

VINCENNES [L-H] - 10 January

Race 1 - PRIX DU LIMOUSIN - 2850m WALK-UP D261 HCP Harness. Purse EUR €57,000.

1. **FRISKY BLACK** - Placed two back at Cabourg and maintained that form last start when third at Pontchateau. In the mix.
2. **FURIOSO FLIGNY** - Returned winning form by 0.4L at Graignes. Chance.
3. **ETERNEL AMOUR** - Winner last time out by 0.8L at this track to continue the great form this campaign. Expected to feature in the finish.
4. **FILOU DE LARRE** - Disqualified last start at Graignes. Forgive the recent mishap. Claims on prior form.
5. **DANTE TURGOT** - Good third last start at Bordeaux beaten 0.4L. Frame chance.
6. **GENERAL DE LOIRON** - Tailed off when 12th at this track. Frame claims on prior fourth.
7. **DAHLIA DU PONT** - Disqualified last start at Mauquenchy on January 2. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
8. **GOLD FLY** - Finished 3.0L from the winner in sixth at this track. Place chance.
9. **FANFARONNEUR** - Produced a better effort last start when just 0.4L from the winner in second at this track. Another bold showing expected.
10. **DETROIT ACE** - Disqualified last start at Marseille-Borely on September 21. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
11. **GAUDEO** - Latest effort a fourth at this track beaten 3.9L. Among the chances on best form.
12. **GITANO** - Scored two back but was below his best last time finishing seventh at this track and beaten 10.7L. Solid record at this circuit. Major chance.
13. **FILOU D'ANJOU** - Disqualified last start at this track on December 21. Frame chance on prior second.
14. **DAY DE BELLOUET** - Last raced at this track on December 21 when he was disqualified. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
15. **GALILEO BELLO** - Finished third at this track last start. Will be right in the thick of things.
16. **ECLAIR GOLD** - Safely held last time when 15.6L from the winner in 13th at Nantes. Not keen on his chances in this field.

Summary: GITANO (12) struggled in a strong race last time. This is easier and did win at Bordeaux prior. Maintains a great record for this driver and expected to go close. ETERNEL AMOUR (3) bids for a third consecutive victory having produced a 1L success latest. Worth keeping safe. GALILEO BELLO (15) rates highly on the form of a 4.75L third here and holds winning claims in this lesser contest. FILOU DE LARRE (4) won five outings back and placed on the next three runs. Recent DQ is easily excused and looks a genuine threat to all.

Selections

GITANO (12) - ETERNEL AMOUR (3) - GALILEO BELLO (15) - FILOU DE LARRE (4)

Race 2 - PRIX DE SALBRIS - 2850m WALK-UP E17 Harness. Purse EUR €33,000.

1. **JOYAU DE L'ITON** - Finished 12.9L away in seventh most recently at his first run back from a layoff at Graignes. Needs to lift.
2. **JOKER DU PONT** - Finished runner-up at Meslay-du-Maine last start. Not keen this time.
3. **JASTAR** - Disqualified last start at Pontchateau. Completed a double prior and can bounce back.
4. **JOUR DE GLOIRE** - Last start fifth at Le Mans. Among the chances on best form.
5. **JOGGER STAR** - Finished 6.3L from the winner in fourth at this track. Place.
6. **JERRY BOY** - Last start was beaten 4.3L when fourth at this track. Can find the frame.
7. **JOAQUIM DIESCHOOT** - Fair fifth at this track latest. Frame contender.
8. **JIZOU D'ETANG** - Returns from a break after some strong form last campaign. Finishing it off with a win at Craon. Expecting a bright return to the track.
9. **JOB DES MOLLES** - Disqualified last start at this track on December 17. Overlook the most recent outing. Can turn things around.
10. **JORLIC TEJY** - Scored by 0.8L to register his first career win at Graignes two weeks ago. Confidence high and can measure up again.
11. **JOHNNY QUICK** - Moderate sixth at this track two weeks ago. Not going well enough.
12. **JOHORE** - Returned from a break in top order last start with a win at Graignes by 1.2L. Strong winning chance again.

Summary: JIZOU D'ETANG (8) has been absent for four months. Produced a 0.75L success at Craon when last seen and sets the standard. Likely to be primed for this and is the one to beat on return. JOHORE (12) held rivals for a 1.25L success at Graignes. That was a second win in just three starts and could yet prove better than this grade. Keep safe. JASTAR (3) can be excused a DQ here latest as looked good prior and is worth another chance. JOB DES MOLLES (9) brings uninspiring recent form figures however could be capable of better. Good driver booked and might re-discover form.

