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R1 CHANTILLY [R-H]

C1 - PRIX DE LA JOURNEE DES PLANTES - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Class 2 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 53,000

1. **OMICRONE** - 7th last time, 3rd before that over 1300m in a Class 2 handicap on November 27th. She has won over 1500m before so the distance today is of no concern
2. **GOLUPTIOUS** - Two unplaced runs since he won over 1300m at Deauville on November 27th in a class 2 handicap. Can be competitive at nice odds
3. **FOU FURIEUX** - Two unplaced runs since a win over 1600m in a Class 3 handicap at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on February 3rd. Each way angle
4. **IT'S CHICO TIME** - Unplaced last time out, 2nd before that over 1400m at Pau in a Class 3 race on January 17th. Outside place contender
5. **GODESSA** - Two unplaced runs since a win over 1400m at Pau in a Class 3 handicap on January 14th. She might find this difficult
6. **REVE DE VALLARSA** - 3rd last time out, he won before that over 1200m at Pau in a Class 3 handicap on January 10th. Others make more appeal
7. **CENTENARIO** - Recent win over 1300m in a claimer at this track on February 28th by 1L. Capable of a competitive performance
8. **LEOPARDUCCIO** - 5th last time over 1400m at Deauville in a Class 2 handicap on January 10th. Among the leading place contenders
9. **TIMES WARRIOR** - Ran well to be 2nd over 1300m in a Class 2 handicap at Deauville on November 27th. Could be well treated
10. **BIG LOG** - Five unplaced runs of late, the latter over 1600m in a Class 2 handicap at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on February 22nd. Looks vulnerable
11. **IGNOL** - Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 1400m at Deauville in a handicap on November 26th. Opposable
12. **GALILODGE** - Nice 3rd over 1300m in a Class 4 claimer at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on February 19th on his last run. He won three races last year and can not be discounted
13. **NOLITO** - 4th on his last run over 1300m in a Class 4 claimer at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on February 19th. Needs a few to misfire
14. **MALINOVKA** - Placed on her last two runs, 4th on the latter over 1400m at Deauville in a Class 2 handicap on February 1st. Player
15. **NO LIMIT DREAM** - He won for the fifth time at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 1600m in a Class 3 handicap on February 22nd on his last run. Knows how to win and can feature
16. **TOIJK** - 7th last time out, he won before that over 1400m in a claimer on November 2nd at Deauville. More required in a better race

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Summary: CENTENARIO (7) got a confidence-boosting win in a claimer last time over 1300m at this track and is capable of making an impact up in class. TIMES WARRIOR (9) was a decent second on his last start at Deauville in November in a Class 2 handicap and could be well treated. OMICRONE (1) was a decent third two runs back at Deauville and looks like one for the each-way backers to latch on to. NO LIMIT DREAM (15) is also one to consider from the foot of the weights.

SELECTIONS

CENTENARIO (7) - TIMES WARRIOR (9) - OMICRONE (1) - NO LIMIT DREAM (15)

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C2 - PRIX DU SOISSONNAIS - 1600m (a1m) - ALL WEATHER - Newcomers Race - Flat - EUR € 27,000

1. STUPEFIANTE - Newcomer by Lope De Vega, the dam won twice on her first two runs. She can be expected to play a lead role on debut

2. MELOSA - Unraced by Study Of Man, the dam never raced. From a top trainer who knows the time of day. Monitor the betting patterns for clues

3. LOVEONTHELEFTBANK - Newcomer by Invincible Spirit, the dam won one race. Best watched in the betting for any support

4. ILDA ROSA - Unraced by Lope De Vega, the dam was a top-class performer. She won 5 races including a Listed, Group 3, and the Man O' War Stakes (Grade 1) at Belmont Park (USA). She has a choice profile and is one to watch in the betting

5. SUN RISE - Unraced by Magna Grecia, the dam was placed once. Likely to improve for this debut run. The betting can guide

6. ABAGO - Unraced by Bated Breath, the dam won one race. Stable runners usually know what is required on debut. The betting can be the best guide

