

VINCENNES [L-H] - 12 February

Race 1 - Prix de Montebourg - 2175m WALK-UP Monte. Purse EUR €44,000.

1. **HYDRE** - Was disqualified last start at this track on January 24. Prefer to see her perform well before recommending.
2. **HETRE CHANGEEN** - Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while. Finished sixth last start at this track, 3.8L from the winner. This looks far too tough.
3. **HARBELLA** - Was runner-up two starts back at this track before disappointing last start when sixth here. Can bounce back.
4. **HUBINE KERYVON** - Missed the placings last start but was only beaten 3L when fourth at this track. Nicely placed to make an impact this time.
5. **HANSKA** - Was disqualified last start at Graignes on January 22. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
6. **HIRO DE L'ORMERIE** - Was disqualified last start at Nantes on January 23. Forgive the latest run. Can turn things around.
7. **HEURISTIQUE** - Finished runner-up two starts back at this track then missed the frame last time out at this venue. Sure to be there at the business end.
8. **HASARD** - Was a much better run last time finishing second at this track, beaten 1.3L. Heading the right way and is a leading player.
9. **HISTORIA KAT** - Should be at her top now after four starts this season. Last start was beaten 9.6L when eighth at this track. Has a strong record at this circuit, scoring two wins from six starts. Among the major players.
10. **HORIZON CARISAIE** - Wasn't too far away when third at Cordemais last start, beaten 2.5L. Handles this circuit well. Capable of another big run. Respect.
11. **HYPOTHESE MADRIK** - Last raced at Graignes on January 22 when she was disqualified. Forgive the latest run. Well placed to make amends.

Summary: HISTORIA KAT (9) won by 3L at this venue on her penultimate start. Taken to return to winning ways following a 10L eighth in a driven contest here. HASARD (8) looks a big threat on the back of an eye-catching 1.25L second here on mounted debut. HEURISTIQUE (7) gets a chance to shine in a new shoeing combination having finished 7.25L fourth at this course. HIRO DE L'ORMERIE (6) showed good form prior to a DQ at Nantes. Consider for the win.

Selections

HISTORIA KAT (9) - HASARD (8) - HEURISTIQUE (7) - HIRO DE L'ORMERIE (6)

Race 2 - Prix RMC (Prix de Gaillac) - 2700m WALK-UP Harness. Purse EUR €44,000.

1. **JACK DU BARBEY** - Is overdue after close seconds at his last two starts at this track, most recently when just 0.4L away from the winner. Looks hard to beat on recent form.
2. **JUSTE UN DALY** - Is racing very well of late, finishing in the money two runs back then scoring at Nantes last time. Great chance to win again. Take seriously.
3. **JEROCASH DE PHYT'S** - Didn't measure up two runs ago at this track but found form last time when a winner by 0.4L at this track. Forward performance expected.
4. **JALON DU GOUTIER** - Was disqualified last start at Bordeaux on January 31. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
5. **JACOMO DES BOTS** - Has been kept safely at bay in two runs this campaign, the latest a 7.6L eighth at this track. Wait until the form picks up.
6. **JUBY DE BAILLY** - Continued some plain form when a mediocre sixth at this track four weeks ago. Prefer others.
7. **JASPER PIYA** - Finished 3.5L back in eighth at his latest outing at this track. Must do a lot more.
8. **JEWEL DE LA COTE** - Didn't perform well two runs ago at Cabourg but made amends last time when a winner by 0.8L at this track. Winning prospects.
9. **JEU COQUIN** - Looked good in winning last start by 0.4L at this track. In form and should feature in the finish again.
10. **JOUR DE FETE** - Won two starts ago at this track then didn't measure up last time when beaten 32L at this course. Will be about the money.
11. **JETLAG DE BEAUFOUR** - Scored at this track two back then less effective last time when ninth at this track. Among the chances on best form.

Summary: JEWEL DE LA COTE (8) performed well when winning by 0.75L at this circuit. Taken to complete a double. JACK DU BARBEY (1) looks a big threat on the back of a 0.25L second at this venue. Rates highly. JUSTE UN DALY (2) saw off a subsequent winner when scoring by 0.25L off a 25m handicap at Nantes. Shortlisted. JEU COQUIN (9) rates a threat in a new shoeing combination following a 0.5L victory here.

Selections

JEWEL DE LA COTE (8) - JACK DU BARBEY (1) - JUSTE UN DALY (2) - JEU COQUIN (9)

Race 3 - Prix Louis Le Bourg - 2850m WALK-UP Monte. Purse EUR €120,000.

