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R4 CHARTRES [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX VOITURES ANCIENNES DE BEAUCE - 2825m (a2m) - Class G
Amateur Drivers Race - Harness - EUR € 6,000**

- 1. JALNA DES ECUS** - Last of 14 behind JAPPELOUP CARNOIS (2) in a 2825m Cordemais Class E 2 weeks ago. Is still in conditioning mode but in this company will have her supporters
- 2. JAPPELOUP CARNOIS** - 4th of 14 in a 2825m Cordemais Class E 2 weeks ago. Enjoys a good entry in front and looks a serious proposition
- 3. IRIS RENARDIER** - Back under harness after coming 5th of 8 in a 2550m amateurs monte Class H at Gournay-en-Bray 3 weeks ago but is unlikely to spring any surprises
- 4. INSTAR JOKE** - Oddly below-par 7th of 16 behind HISTOIRE DE LIERRE (11) in a 2850m Laval amateurs Class G on 29 March. Should not be hastily-judged and will be expected to redeem himself
- 5. ILLUSTRE BLUE** - Returns to racing barefoot after running 9th of 16 behind HISTOIRE DE LIERRE (11) in a 2850m Laval amateurs Class G on 29 March. As comfortable in the amateur ranks as professional and could pleasantly surprise
- 6. J'ADORE CHENEVIERE** - 5th of 13 in a 2775m Elbeuf claimer 2 weeks ago but looks a rank outsider on amateur bow
- 7. JULLIAN DADDY** - Smartly won a 2600m Nancy amateurs Class G on 29 March. Consistently gives everything he has and, again from the first line, can double his money
- 8. JET COMMANDERIE** - Useful element debuting in the amateur division but has not raced since being sanctioned in a 2825m Cordemais Class D mid-January. Benefits from a fine entry though and should not be ruled out
- 9. HIVA OA DES BROUETS** - Unseen since running 4th of 16 in a 2525m claimer at Les Andelys last August. Shoes on and no threat
- 10. GREAT STUDBAKER** - Superb in this division and even though unraced since winning a 2800m amateurs Class H at Villedieu-les-Poëles last September, could still get a look-in
- 11. HISTOIRE DE LIERRE** - 4th of 16 in a 2850m Laval amateurs Class G on 29 March. On back row again but is more competitively shod and must be taken seriously
- 12. GET READY** - Back in the amateur category after finishing 9th of 13 in a 2750m Toulouse Class F a month ago and the extra 25m will do him no favours
- 13. FLASH BACK DU NORD** - Failed to deliver when 6th of 10 in a 2150m Mauquenchy amateurs Class G on 17 March and is not easy to recommend
- 14. JUDITH REINE** - 7th of 15 on comeback in a 2800m Rambouillet Class E a fortnight back. Incurs the handicap but is nicely-engaged and unlikely to be far off the mark
- 15. IDEAL MOSSA** - Makes first start since finishing last but one in a 2850m Vincennes Class E on 21 December. Races shod and can be ruled out

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Summary: So often so close, JULLIAN DADDY (7) finally got off the mark late last month, doing it in style, and a similar performance would see him repeat. That said, the in-form and barefoot JAPPELOUP CARNOIS (2) takes to the amateur category for the first time and looks particularly dangerous from the front row. JUDITH REINE (14) made an encouraging re-entry and even though 25m worse off, is proven in the day's configuration and makes her amateur bow with legitimate ambition. HISTOIRE DE LIERRE (11) encouraged at Laval a fortnight ago and, with hind shoes off, is in with a shout of making the frame this time.

SELECTIONS

JULLIAN DADDY (7) - JAPPELOUP CARNOIS (2) - JUDITH REINE (14) - HISTOIRE DE LIERRE (11)

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C2 - PRIX L.T.E. - 2800m (a2m) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 17,500

