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## R1 VINCENNES [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX D'APT - 2850m (a1 3/4m) - Class - Mounted - EUR € 59.000**

- 1. GENERAL** - Good, consistent type that has been acquitting himself well at Vincennes this term. Beat FEELING BOY (3) last time out and looks competitive once again
- 2. FARANDOLE DI PALBA** - Quality element that disappointed somewhat on first start for new trainer but significant improvement anticipated this time around
- 3. FEELING BOY** - Cannot always boast pride of stride but left a good impression here last time out and, expected to have made progress, can challenge GALA D'URFIST (18) for the spoils
- 4. DONYX D'HAGUE** - Can trot but would have better prospects at a much lower level. Disregard
- 5. GUAPO MARBOULA** - Useful sort dropping back in category after a much-needed freshener under harness. Has solid references under these conditions and must be afforded respect
- 6. GADGET DU GADE** - Tough individual dropping back in category after 2 mediocre efforts here, but still appears to have too much to do
- 7. FIROS** - Very hard to fault in the ridden code. Prepped for this under harness and is barefoot for the occasion, but still looks to have his work cut out
- 8. EDELWEISS PAULCA** - Won a trio of races here last winter, including over track and trip, but is still in 'conditioning mode' and best to wait
- 9. GAIN ULTIME** - Complicated but useful trotter making just his second start following a long layoff and, even with hind shoes off, is unlikely to spring a surprise
- 10. GOUPIL D'ARDENNES** - Honest type with decent Vincennes references. Untried over 2850m of the main track though and, in this company, will struggle to make his mark
- 11. FOREVER JIEL** - Can prove a handful but has good monté credentials. Drops marginally in category and must not be underestimated
- 12. FRANGE FLEURIE** - Erratic but won smartly across town last time out. Comes here fresh, sports a revised shoeing configuration, and is not to be ignored
- 13. FIGOV DE LA CLOUE** - Very good servant in both branches of the business. Has yet to get into his stride this winter but has been entrusted to Mathieu Mottier and can start to get back in the game
- 14. GAVROCHE BEST** - Competent sort that has previously won at this level but current form does little to inspire confidence
- 15. EL VIENTO** - Moderate trotter that went into his autumn break on a low note. Barefoot for comeback but others still preferred
- 16. FLEUR DU POLEA** - Seldom gets her nose in front but consistently finishes in the mix. Has a better record over 2700m but, in present condition, is very hard to ignore
- 17. DOLLAR BABY** - Handy sort that pleased last time at this level. Encouraged behind GALA D'URFIST (18) last time and is worth keeping an eye on

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**18. GALA D'URFIST** - Took no time getting back to his best this winter. Takes a dip in category after having outclassed the opposition earlier in the month and will take all the beating

**Summary** : Unbeaten in two monté starts this winter meeting, GALA D'URFIST (18) vies for the hat-trick of Vincennes successes and, even over 2850m this time, can pull it off. FEELING BOY (3) is never far from losing his action but showed his form here late last month and, shod more competitively this time, looks the main danger. FLEUR DU POLEA (16) has taken her game to a new level this year and, although unraced since September, she is barefoot for the occasion and unlikely to disappoint. GENERAL (1) has twice finished close here over recent months and goes particularly well for Antonin André.

## SELECTIONS

**GALA D'URFIST (18) - FEELING BOY (3) - FLEUR DU POLEA (16) - GENERAL (1)**

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## C2 - PRIX EMMANUEL MARGOUTY - 2700m (a1 11/16m) - Group 2 - Harness - EUR € 120.000

**1. LAGNU MAG** - Honest colt that is still chasing that elusive first win and, in this company, has no realistic chance

**2. LUCKY JACKSON** - Struggled earlier in the season but has since come good. Imposed in style last month and, with pads fitted again, looks thoroughly capable of getting in on the action

**3. LOVINO BELLO** - Progressive sort that trotted 2nd to LUCIANO MENUET (9) in the Gr.3 Prix Louis Cauchois. Pads fitted once more and, fresh for the occasion, can get straight back down to business

**4. LASH PERRINE** - Showed decent aptitude for the game before losing his action early in the race of reference. Nivard at the helm this time and can play a small role if he assures his colt's strides

**5. LOULOU DE MYE** - Improving colt that trotted 2rd in Prix Timoko [finished 3rd] and should again acquit himself honourably, but still represents no more than a minor place chance

**6. LARGO DE CASTELLE** - Won 2 on the trot before coming 3rd [finished 4th] in the race of reference, but a repeat seems rather unlikely