1. **JEROBOAM D'ERABLE** - Held 8.5L ninth in a Class D European driven event here at the end of last month. Return to a mounted race is a positive racing barefoot for the first time.
2. **JUNE** - DQ in the G2 Prix de Pardieu here last month. New shoeing combination here and needs to put that mishap behind her.
3. **J'ADORE** - Good 1.75L second in the G2 Prix de Pardieu here last month. Took a step forward that day and holds claims if replicating that effort.
4. **JAGUAR DU GOUTIER** - Fourth when beaten 4L in the G2 Prix de Pardieu at this circuit three weeks ago. Strong claims.
5. **JUNON** - Faded late on when 2.75L third in the G2 Prix de Pardieu at this circuit. One to note.
6. **JOYEUSE** - DQ in the G2 Prix Charles Tiercelin driven race at this venue last month. Notable runner back in a mounted contest.
7. **JESSY DE BANVILLE** - Good 1L second to Jubile Prior in the G3 Prix Leon Tacquet here five weeks ago. Bold show expected.
8. **JUBILE PRIOR** - Completed a double when winning by 1.75L in the G2 Prix de Pardieu here three weeks ago. Top chance.

Summary: JUBILE PRIOR (8) won by 1.75L in the G2 Prix de Pardieu at this circuit. Looks capable of completing a hat-trick. JESSY DE BANVILLE (7) holds strong claims on the back of a 1L second in the G3 Prix Leon Tacquet here. JAGUAR DU GOUTIER (4) proved a slight disappointment when 4L fourth that day. Dangerous on earlier form. JOYEUSE (6) has struggled to complete of late. Danger to all on the form she showed when 3.5L third in the G2 Prix Raoul Balliere here three starts back.

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Race 4 - Prix d'Amerique Races Zeturf - Prix de France (Prix de France) - 2100m MOBILE Harness.
Purse EUR €400,000.

1. **DON FANUCCI ZET** - Out-ran odds to finish sixth in the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Struggled over course and distance in the Prix du Bourgogne (G2) prior and will need to show more.
2. **HOHNECK** - Racing consistently at the top level and cannot be dismissed. Good fifth in the Prix d'Amerique (G1) and has a better record in these conditions with two wins and four placings from seven attempts. Capable of a big run.
3. **HOOKER BERRY** - Resounding winner of the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Form over course and distance is of concern as he is yet to win and has recorded only one placing from five attempts. In good order and race-fit having been campaigned extensively throughout the winter meeting. Cannot be dismissed being the recent Prix d'Amerique (G1) hero.
4. **VIVID WISE AS** - DQ in the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Excels over 1609m and has a strong record at this distance (three wins and three placings from seven attempts). Recorded a victory in this race last year and the Prix Rene Balliere (G1) last June and can bounce back to winning ways. Drawn to win.
5. **AMPIA MEDE SM** - Excellent second in the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Expected to be better over course and distance with a fair record in these conditions of three wins and a placing from five attempts. Strong claims from this gate.
6. **FADO DU CHENE** - Returns to driven company after a second in the Prix du Calvados (G2) and a DQ in the Prix de Cornulier (G1). Driven form isn't up to this standard.
7. **VERNISSAGE GRIF** - Shown little in three French starts and would need to improve considerably. DQ when out of contention in Prix d'Amerique (G1).
8. **COKSTILE** - Hard to fancy on recent runs. Won the Yonkers International (USA) in October but has been unplaced since. Don't rule out a revival.
9. **DELIA DU POMMEREUX** - Winner of this race in 2021. Scored by 1L in the Prix du Bourgogne (G2) over course and distance but has struggled since including a DQ in the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Not dismissed back racing under preferred mobile conditions. Draw is not a disadvantage.
10. **BEADS** - Interesting recent recruit for the Bazire stable from the USA. Showed promise in French starts so far including when impressing with a 3.5L win in the course and distance Prix du Luxembourg (G3). Could spring a surprise. Top chance.
11. **GO ON BOY** - One of few competitors in the field who did not contest the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Good record over track and trip with one win and two placings from five attempts. Last seen finishing second in G3 Prix de Brest. Tougher test.
12. **DECOLORATION** - DQ in the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Runner-up in the Prix de Belgique (G2) prior. Would need to step up to find the placings.
13. **HORSY DREAM** - Put together a string of four wins prior to an eighth in the Prix d'Amerique (G1). Form of Prix Tenor du Baune (G1) win in December suggests he can show more. Bold show looks likely.
14. **DEAR FRIEND** - Steps up in class after a second in the Prix du Luxembourg (G3) over course and distance. Not the best of the Swedish runners but is worth noting in this field.
15. **HONEY MEARAS** - Top level Swedish performer with a recent win in the Stoeliten Fors (G1) in his native land. Boasts sixteen wins and seven placings from 31 starts. Not to be judged on French debut seventh and could improve.
16. **GU D'HERIPRE** - DQ in both Prix d'Amerique (G1) qualifiers. Best recent form falls short of this although holds a good record over course and distance with three wins from seven attempts.
17. **HIP HOP HAUFOR** - Unable to make the frame since winning the Prix de Bretagne (G2). Returned to better order with a fourth in the Prix d'Amerique (G1) but has never won over this distance.
18. **IMHATRA AM** - Swedish trained five-year-old. Racing well in France including a second over course and distance in the Critérium Continental (G1). Recent sixth in the Prix Bold Eagle (G1) suggests she may need to find improvement.