1. **MAORI NUEVO** - Qualified in 1'18"8 at Laval last May. Has been afforded ample time to come into himself and, if as good as believed, can get straight down to business
2. **MOGADOR** - Set off no fireworks in last July's qualification but comes from a good home and it would be no surprise to see him finish in the mix
3. **MY LOVELY LADY** - Qualified in 1'19"9 at Laval last October but will need to show more in order to make any impact here
4. **MESSIRE DU GERS** - Sanctioned in a 2475m Royan Class F on debut last weekend. Left a good impression thereafter though and can wrap this up if Nicolas Bazire keeps him trotting
5. **MOONLIGHT DU RHIN** - Broke into a gallop on debut in a 2000m Rambouillet Class F late-March and is unlikely to trouble the judge
6. **MALMO DE PUCH** - Failed to confirm excellent qualification when 6th of 8 finishers on debut in a 2375m Challans Class F 3 weeks ago, but must be given another chance. Attention
7. **MAYA DE LA FYE** - 10th of 14 behind MOJITO FRAISE (10) in a 2000m Rambouillet Class F a fortnight ago. Yet to show any flair for the game and can be ruled out
8. **MARIE LOU DE LARRE** - Pleased on debut before faulting, when unsupported, in a 2300m Class F here mid-March, and can expect to have few takers
9. **MATCH LOVE** - Goes left-handed this time after coming 3rd of 13 in a 2425m Angers Class F 3 weeks ago. Eric Raffin at the helm and will be afforded every chance
10. **MOJITO FRAISE** - Good 3rd of 14 in a 2000m Rambouillet Class F a fortnight ago. Looks the sort that would appreciate this longer trip and, with form maintained, can figure prominently
11. **MISTERIOSO** - Lost his action in a 2700m Graignes Class F 3 weeks ago, but can make a big splash if he replicates his Cherbourg effort
12. **MONIA VERDERIE** - Respectable filly that lost her action in a 2450m Caen Class F early last month. Will acquit herself honestly but others still easier to back

Summary: A promising colt from a top yard, MESSIRE DU GERS (4) lost his action first time out, but nonetheless showed his form, and with application can more than make amends. MISTERIOSO (11) was unable at Graignes to confirm his fine Cherbourg debut and the same caveat applies. Pierre-Edouard Mary thinks a lot of the untried MAORI NUEVO (1) who is not here just to go home empty-handed. MOJITO FRAISE (10) got back in the game at Rambouillet and Benjamin Rochard can be confident of another good performance.

SELECTIONS

MESSIRE DU GERS (4) - MISTERIOSO (11) - MAORI NUEVO (1) - MOJITO FRAISE (10)

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C3 - PRIX LA MAISON CHARTRAINE - 2800m (a2m) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 17,500

1. **LIBERTE DE L'AUNAY** - Unseen since running 2nd of 13 in a 2275m Nantes Class E but is competitively-shod with Eric Raffin in the bike and can make a big impact
2. **LUNA BLANCA** - 2nd of 12, when first-time barefoot, in a 2700m Graignes Class F on 16 March. Takes on marginally better this time but looks thoroughly capable of finishing thereabouts
3. **LILIBETH SMART** - Useful sort that was surprisingly sanctioned in a 2700m Graignes Class F mid-March. Has already won here though and Gabriele Gelormini will be keen to put things right
4. **L'ULKA DI LEONE** - Good, consistent filly making first start since running 4th of 11 in a 2725m Graignes Class E last November. Unlikely to cause an upset but should nevertheless finish in the mix
5. **LOVELY KILY** - Pleasant 3rd of 12, on return run, in a 2600m Class F at Blain-Bouvron-Le Gâvre 3 weeks ago. Trainer in the bike this time, sports modified shoeing, and has the wherewithal to make first 5
6. **LEONTINE CASH** - Runs first-time barefoot after coming 3rd of 13 in a 2700m Class F at Le Croise-Laroche late last month. Top talent at the helm and looks the one to beat
7. **LOLLIPOP D'UNEVIE** - Won over course and distance mid-March but sanctioned 9 days later in a 2850m Maure-de-Bretagne Class F, and can be passed over
8. **LOU DE LOSQUE** - Failed to confirm Mauquenchy victory when 8th of 15 in a 2200m Vincennes Class E on 18 February. Comes here fresh but still not a concern
9. **LADY DU COUDOU** - Sanctioned, when unsupported, in a 2850m Maure-de-Bretagne Class F on 25 March and can expect to have few friends
10. **LALIE SOLAU** - Promising sort but has not been seen out since running 3rd of 9 in a 2800m Class C at Castera-Verduzan last August, and will need the race
11. **LILY BAM** - 10th of 16, on re-entry, in a 2150m Mauquenchy Class F on 17 March. Will have progressed for the run, races with front shoes off, but others still preferred
12. **LIBERTINE DE CHENU** - Good 3rd of 14 in a 2450m Caen Class E on 31 March. Has turned a corner this year and looks main threat to LEONTINE CASH (6)

Summary: Thoroughly professional since her first steps on the track, LEONTINE CASH (6) made a fine re-entry at Le Croise-Laroche and, racing barefoot with Benjamin Rochard in the bike this time, can get off the mark. On the way back up and yet to disappoint in the day's configuration, LIBERTINE DE CHENU (12) will be no easy touch, and neither will the progressive LIBERTE DE L'AUNAY (1) who races unshod-behind for the first time. LILIBETH SMART (3) will be expected to bounce back from last month's sanction.