**7. LITTLE BROWN** - Superb since his first steps on the track. Unbeaten in 2 starts over the main track, he latterly won with authority over 2700m at Graignes, and looks competitive for another victory

**8. LEMON TREE** - Serious future prospect that applied the pressure on LUCIANO MENUET (9) in recent Gr.3 Prix Timoko and will be expected to be even sharper this time around

**9. LUCIANO MENUET** - Good class of trotter that came close last month to winning a second Gr.3 in succession but can more than make amends if Alexandre Abrivard keeps him trotting this time

**Summary** : Currently considered the leader of his generation, LUCIANO MENUET (9) lost his action in the Gr.3 Prix Timoko when heading for success but, with more application, can make amends and win this. LEMON TREE (8) ran him close that day but nevertheless ended up with the score and, now boasting an unbeaten Vincennes record, he races with pads this time only to enhance his prospects further. Winner of 4 of 5 so far, LITTLE BROWN (7) is another quality juvenile from the Allaire powerhouse and his place looks to be on the podium. LUCKY JACKSON (2) has started to make good on his promise and a repeat of his recent romp would see him finish close.

### SELECTIONS

LUCIANO MENUET (9) - LEMON TREE (8) - LITTLE BROWN (7) - LUCKY JACKSON (2)

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C3 - PRIX DE GISORS - 2175m (a1 5/16m) - European - Mounted - EUR €  
59.000

- 1. IMAGINE BOKO** - As good in one code as the other. Makes his maiden French start in excellent form, is piloted by a leading rider, and can make it a winning one
- 2. FAVORI JET** - Delicate type with decent provincial form but has no love for Vincennes and can be passed over
- 3. ZLATAN KNICK** - Boasts a fine monté record at home in Sweden but was far from convincing here on Monday, and backs up with modest ambition
- 4. FIRST DE ROUGEMONT** - No champion but always gives what he can. Unseen since early October and, even though barefoot, still looks an outsider
- 5. FAUST DE BEYLEV** - Consistently gives everything he has, when applied. Pleased in last two appearances over the main track and, fitted with front pads this time, can make up for his recent sanction
- 6. DEEP POCKETS** - Capable in both codes and most recently reassured, but still has a lot of ground to make up
- 7. FULL CASH DE PADD** - Has been rather disappointing of late but can trot. Makes first competitive start in the monté code and must be worth retaining
- 8. ECLAT DE L'ITON** - Placed just once in 3 starts under the saddle. Returns to the code after winning in the other discipline last month and, with Alexandre Abrivard on board, looks a serious proposition
- 9. FASHION MAKER** - Fine dual-discipline trotter racing in this configuration for the first time. Thrives with Mathieu Mottier in the irons and is not to be written off. Attention
- 10. FISH DE HOUELLE** - Has produced some decent performances this season after returning to the code. Is back to racing barefoot and is one to monitor
- 11. FILOU DES OUBEAUX** - Capable type that has been campaigned at a better level this year and, while unlikely to shake things up, should nevertheless give an honest account
- 12. FOSTER DE L'ITON** - Serious trotter with nothing to prove under the saddle. Has been off for 2 months but goes unshod behind and, if still on the boil, can again figure prominently
- 13. FAUBOURG DU PERCHE** - Has shown some aptitude for the discipline but shoes back on and others preferred
- 14. FILOU DE L'ELLE** - Known more for his harness exploits but is confirmed under the saddle. Benefits from a fine entry and must not be underestimated

**Summary** : Significantly performant at home in the nordics, IMAGINE BOKO (1) makes his French debut with Eric Raffin in the irons and it would be no surprise to see him get straight down to business. It is unlikely to be all plane sailing though as ECLAT DE L'ITON (8) makes his first appearance under the saddle for over 4 years and, if form transitions, he will be dangerous. Impressive in both starts here before the spell, FOSTER DE L'ITON (12) goes unshod behind this time and, if race-ready, will be a tough nut to crack. The talented FILOU DE L'ELLE (14) returns to the monté code after failing to fire under harness and the good entry will do his prospects no disservice.

