud in a maiden on March 24th. Likely to find a few of these too smart
- 6. BONJOUR PARIS** - Unraced by Hunter's Light, the dam won on the flat and over hurdles. This gelding will be nicely tuned and he is worth a market check
- 7. GHOST WARRIOR** - Gelding on debut by Ishfahan, the dam won on the flat once. Nice pedigree and one to pay attention to in the betting exchanges
- 8. CLOCKS** - Gelding by Estejo, the dam won 3 races over jumps. Looks good on paper and can play a lead role if the betting market looks positive
- 9. GLORIO** - Two unplaced runs, the latter over 2000m at Fontainebleau in a maiden race on April 20th. More is needed to make the frame
- 10. ARCADIA** - One unplaced run so far over 2850m at Loudeac in a conditions race on April 26th. Might improve for this run and she can be opposed
- 11. LA TCHIKITA** - One unplaced run so far over 2700m at Chatillon on April 27th in a conditions race. Unlikely to trouble some of these
- 12. LA TURBIE** - Filly on debut by Doctor Dino, the dam was unraced. From a leading trainer that does well with newcomers. She can score on her first day at school
- 13. THE GREY FEJAA** - Filly on debut by The Grey Gatsby, the dam was placed on the flat. Stable runners warrant respect on debut and she can be on the premises
- 14. AU BOULOT** - Filly by Born To Sea, the dam was unraced. Stable runners are well prepared and this filly should know what is required

Summary: LA TURBIE (12) has a taking pedigree and her trainer will have her nicely tuned on her first day at school. She can score at the expense of AU BOULOT (14), who has a nice profile and is from a stable that will have her ready to give a good account of herself on debut. CLOCKS (8), is out of a mare that won three races over jumps and he will likely head over jumps eventually. He is worth a market check, as is GHOST WARRIOR (7), who is also making his racecourse bow.

SELECTIONS

LA TURBIE (12) - AU BOULOT (14) - CLOCKS (8) - GHOST WARRIOR (7)

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C4 - PRIX ETABLISSEMENT MERLIN (PRIX BRUNE D'EX) - 2800m (a2m) - TURF - Condition - Flat - EUR € 14,000

- 1. MILAN ROUGE** - Course winner two runs back over 2400m, 4th on the most recent at Nantes in a Group 3 AQ race on November 1st. One to take seriously
- 2. MAESTRO DES PLAGES** - Won on his sole start by 6L over 2600m at Morlaix in a conditions race on March 29th. Capable of following up
- 3. MICAWBER** - Unplaced last time over fences, 3rd before that over hurdles on April 1st at Compiègne in a Class 2 race. He won on the flat at Machecoul in February over 2950m. Player
- 4. MELCHIOR KERGADOR** - Unplaced last time, a win before that over 3100m at Montluçon in a conditions race on March 22nd. Look for an alternative
- 5. MOUSSE** - Showed promise to be 2nd on the one run over 2450m in a conditions race at Cluny on April 25th. Others rate higher
- 6. LOS TECHADORE** - Finished 5th last time over 2450m in a conditions race at Cluny on April 25th. Might find this challenging
- 7. LE JET D'OR** - Fair effort to be 2nd over 2850m at Loudeac on April 26th on the only run so far. Among the leading each way options
- 8. LOUXOR DES CHAUMES** - Finished 6th on the only run over 3400m in a Class 4 race at Orleans on April 19th. Needs vast progress to make the frame
- 9. LORIAN** - Won on the only start over 3600m in a Class 3 hurdle at Compiègne on November 28th. Tries a new code and can not be ignored
- 10. LOUPING SACRE** - Two 4th placed runs of late, the latter over 2450m at Cluny in a conditions race on April 25th. Has work to do
- 11. MISTRAL ROQUE** - Placed 2nd on his second start over 2900m at Durtal on March 22nd. Seems the type to keep on improving and can be on the premises

Summary: MAESTRO DES PLAGES (2) won with authority on debut at Morlaix in late March and holds strong claims of following up. He is preferred ahead of MILAN ROUGE (1), who is a course winner two runs back over 2400m and was a decent third in a Group 3 AQ race in early November when last seen. MICAWBER (3) is effective over hurdles and on the level and can make his presence felt. LORIAN (9) completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

MAESTRO DES PLAGES (2) - MILAN ROUGE (1) - MICAWBER (3) - LORIAN (9)

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**C5 - PRIX D'YZEURE - 3400m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Maiden - Flat - EUR €
11,900**