SELECTIONS

LEONTINE CASH (6) - LIBERTINE DE CHENU (12) - LIBERTE DE L'AUNAY (1) - LILIBETH SMART (3)

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C4 - PRIX SAS JM AUTIN - 2800m (a2m) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 17,500

1. **LOULOU DU PRATEL** - 3rd of 13 in a 2700m Graignes Class F 3 weeks ago. Is plainly improving but will nevertheless need to find more
2. **L'OR BLANC** - Got off the mark at Saumur before running 3rd of 11 in a 2850m Maure Class F on 15 March, but faces a much stiffer test on this occasion
3. **LAZIO** - Unraced since coming 5th of 8 in a 2250m Enghien monte Class E last July. Here for reasons of conditioning and will have nothing to contribute
4. **LOKI FACTIER** - Good 3rd of 12 on comeback in a 2800m Rambouillet Class F late last month. First time barefoot on a hard surface and will be reined by Gabriele Gelormini for the occasion. First 5
5. **LUCULLUS DU DOLLAR** - Returns to a hard surface after running 5th of 15 in a 2600m Class F at Blain-Bouvron-Le Gâvre 3 weeks ago and is unlikely to be far from the action
6. **LOOKING GOOD ER** - Disappointing 6th of 9 finishers in a 2700m Graignes Class F mid-March and will need to raise his game
7. **LOOK DE LARRE** - Moderate sort that was sanctioned on first start back, faulting in a 2875m Class F at Meslay-du-Maine on 18 March, and can be disregarded
8. **LOUP DE MER** - Produced a good effort to run 3rd of 9 in a 2900m Amiens Class F mid-March. Placed in one of 2 here and is worth monitoring
9. **LARRY DU DOUBS** - Won over course and distance mid-March before running 6th of 13 in a 2850m Maure-de-Bretagne Class F 3 weeks ago. Never easy to gauge but still has the capacity to pick up a cheque
10. **LEADER BEACH** - Superb in both return runs, most recently winning a Class F over track and trip on 16 March. Is unbeaten with his driver and Eric Raffin will be determined to keep it that way
11. **LAMA DE CORDAY** - Solid in 3 of 4 to date, latterly 3rd of 9 in a 2700m Vire Class F early last month. Has freshness on his side and a realistic chance of finishing close
12. **L'AMIRAL SACHA** - 2nd of 13 on re-entry in a 2700m Graignes Class F 10 days ago. Comes here in good morale and shape, and can impose if he takes to the new conditions

Summary: A quality element that produced an excellent performance on his first start since December, the nicely-engaged L'AMIRAL SACHA (12) will have come on for the run and should logically open his 2025 account. LAMA DE CORDAY (11) has hardly put a foot wrong so far, and even though untried left-handed, he races barefoot and will be no soft touch. A course-and-distance winner mid-March, on his first association with Eric Raffin, LEADER BEACH (10) will not go down easily. LUCULLUS DU DOLLAR (5) has been holding his own since the break and, barefoot for the first time on a hard surface, is unlikely to disappoint.

SELECTIONS

L'AMIRAL SACHA (12) - LAMA DE CORDAY (11) - LEADER BEACH (10) - LUCULLUS DU DOLLAR (5)

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C5 - PRIX BRETTE IMMOBILIER - 2825m (a2m) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 23,000