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**SELECTIONS**

**IMAGINE BOKO (1) - ECLAT DE L'ITON (8) - FOSTER DE L'ITON (12) - FILOU DE L'ELLE  
(14)**

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**C4 - PRIX MICHEL THOURY - 2100m (a1 5/16m) - European - Harness -  
EUR € 75.000**

- 1. FANATIC FLASH** - Faithful servant that left a good impression behind UNICO BROLINE (3) here last month. Has the inside line here and will not be far from the action
- 2. DIEGO SAUTONNE** - Went off the boil late last season and picked up this year where he left off
- 3. UNICO BROLINE** - Exceptional nordic trotter that was highly-impressive last month, thrashing a host of others here. Ideally-positioned in front and can double his money
- 4. HELIOT DE CAHOT** - Occasionally loses focus but is otherwise a talented trotter with solid references at a superior level. Ideally-placed on the front line and is unlikely to disappoint
- 5. GIANT CHIEF** - Capable trotter that encouraged on first start back but has been lacklustre since and is unlikely to shake things up
- 6. HIDALGO DES NOES** - Regularly campaigned at an unsuitable level but seems to be showing improvement and, from the front row, can make his presence felt
- 7. BORDEAUX S.** - Starts somewhat wide but has been specifically prepared for this. Barefoot with the boss in the sulky and has every chance of getting straight down to business
- 8. HEADING REFERENCE** - Quality individual making his first appearance since August 2022 and will not be over-taxed
- 9. ESTEBAN JIEL** - Springs the occasional surprise but is not a friend of consistency, and will need to make up for his recent clinker
- 10. TOTO BAROSSO** - Struggled for much of the year but appears to be getting back in shape. Sanctioned last time when full of running and is not one to be underestimated
- 11. SAHARA JAEURN** - Rather erratic but has already won at this level this year. Pleased on his recent re-entry from a spell and, even though starting on the 2nd row, he is barefoot for the first time and looks a serious proposition
- 12. HAVE A DREAM** - Serious sort that is very hard to fault when barefoot. Third in the race of reference and, despite the 2nd line start, can still get in on the action
- 13. HARIBO DU LOISIR** - Is not without merit but has looked very ordinary since the break and will need to raise his game
- 14. CICERO T.G.** - Won on French debut for new trainer but has failed to impress since and has little going for him this time
- 15. OSCAR L.A.** - Productively performant nordic sort but looked one race short on his recent Vincennes debut. Barefoot this time though and can get a look in if François Lagadeuc successfully navigates the start
- 16. BALSAMINE FONT** - Has ability but is never far from faulting. Pleasantly surprised behind UNICO BROLINE (3) last month but a repeat looks decidedly improbable

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**Summary** : A classy Swedish raider with black-type form, UNICO BROLINE (3) imposed with authority on last month's Vincennes debut and, with Eric Raffin reining this time, can be assured every chance of repeating. Gr.2 winner BORDEAUX S. (7) will be fully fit by now after a quartet of return races and, barefoot this time, will be no pushover. SAHARA JAEBURN (11) and FANATIC FLASH (1) finished 5th and 2nd respectively in the race of reference and neither is expected to be far off the mark.

## SELECTIONS

**UNICO BROLINE (3) - BORDEAUX S. (7) - SAHARA JAEBURN (11) - FANATIC FLASH (1)**

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**C5 - PRIX DE CAUMONT - 2700m (a1 11/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR €  
46.000**

**1. HARDI CROWN** - Has begun to show signs of a return to form but has failed to convince here since the spring and can be passed over

**2. HERMOSO** - Very good servant in the provinces and most recently won at Graignes, but takes on some tough individuals this time and chances limited

**3. HUNT** - Competitive trotter for the most part. Well-beaten here though after having scored at Mauquenchy and may be biting off more than he can chew

**4. HERMES SMART** - Rarely far from losing his action but has talent in spades. Drops back in category after a superb run in better company a fortnight ago and, with application, can give HEUREUX DE FLEUR (7) a run for his money

**5. HERMES D'ECROVILLE** - Unexceptional trotter that pleasantly surprised behind HASHTAG CHAMANT (8) recently but a repeat seems improbable

**6. HAVRE DE PAIX** - Seen more often than not under the saddle but has harness references under these conditions, and can play a prominent role if Eric Raffin keeps him trotting

**7. HEUREUX DE FLEUR** - Excellent campaigner with nothing to prove under these conditions. Is plainly close to his race and looks eminently capable of imposing

**8. HASHTAG CHAMANT** - Hardy sort that showed marked improvement in a similar event earlier in the month and, with form maintained, can again make his presence felt

**9. HECTOR DE BASSIERE** - Yet to win at the venue but has frequently comes close. Very hard to knock when barefoot and must be afforded due respect

**10. HIP HOP SENOVILLE** - Consistently in the thick of things when unshod. Pleased in both Vincennes appearances, enjoys an excellent entry, and is unlikely to disappoint

**Summary** : One of the most consistent horses in his category, HEUREUX DE FLEUR (7) has come closeto opening his winter account on 4 occasions and could well pull it off this time. Alexandre Abrivard will still be wary of the delicate but talented HERMES SMART (4) who would have finished close last time had he not faulted, and the tweaked configuration may be just he requires. HECTOR DE BASSIERE (9) is no soft touch when barefoot and should logically finish in the mix. HAVRE DE PAIX (6) tends to go well at Vincennes and returns to the harness code with a decent hand to play.

