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R1 ENGHEN [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX DES GOBELINS - 2875m (a1 3/4m) - Class - Harness - EUR €
59.000**

- 1. FOLIEPOLIS** - Pleasantly surprised in a minor event recently but has little prospect of repeating
- 2. FLAMME NONANTAISE** - Previously a decent sort but has been off the boil for some time and no sign of a return to form
- 3. GUAPITA LAUMAX** - Not currently as sharp as she was during the spring. Returns to racing with pads fitted, but has never excelled here, and others easier to back
- 4. GROUPIE DU QUENNE** - Mixes the good with the less good but was not disgraced behind GRINDELWALD (14) at Vincennes last time and will have her supporters
- 5. FLORE GENDREENNE** - Barring latest run, has been enjoying a productive streak. Starts in front but still faces a stiff test
- 6. GOMERA** - No slouch on a good day and is presently in fine shape. Returns to an old shoeing configuration and, from the front line, will not be far off the mark
- 7. FOLETTE DU MANS** - Has been demonstrating good consistency for past few months. Takes a big step up in category but incurs no penalty and could well make the frame once again
- 8. FLEUR DE LARRE** - Has done nothing of note in the professional ranks since early April and chances of redemption improbable
- 9. GALAXIE DU HOME** - Has been very hard to fault when barefoot recently. Tenacious winner across town last time and, despite the handicap, will be no pushover
- 10. FOR LOVING YOU** - A model of consistency since late-spring. Boasts excellent Enghien credentials and, given current form, must not be underestimated
- 11. FEEL SMART** - Seldom far from the action when fitted with front pads. Has produced some interesting runs lately and looks a possible contender
- 12. GAULTHERIA** - Excellent during the spring but lacklustre in last 2. Raffin has maintained faith, however, and must be taken seriously
- 13. FERLAINE** - Never far from springing a surprise but looked very ordinary here earlier in the month and needs to raise her game
- 14. GRINDELWALD** - Disappointing in last 2 here but has otherwise been in super form since the spring. Is confirmed in this class and could well prove a spoiler if Alexandre Abrivard keeps her trotting
- 15. GAZOLINE DU SEUX** - Not the most faithful of mares but has shown a liking for Enghien. Drops back in category and, with Matthieu Abrivard in the sulky this time, can have her day in the sun
- 16. GRANDE DE RANCHY** - Not the most courageous of mares but has merit. Showed improvement at Segré 10 days ago and, with form maintained, can again make her presence felt

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Summary : GAZOLINE DU SEUX (15) may not be to everyone's liking but she gave a superb account, in superior company, here during the spring and, dropping back down in class, can redeem herself. She is still going to face stiff opposition from FEEL SMART (11) who has started to come good again, and the in-form GOMERA (6) who is competitively-shod for her Enghien debut, and the 25m head-start will do her prospects no disservice. FOLETTE DU MANS (7) similarly breaks on the front line and current form bodes well for her chances.

SELECTIONS

GAZOLINE DU SEUX (15) - FEEL SMART (11) - GOMERA (6) - FOLETTE DU MANS (7)

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C2 - PRIX DE LA PLACE DU PETIT PONT - 2875m (a1 3/4m) - European - Mounted - EUR € 46.000

1. **ISA DU ROC** - Erratic but did reassure at Vire early last month. Similarly shod this time but others still preferred
2. **IROISE DE LAVAU** - No slouch on a good day but has better references at a lower level and can be passed over
3. **IRONIE DU BAS BOSQ** - Has never shown any aptitude for the ridden game and current form does little to convince
4. **IDYLLE COPAISE** - Handy mare that has started to come good again. Is confirmed left-handed and looks good enough to finish in the frame
5. **IMELDA** - Not the easiest to handle but has decent references under the saddle. Modified shoeing here and can get straight down to business
6. **IRESINE DU LUPIN** - Classy mare coming here fresh and barefoot. Has the wherewithal to win a race of this nature and can do so if race-fit
7. **IZIA DE MONGIVAL** - Sanctioned on monté debut 12 months ago but has started to get back in shape and, if form transitions, should not be far off the mark
8. **ISIS WILD** - Acquits herself well for the most part and is proven here. Encouraged at Laval last time and will have her supporters
9. **IDOLE DE MATORHE** - Has not got her nose in front for some time but consistently gives her best and, with application, can give this a good go
10. **IDYLLE DE BAILL** - Impressive in both monté starts to date. Already has a race under her belt and looks a serious proposition

Summary : A fine servant in the monté code, IRESINE DU LUPIN (6) has one race in her since the layoff and, barefoot this time, can make her Enghien debut a winning one. That said, IDYLLE DE BAILL (10) has taken superbly to his new vocation and, shod competitively for the occasion, should not let the side down. IMELDA (5) has a brace of monté victories to her name and, sporting a revised shoeing configuration, will have her chances. IDYLLE COPAISE (4) has shown a different side since returning to the discipline and, even though untried at Enghien, she should nevertheless appreciate the profile.