- 1. TY ZUMS** - Unplaced over hurdles on April 18th, a fair 4th before that over 2300m at Montlucon in a conditions race on April 5th. Makes limited appeal
- 2. KIWI DE CIERGUES** - Two unplaced runs over fences, since a 3rd at Nancy over 3000m on the flat on September 28th. Last seen in on April 12th. Can be opposed
- 3. JO LE TAXI** - Not seen since an unplaced run at Auteuil in a Class 2 hurdle over 3600m on October 13th,, 2024. Has placed form on the flat before but back from a lengthy layoff. Avoidable
- 4. MASTER LIGHT** - Finished 2nd on the most recent start over 3400m at this track in a conditions race on April 9th. Among the leading chances
- 5. KENOSTORM** - Five unplaced runs of late, the latter over hurdles on April 18th at Lyon Parilly in a Class 2 race. 4th in a maiden at Chantilly last year in February and can be on the premises
- 6. NOCTAMBULE** - Five unplaced runs, three on the flat and the last two over hurdles, failed to complete over 3600m in a Class 2 at Auteuil on March 22nd. More expected
- 7. MON BRAVE DE BERCE** - Two unplaced runs over hurdles since a 2nd on debut at Limoges on the flat over 3000m in a conditions race on March 15th. Hard to fancy
- 8. KOHAMA** - Placed on the last two runs, 3rd on the most recent over 3200m at Le Mans in a conditions race on April 21st. Player
- 9. EMOTIVO** - Three unplaced runs of late, on the flat and over hurdles, the latter over 3450m at Cartmel (UK) over hurdles on July 20th, 2024. Fitness to prove but warrants respect
- 10. ROSE OF MONTREUX** - Five unplaced runs, the most recent over 2150m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer in a conditions race on January 19th. One to pass over
- 11. MYRIA DE BERCE** - Placed 2nd on her sole run over 3300m in a Class 2 hurdle at Bordeaux Le Bouscat on May 5th, 2025. Tries the flat and is worth considering

Summary: KOHAMA (8) has been placed on her last two starts, the most recent at Le Mans in a conditions race late last month. She can be too smart for NOCTAMBULE (6), who is better than recent form figures and can give a better account of himself today. KENOSTORM (5) has placed form last year at Chantilly over 1900m and can be involved in a race that lacks depth. MASTER LIGHT (4) is also worth considering each-way.

SELECTIONS

KOHAMA (8) - NOCTAMBULE (6) - KENOSTORM (5) - MASTER LIGHT (4)

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**C6 - PRIX RACE AND CARE (PRIX GLORIA IV) - 2800m (a2m) - TURF -
Condition - Flat - EUR € 14,000**

- 1. LANANA DE CHABA** - Two unplaced runs of late, 5th on her last run over 3200m at Lignieres on April 7th in a conditions race. Has work to do
- 2. MY LIFE TIEPY** - Unplaced last time, 4th before that on her debut over 2900m at Durtal on November 1st. Can make the top four
- 3. MIGHTYWOOD** - Unraced filly by Stormy River, the dam won 1 race on the flat. Likely to improve for this run unless the betting vibes are lively
- 4. MAKANI DU FENOIR** - Three unplaced runs so far, the latter when 5th at Nancy over 2500m on April 26th in a conditions race. Others make more appeal
- 5. MADAME ROYALE** - Placed 2nd on her sole start over 2450m at Cluny in a conditions race on April 25th. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 6. MORETHAN CURIOUS** - Placed 3rd on the only run over 2450m at Cluny in a conditions race on April 25th. Can improve and be on the premises
- 7. L'UNE BRUNE** - Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 2600m at Morlaix in a conditions race on March 29th. Ought to play a lead role
- 8. MATIMIX** - Fair effort to be 6th over 2500m at Nancy in a conditions race on April 26th. Open to improvement and can make her presence felt
- 9. LUTTEUSE** - Two unplaced runs last year over hurdles, the latter over 3800m at this track in a Class 3 race on December 13th. Flat debut and can be opposed
- 10. MAITRESSE FEMME** - Finished 9th on the sole start over 3200m in a conditions race at Lignieres on March 7th. Unlikely to be a threat
- 11. MA GANNAT** - Placed on three of her four runs, 4th on the most recent start over 2400m at Lignieres on April 7th. One to keep onside

Summary: L'UNE BRUNE (7) was a good second two runs back at Morlaix in a conditions race and has strong claims of getting her first success. MATIMIX (8) showed promise when sixth on her debut at Nancy late last month and will step forward from that run. MA GANNAT (11) is also worth strong consideration each way and can be involved at the business end. MORETHAN CURIOUS (6) ran with promise when third on debut and can have learned from that experience and can be involved.