## SELECTIONS

**HEUREUX DE FLEUR (7) - HERMES SMART (4) - HECTOR DE BASSIERE (9) - HAVRE DE  
PAIX (6)**



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**C6 - PRIX OSCAR COLLARD - 2100m (a1 5/16m) - European - Harness -  
EUR € 80.000**

1. **COQUAHOLY** - Good Swedish raider that was eye-catching in very good company last time out. Drops back in class and looks eminently capable of opening his French account
2. **BENGAN** - Well-regarded Swedish colt taking his first steps south of the nordics. Leading driver engaged for the occasion but still looks no more than a minor place chance
3. **INDY ROCK** - Tricky Scandinavian visitor that proved himself here last winter. Was sanctioned on re-entry but Örjan Kihlström driving this time in a bid to make amends
4. **CHEBBA MIL** - Gr.1-winning mare that acquitted herself respectably on her lone appearance at the venue. Just 2nd start back but has an excellent spot behind the car and will generate some interest
5. **JACK TONIC** - Has form at the highest level but can prove difficult. Hind shoes off for return to competition but will not be given a hard race
6. **KARAT RIVER** - Remarkably consistent Swedish sort that gave a decent account on his recent French debut. Will have come on for the run and, from the front line, can give this a good go
7. **JAZZ IN MONTREUX** - Excellent trotter in the other code. Here for reasons of conditioning and can be ruled out
8. **IDEAL DU ROCHER** - Hardy sort that has been in cracking form this term and latterly finished runner-up to CHARMY CHARLY AS (9) over track and trip. Excels over 2100m and should be good enough to make the frame once more
9. **CHARMY CHARLY AS** - Tough type that won a similar event here a month back before suffering traffic problems next time. Handed a tough draw but still has the class to make a big splash
10. **JAGUAR MARANCOURT** - Not the most dependable but pleased here last winter. Will have come on for his recent re-entry but others still preferred
11. **JUST FOR LOVA** - Is short on consistency, not ability. Below-par on comeback and appears to need another run
12. **JIGSAW PUZZLE** - Blows hot and cold but has placed at this level. Just one run in him since the break but is barefoot for the occasion and should not be written off
13. **CANTO DEI VENTI** - Has enjoyed a productive run of form since being campaigned in France. Enjoys these faster trips and, despite the draw, should be capable of challenging for a place in the frame
14. **DUNDEE AS** - Has bags of talent but is never easy to trust. Drops back in category though, with JMB reining, and can relegate his recent effort to the history books
15. **DIVA DEL RONCO** - Sprang quite the surprise when 2nd in a Gr.2 here last weekend. Poorly-drawn though and a repeat looks most improbable
16. **DYLAN DOG FONT** - Capable colt but is better at a lower level. Sanctioned on lone start at the venue and the draw only compounds matters

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**Summary** : Very impressive at home in Sweden, COQUAHOLY (1) acquitted himself superbly on his recent Vincennes debut in the Gr.2 Prix Octave Douesnel and, in similar form, can wrap this up. David Thomain will still be keeping one eye on the widely-drawn Gr.2 Prix 20 Minutes winner, CHARMY CHARLY AS (9), and his runner-up IDEAL DU ROCHER (8), who has not put a foot wrong since the summer. The capricious, but clearly talented, DUNDEE AS (14) will appreciate the shorter trip and can make up for his recent Gr.2 clinker.

