R1 AUTEUIL [L-H]

C1 - PRIX GASTON BRANERE - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Listed Divided Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 110,000

- **1. EMID'IO PEPE -** Ran a good race to be 2nd in a Class 1 handicap hurdle over 3600m at this track on February 24th, which came after three wins in a row. Sets the standard
- **2. LORENZO DU CHENET -** Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 3600m in a Class 1 handicap hurdle at this track on February 24th. Live contender
- **3. BANDANAS -** 5th on his last two runs, the latter over track and trip in a Listed hurdle on March 8th. Merits consideration
- **4. LEBANDACARL -** Three placed runs so far, the latter when 4th at this track over 3500m in a Class 2 hurdle on November 30th. Handicap debut and warrants respect
- **5. GREY FIGHTER -** 5th on the last start over track and trip in a Listed hurdle on March 15th. He won at Nantes over hurdles in late October. Needs more in a strong event
- **6. ELEKTRIX -** Two placed efforts this year, the latter over track and trip in a Listed hurdle on March 15th. Enters calculations each-way
- **7. NECTARIS -** Won a Class 2 handicap hurdle over course and distance on March 15th. Lightly raced and has a leading each-way chance
- **8. MOLLY DE BURGE -** 5th last time, 4th before that over track and trip in a handicap hurdle on October 24th. Faces a stiff task
- **9. NONOLETA -** Unplaced last time out, 2nd before that over 3400m at Clairefontaine on July 1st in a Class 2 hurdle. One to pay attention too
- **10. MON PETIT PRINCE -** Placed 2nd on his last two runs, the latter over 3500m on March 30th in a Class 2 hurdle at Nantes. Competitive run expected at nice odds
- **11. LEADING RAFFLES -** Two wins of late, the latter over 3550m in a Class 3 hurdle at Fontainebleau on March 29th. Improving but this is going to be more testing
- **12. MESSY -** Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 3700m at this track in a claiming chase on March 15th. Better form over fences recently
- **13. LE ROI LOTH -** Two unplaced runs since a win over 3400m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on January 7th in a Class 4 hurdle. Looks outclassed
- **14. ALI PACHA -** Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 3600m at Argentan on March 1st in a Class 4 hurdle. Unlikely to threaten
- **15. CARGO DE NUIT -** Placed 2nd on the last start over track and trip in a Listed hurdle on March 15th. Has claims for being on the premises
- **16. LUCKY ROQUE -** 2nd on his last start over 3550m at Fontainebleau on March 11th in a Class 4 hurdle. Might find this difficult

Summary: EMID'IO PEPE (1) was a pleasing second on his latest start over course and distance in a Class 1 handicap hurdle and can defy top weight. LEBANDACARL (4) showed plenty of promise in three starts last year and can make life difficult for the selection on his handicap debut. LORENZO DU CHENET (2) can make his presence felt. He has decent course form and should be on the premises. NONOLETA (9) has a good racing weight and can be competitive. MON PETIT PRINCE (10) is another to consider each way.

SELECTIONS

EMID'IO PEPE (1) - LEBANDACARL (4) - LORENZO DU CHENET (2) - NONOLETA (9)

C2 - PRIX RENE COUETIL - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 59,000

- **1. LEVOILATIEP -** Nice 2nd over 3300m in a Class 3 hurdle at Strasbourg on March 22nd on his last start. He scored over fences in a Class 3 chase last September at Lyon Parilly. Outside place chance
- **2. LOWRY -** 4th on his latest start over 3500m in a Class 2 chase at this track on March 23rd. Can be opposed
- **3. LANIVTSI -** He has won on the flat and over hurdles and two 3rd placed efforts over fences, the latest over 3500m in a Class 2 chase at this track on March 23rd. Player
- **4. LARZAND -** Got off the mark over fences at Moulins in a Class 4 chase over 3800m on March 9th. He can keep on progressing and be involved
- **5. LUGOVILLE -** Unplaced last time out over hurdles, 2nd before that on debut over 3600m in a hurdle race at this track on October 8th. Chase debut and warrants respect
- **6. L'ESPOIR -** He won over hurdles on his second start in February and then ran a pleasing effort in a Class 4 chase at Fontainebleau over 3600m on his latest start on March 11th. Useful prospect
- **7. LA GRANDE MALICE -** Unplaced on hurdles debut at this track in a Class 2 event over 3500m on March 23rd, she won on the flat before that in August. Chase debut and others rate higher

Summary: L'ESPOIR (6) won easily over hurdles on his second start and jumped well on his chase debut when second at Fontainebleau last month. He looks like a bright prospect and is marginally preferred over LARZAND (4), who scored at Moulins in a Class 4 chase in early March on his latest start and can improve on that. LANIVTSI (3) has more experience over fences and can make the frame. LUGOVILLE (5) is also worth considering on his chasing debut.