7. ROSSONERA - Unraced by Lope De Vega, the dam was placed several times. One to take seriously, she has a nice profile and is from a good stable. Watch the betting for clues

8. LA FLANDRINE - Unraced by Study Of Man, the dam won two races and was placed in a Group 3 and Listed race. Watch the betting for any support

9. WAVE - Unraced by No Nay Never, the dam ran a few times. Stable runners warrant respect on debut. Watch the betting patterns for clues

Summary: The Francis-Henri Graffard-trained STUPEFIANTE (1) is well-bred and is entered for the Prix De Diane, she will be expected to make a bold show on her debut. ROSSONERA (7) could also play a lead role, she has a nice pedigree and is from a leading stable. She should be watched in the betting as should MELOSA (2) who is from a respected stable and can ready a newcomer to strike on debut. WAVE (9) is also one to look at in the betting exchanges for clues.

SELECTIONS

STUPEFIANTE (1) - ROSSONERA (7) - MELOSA (2) - WAVE (9)

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C3 - PRIX DE LA GOURSAULE - 1900m (a1m1/4) - ALL WEATHER - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 23,000

1. THE BLACK SKY - 7th last time in a Class 1 race and 3rd before that in a Class 2 race at Pau over 2000m on January 16th. He drops in class and should be able to score

2. NICK BOUTIQUE - Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 1900m at Chantilly on February 28th in a maiden race. One to pass over

3. SAMWEST - Fair 4th in a handicap at this track over 1900m on February 21st on his last start. Can make presence felt

4. TAKE CARE - Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 1900m at this track on February 28th in a maiden. Others rate higher

5. RIGOLETTOS - Ran well when 2nd over 1600m in a claimer at this track on February 27th. One to keep safe

6. HAPPY HOURS - Several unplaced runs, 5th on the latest over 1600m at this track in a claimer on February 27th. Makes little appeal

7. NOTA BENE - She has four decent runs of late, a win in January over 2000m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer in a claimer, and her latest run she was 2nd over the same track and trip in a claimer on February 23rd. Consistent in this class of race

8. STAR OF LIGHT - Three unplaced runs of late, 4th before that over 1800m at Lyon La Soie on November 4th in a maiden race. Drops in class and has place claims

Summary: THE BLACK SKY (1) was a Class 2 winner last year in October and has acquitted himself well in Class 1 and Class 2 races recently. He should be too smart for his rivals. SAMWEST (3) was a fair fourth in a handicap at this track late last month on his last start and could be the main danger. RIGOLETTOS (5) was a pleasing second last time out at this track over 1600m and should be involved. NOTA BENE (7) is consistent in claiming races and should not be overlooked.

SELECTIONS

THE BLACK SKY (1) - SAMWEST (3) - RIGOLETTOS (5) - NOTA BENE (7)

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C4 - PRIX DU BEAUVAISIS - 1600m (a1m) - ALL WEATHER - Newcomers Race - Flat - EUR € 27,000

- 1. TIGER** - Unraced gelding by Wooded, the dam won twice and was Listed placed. He is well bred and one to watch in the betting market
- 2. VADE MECUM** - Unraced by Mehmas, his trainer has two in the race and this one should be watched in the betting for clues
- 3. REMBRAND TO GO** - Unraced colt by Shamalgan, the dam was unraced. He has a nice profile and is one to watch in the betting for clues
- 4. WIT** - Unraced colt by Night Of Thunder, the dam was unraced. From a top stable who will have this colt well prepared. The betting can guide
- 5. LISIPPO** - Colt by Soldier Hollow, the dam won one race in the UK. Stable runners usually need a run or two for experience and he is best watched this time
- 6. SWINGUER** - A gelded son of Sottsass, from the Andre Fabre powerhouse, and in the Godolphin blue, he will know what is required and should be watched in the betting exchanges
- 7. ASTON CLINTON** - Newcomer by Showcasing, the dam never ran. He has a nice profile and will be expected to play a lead role on debut. Watch the betting trends
- 8. GALICIANO** - Unraced by Van Beethoven, the dam won two races. He will improve for this debut run and is best watched in the betting for clues
- 9. GLAMOURDALE** - Unraced by Hello Youmzain, the dam was placed once. Likely to need this run for experience. The betting can be the best guide
- 10. ART PIECE** - Colt by Elarqam, the dam never raced. Stable runners warrants respect and this colt should be monitored in the betting market for clues