Summary: Last years winner VIVID WISE AS (4) is taken to deliver back to back victories here despite a DQ in the G1 Prix d'Amérique Legend Race here. Should be fitter for two starts this spell with the shorter distance in his favour. BEADS (10) impressed in winning by 3.25L in the G3 Prix du Luxembourg here. Expected to play a part in the finish. AMPIA MEDE SM (5) rates a big danger on the back of a 2.25L second in the aforementioned G1 Prix d'Amérique at this circuit. HOOKER BERRY (3) won the G1 Prix d'Amérique Legend Race by 2.25L. Warrants close consideration. HORSY DREAM (13) disappointed when 6L eighth in that contest. Better expected having won four consecutive starts at this venue prior.

Selections

VIVID WISE AS (4) - BEADS (10) - AMPIA MEDE SM (5) - HOOKER BERRY (3) - HORSY DREAM (13)

Race 5 - Prix WTW Hipcover Assurances Hippiques (Prix de Juan-les-Pins) - 2100m MOBILE Harness.
Purse EUR €44,000.

1. **HISTOIRE DU LUPIN** - Returned to form last time, finishing second at this track and beaten 1.3L. With even luck is a winning chance.
2. **HUPERLA MAG** - Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while. Finished seventh last start at this track, 6.8L from the winner. Must improve sharply.
3. **HELALI DE MONTCEAU** - Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while but wasn't beaten all that far when ninth last time out at this track. Form not up to scratch.
4. **HIRONDELLE FEE** - Hasn't raced since a disappointing 11th at this track five weeks ago. Might find this too tough.
5. **HAVANE D'OCCAGNES** - Continued a long run without winning when fourth at this track last time out. Can do a lot better in this suitable contest.
6. **HIGH ENERGY** - Continued a long run of outs when beaten 1.9L at this track five weeks ago. Cannot enthuse.
7. **HACIENDA DESBOIS** - Has been outside the top three recently, last time out finishing eighth at Graignes. Better than last start and can improve sharply.
8. **HAVANA PARIS** - Won two runs ago at this track then didn't measure up last time when beaten 8.6L at Angers. Will be about the money.
9. **HELSINKI GIRL** - Finished third last start at this track, beaten 5.9L. That result made it two wins and two placings from the last five starts. Should be hard to beat again.
10. **HERA SANTIGNY** - Finished second at this track last time out following a respectable 1.3L fourth at this track the start before. Winning claims.
11. **HELVETIKA** - Finished third at this track last start after she was out of the money two back at this track. Sure to be thereabouts.
12. **HULTIMA** - Disqualified last start at this track. Put a line through the latest run. Top pick if at her best.
13. **HISTORY MESLOISE** - Not a threat last start when seventh at this track, beaten 5.2L. Not keen on her chances in this field.

Summary: HERA SANTIGNY (10) placed second when beaten 1.25L here. Selected to go one place better. Leading chance. HELSINKI GIRL (9) rates a big threat on the back of a 6L third at this circuit. HISTOIRE DU LUPIN (1) enters calculations on the back of a 1.25L second at this course. In the mix. HULTIMA (12) registered an 8.5L fourth here on her penultimate start. Shortlisted despite a subsequent DQ.

Selections

HERA SANTIGNY (10) - HELSINKI GIRL (9) - HISTOIRE DU LUPIN (1) - HULTIMA (12)

Race 6 - Prix 20 Minutes (Prix des Vosges) - 2850m WALK-UP Harness. Purse EUR €57,000.