SELECTIONS

L'ESPOIR (6) - LARZAND (4) - LANIVTSI (3) - LUGOVILLE (5)

C3 - PRIX OTEUIL SF - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 53,000

- **1. LESTRU -** Won on debut over 3500m at Moulins in a Class 3 hurdle on March 22nd. Progress expected and he can place at nice odds
- **2. LETSGO D'ALENE -** Unplaced last time out, 2nd before that over 3500m at Pau over hurdles on his debut on December 25th. Key chance
- **3. LYNX DES GENIEVRES -** Three unplaced efforts of late, he won before that over 3300m at Strasbourg in a Class 4 hurdle on September 8th, 2024. Looks safely held
- **4. LOUSTIC DE CIERGUE -** Flat winner, who made a good start over hurdles when 2nd at Lyon Parilly on March 16th in a Class 3 hurdle over 3400m. One to keep safe
- **5. LITTORAL** Two 4th placed runs so far, the latter over 3500m at this track on his hurdling debut on March 8th. Might find a few of these too smart
- **6. LUDMIKO** 6th on his hurdles bow over 3500m at this track on March 8th, and won on debut on the flat on November 2nd over 3200m. Can place at nice odds
- **7. LA HORRA -** Placed on her last four starts over hurdles, the latter over 3500m in a Class 2 on March 30th. Looks vulnerable
- **8. L'OR MONSEIGNOR -** 7th on his first run over hurdles at this track over 3500m on March 8th. He won on the flat over 3000m on November 30th at Limoges. Unlikely to trouble some of these
- **9. LISKARIA -** Won on her debut over 2900m on the flat at Senonnes on March 15th. Hurdles debut and is sure to be well drilled. Can be on the premises
- **10. LOUISVILLE -** Nice 2nd over 3400m in a Class 2 hurdle at La Teste on March 22nd, she won on the flat last October on debut at Angouleme. Player
- **11. LOUBA -** 5th on hurdles bow last time over 3500m in a Class 2 race at this track on March 23rd. Placed several times on the flat in Group AQ races. One to consider
- **12. L'ETONNANTE SWEEN -** Two wins on the flat recently, the latter over 2500m at Saint-Cloud in a Group 2 AQ race on October 14th. She will be well schooled and ready for her hurdles debut
- **13. L'ART DE VIVRE -** 6th on the one run on the flat over 2900m at Royan on September 15th. Hurdles debut and is best watched for now

Summary: LETSGO D'ALENE (2) failed to complete last time out but showed promise when a good second on his hurdles debut at Pau in December and is given the vote in this conditions hurdle. L'ETONNANTE SWEEN (12) is a dual flat winner, including a Group 2 AQ race at Saint-Cloud in October, and should be well prepared for her hurdles bow. LOUSTIC DE CIERGUE (4) made a positive start when second on debut last month and is one to consider. LOUISVILLE (10) also has the potential to get involved.

SELECTIONS

LETSGO D'ALENE (2) - L'ETONNANTE SWEEN (12) - LOUSTIC DE CIERGUE (4) - LOUISVILLE (10)

C4 - PRIX ANDRE GIRARD - 3500m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 57,000