## SELECTIONS

COQUAHOLY (1) - CHARMY CHARLY AS (9) - IDEAL DU ROCHER (8) - DUNDEE AS (14)

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**C7 - PRIX D'EVRECY - 2175m (a1 5/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR € 40.000**

1. **JOLIE CADENCE** - Unremarkable filly that has done nothing but blot her copybook since the summer and has no realistic chance
2. **JACKPOTINA** - Capable sort that gave a surprisingly good account behind JALOUZ D'OLIVERIE (10) last time out and will not be available at 117/1 on this occasion
3. **JEANNE DELO** - Took little time getting back in shape following the break. Is close to her race and is reunited with Alexandre Abrivard who has already won with her
4. **JETTY** - Went off the boil after twice pleasing at Enghien during the summer. Unseen since and, even with shoes off, is unlikely to spring a surprise
5. **JOLIE SMART** - Winner over 2100m her during the summer but has since failed to confirm. Shod differently this time but represents little more than a minor place prospect
6. **JOCIE DU VILLARD** - Not as sharp as she was at 3 and, even having reassured 8 days ago, still faces a stiff test
7. **JURELLA** - Complicated filly but has talent to burn. Impressive here recently and, more competitively shod this time, can double her money
8. **JOLIKOVA D'ARIANE** - Has gone winless so far this year but has done nothing but improve lately. Returns barefoot to the harness code with a good hand to play
9. **JODLEUSE MAG** - Delicate sort but not devoid of ability. Appears to have lost her way though and others preferred
10. **JALOUZ D'OLIVERIE** - Quality element that victoriously met her first winter objective when barefoot for the first time and, in similar form, can repeat
11. **JOYCE DREAM** - Unpredictable type that springs the occasional surprise but appears to need another run
12. **JALAPA DU BUISSON** - Useful trotter with decent Vincennes references at this level and is better than latest performance would suggest. Reverts to racing with front shoes off and must be worth keeping an eye on
13. **JOYCE BEGONIA** - Held her own here last winter and will be fit by now, but takes on some good horses here and will have too much to do
14. **JOYCE DES GRANGES** - Acquits herself well for the most part and latterly beat JEANNE DELO (3). Enjoys a good entry and can expect to finish in the mix at the business end of the race
15. **JEALOUSY QUEEN** - Capable sort that has placed under similar conditions but is not yet back at her best. Benefits from a superb entry though and will not be too far off the mark if Yoann Lebourgeois keeps her trotting

**Summary** : A fairly open affair this, with a number in contention, but a tentative nod goes to JURELLA (7) who flew up here recently, when shod. She sports front pads for the first time since winning here last winter and, with application, can repeat. Jean-Michel Bazire will be justifiably wary of the good JALOUZ D'OLIVERIE (10) who met little opposition en route to a facile success late last month, and JEANNE DELO (3) who reassured here 3 weeks ago. JOLIKOVA D'ARIANE (8) will be reined by Mathieu Mottier this time, is clearly in form, and going barefoot will only enhance her prospects.

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JURELLA (7) - JALOUZ D'OLIVERIE (10) - JEANNE DELO (3) - JOLIKOVA D'ARIANE (8)

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**C8 - PRIX DE MANSLE - 2100m (a1 5/16m) - European - Harness - EUR € 70.000**

- 1. BROTHERS IN ARMS** - Solid as a rock since the summer. Was by no means disgraced in Gr.2 Prix Pierre Plazen last month and is sufficiently well-placed to get in on the action
- 2. KOCKTAIL LOVE** - Good class of colt that would have finished close last time had he not faulted. Is well-placed in front and can win this if he stays in stride
- 3. KAPORAL DES FORGES** - Struggled somewhat over the autumn but came good again here late last month and, from the 3-spot, will be no easy touch
- 4. GLOBAL ETALON** - Quality Swedish colt but went off the boil in the autumn. Rested since and unlikely to be given a hard race
- 5. KID BELLAY** - Black-type colt that trotted 2nd to KAPORAL DES FORGES (3) last time out. If more at ease on this occasion, should figure prominently
- 6. KARLITO** - Regularly a case of all-or-nothing but has already won over the main track. Suffered interference at the hands of KOLDPLAY (11) last time out but is still not a priority
- 7. KAVIARISSIME** - Competent type that goes over any trip. Did not have much in the tank when sanctioned last time and is unlikely to shake things up
- 8. KOOL AND THE GANG** - Back at his best following a couple of mishaps during the summer. Forced to start wide but will not be far off the mark if Romain Derieux can successfully negotiate the start
- 9. EBANO D'ARC** - Has failed to impress since winning a minor event in Rome and the draw only adds insult to injury
- 10. ERNEST JET** - Seldom gets his nose in front but can trot. Shoes on though for Vincennes debut and not an obvious choice
- 11. KOLDPLAY** - Has considerable ability but starts on back line this time. Unlucky last time out but, with stride in check, can get a look in
- 12. KHAL'S FELLA** - Not ideally-positioned but left an excellent impression on re-entry here and, with form maintained, can bring the fight to KOCKTAIL LOVE (2)
- 13. ERNESTO ROC** - Unremarkable Italian raider that posted his best Vincennes result early last month but has a tough draw and will need to find more
- 14. EDWIN JET** - Has excellent form in Italy and latterly pleased on his Vincennes debut, but will still need to be at his absolute best
- 15. EXECUTIV EK** - Handy Italian type that pleased in one of 2 starts at the venue. Reassured at a lower level last month but has little going for him here and a minor place chance at best
- 16. EDGAR SABA** - Came to France off the back of 4 straight successes but has not lived up to expectations and can be passed over