Summary: WIT (4) is from a leading trainer who will have this colt well-tuned for a bold show on his debut. He has some well-bred rivals and ASTON CLINTON (7) catches the eye. He has a taking profile and this son of Showcasing should be monitored in the betting exchanges. TIGER (1) has the assistance of Christophe Soumillon and that bodes well for his chances. VADE MECUM (2) is a stablemate of the former and is one to keep safe on his first day at school.

SELECTIONS

WIT (4) - ASTON CLINTON (7) - TIGER (1) - VADE MECUM (2)

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C5 - PRIX DE LA QUEUE DU RENARD - 1700m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Race - Flat - EUR € 18,000

1. MATT MACHINE - 5th last time, he won before that over 1600m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on January 25th in a Class 3 handicap. Outside place contender

2. OZAT - He was highly tried in his last two runs in Pattern races, he won before that over 1600m in a Class 2 race on July 11th at Clairefontaine. This is a nice race to start his new season

3. GREY TORNADO - Five unplaced runs of late, the latter over 1600m in a Class 2 race at this track on December 20th. He won a Class 2 race last year and is one to respect

4. AL DAAYEN - Unplaced last time out, 2nd before that over 1800m at Parislongchamp on June 13th in a Class 3 race. Opposable

5. OCEAN VIKING - 7th last time in a Listed race in November, he won on debut before that at Saint-Cloud in April 19th over 1600m. Lightly raced and he has plenty more to give

6. CAMIRO - Two unplaced runs since a 3rd over 1800m at Dortmund (DEU) on January 5th in a conditions race. Has work to do to be involved

7. GEORGES VILLE - Four unplaced runs of late, 3rd before that over 1600m in a Class 1 race at Parislongchamp on May 30th. Consider

8. PRINCIPE - Two unplaced runs last year, the latter over 2000m at Compiègne in a Class 2 race on June 7th. He won a Class 1 and Class 2 race in 2023 and can make the frame

9. KLAUDIUS - 4th last time out, he won before that over 1850m at Bad-Harzburg (DEU) on July 27th. Others make more appeal

10. BELLATOR - Two unplaced runs since a win over 1600m at Prague (CZE) on September 1st in a conditions race. Unlikely to be a threat

11. CARIBBEAN PEARL - Unraced gelding by De Treville, likely to need this run for experience and faces a stiff task on debut. Pass over

12. TAIKINABOLT - Unraced gelding by Machucambo, the dam was placed in France and won 1 race in Germany. Stable runners tend to need a run or two and this is a competitive race to start in

13. PALIMERO - He has several unplaced runs of late, the latter over 1600m at Chantilly in a Class 4 handicap on February 21st. Looks vulnerable

14. OPALUS ROAD - Unplaced last time, 4th before that over 1600m at Chantilly on October 29th in a Class 2 handicap. Among the leading each-way chances

15. WESTMINSTER NIGHT - Unplaced in two runs last year, both in Group 3 races in Germany, the latter over 1600m on May 30th. He won a Group 3 race in Italy in 2023 over 1600m and is capable of being involved

Summary: OZAT (2) won nicely at Clairefontaine in a Class 2 race last July and was then pitched into two Pattern races, where he acquitted himself well. In calmer waters, he can get off to a winning start on his new season. OCEAN VIKING (5) won well on debut at Saint-Cloud last April in a maiden race and was then tried in a Listed race on his only other run last year when he was unplaced. He has a good deal more to come. PRINCIPE (8) and WESTMINSTER NIGHT (15) can duel for minor honours.