SELECTIONS

L'UNE BRUNE (7) - MATIMIX (8) - MA GANNAT (11) - MORETHAN CURIOUS (6)

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C7 - PRIX BAR LOUNGE AUX 7 PLANCHES - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Claiming - Steeple Chase - EUR € 19,000

- 1. XACTE** - Placed 4th on the last start over 4200m in a claiming chase at La-Roche-Sur-Yon on April 19th. Might find a few too smart
- 2. KOSSOVO** - Unplaced last time, 4th before that in a cross-country race at Lyon Parilly over 4500m. Looks vulnerable back over regulation fences
- 3. SHANYADAME** - Unplaced last time on April 21st over fences, 4th before that over 3500m at this track in a Class 3 hurdle on March 21st. Can be effective down in class and back over fences on a track she likes
- 4. WINNER HORSE** - Unplaced on the last two runs, 3rd before that over 3800m in a handicap hurdle at Lyon Parilly on March 15th. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 5. LE CHAMP DU CYGNE** - Unplaced last time, 4th previously over 4400m at Fontainebleau in a handicap chase on March 9th. One to pay attention to
- 6. KIMARILLO** - Two unplaced runs of late, 5th on the latter over 4000m at Orleans in a Class 5 chase on April 19th. Has work to do
- 7. LIVERPOOL PARK** - Fair 5th last time over 4200m at Strasbourg in a handicap chase on April 18th. Down in class and can be competitive
- 8. GRACIEUSE RODINO** - Won on her last run over 4200m in a claiming chase at La-Roche-Sur-Yon on April 19th. Can make the top three
- 9. SUPER BEND** - Two unplaced runs since a 4th over 3800m in a claiming chase at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on January 1st. Among the leading chances
- 10. JIPSY DU FRUITIER** - Three unplaced runs, failed to finish over 4000m at Orleans in a Class 5 chase on April 19th. Hardly inspiring credentials

Summary: SHANYADAME (3) is a previous winner at this track last year in a Class 3 chase and was a decent fourth over hurdles at this track in late March two runs back. She is given the nod, dropping in class today. LIVERPOOL PARK (7) has recent placed form and can make the selection work hard for success. LE CHAMP DU CYGNE (5), was fourth two runs back in a handicap chase and can be on the premises. WINNER HORSE (4) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

SHANYADAME (3) - LIVERPOOL PARK (7) - LE CHAMP DU CYGNE (5) - WINNER HORSE (4)

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C8 - PRIX DE BON COEUR (PRIX DE FONTAINEBLEAU) - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 3 - Steeple Chase - EUR € 24,000

1. MAGNIFICA - Good 3rd on his latest start over 3800m at this track in a Class 4 chase on March 21st. Looks ready to get off the mark

2. MR SACRE - Unplaced last time, 4th before that on debut at this track over 3500m in a Class 3 hurdle on March 21st. Chasing bow and can be involved

3. MAREDSOUS JESSPI - Won on her last start over 3500m at Montlucon in a Class 4 chase on March 22nd. Jumped well on her chase debut and can feature

4. MELODY NORTON - Placed 2nd on the latest run over 3500m at Loudeac in a Class 4 chase on April 26th. Others seem better equipped

5. MUSIK PLEASE - Three unplaced runs of late, 3rd before that over 3600m over hurdles at Auteuil on September 13th last year. Tries fences and can have a say

6. MISS GEORGES ALLEN - Two unplaced runs of late, 5th on the most recent start over 3800m in a Class 4 chase at this track on March 21st. Can be opposed

Summary: MAGNIFICA (1) was a pleasing third on his latest start at this track in a Class 4 chase in March and holds strong claims of getting off the mark today. MUSIK PLEASE (5) tries fences for the first time after a few unplaced runs over hurdles recently in competitive races over hurdles. MAREDSOUS JESSPI (3) scored on the most recent start over fences on March 22nd in a Class 4 event at Montlucon and can make her rivals work hard for success.

SELECTIONS

MAGNIFICA (1) - MUSIK PLEASE (5) - MAREDSOUS JESSPI (3) - MR SACRE (2)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
KOHAMA (508)

Outsider of the day
THE GREY FEJAA (313)

Reverse forecast
LE KERRY (102) - LARZAC DU MATHAN (103)

Three pick of the day
LARZAC DU MATHAN (103) - IRUPTA MATUTA (201) - KOHAMA (508)