1. **GALEO DU TORDOIR** - Safely held last time at the first run of the campaign when 30L from the winner in 12th at this track. Not keen.
2. **GAZETTA DE LOU** - Last raced at this track on January 30 when she was disqualified. Prepared to overlook until her racing manners improve.
3. **FIGARO GEMA** - Finished 4.1L back in sixth at his latest run at Cherbourg. Must improve sharply.
4. **EIKO VET** - Was disqualified last start at Mauquenchy on February 9. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
5. **FOKKER DE BAILLY** - Last raced at Le Croise-Laroche on November 1 when he was disqualified. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
6. **DEZIO JOSSELYN** - Improved to finish third at Angers last start on the back of a well-beaten eighth at this track the run prior. Sure to be in the mix.
7. **GALA D'URFIST** - Disqualified last start at this track. Overlook the most recent outing. Can turn things around.
8. **GALIC DU ROCHER** - Improved last start when second at this track, beaten 0.4L. Top chance in this line-up.
9. **GAMIN JABA** - Turned in a nice run two back then missed the placings last time when 22L adrift at this track. Worth another chance.
10. **FAME MUSIC** - Returns from a 36 day let-up after finishing a disappointing sixth at this track last time. Solid prospects.
11. **CRACK ATOUT** - Has been ticking along well, last start finishing fifth at this track. Should be in the finish again.
12. **FIESTA DE FROULAY** - Made significant improvement last start when second at this track, beaten 4.3L. Big chance.
13. **FLASH GORDON** - Missed the placings again last start, beaten 3.4L when fourth at this track. Finds the right race this time.
14. **ESPOIR DU NOYER** - Has been in good form of late, most recently finishing 2.8L away in second at this track. Major player.
15. **DAY DE BELLOUET** - Was disqualified last start at this track on January 18. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
16. **EPSON D'ARIANE** - Scored two runs ago at this track then didn't measure up last time when beaten 9.2L here. Can bounce back to form.

Summary: GAELIC DU ROCHER (8) delivered a 0.5L second at this circuit. Looks capable of going one place better. CRACK ATOUT (11) is expected to challenge for the win with a new shoeing combination tried following a 1.75L fifth at this track. ESPOIR DU NOYER (14) placed second when beaten 3L at this venue. Dangerous in this contest. EPSON D'ARIANE (16) won by 1.75L here on his penultimate start. Shortlisted. GAMIN JABA (9) is another to consider with Jean-Michel Bazire returning to the sulky a positive following a 24L tenth here.

Selections

**GAELIC DU ROCHER (8) - CRACK ATOUT (11) - ESPOIR DU NOYER (14) - EPSON D'ARIANE (16) -
GAMIN JABA (9)**

Race 7 - Prix Ovide Moulinet - 2700m WALK-UP Harness. Purse EUR €120,000.

1. **ICE QUICK** - Fourth when beaten 3.25L off a 25m handicap in a Class D at Lyon-la-Soie fourteen days ago. Looks up against it in this grade.
2. **IT'S A DOLLARMAKER** - Showed good form at a lower level prior to a DQ in the G1 Prix Bold Eagle here two weeks ago. Of note in this field.
3. **IRON MESLOIS** - Held 12L sixth in the G3 Prix de Mirande here three weeks ago. Step forward needed.
4. **INSTRUMENTALISTE** - Followed up a win in the G2 Prix Octave Douesnel here with a 4.5L sixth to IDao de Tillard in the G1 Prix d'Amerique Races Q3. Notable contender.
5. **IDEAL LIGNERIES** - Faded late on when 3.25L fifth in the G1 Prix Bold Eagle here at the end of last month. Not written off.
6. **IDAO DE TILLARD** - Showed impressive form prior to a DQ when fancied for the G1 Prix d'Amerique Legend Race at this venue two weeks ago. Hard to beat.
7. **ITALIANO VERO** - Good 2.25L third having raced behind the speed in the G1 Prix d'Amerique Legend Race at this circuit a fortnight ago. Bold show expected.

Summary: IDAO DE TILLARD (6) won the G2 Prix de Croix by 0.25L here on his penultimate start. Selected to return to winning ways following a subsequent DQ when favourite for the G1 Prix d'Amerique Legend Race. Top chance. ITALIANO VERO (7) looks a major danger on the back of a 2.25L third in the aforementioned G1 Prix d'Amerique here. INSTRUMENTALISTE (4) came home 4.5L sixth in the G1 Prix d'Amerique Races Q3 at this circuit. Enters calculations on earlier form. IT'S A DOLLARMAKER (2) suffered a late DQ upped in grade for the G1 Prix Bold Eagle here. Better expected in this contest.

Selections

IDAO DE TILLARD (6) - ITALIANO VERO (7) - INSTRUMENTALISTE (4) - IT'S A DOLLARMAKER (2)

Race 8 - Prix de Rouen - 2850m WALK-UP Harness. Purse EUR €90,000.