- **1. BEST OF US -** Decent 2nd over 3500m in a Class 3 chase at this track on March 23rd. Looks ready to win again
- **2. SANTANA BEACH -** 4th last time out, she won before that over 3700m at Angers in a Class 2 chase on February 16th. Needs a few to misfire
- **3. TRAMONTANE -** Several unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3900m in a Class 1 chase on March 24th at Compiegne. Best avoided
- **4. LOUSTIC D'ERABLE -** Two placed runs so far over hurdles, the latter when 4th at Compiegne in a Class 4 hurdle at Compiegne on March 24th. Chasing bow and others preferred
- **5. HASSADAM -** Fair 4th over 3600m in a Listed hurdle at this track on March 8th after a win on debut last October at Auteuil. Chase debut and can have a leading role
- **6. NEVA -** 5th last time out, 3rd previously over 3500m at this track in a Class 4 chase on March 2nd. In the mix
- **7. PICKLAND** 5th on his last run, he won before that over 3400m at Dieppe on August 11th in a Class 3 hurdle. Chase debut and his trainer will have him well tuned
- **8. LEGOLAS TEK -** Won on his last start over 3400m at Compiegne in a Class 4 chase on March 24th. One to pay attention too
- **9. COUTE QUE COUTE -** Won on her chase debut at Fontainebleau in a Class 4 race over 3600m on March 11th, two time winner over hurdles last year. One to consider each-way
- **10. SUN LADY MARINE** Ran well to be 2nd over 3700m at Angers on her chase debut in a Class 3 race on March 22nd. Hurdle race winner and she has an outside place chance

Summary: BEST OF US (1) was a decent second on his last start late last month at this track and can get his first success over fences. He likely has the most to fear from HASSADAM (5), who will strip fitter after a fourth in a Listed hurdle at this track in early March on his latest start. He will be well schooled for his chase debut. LEGOLAS TEK (8) won over hurdles at Compiegne last month and looks the type to do well over fences. PICKLAND (7) looks best of the others.

SELECTIONS

BEST OF US (1) - HASSADAM (5) - LEGOLAS TEK (8) - PICKLAND (7)

C5 - PRIX DES GENETS - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Claiming - Hurdles - EUR € 26,000

- **1. KING OF RUN -** Three unplaced runs since a win over 3800m at Pau in a handicap hurdle on January 2nd. Can make the top-three
- **2. JACK AND CO -** Unraced gelding by Kingfisher, the dam never raced. Likely to improve for this debut and is best watched in the betting for clues
- **3. STORM DES FLOS -** Unplaced last time out, 4th before that over 3900m at Auteuil on March 8th in a Class 2 handicap hurdle. Capable of making the top four
- **4. FORET VIERGE -** Two unplaced runs this year, 4th previously over 3800m at Fontainebleau in a Class 2 handicap hurdle on December 10th. More required to feature
- **5. BONHEUR DU SUD -** Several unplaced runs recently, the latter over 3900m at Auteuil in a Class 3 handicap hurdle on March 30th. Hardly inspiring form
- **6. KLIPPER -** Three unplaced runs this year, he was 4th before that over 3500m at Pau in a handicap hurdle on December 17th. Track and trip winner last year. Player
- **7. HAMANDIO -** Has been out of form since a 2nd over 3800m at Dieppe on August 11th last year in a Class 2 handicap hurdle. Not reliable
- **8. KEEP STAR -** 5th on his last start over 3800m at Compiegne in a claiming hurdle on April 2nd. Has a place chance
- **9. MISSAMERICAN -** Has four unplaced runs this year, the latest over 3800m at Angers in a Class 3 hurdle on March 22nd. Pass over
- **10. KADIJA -** Creditable 2nd over 3800m in a claiming hurdle at Compiegne on April 2nd last time out. Among the leading chances
- **11. FOU DU BRESIL -** Unplaced last time, 4th before over 3800m at Nimes on November 17th in a claiming chase. Makes no appeal
- **12. MONTE CRISTO -** Two unplaced runs this year, the latter over 4100m at Angers in a handicap hurdle on February 16th. One to consider each-way
- **13. SANG POUR SANG -** Fair 5th over 3600m at Argentan on March 1st in a Class 4 hurdle. He will strip fitter for that run. One to pay close attention too
- **14. ALGAJUST -** 2nd on the last start over 3900m at Nimes in a claiming hurdle on March 29th. Others rate higher
- **15. STYLE DE WAY -** Placed on his last four runs, the latter when 2nd over 3850m in a claiming chase at Fontainebleau on February 25th. Ought to be in the shake-up

Summary: KLIPPER (6) won over track and trip last year in a handicap hurdle. He has dropped in the weights after a few unplaced runs of late and is well handicapped. He is the tentative selection in an open handicap. SANG POUR SANG (13) was a fair fifth over hurdles at Argentan last month and can make his rivals work hard. KADIJA (10) was second on her latest start at Compiegne and is a solid each-way option. STYLE DE WAY (15) looks best of the remainder.