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**Summary** : Although not an easy horse to handle, KOCKTAIL LOVE (2) is nevertheless brimming with ability. He was competitive for victory last time, before faulting, but can make amends if Benjamin Rochard keeps him trotting. The consistent BROTHERS IN ARMS (1) trotted 2nd that day before finishing 4th in a Gr.2 ten days later, and will again be competitive for a place in the frame, but may first have to defer to KHAL'S FELLA (12) who will have come on for his good return run. Recent winner over 2700m here, KAPORAL DES FORGES (3) has an excellent spot behind the car and could well trot his way onto the podium.

## SELECTIONS

**KOCKTAIL LOVE (2) - KHAL'S FELLA (12) - BROTHERS IN ARMS (1) - KAPORAL DES FORGES (3)**

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**C9 - PRIX DE LA CHAISE DIEU - 2175m (a1 5/16m) - Class - Harness - EUR  
€ 40.000**

- 1. KALPONE DE GUEZ** - Has evident talent but is by no means the easiest of horses to handle. 4 pads fitted this time and, if behaved, can make a big impact
- 2. KALEA DREAM** - Got her career off to a flying start but has disappointed so far this year and can expect to have few friends
- 3. KHITARA** - Complicated type but has shown what she can do with pads on and will pick up a cheque if Tristan Ouvrie keeps her trotting
- 4. KEOLA D'HERIPRE** - Useful for the most part but showed a very different side here recently and, with application, can make up for her fault in the final stages
- 5. KWINIE JHAIME** - Unexceptional trotter that has done nothing of note for some time and is not about to break the mould
- 6. KANTARELLINA CHIC** - Honest sort but not the most courageous and, even with Raffin reining, is unlikely to set off any fireworks
- 7. KALIDA MANIA** - Useful sort that has progressed well over recent months. Left a good impression here recently and, with form maintained, can again finish in the mix
- 8. KIARA DES BORDES** - Modest filly that sprang something of a surprise here 10 days ago, but a repeat looks decidedly unlikely
- 9. KOKINE JABA** - Serious filly that is significantly better than her formcard would imply. Hind pads fitted, as they were when successful last month, and can make this her own
- 10. KIMIKO DU DOUBS** - Showed early promise but has not quite lived up to expectations. 4 pads fitted this time though, with Yoann Lebourgeois reining, and will be worth monitoring
- 11. KEA DES RACQUES** - Seldom far from the action when she can stay in stride. Returned to the winners' enclosure at Bordeaux and will have her chances if she takes to Vincennes conditions
- 12. KALISTA DE HOUELLE** - Finished 3rd during the spring on her only start under these conditions. Has yet to get into her stride this term though and best to hold off
- 13. KALISKA DE FORGAN** - Moderate type whose recent result is rather flattering. Can still trot though and is not incapable of picking up a cheque
- 14. KETMIE PRINCESSE** - No champion but has been acquitting herself well here this winter. Has references over 2175m here but still represents no more than a minor place chance
- 15. KALISTA JIEL** - Capable filly with an excellent entry here. Reassured here late last month and the drop in trip should work in her favour

**Summary** : Jean-Michel Bazire appears to have the key to this race with KOKINE JABA (9) who won here last month when fitted with hind pads, and the promising KALPONE DE GUEZ (1) who, fitted with 4 pads for the first time, can put her recent sanction behind her. KALIDA MANIA (7) got back in the game over the inner track last time out and can again figure prominently if she takes to the main track profile. KEOLA D'HERIPRE (4) gave a reassuringly good account here ten days ago and, on better behaviour, can redeem herself.

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KOKINE JABA (9) - KALPONE DE GUEZ (1) - KALIDA MANIA (7) - KEOLA D'HERIPRE (4)