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IRESINE DU LUPIN (6) - IDYLLE DE BAILL (10) - IMELDA (5) - IDYLLE COPAISE (4)

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C3 - PRIX LORD WILLIAMS - 2150m (a1 5/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 40.000

1. **KASSIOPEE NANIE** - Showed promise earlier in the summer but solidly beaten in last two. Should take well to Enghien conditions though and will have her supporters
2. **KISS ME DU LIVET** - Moderate sort that has failed to make the grade since being stepped up in class and is not about to influence the result
3. **KISS ME DE JOMAX** - Has looked a different horse over recent weeks. Left a decent impression here late last month and, in similar shape, can repeat
4. **KEA DES RACQUES** - Useful filly with an excellent spot on the front row. Is plainly in shape but takes on some good fillies this time and no more than a minor place prospect
5. **KATE** - Quality trotter with one race in her since the summer break. Will benefit from new shoeing configuration and is well-placed to make a big splash
6. **KAY LEE DU CAMPUS** - Sanctioned as often as not. Showed improvement across town last time out but still not an obvious choice
7. **KASSIOPEE DU NOYER** - Serious sort that has shown marked improvement this term. Reunited with her preferred driver and can challenge for the win
8. **KOLENA** - Is not without merit but still chasing that elusive first score and will need to show considerable improvement
9. **KREATION DREAM** - Has turned a corner lately and latterly impressed at Chartres, beating KISS ME DE JOMAX (3) and, while not ideally positioned, can still figure prominently
10. **KI VA** - Got off the mark during the summer but has since shown the limit of her capacity and can be ruled out
11. **KALINKA DU BREUIL** - Yet to get off the mark but consistently in the thick of things. Steps up in category but hind pads fitted this time and should not be ignored
12. **KISS ME DE MADKER** - Hardy element that kicked her career off in good order. Entrusted to Eric Raffin for the occasion and, even from the 2nd row, can still play a leading role
13. **KARLITA MADRIK** - Still rather green but looks a decent filly in the making. Makes first start back, and is on the back row, but still looks competitive
14. **KIARA DES BORDES** - Looked to have potential but has struggled for much of the year and is unlikely to generate much interest
15. **KEVIVE DE MAIL** - Has shown better aptitude at an inferior level and will have few takers
16. **KINJAL DE BELLANDE** - Handy filly at a lower level but, in this company, has no realistic chance

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Summary : Clearly capable but yet to show her full potential, KATE (5) is fitted with pads for the first time and, from the 5-spot, could well open her autumn account. Arguably better going clockwise, KASSIOPEE DU NOYER (7) is nevertheless in form and her record with François Lagadeuc is hard to fault. KISS ME DE JOMAX (3) has been going well lately and her recent course-and-distance performance augurs well for her place prospects. KARLITA MADRIK (13) is not as well off on the back line but has shown significant promise and will not be far from the action if Alexandre Abrivard keeps her trotting.

SELECTIONS

KATE (5) - KASSIOPEE DU NOYER (7) - KISS ME DE JOMAX (3) - KARLITA MADRIK (13)

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**C4 - PRIX DU PONT ROYAL - 2250m (a1 3/8m) - Class - Mounted - EUR €
35.000**