1. **KALINUXIE** - Imposed at Le Mont-Saint-Michel before running 4th of 15 in a 2825m Cordemais Class F 2 weeks ago. Is unlikely to get her nose in front but is still a decent candidate for a first-5 payout
2. **KISS ME BABY** - 11th of 18, on return to competition, in a 2725m Lisieux Class E 2.5 weeks ago and with shoes on will have little to offer
3. **KASHKAI** - Took little time getting back in shape, latterly 4th of 16 in a 2825m Cordemais Class F a fortnight ago. On front row and is unlikely to be far off the mark
4. **KARA DU BELLAY** - 10th of 15 behind KINGDOM DE CHENU (13) in a 2850m Mauquenchy Class E on 17 March. Barefoot this time but still not an obvious choice
5. **KEVISE BECO** - Raced better in a 2875m Meslay-du-Maine Class F mid-March than her 8th of 16 would suggest. Is plainly on the right road and looks competitive for a step on the podium
6. **KACENDRE ARTHENAY** - 5th of 14 in a 2800m Class F at Villedieu-les-Poëles 2 weeks ago. Is unbeaten when barefoot and although not a priority, must still be afforded respect
7. **KEEPER BAY** - Useful campaigner but has not been seen out since running 2nd of 14 in a 2100m Parilly Class F mid-December and can be passed over
8. **KIWI DE CONNEE** - Sanctioned on re-entry in a 2800m Class F at Villedieu-les-Poëles 2 weeks ago. Has previously imposed with Eric Raffin and can do so again
9. **KAPRICE D'EVAILLES** - Steps up in category after winning a 2750m Elbeuf Class H a fortnight ago. Enjoys a good entry in front and will have a claim on the silverware
10. **KOLOSSE RHODES** - Disappointing in both return runs, most recently sanctioned in a 2400m Amiens Class F mid-March. Pads fitted this time and cannot be considered a player
11. **KISSES ROYALE** - Serious mare making first appearance since winning a 2700m Vincennes Class E last August. Stays shod for the occasion but should nevertheless give an honourable account
12. **KAISER BEGONIA** - Unseen since finishing 11th of 14 in a 2850m Vincennes Class D last October and is not about to spice things up
13. **KINGDOM DE CHENU** - Respectable 6th of 8 in a 2150m Enghien Class E on 25 March. Breaks from 2nd line but will appreciate a return to Chartres and will be expected to figure prominently

Summary: Christophe Mallet appears to have a lock on this race with the wonderfully-engaged pair of KIWI DE CONNEE (8), who goes barefoot with Eric Raffin reining, and recent winner, KAPRICE D'EVAILLES (9), who is confirmed at the venue. KEVISE BECO (5) has 2 runs in her since the winter layoff and should be able to contest the finish. Well-entered at the limit of earnings, KINGDOM DE CHENU (13) has an extra 25m to travel but is in form, has previously won here, and looks player.

SELECTIONS

KIWI DE CONNEE (8) - KAPRICE D'EVAILLES (9) - KEVISE BECO (5) - KINGDOM DE

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CHENU (13)

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C6 - PRIX DE LA VILLE DE CHAMPHOL - 2825m (a2m) - Class F Race - Harness - EUR € 26,000

1. **JOVIALE PRIOR** - Handy sort that finished last of 11 when being conditioned in a 2875m Meslay-du-Maine Class E on 18 March. Pleased on lone Chartres start but on this occasion seems to have too much to do
2. **JODLEUSE MAG** - Returns to winning ways mid-March when easily securing a Class E over course and distance. In tougher company this time but should not be entirely ruled out
3. **ILLUSION DE CHENU** - Sanctioned in a Class F over track and trip on 16 March. Races barefoot this time but others easier to back
4. **IBIZA DE CONNEE** - Hardy element that ran 2nd of 16 on re-entry in a 2850m Laval amateurs Class G a month back. Champion driver in the bike this time and must be considered a contender
5. **JEALOUS GIRL** - Has 2 races under her belt, latterly 9th of 11 in a 2150m Mauquenchy Class E 10 days ago. Shod to preference this time and is not incapable of making her presence felt
6. **JERONIMO DU CAUX** - Unremarkable 7th of 16 in a 2825m Class F at Le Croise-Laroche late last month and with shoes on this time is unlikely to influence the outcome
7. **JAHINA VITA** - 12th of 14 in a 2825m Cordemais Class E a fortnight ago. Missed the break that day but enjoys a good entry and can play a leading role if Frédéric Guinhut gets him off to a decent start
8. **HORS CADRE** - Last of 13 when being prepared for this in a 2700m Graignes amateurs Class G 10 days ago. Barefoot for the occasion, on front row, but others still preferred
9. **JIM D'ALOUETTE** - 3rd of 16 in a 2875m Enghien Class E a month ago. Is plainly close to winning another and racing barefoot may be just the ticket
10. **IERMES DE GUEZ** - Quality individual that ran 4th of 12, on return to competition, in a 2850m Vincennes E 9 days ago. Incurs the handicap but will have progressed for the run and may yet prove the main danger
11. **GRAND PAJELO** - Sanctioned on return to competition 2 weeks ago in a 2825m Cordemais Class F. Shoes on again and can be ruled out
12. **HANDZARO DU BOCAGE** - Excellent servant here for reasons of conditioning after running 11th of 13 in a 2450m Caen Class E late last month and best to hold off
13. **JALIMEDE** - Has not been seen out since running 6th of 11 in a 2100m Vincennes Class B on 23 January. Shoes on and poses no danger
14. **JETIDA** - Tough mare making first start since finishing a surprising last but one in a 2850m Vincennes Class D on 16 February. Has been freshly-reconfigured and should not be ruled out
15. **JAZZ DE PERVENCHE** - Won an Enghien amateurs before running 2nd of 16 in a 2800m Argentan Class E 3.5 weeks ago. Unlikely to win this from the 2nd line but sports a new formula and is still competitive for a first-5 cheque
16. **JIPET DE CREPIN** - Serious trotter making first start since winning a 2850m Vincennes Class C mid-January. Here for reasons of conditioning and can be passed over