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<p style="text-align: center;">JIZOU D'ETANG (8) - JOHORE (12) - JASTAR (3) - JOB DES MOLLES (9)</p>

Race 3 - PRIX DE VIC-BIGORRE - 2100m MOBILE C12 Harness. Purse EUR €36,000.

1. **KARA MIA** - Finished 14.9L away from the winner in fourth here latest. Place best.
2. **KAIPIRINHA** - Safely held last time when 19.4L from the winner in seventh at this track. Facing a tough assignment.
3. **KINNAIRD** - Finished 8.7L back in sixth at her latest run at this track. Certainly worth another chance.
4. **KIDEA DREAM** - Last raced at this track on January 3 when she was disqualified. Chance on best form.
5. **KAGUYA JIEL** - Placed at her last two starts the latest effort a third at this track. Sure to feature.
6. **KAMOVA DU RILER** - Not a threat last start when seventh at this track beaten 5.0L. Won't find this easy. Not keen.
7. **KARLITA MADRIK** - Finished just 2.1L away in third at Enghien on debut. Expect another bold run this time.
8. **KIARA DES BORDES** - Finished 5.0L back in fourth at her latest appearance at this track. Place chance.
9. **KAVALE DU CHOQUEL** - Finished 12.5L back in sixth at her latest appearance at this track. Certainly capable of better.
10. **KITTY CALL** - Disqualified last start at Nantes. Remains of interest for top yard.
11. **KANELLE DU NOYER** - Comes here after finishing a well-beaten fifth on debut at Cagnes-sur-Mer three-and-a-half weeks ago. Could improve.
12. **KABRIOLE D'ENFER** - Safely held last time out in sixth at Lyon-Parilly beaten 18.4L. Won't find this easy. Not keen.
13. **KINJAL DE BELLANDE** - Disqualified last start at this track on January 4. Prefer to see her perform well before recommending.
14. **KARMINA** - Missed the placings again last start beaten 5.8L when fifth at this track. Prefer others.
15. **KALEZIA POTERIE** - Last raced at Amiens ten weeks ago when she finished fifth beaten 7.8L. Outside place claims.

Summary: KIDEA DREAM (4) is one of only two previous winners amongst this field. DQ last time is easily excused and expected to bounce back. Good driver booked and rates a key player. KAGUYA JIEL (5) finished 5L third here last time. Can progress further. Easy to fancy. KARLITA MADRIK (7) found the placings on recent debut. Claims. KITTY CALL (10) was well supported for debut but failed to live up to expectations. An improved showing is anticipated.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">KIDEA DREAM (4) - KAGUYA JIEL (5) - KARLITA MADRIK (7) - KITTY CALL (10)</p>

Race 4 - PRIX DE BOULAY - 2850m WALK-UP D25 Monte. Purse EUR €39,000.

1. **JAVRILLON** - Fair fourth at this track latest. Each-way hope.
2. **JUS DE FRUIT** - Fair type returning from a four months break. Expected to be in the finish.
3. **JARNIBLEU** - Missed out two starts ago then finished seventh at his latest outing at this track 30.9L adrift. Must improve sharply.
4. **JET DES MALBERAUX** - Strong winner last time out by 3.8L at this track. Bold showing expected.
5. **JARDYLAND** - Commendable effort last time to finish 1.7L from the winner in second at this track. Place contender.
6. **JOKER DES BORDES** - Runner-up two back before getting home by 1.7L last time out at this track. In winning form and has to be included.
7. **JOJO DE L'AUNAY** - Got the job done two starts ago at Cabourg then last time was beaten 11.4L at this track. Can bounce back.
8. **JAZZ DU GOUTIER** - Won two back at Cordemais then finished second at this track beaten 1.6L. Well-placed in this contest. Capable of taking this out.
9. **JAEGER MAN** - Last start finished seventh at Lyon-Parilly. Opposed.
10. **JUNIOR BERDIERE** - Disqualified last start at this track on December 1. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.

Summary: JAZZ DU GOUTIER (8) improved since making the switch to mounted contests by winning and placing. Looks the one to beat. JOKER DES BORDES (6) was an easy 1.75L winner here and rates a key player. JUS DE FRUIT (2) has been off the track for nearly four months. Key player if primed on return. JET DES MALBERAUX (4) went clear for a 4L course and distance victory last time. This is tougher but could prove a threat to all.