- 1. KING DE COSSIO** - Untried sort that qualified very smartly at Grosbois during the spring. Will have come on over the summer and should not be ignored
- 2. KATANGO** - Form has regressed since his April debut and, pads notwithstanding, will have a mountain to climb
- 3. KIKOU DE FAY** - Unexceptional type with no chance at this level and can expect to remain friendless in the markets
- 4. KID DU RIB** - Very modest individual with little flair for either code and can be confidently disregarded
- 5. KAMES MERITE** - Tricky sort but has shown some potential. 4 pads fitted for the first time but still no more than a minor place prospect
- 6. KERSIGAN** - Promising sort that has been biting off more than he can chew, but drops in category, with Eric Raffin on board this time, and could well enjoy a change in fortune
- 7. KAIMAN PERRINE** - Not the most reliable but has taken well to the new code. Would have picked up a cheque last time had he stayed in stride but, on better behaviour, can make amends
- 8. KASTELINO** - Pleased more than once during the spring but has struggled since and, even with 4 pads on, is not an obvious choice
- 9. KEMPES DE LOU** - Somewhat unreliable but not devoid of ability. At this level, however, will have his work cut out
- 10. KURT ANGELO** - Monté debutant with 2 races under his belt this term. Will be ably piloted by Benjamin Rochard and looks capable of getting straight down to business
- 11. KYOTO GEMA** - Got off the mark last month at just the 2nd time of asking. Front pads fitted for the occasion and has every chance of trotting his way onto the podium
- 12. KRAK D'AMOUR** - Makes his monté debut off the back of some decent efforts in the other code but will need to take his game up a notch to compete in this company
- 13. KARAT DE BUSSET** - Progressive type that flew up last time out. Moves up in category but hind pads fitted for the occasion and should not disappoint
- 14. KASH SNIPER** - Solid as a rock in all 3 starts to date. Debuts under the saddle but looks the sort that can do well in the discipline and will be competitive for a cheque
- 15. KAMAY DES CORONS** - Has shown some promise in this branch of the business but, in current form, will struggle to make his mark
- 16. KRACKSMAN** - Tricky sort but has shown significant promise and can lose his maiden status if he keeps his action together

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Summary : KRACKSMAN (16) may not be the easiest of horses to handle but he left a fine impression at Vincennes last time under the saddle and, if race-fit, can finally get off the mark. KARAT DE BUSSET (13) has done nothing but progress since switching codes and, with front pads fitted, can complement his recent success. KURT ANGELO (10) takes his first competitive steps in the discipline but has shown enough ability under harness to be considered a player first time out. KYOTO GEMA (11) took little time losing his maiden status and, although unlikely to repeat his Laon success, he has front pads on this time and can finish in the mix.

SELECTIONS

KRACKSMAN (16) - KARAT DE BUSSET (13) - KURT ANGELO (10) - KYOTO GEMA (11)

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C5 - PRIX DE PASSY - 2150m (a1 5/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 40.000

1. **JENUFA** - Faithful servant for the most part and is confirmed here. Steps back up in category following her Ecommoy win but more a minor place prospect this time around
2. **JALAPA DU BUISSON** - Can prove a handful but has everything working in her favour this time and, with application, can open her metropolitan account
3. **JAVA DE LA ROUVRE** - Fine servant for the most part and has excellent Enghien references. Never at her ease at Vincennes but, under these conditions, is expected to redeem herself
4. **JUVAMINE RENARDIER** - Surprised here during the spring but disappointing since the summer break and will need to show marked improvement
5. **JOIE DE LA COTE** - Seldom far from the action and has been climbing the class-ladder well. Beat a host of these at Vincennes mid-September and is well-placed to go closer this time
6. **JOCIE DU VILLARD** - Not always the easiest to trust but has bags of ability. Seldom fails to deliver at Enghien and, from the front line, will not be far from the action
7. **JETIDA** - Late developer with considerable ability but stays shod for comeback and unlikely to be give a hard race
8. **JOY DU CHERISAY** - Not ideally-drawn but left a very good impression here on penultimate start and deserves to be taken seriously
9. **JOLLY LADY** - Moderate mare but shoes on for first start of the autumn and can be passed over
10. **JESSY DES PISTES** - Springs the occasional surprise, as she did at Vincennes in late-August, but has little to offer this time around
11. **JENY DE GOUYE** - Has been struggling somewhat lately but has ability. Returns to a flatter track and, if applied, can get a look in
12. **JOLISSIME ELDE** - Moderate type but has never delivered at this level and is unlikely to buck the trend
13. **JISMIE GRIFF** - Capable on a good day and presently in shape but takes on some bigger guns this time and chances limited
14. **JOYCE DES GRANGES** - Useful mare that does not always express her value. Is evidently in shape though and can figure prominently if she gets off to a decent start
15. **JOLIE ORIGINE** - Pleased here during the summer but has since lost her way and the draw will only compound matters

Summary : Although never far from faulting, JALAPA DU BUISSON (2) has nevertheless shown significant talent. Well-positioned in front, with front pads fitted, and Eric Raffin in the sulky. What's not to like? She can still expect to encounter resistance from the ultra-consistent JOIE DE LA COTE (5) who looks close to her race, and the Enghien-loving JAVA DE LA ROUVRE (3) who should logically bounce back from her recent Vincennes blip. Already a winner over track and trip, JOYCE DES GRANGES (14) has raced better lately than results would suggest and can play a role if Benjamin Rochard successfully negotiates the start.