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SELECTIONS

OZAT (2) - OCEAN VIKING (5) - PRINCIPE (8) - WESTMINSTER NIGHT (15)

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C6 - PRIX DE LA FABRIQUE D'EXTRAVAGANCE - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 27,000

1. **QUARTZ DU HOULEY** - Unreliable but did run well when third in a handicap at this course over 1600m on 21 February. Has a place chance in this line-up
2. **MURCIANO** - Did not show his best when 6th last time out in a handicap at Deauville over this distance on 1 February. Can contest the finish
3. **ABELARD F** - Showed some improvement and was third last time out in a handicap at Deauville over this distance on 10 January. Could earn some more money
4. **ALVA** - Has some fair form and finished 5th last time out in a Conditions race over this course and distance on 27 February. Could play a minor role
5. **REMAMA** - Has some fair form of late and finished fourth last time out in a handicap at Chantilly over 1600m on 21 February. Might play a minor role
6. **VEGA** - A winner of two of her last four starts but was 6th in a handicap at this track over 1300m on 20 February. More is needed to win
7. **RANCON ROYALE** - In good form and was runner-up in a handicap at this track over 1300m on 20 February. Be right there at the finish
8. **GOLDFIELD** - Not reliable but was third last time out in a handicap at Deauville over 1300m on 31 January. Could pop up in a place again
9. **BARGING THRU** - Has struggled of late and finished unplaced last time out in a handicap at Fontainebleau over 1100m on 1 March. Others are preferred
10. **FORCEFULL** - Broke the ice with a victory in a Conditions race at Pornichet-La Baule over 1700m on 13 February. Can follow up
11. **PIEMONTE** - Has improved this year and was victorious last time out in a Conditions race at Deauville over 1500m on 31 January. Can follow up if in the same mood
12. **DROIT DE PAROLE** - Not disgraced when 5th in a handicap at this course over 1300m on 20 February. Should contest the finish
13. **AUCOEURDELANUIT** - Not reliable but was runner-up in a handicap at this Track over 1600m on 21 February. Can go one better this shorter distance
14. **THUNDERHEART** - Holding form and finished third last time out in a handicap at this track over 1300m on 20 February. Has a place chance
15. **NOCE D'OR** - Has improved of late and was a winner last time out in a handicap at this track over 1600m on 21 February. Carries a 2.50kg penalty but can earn some money
16. **SENZA TE** - Unreliable and finished 9th last time out in a handicap at Nancy over 1400m on 17 Nancy . Others are preferred

Summary: AUCOEURDELANUIT (13) has a decent enough record at this track and only found one better on the day here last month. He can go one better this time for jockey Christophe Soumillon. RANCON ROYALE (7) remains in fine form and is an obvious danger. DROIT DE PAROLE (12) ran well at this course last time out and can contest the finish. FORCEFULL (10) showed what she is capable of and can have more to offer.

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SELECTIONS

AUCOEURDELANUIT (13) - RANCON ROYALE (7) - DROIT DE PAROLE (12) -
FORCEFULL (10)

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C7 - PRIX DU VALMONDOIS - 1800m (a1m1/8) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Claiming Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,000