KLIPPER (6) - SANG POUR SANG (13) - KADIJA (10) - STYLE DE WAY (15)

C6 - PRIX DU VIVARAIS - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Hurdles - EUR € 57,000

- **1. GRANDEUR NATURE -** Unplaced last time out, 2nd before that in the Grand Steeple-Chase De Paris over 6000m at this track on May 19th. Return from a break and can score
- **2. KLASSIC PRECIEUX -** Won on his last start over 3600m at this track in a Class 2 hurdle on March 15th. Hard to ignore at this track
- **3. SWEATING BULLETS -** Placed on both starts, the latter when 4th in a Class 2 hurdle at Auteuil on March 15th over 3600m. Lacks experience and others more likely
- **4. AUTHORYTY SEVEN -** Fair 2nd over 3900m at Bordeaux Le Bouscat on his last run on March 5th in a Class 2 hurdle. This requires a good bit more
- **5. KENTUCKY WOOD -** Decent placed form over fences recently, 4th on the latest over 4400m at Auteuil in a Grade 3 race on March 8th. Key chance
- **6. FRENCH BARON -** Two placed runs last year, 3rd on the latest over 3600m in a Class 2 hurdle at Auteuil on November 16th. Might improve for this run after a layoff
- **7. WESTERN STARS -** Two unplaced runs of late over hurdles, the latter over 3800m at Fontainebleau on March 29th in a Class 3 race. Flat winner but looks out of his depth
- **8. KADOR DE CIERGUES -** Two unplaced runs since a 3rd over 4400m in a Grade 3 chase at Auteuil on October 19th. Among the leading chances
- **9. KIT RAFFLES -** Not seen since a 2nd in a Listed chase over 3450m at Compiegne on November 10th, 2023. Returns from a long absence and others make more appeal

Summary: GRANDEUR NATURE (1) makes his return after not being seen since November over fences. He was a good second in the Grand Steeple-Chase De Paris last May at this track and a winner over hurdles before that at Compiegne. He can score from KENTUCKY WOOD (5), who has been placed in Grade 3 chases on his last two starts. KADOR DE CIERGUES (8) has been racing in good company and is capable of finishing in the top three. KLASSIC PRECIEUX (2) won at this track in March and warrants respect.

SELECTIONS

GRANDEUR NATURE (1) - KENTUCKY WOOD (5) - KADOR DE CIERGUES (8) - KLASSIC PRECIEUX (2)

C7 - PRIX ANDRE BOINGNERES - 4400m (a3m) - TURF - Class 3 Race - Steeple Chase - EUR € 57,000

- **1. IVANOHE -** Placed on his last two runs, the latter when 2nd over 4100m at Pau in a handicap chase on February 11th. Others make more appeal
- **2. JOYFULL -** 5th last time out, he won before that over 3800m at Angers in a Class 3 handicap chase on February 26th. Has work ahead
- **3. ITIEPY -** Fair 2nd over 3900m at Compiegne on March 24th in a Class 2 chase on the last run. Hard to rule out
- **4. HOKUSAI VALLIS -** Two decent 3rd placed efforts of late, the most recent over 3500m at this track in a Class 3 handicap chase. Ought to be thereabouts
- **5. KALCA MOME -** Won over 3600m at Fontainebleau on March 11th in a Class 4 event last time out. Honest performer who will be hard to beat
- **6. KAVARATTI -** Fair 2nd over 4100m at Lyon Parilly on his last start in a Class 2 handicap chase on March 16th. Live player
- **7. KING PINEAU -** 6th last time out, 3rd before that over 3800m in a Class 3 hurdle at Saint-Brieuc on March 2nd. Place chance
- **8. FENICE SAN MARCO -** Unplaced on the one run this year, that was over 3500m at this track in a Class 3 handicap chase. Not seen before that for 17 months. Avoidable
- **9. JUAN DU LEMO -** Two unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3900m in a Class 2 chase at Compiegne on March 24th over fences. Look for an alternative
- **10. JARATATA DU DORAT -** Four unplaced runs this year, the latter over 3500m at this track in a Class 3 handicap chase on March 23rd. One to steer clear of
- **11. KOUTOUZOV -** 7th last time out, 4th before that over 3600m at Auteuil on March 2nd in a Class 2 chase. Hard to fancy
- **12. INEA JAP -** Two unplaced runs since a 2nd over 3800m at Le Petre in a Class 4 chase on October 26th. Opposable
- **13. KINGSCROSS** Unplaced on the one run this year, 4th on December 8th at this track in a Class 1 chase over 4400m before that. One for the shortlist