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**JALAPA DU BUISSON (2) - JOIE DE LA COTE (5) - JAVA DE LA ROUVRE (3) - JOYCE
DES GRANGES (14)**

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C6 - PRIX DE LA PORTE DE SAINT-MANDE - 2150m (a1 5/16m) - European - Harness - EUR € 46.000

1. **ICONE DE L'ITON** - Has placed just once in 7 starts this year and is unlikely to be troubling the judge
2. **CINDERELLA JET** - Never far from faulting but has won at a superior level this year. 3rd to CHEYENNE SELVA (9) last time here and, on good behaviour, can repeat
3. **ISOTTA BAR** - Not the most reliable but can trot. Is on the way back up, well-positioned on the front line and, with application, can go far
4. **COCO CHANEL EFFE** - Has bags of ability but is never easy to gauge. Sanctioned when full of running at Argentan though and, shod differently this time, from the 4-spot, should not be ignored
5. **IMPERIA SPORT** - Not always the most reliable but has ability. Pleased here late July and, while not a priority, he has a good place in front and must be worth keeping an eye on
6. **IRINUSHKA** - Moderate mare that sprang a minor surprise at Reims last time out but a repeat appears highly improbable
7. **ODANA VRIJTHOUT** - Mixes the good with the less good these days, but has references here. On the front line, and dropping back in class will only work to her advantage
8. **ILIADE (SWE)** - Classy mare that has missed out by little in 4 of her last 5 starts. Breaks wide but is not incapable of turning the tables on CHEYENNE SELVA (9)
9. **CHEYENNE SELVA** - Tricky Italian import but has buckets of ability. Flew up over course and distance last time out and has every chance of securing the double
10. **CHANTAL FB** - Italian mare that got a resounding thumbs-up for her recent Vincennes performance, but hind shoes back on and not an obvious choice
11. **IBIZA DU CHERISAY** - Encouraged more than once during the spring but has been off the boil since and will have few friends
12. **INDIANAPOLIS** - Disappointing on the whole all season and can be confidently disregarded
13. **CAPIROSKA FONT** - Occasionally tricky but otherwise always gives her best. Well-beaten in race of reference and chances slim

Summary : Although a remarkably difficult mare, CHEYENNE SELVA (9) can nonetheless boast considerable talent. She defied her odds to win, from a bad draw, over track and trip last time out, and can do so again. Runner-up in her last 3 harness starts, latterly to Gelormini's horse, ILIADE (SWE) (8) is not well-drawn either but is clearly close to her race and can make a big impact. ISOTTA BAR (3) has faulted twice in her last 3 but is plainly in excellent shape and will be dangerous if she keeps her action together. Another erratic but useful Italian mare, CINDERELLA JET (2) finished 3rd in the race of reference and, even though still to confirm, she will justifiably garner support.

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CHEYENNE SELVA (9) - ILIADE (SWE) (8) - ISOTTA BAR (3) - CINDERELLA JET (2)

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C7 - PRIX DE LA TOUR MONTPARNASSE - 2150m (a1 5/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 35.000

1. **JACO LE GRAND** - Unremarkable colt that has done little of note for some time and can expect to have few friends
2. **JACOMO BELLO** - Has not won since his debut but is a quality colt. Is clearly not here for reasons of conditioning and, from the 2-spot, can give this a good go
3. **JOUTEUR D'AUGE** - Modest sort that occasionally gets a look in, but current form does little to inspire confidence
4. **JOB DU PERSIL** - Blows hot and cold, and lacklustre here last time. Barefoot on this occasion, with the champion driver in the sulky and, from the 4-spot, must be afforded respect
5. **JEAN NO DU MARGAS** - Has done nothing but improve over recent weeks. Prepared for this in the provinces and will be no pushover
6. **JAGGER D'AUT** - Tricky character but can trot. Proved himself here during the spring, has excellent speed and, if applied, can pick up some prizemoney
7. **JUMBO JACK** - Dependability not her strong suit and has raced just the once left-handed. On the front row but showed his form at Caen and, pads fitted this time, will generate some interest
8. **JUAN CARLOS GIFONT** - Hardy sort that always gives his best. Returns to racing barefoot and, despite the draw, looks competitive for a place on the podium
9. **JOVIAL** - Opened his account 10 days ago when barefoot for the first time. Modified shoeing on this occasion but others still preferred
10. **JACQUOT DU DOME** - Regularly a handful but got back in the game at Laval last month and, although on the 2nd row, still looks good enough to put on a good show
11. **JUST ORLANDO** - Undeniably capable but is as capricious as they come. Leading driver in charge this time but still not a priority
12. **JOUR D'ERABLE** - Took some time but is now back in shape. Handed a tough draw but impressed at Reims and, barefoot again, looks a serious proposition
13. **JIVAGO DE LA COUR** - Not entirely without talent but has little chance in this category and can be passed over
14. **JINGLE GEDE** - Well-regarded but is temperamental at the best of times. Unseen for 11 months and is sure to need the run