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<p style="text-align: center;">JAZZ DU GOUTIER (8) - JOKER DES BORDES (6) - JUS DE FRUIT (2) - JET DES MALBERAUX (4)</p>

Race 5 - PRIX PIERRE RAFFRE - 2850m WALK-UP D54 Harness. Purse EUR €39,000.

1. **IMPULSE LOTOIS** - Finished 12.2L back in ninth at his latest appearance at this track. Others make more appeal.
2. **IVES DES GLENAN** - Not a bad run at the latest outing when third at this track beaten 6.3L. Not as keen on his chances in this line-up.
3. **IMOKO MADRIK** - Finished runner-up at this track last start. A big run would not surprise.
4. **IPOCALYPSE LOVE** - Last start finished fourth at this track. Place looks best.
5. **IONIQUE** - Last-start win at Cabourg by 2.1L. Top chance again.
6. **IT'S KING** - Finished third last time out at this track on the back of a win at Amiens two runs ago. Can maintain the solid form.
7. **I LOVE YOU TEK** - Well-beaten tenth at this track 8.4L from the winner latest. Capable of better.
8. **IRENO DES PLAINES** - Latest a 9.4L 11th at this track. Not on current form.
9. **IPSOS DE BANVILLE** - Safely held last time out in 13th at this track when beaten 17.0L. More required.
10. **ILLICO DU GUESNE** - Finished fifth at this track latest. Frame hope.
11. **ITALIANO** - Didn't make an impact last time when eighth at this track. That run followed a placing two runs back at Nantes. Among the chances.
12. **IRELLO** - Good second at this track beaten 2.1L latest. Expected to go well again.
13. **INTELLO** - Failed to threaten two runs back then last start was a well-beaten ninth at this track 34.0L from the winner. Hard to have on those efforts.
14. **ISOFOU DU CHENE** - Disqualified last start at this track on December 29. Each-way chance on best efforts.
15. **IMPACT DU BOULAY** - Finished runner-up beaten 2.1L at this track latest. Sure to be there at the business end.
16. **IDEAL GREEN** - Last-start winner by 1.3L at this track. Player again.

Summary: IONIQUE (5) bids for a hat-trick. Victories at Le Croise-Laroche and Cabourg were impressive and remains the one to beat despite a grade rise. IT'S KING (6) has won four of his seven starts for this driver. In good form of late and may go close once more. IRELLO (12) returned to form with a placing attempting this journey. Could improve further so a bold showing is anticipated. IDEAL GREEN (16) held rivals for a 1.25L win here last time. Threat to all up in grade.

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<p style="text-align: center;">IONIQUE (5) - IT'S KING (6) - IRELLO (12) - IDEAL GREEN (16)</p>
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Race 6 - PRIX DE CASTERA-VERDUZAN - 2700m WALK-UP C85 Monte. Purse EUR €44,000.

1. **IVANOF** - Ran a much better race last start when third at this track beaten 1.7L. Winning chance.
2. **ICAMORA DE HOUELLE** - Finished third at this track two starts ago then franked that effort with a win last time here scoring by 1.3L. Will be right in the thick of things.
3. **ICARE WILLIAMS** - Disqualified last start at this track on December 20. Place chance on prior fourth.
4. **ILTON ROYAL** - Finished runner-up last time out at this track on the back of a win here two runs ago. Will be right in the thick of things.
5. **ICARE DU LEARD** - Finished second at this track two starts back. One for the multiples.
6. **I CAN DREAM** - Disqualified last start at this track. Key chance on prior win.
7. **IDOLA PHEDO** - Last start third at this track beaten 5.7L. Each-way player.
8. **INDIA SONG** - Finished runner-up two starts back at this track. Sure to be in the mix.

Summary: A small but competitive looking field. ILTON ROYAL (4) was denied a third win from the past four starts when beaten 0.5L over course and distance. Clearly thriving at present and warrants thought. ICAMORA DE HOUELLE (2) showed a great attitude holding rivals for a 1.25L victory here latest. Big chance of going back-to-back. I CAN DREAM (6) has won four times previously for this jockey. Keep safe. IVANOF (1) maintains good form and is expected to provide another good effort. May go close.

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Race 7 - PRIX DE POUILLY SUR LOIRE - 2100m MOBILE E32 Harness. Purse EUR €33,000.