1. **CHIAREGGIO** - Was a winner 6 runs back, will need to build on last run when 10th at Chantilly and can. Expect better. Each way chance
2. **PUMP PUMP CITY** - Will need to build on last run when back in 9th position and others are far preferred. Happy to ignore for now
3. **SAMAPY** - Finished 6th over 1900m at Deauville last time and will find it hard to beat the top ones. Happy to ignore
4. **ALCATOSER** - Was 4th at the last run when racing at Chantilly over 1900m in a claimer and can get a lot closer this time. Strong place chance
5. **MAX VERST** - Ignore last run, finished 4th over 1500m before that in a Handicap and is expected to bounce back to winning ways. Win choice
6. **ARIGATO** - Is a tad erratic but on best form can threaten. Ignore last run, placed 3rd over 2000m before that in Handicap class. Big danger to the top selected few
7. **POWER PAPERS** - One for the shortlist and all bets. Finished 5th over 1900m last time in this class and can get into the action. Place claims
8. **LALA LIGHT** - She was a winner at Lyon La Soie in her penultimate start over 1800m in a similar race and is one for the shortlist. Good chance
9. **OPIANA** - Placed 5th over 1700m at Pornichet in a claiming race on the 1st of this month and will need to serve up more for the win
10. **KING OF TWIST** - Current form has been on the alarming decline over various tracks and trips. Hard to make a case for
11. **KABOOM** - She has shown little in her four local starts and will need serious improvement. Last run was at Pornichet when managing only 6th place. Pass by
12. **JESS LIVERMORE** - Started off showing some ability but has been disappointing recently and is therefore hard to make a case for. Prefer others
13. **CHIEF MAMBO** - Raced at Deauville on the 31st of January over 1900m in a claiming race and finished only 6th. Would be a shock winner
14. **KINEMATICA** - Only had three runs here in France thus far and could be the surprise package. Finished 3rd at Chantilly over 1900m on the 20th of last month. Respect and include
15. **OKAPINA'S LIGHT** - Finished 11th at Chantilly over 1900m last time and would be a surprise winner. Hard to like
16. **THE CHARMER** - Knocking loudly at the door and should win soon. Last run was at Pornichet over 2100m and could be the value for the quartet
17. **SUNLIKE** - She is a professional maiden, finished 9th at Chantilly last time and is seriously hard to make a case for. Pass by

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Summary: MAX VERST (5) can be forgiven for the last dismal run and is better be judged on fair earlier form. He was 4th at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 1500m in a Handicap on the 10th of February and is the firm first choice on the back of this performance. CHIAREGGIO (1) finished 10th over 1900m at Chantilly last time and can be expected to do way better than that. LALA LIGHT (8) was a winner at her penultimate start at Lyon La Soie but let the team down after that. Expect way better, place chance. ALCATOSER (4) can finish in the first four.

SELECTIONS

MAX VERST (5) - CHIAREGGIO (1) - LALA LIGHT (8) - ALCATOSER (4)

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C8 - PRIX DES PORCELAINES PRINCIERES - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 22,000

- 1. REGALIEN** - Comes into the contest fresh off a victory at Chantilly over 1300m and can record back-to-back victories. Bright chance and a must for all bets
- 2. BAILEYS ILLUSION** - Winning turn is near, finished 2nd over 1300m at Chantilly on the 20th of last month in a Handicap and can go one more refitted with blinkers. Winning choice
- 3. SAXON VILLAGE** - Is rather erratic and therefore difficult to assess. Finished 12th last time but was victorious before that over 1500m at Deauville. An outsider with a small, value place chance
- 4. SENSE OF BELONGING** - He was downfield in 13th place last time and will need to do tons more to threaten here. Happy to dismiss from all bets
- 5. ADWAN** - Comes into the race fresh off a victory at Deauville over 1300m in Handicap class and it would come as no shock if he were to follow up. Bright chance
- 6. SASSICA** - Never far off the action, placed 5th at Chantilly last time and can get much closer now. Serious each way chance
- 7. IRISHKAMAYA** - Holding form and has a serious chance in this. Finished 3rd at Chantilly over 1300m in a Handicap and should be right there again. Big runner
- 8. GRAND ANGEL** - Can improve on recent 5th at Chantilly over 1300m on the 20th of last month and is a good chance in this. Respect and include
- 9. ELUSIVE FOOT** - Placed 7th over 1300m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 12th of last month and should be able to get much closer now. Each way claims
- 10. BOUGAINVILLIER** - Is knocking loudly at the door and the next win looks imminent. Last run was over 1600m in a Handicap at Chantilly. Huge danger in this field
- 11. LE RAPIDE** - Has shown very little thus far and is hard to fancy on form. Will be an outsider and a shock winner. Pass by
- 12. WAKAI GO** - Placed only 7th last time when racing at Chantilly over 1300m in a weak race and is therefore hard to make a case for
- 13. D DAY MAN** - Placed 6th at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 1600m in a Handicap on the 22nd of February and is capable of doing better. Small claims on overall form
- 14. GRIGNETTE** - Will need to build on last run when 9th at Chantilly over 1600m on the 13th of last month. Others preferred and can be ignored
- 15. LAURA TREZY** - She is in form currently, finished 3rd at Chantilly last time out and despite being an outsider, she can earn. Include as the value
- 16. INTUITION** - Finished 3rd at Chantilly on the 27th of February and can certainly earn and place again. An outsider with place claims