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Summary: Wonderfully-entered on the front row and currently in fine form, JIM D'ALOUETTE (9) races barefoot for the first time, at a track he will appreciate, and should be able to wrap this up. Even though 25m worse off, IERMES DE GUEZ (10) reassured in good company at Vincennes and, similarly-shod, will be no pushover. Runner-up in an amateur event on comeback, IBIZA DE CONNEE (4) breaks in front this time, runs barefoot, and is reunited with Eric Raffin. JAHINA VITA (7) raced better at Cordemais than the result would suggest and, proven at Chartres, must be retained.

SELECTIONS

JIM D'ALOUETTE (9) - IERMES DE GUEZ (10) - IBIZA DE CONNEE (4) - JAHINA VITA (7)

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C7 - PRIX ENTREPRISE TRIBOUILLET - 2825m (a2m) - Class G Race - Mounted - EUR € 24,000

1. **JAPHET SNOB** - Makes first appearance since September 2023. Has buckets of potential but is going to be race-rusty
2. **JAR BEN** - Like a horse reborn over recent months, latterly winning a 2700m Graignes Class F mid-March. Is being aimed at bit too high this time though and others preferred
3. **JUNON TWIN** - In the frame in 3 of last 4, latterly 2nd of 14 in a 2850m Mauquenchy Class E 10 days ago. Takes on a tougher task this time but can still hold her own
4. **JACADI DE PEBRAC** - Left a very good impression when 2nd of 10 in a 2850m Mauquenchy Class F on 17 March and if he runs to the same value, can impose this time
5. **JERICO D'ORGERES** - Sanctioned, on return to the code, in a a 2825m Class F at Le Croise-Laroche late-March and has no possible chance
6. **JEFF DE TILLARD** - Won under harness at La Capelle before repeating in a 2550m monte Class F at Gournay-en-Bray 3 weeks ago and the hat-trick is very much in play
7. **JUPITER DE VAL** - Excellent in both return runs, most recently 4th of 12 in a 2875m Enghien Class D on 25 March. Will be close to his best and makes his Chartres debut with a good hand to play
8. **IMPEC DE BERTRANGE** - Modest sort that ran last to 12 to JAR BEN (2) in a 2700m Graignes Class F mid-March. Shoes on and can be ruled out
9. **JAZZ MARTINEZ** - Unraced since being sanctioned in a 2700m harness Class F at Le Croise-Laroche, but has considerable aptitude, has been entrusted to Benjamin Rochard, and the entry could not have been better
10. **JACKPOT DU CHOQUEL** - Starts for first time since finishing last of 9 in a 2175m Vincennes Class C last August and is going to need the race
11. **JUBY DE BAILLY** - 15th of 17 in a 2800m Rambouillet Class E 2 weeks ago. Unraced under the saddle for almost exactly a year and is not about to cause an upset
12. **IKITORI** - As solid as a rock since late-December, most recently 2nd of 11 in a 2800m Pontchateau Class G early-March, and will be no easy touch
13. **JAVA WIC** - Is close to her best, most recently 3rd of 9 in a 2875m Argentan Class E on 19 March. Is due a win soon and despite the penalty can still compete for a place in the frame
14. **IRIS THORIS** - Returns to her code of preference after running 12th of 18 in a 2625m Cherbourg harness Class D conditioner a week ago. Has never delivered at Chartres but, considering the engagement, deserves to be taken seriously

Summary: Runner-up in her last two, and eye-catching at Mauquenchy mid-March, JACADI DE PEBRAC (4) put on a good show on his lone Chartres start and is easy to like for the win. Estelle Croisic can still expect to feel the heat from fellow front-row starters, JEFF DE TILLARD (6), who comes here on a hat-trick, and JUPITER DE VAL (7) who drops down the category-ladder. Very hard to knock when barefoot, JAVA WIC (13) is forced to travel an extra 25m, but is still competitive for a spot on the podium.

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JACADI DE PEBRAC (4) - JEFF DE TILLARD (6) - JUPITER DE VAL (7) - JAVA WIC (13)