1. **ISEA DU QUENNE** - Last raced at this track on December 31 when she was disqualified. Prefer to see her perform well before recommending.
2. **I LOVE A QUEEN** - Last start finished fourth at this track. One to consider.
3. **IDOLE DE CHENU** - Finished fifth beaten 7.7L at this track latest. Player on best form.
4. **IDYLLE JULINO** - Improved sharply last start to return winning form by 4.1L at Cabourg. Can go close.
5. **ITALIE FRANCE** - Looked good in winning last start by 0.8L at Mauquenchy. In form and should feature in the finish again.
6. **IMPERIA SPORT** - Looked good in winning last start by 1.3L at Laval. Sure to be in the finish again.
7. **INSULA PERRINE** - Dominant 2.0L winner at Argentan last start. One to note.
8. **IDESIA D'ANGELY** - Poor 13th at this track a week-and-a-half ago. Needs to lift.
9. **IDRA DE BEYLEV** - Made significant improvement last start when third at this track beaten 2.5L. Place.
10. **ISARIA DU GUELIER** - Comes here off a last-start tenth at this track beaten 12.0L. Opposed.
11. **INASCOT THEO** - Bounced back last start when third at Mauquenchy beaten 2.5L. Frame contender.
12. **ISA DE GODINIERE** - Disqualified last start at Cabourg on December 22. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
13. **IXIA DE BOUERE** - Finished third at Angers two starts ago. Could make her presence felt.
14. **IDEALE NEP** - Disqualified last start at Meslay-du-Maine on December 22. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
15. **IPSIE DE LA LUNE** - Scored two runs ago at Angers. Not dismissed.
16. **IVORY PERRINE** - Again missed the placings when sixth at her latest run at this track. Has the job ahead.

Summary: ITALIE FRANCE (5) returned to form with a 1L victory at Mauquenchy. Remains open to further progress and rates highly. IDOLE DE CHENU (3) could manage only fifth when sent off a short-priced favourite last outing. Expect better here. IPSIE DE LA LUNE (15) has a good driver booked. Managed to win two starts ago at Angers and can give another bold showing. IDYLLE JULINO (4) impressed winning by 4.25L at Cabourg. This looks tougher but is easy to fancy on the back of that effort. INSULA PERRINE (7) looks an each-way chance.

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1. **HALL BLACK MESS** - Gutsy winner last time out at this track. Not ruled out.
2. **HIPSTER** - Held when 19.0L away in eighth most recently at his first run back from a break at this track. This will fully test.
3. **HARLEM DE L'ITON** - Not a threat last start when seventh at this track beaten 15.2L. Facing a tough assignment.
4. **HED** - Easily accounted for last time when 9.0L from the winner in 11th at Mauquenchy. More needed.
5. **HIGH DREAM** - Chalked-up a fine win at this track two starts ago then couldn't follow it up at this track last time finishing 4.4L away from the winner. Solid top-three prospects.
6. **HASARD** - Nice run two back then finished fifth at Mauquenchy more recently. Can go well.
7. **HOMMAGE DE TILLARD** - Finished third at this track most recently on the back of a respectable 2.5L fourth at Saint Brieuc the start before. One of the primary contenders.
8. **HAIKIDO** - Finished runner-up two runs ago. Top-three prospects.
9. **HETRE CHANGEEN** - Finished second at this track two starts. Could place.
10. **HASARD CERTAIN** - Turned in a better effort when runner-up and only 0.4L from the winner last start at this track. Another bold showing expected.
11. **HIROSS** - Last start finished fifth at Mauquenchy. Shapes as one to consider.
12. **HOUSTON D'ECAJEUL** - Finished in the money two runs back then scored at this track last time out. In form and should feature in the finish again.
13. **HAMILTON DU HAM** - Fair effort latest when fifth at this track. Can feature.
14. **HENGY DU POMMEREUX** - Last raced at this track on November 18 when he was disqualified. Scored prior and could bounce back.
15. **HORATIUS D'ELA** - Scored four back but has been well below par since last start beaten 5.5L when sixth at this track. Likely to struggle again.
16. **HOLD THE LINE** - Not a threat last start when fourth at Le Mans beaten 5.8L. Unlikely to threaten here.

Summary: HASARD CERTAIN (10) was beaten just 0.5L here when runner-up last time. Can go close. HOMMAGE DE TILLARD (7) won five starts ago and posted his best effort since when placing latest. Key player. HASARD (6) has won seven of fifteen starts for this driver. Holds winning claims. HOUSTON D'ECAJEUL (12) powered home for a 1.25L victory here last outing. Claims. HAMILTON DU HAM (13) could find the frame.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">HASARD CERTAIN (10) - HOMMAGE DE TILLARD (7) - HASARD (6) - HOUSTON D'ECAJEUL (12) - HAMILTON DU HAM (13)</p>
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