Summary : JOUR D'ERABLE (12) has taken some time to come to hand this term but has twice shown his form lately and, if he takes to the new conditions, can win this. David Thomain would still be wise to be wary of the progressive JEAN NO DU MARGAS (5), shod differently for the occasion, who is ideally-positioned behind the car. The talented JACOMO BELLO (2) has not been seen out since February but is competitively-shod for his re-entry and, with Yoann Lebourgeois in the wagon, is not one to be underestimated. JUAN CARLOS GIFONT (8) is forced to start wide but has been acquitting himself well lately and, barefoot this time, will not be far off the mark.

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**JOUR D'ERABLE (12) - JEAN NO DU MARGAS (5) - JACOMO BELLO (2) - JUAN CARLOS
GIFONT (8)**

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C8 - PRIX ARMAND DE BELLAIGUE - 2875m (a1 3/4m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 46.000

1. **GRANIT D'EPONA** - Useful sort but more at home in the claiming division and can be ruled out
2. **HIPPY DE LA COUDRE** - Consistently gives everything he has, and went close on his lone appearance here. Showed his form at Alençon and, while unlikely to repeat, should still give another honest account
3. **GOLDISSIME** - Looked to be coming good again during the summer but appears to have come off the boil and chances limited
4. **HARTEFAX** - Always gives his best but has not got his nose in front this year and, in this company, is not about to change his ways
5. **HEROS NUEVO** - One of the more reliable elements here. Won an amateur race recently and, even though moving back up in class, will still generate some interest
6. **HURRICANE WARNING** - Remarkably consistent trotter, shod for competition this time, but at this level, will have his work cut out
7. **HAUCKLAND** - Honest trotter that won over track and trip during the summer. Sanctioned early at Nantes but, with Matthieu Abrivard in the sulky this time, can make amends and finish close
8. **GHOST DE BEAULIEU** - Faithful servant that rarely disappoints when unshod. Has few references racing left-handed but, in present condition, should not be written off
9. **HIPSTER DE CAHOT** - Somewhat disappointing after some decent summer runs but has a place on the front row and should not be ruled out
10. **HYTHO D'ALCI** - Not always the most reliable but is evidently on the way back up. Benefits from an excellent entry and will be no soft touch
11. **HORATIUS D'ELA** - Quality trotter that rarely disappoints when applied. Gave a good account at Vincennes and, with more luck in running, can make the frame this time
12. **GREZ** - Erratic but has bags of ability and latest result can be ignored. Comes here fresh and, even from the back line, can give this a good go
13. **HASARD D'ERABLE** - Classy individual but shoes on for comeback and best to wait
14. **HELENCIO** - Consistently in the thick of things and appreciates Enghien. Takes a dip in category and can give HOICHE (16) something to consider
15. **HYPER FAST** - Superbly consistent earlier in the year but out of the picture in last two. Has nothing to prove under these conditions though and it is only a matter of time before he comes good again
16. **HOICHE** - Tough individual with an enviable strike-rate. Is confirmed at Enghien and, after 2 excellent successes in the provinces, returns to Paris with every chance of pulling off the hat-trick

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Summary : The big-hitters are on the back line here and, considering the class he has demonstrated lately, HOCHE (16) is going to take all the beating. The consistent HELENCIO (14) is in his element at Enghien though and, dropping down the class ladder, looks the main threat. HORATIUS D'ELA (11) is very hard to knock when focused and, unlucky in very good company last time, can bounce back and figure more prominently. HYTHO D'ALCI (10) is starting to come good again and, although facing tougher opposition this time, he is 25m better off and will be competitive for a place in the frame.

SELECTIONS

HOCHE (16) - HELENCIO (14) - HORATIUS D'ELA (11) - HYTHO D'ALCI (10)