1. **BOMBER DI NO** - Looks up against it following a down the field effort in a lower grade here earlier this month.
2. **HASUR DAIRPET** - Suffered a DQ in a Class A European event here five weeks ago. Claims if building on his 0.75L third in a Class B at this venue prior.
3. **HULYSSE DIGEO** - Successful by 0.5L in a Class C European contest here just under four weeks ago. Bold show expected as he chases a third consecutive victory.
4. **HAMILTON RENKA** - DQ in a lower grade mounted event here last month. Unlikely.
5. **HELP ME WIN** - Fair 2.75L seventh in the G3 Prix 20 Minutes at this track two weeks ago. Claims if at her best.
6. **HORACE DU GOUTIER** - Off the track since a 4.25L fifth in the G3 Prix de la Mayenne here in February last year. Likely to improve for the race.
7. **HINDEN** - Eighth when beaten 2.75L in the G3 Prix Michel Marcel Gougeon here three weeks ago. Minor role likely.
8. **HE AND ME** - Delivered an eye-catching 1L victory in a Class A European event here last month. Third home that day has won since. Key player.
9. **HORCHESTRO** - Runner-up when beaten 1.25L in the G3 Prix Michel Marcel Gougeon at this track three weeks ago. Top chance.
10. **HEART OF GOLD** - DQ in a Class C European mounted race here three weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
11. **HAZIELLA D'AMOUR** - Down the field 3.25L tenth in the G3 Prix 20 Minutes here two weeks ago. Best watched.
12. **HAVE A DREAM** - Fair 2.75L seventh in the G3 Prix Michel Marcel Gougeon here three weeks ago. Will need to find his form to trouble the principals here.
13. **HELIOT DE CAHOT** - Good form prior to a DQ in the G3 Prix Michel Marcel Gougeon here 21 days ago. Of note in this field.
14. **HOWDY PARTNER** - Good form of late including when 2.25L third in the G3 Prix Michel Marcel Gougeon at this circuit. Leading contender.
15. **HARIBO DU LOISIR** - Faded when 5.5L tenth in the G3 Prix Michel Marcel Gougeon here last month. Not written off.
16. **HALICIA BELLA** - Good 3.25L fourth in a Class A European event at Laval at the start of November. Considered following a break.

Summary: HOWDY PARTNER (14) is selected to score following a 2.25L third in the G3 Prix Michel Marcel Gougeon. Leading player. HORCHESTRO (9) delivered a second when beaten 1.25L that day. Looks up to delivering another big effort. HE AND ME (8) looks a threat upped in grade following a 1L victory in a Class A European event here. HULYSSE DIGEO (3) enters calculations debuting for a new trainer having won by 0.5L in a lower grade at this track. HALICIA BELLA (16) is another with claims following a 3.25L fourth at Laval.

Selections

HOWDY PARTNER (14) - HORCHESTRO (9) - HE AND ME (8) - HULYSSE DIGEO (3) - HALICIA BELLA (16)

Race 9 - Prix d'Oloron - 2700m WALK-UP Harness. Purse EUR €50,000.

1. **KALINOU QUICK** - Found his best form when he scored by 6.2L at this track last start. Has a very good record here with one win from three starts. Likely to be in the finish again.
2. **KOOL DES CHAMPS** - Might need this run following a spell of three-and-a-half months. Last raced when third at this track.
3. **KATIM DU GOUTIER** - Found his best form when he scored at this track last start. Has a strong record here. Include.
4. **KOCKTAIL WOOD** - Improved to third at this track last start following a well-beaten seventh two runs ago at this track. Found a few ahead of him.
5. **KANDINSKY** - Easily accounted for last time when 5.4L from the winner in fifth at this track. Won't find this easy. Not keen.
6. **KRACK TIME ATOUT** - Disqualified last start at this track. Overlook the recent mishap. Well placed to make amends.
7. **KARMA QUICK** - Is in sparkling form with three wins, the latest by 0.4L at this track. Can continue his winning ways.

Summary: KALINOU QUICK (1) impressed when scoring by 6.25L in a Class D contest here. Taken to complete a double stepping up in grade. KARMA QUICK (7) rates the main danger following three consecutive wins including by 0.25L in a Class B event here. Debuting for a new trainer KATIM DU GOUTIER (3) is shortlisted following a nose victory in a Class C at this track. KRACK TIME ATOUT (6) placed second when beaten 0.25L in a Class B at this course on his penultimate start. May put a subsequent DQ here behind him to register a second career win.

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