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Summary: BAILEYS ILLUSION (2) made huge hints when running 2nd last time over 1300m at Chantilly that her maiden win is near. Today is selected to be the day. IRISHKAMAYA (7) boasts some solid recent form and will certainly make her presence felt at the finish. She has a bright chance. GRAND ANGEL (8) was not far off the action last time and should be in the firing line and is a natural inclusion for most bets. SASSICA (6) is a must for the quartet calculations.

SELECTIONS

BAILEYS ILLUSION (2) - IRISHKAMAYA (7) - GRAND ANGEL (8) - SASSICA (6)

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C9 - PRIX PORCE KAFIEM - 1400m (a7f) - ALL WEATHER - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 18,000

1. **GRAND LIBYA** - Won penultimate but placed only 7th last time at Chantilly over 1300m. More needed and prefer others
2. **RISING UP** - Was impressive when winning over 1600m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer last time and can follow up. Good chance, include in all bets
3. **GOOD FEELIN** - Was way back in 11th at Chantilly last time and has no form to talk about. Pass by
4. **PINK VALENTINE** - Caught the eye when finishing 3rd at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 1300m in a Handicap on the 25th of last month and should be right there. Bright chance
5. **FULL GAIN** - Placed only 8th at Toulouse last time and will need to serve up way more than that to be considered here. Pass by
6. **PERMENTON** - Placed 9th over 1100m on the 18th of October last year in a Handicap and should need a few runs to tighten up. Pass by
7. **CRACK CITY** - Has some fair and consistent form but will need to build, and can, on last run when 6th at Chantilly over 1300m. An outsider with a chance for the value
8. **URI** - Was way back in 12th place last time when racing at Fontainebleau and will need to progress a lot on that to threaten here. Chance, but prefer others
9. **LOUVE PRECIEUSE** - Current form has been on the decline over various distances and tracks and therefore it is hard to predict how this one will perform. An outsider that has it all to do
10. **KINGSFOLD** - Ignore last run when 11th at Chantilly over 1600m in a Handicap and judge on attractive penultimate run when finishing 2nd. Outside quartet chance
11. **TIGER KING** - Was a winner three starts back at Chantilly but has been a tad disappointing since. Finished only 7th at Deauville last time but can build on that to place. Respect and include
12. **DARK ZEL** - Placed 6th over 1600m at Chantilly in a Handicap on the 21st of last month. More needed to warrant any consideration. Pass by
13. **HERODION** - Has won the last two and has an undeniable hat trick chance. Last win was at Chantilly in a Handicap over 1300m in late February. Serious claims
14. **RIVAL ORDER** - Starting to take time for the win but did finish an encouraging 5th over 1300m at Chantilly over 1300m in a Handicap last month. Not without a chance
15. **PIU DREAM** - Was not far adrift the winner last time when running 5th over 1300m in a competitive Handicap at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on the 31st of January and is therefore the winning choice
16. **KHABESA** - Finished 5th at Chantilly over 1600m on the 21st of February in a Handicap and will need to do more than that to threaten. Hard to like

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Summary: PIU DREAM (15) is taking time to record his second career victory but did finish 5th over 1300m at Deauville last time suggesting that he is on the comeback trail to winning ways. RISING UP (2) won a good race at Cagnes-Sur-Mer, mid last month and if following up, would be no shock at all. Healthy respect. PINK VALENTINE (4) bounced back top better form last time when running third and can be given a serious place chance again. RIVAL ORDER (14) will need to improve for the win but, could certainly improve to get closer and place.

SELECTIONS

PIU DREAM (15) - RISING UP (2) - PINK VALENTINE (4) - RIVAL ORDER (14)