Summary: KALCA MOME (5) was a game-winner on his latest start at Fontainebleau early last month and is the selection in this chase. He probably has the most to fear from KAVARATTI (6), who shaped well to be second at Lyon Parilly in a Class 2 handicap chase on March 16th. KINGSCROSS (13) was a decent fourth in a Class 1 chase last December and is worth considering. HOKUSAI VALLIS (4) has been placed on the last two starts and can not be discounted.

SELECTIONS

KALCA MOME (5) - KAVARATTI (6) - KINGSCROSS (13) - HOKUSAI VALLIS (4)

C8 - PRIX DANIEL LESCALLE - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Divided Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 62,000

- **1. KISSY -** Fair 6th in a Listed hurdle over track and trip on March 15th on her latest run. She warrants respect despite top-weight
- **2. DASHKA -** 3rd on the most recent start over 3700m in a claiming chase at this track on April 3rd. Unlikely to threaten
- **3. LA FLEUR AU FUSIL** She has been placed on her last three starts over hurdles, the latter a Class 2 at this track over 3500m on March 8th. Handicap bow and can not be ignored
- **4. MORE QUALITY -** 5th on his last start over 3400m at Angers in a Class 3 hurdle on March 22nd. Tries a handicap and might need a few to misfire
- **5. DINO STYLE -** Showed his best run so far over track and trip in a Class 2 handicap hurdle when 3rd on March 15th. Ought to be in the shake-up
- **6. DJEMBE DAVIS -** Better run to be 6th in a Class 2 handicap hurdle at this track and trip on March 16th. Place contender
- **7. GINO'S LINE -** 3rd on the last start over 3400m at La Teste in a Class 2 hurdle on March 22nd. Others hold stronger claims
- **8. LOLLITA -** Three unplaced runs this year, the latter over 3600m in a Class 3 chase on March 29th at Fontainebleau. Opposable
- **9. LE COLOMBIER -** Three unplaced runs so far, the most recent over 3400m at Compiegne on November 29th in a Class 2 hurdle. Others make more appeal
- **10. LES FLOTS BLEUS -** Won on her last start over 3400m in a claiming hurdle at Compiegne on April 2nd. This requires a lot more
- **11. LA LOUISIANE -** Won at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 3400m in a claiming hurdle on January 1st on her most recent outing. Has to raise her game to make the frame
- **12. L'EQUIPE DE CHOC -** Got off the mark on her third start over hurdles at Bordeaux Le Bouscat on April 5th in a Class 3 over 3700m. Handicap debut and looks well treated
- **13. VERONALE -** Unplaced last time out, 3rd before that over 3600m at Compiegne on March 12th in a Class 2 handicap hurdle. One to consider
- **14. PORZMAN -** Creditable 4th on the latest run over 3400m at Nimes in a Class 4 hurdle on March 29th. Likely to have a say in the finish
- **15. MIRAGE DEUX -** Three unplaced runs since a 2nd over 3800m in a claiming chase at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on January 7th. Needs a personal best effort to score
- **16. NIKKI FLIGHT -** Nice effort to be 2nd over track and trip in a Class 2 hurdle on March 15th on the latest outing. Player
- **17. ARISTOCRATIE** 3rd at Nimes over 3400m in a claiming chase on March 29th on her last start. One to overlook

Summary: L'EQUIPE DE CHOC (12) got off the mark on her third start over hurdles with a win at Bordeaux Le Bouscat 10 days ago and could be well treated for this handicap debut. LA FLEUR AU FUSIL (3) has been placed on her last three hurdle starts, most recently in a Class 2 at this track, and is another to note now switching to handicap company. KISSY (1) carries top weight but shaped fairly well in a recent Listed hurdle and looks solid each way. NIKKI FLIGHT (16) also appeals and shouldn't be overlooked.

SELECTIONS

L'EQUIPE DE CHOC (12) - LA FLEUR AU FUSIL (3) - KISSY (1) - NIKKI FLIGHT (16)