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R2 LYON LA SOIE [R-H]

C1 - PRIX DE LA MANCHE - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class F Amateur Riders - Mounted - EUR € 16,000

- 1. LORD SUGAR** - Has really struggled of late and was unplaced in a Class F harness race at Hyères over 2650m on 8 February. Tries a mounted race but others are preferred
- 2. LECLIF DE CHENOU** - Unreliable and finished 8th in a Class F harness race at Lyon-Parilly over 2600m on 30 November. Has run well under the saddle and can contest the finish
- 3. LESNOIX** - Has really struggled of late and finished 8th in a Class F harness race over this course and distance on 8 February. Yet to win a race and others are preferred
- 4. LUSKO** - Yet to win a race and finished 11th in a Class F harness race over this track and trip on 8 February. Better under the saddle and could contest the finish
- 5. LATINO LOVER** - Disqualified five times in a row, the latest at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 2150m on 28 December. Hard to trust but could surprise trying a mounted race
- 6. LINOTTE MANAZIF** - Finished 7th in a Class E harness race at Carpentras over 2650m on 14 October. Returns from a break but can play a minor role.
- 7. LOVIOU JOSSELYN** - Bounced back to form when third in a Class F mounted race at Rouen-Mauquenchy over 2850m on 12 February. Has disqualification issues but can win if smart
- 8. LE CHEF DE LASTEL** - Has disqualification issues and faulted last time out at this track over 2700m on 19 January. Not easy to trust but is capable of making the frame when in the right mood
- 9. LANDEVENNEC** - Unreliable and was 9th in a Class F harness race at Grenade-sur-Garonne over 2725m on 25 January. Capable of getting involved with the finish when smart
- 10. LIBERO DE LOU** - Has disqualification issues but did run well when fourth in a Class F harness race at Hyères over 2650m on 8 February. Can be a threat once again

Summary: LOVIOU JOSSELYN (7) has disqualification issues but suggested that a winning turn is not far away when running well at Rouen-Mauquenchy last week. LIBERO DE LOU (10) is clearly not one to rely on but is also capable of winning when on his best behaviour. LUSKO (4) has yet to win a race but has run some fair races under the saddle and is clearly not out of it. LANDEVENNEC (9) is unreliable but is another to consider in this tricky opening event.

SELECTIONS

LOVIOU JOSSELYN (7) - LIBERO DE LOU (10) - LUSKO (4) - LANDEVENNEC (9)

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**C2 - PRIX DU CENTRE - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness - EUR €
20,000**

- 1. MAGISTRALE MAGA** - Disqualified in a class F at Guerlesquin over 2900m on 27 July. Tries barefoot but does have major disqualification issues and could need this run returning from a break
- 2. MISS FLEUR** - Disqualified in class G at Carpentras over 2650m on 25 May. Likely to need this run returning from a break
- 3. MADAME BUTTERFLY** - Only modest of late and finished 7th in a class E at Toulouse over 2750m on 7 February. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 4. MERVEILLE DE BOISE** - Finished third in class F over this track and trip on 11 February. Remains barefoot and could earn some more money
- 5. MINARELLE DE CERREY** - Unreliable and finished 8th in class F at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Tries barefoot and is capable of an upset
- 6. MY GIRL** - Disqualified in class E at Marseille-Vivaux over 2700m on 11 February. Remains barefoot but is not easy to trust and others make more appeal
- 7. MELINE DE MONGOCHY** - Victorious in a class F at Hyeres over 2650m on 8 February. Fit and in good form. Clearly not out of it
- 8. MA BELLA DE JED** - Successful in a class F at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Tries barefoot and could follow up
- 9. MISS GABRIELLE** - Returned to form and was fourth in class E at this track over 2050m on 29 January. Can contest the finish
- 10. MILOYA ROSE** - A winner of her last two starts, the latest in a class F over this track and trip on 11 November. Returns from a break but can complete the treble
- 11. MISAKI D'OURVILLE** - Yet to win a race but was barefoot and a runner-up in a class E at this track over 2050m on 19 January. Races without shoes again and can go one place better
- 12. MAREVA** - Not disgraced when fifth in class D over this course and distance on 11 February. Has a place chance in this line-up
- 13. MARUDA** - Not reliable and finished 7th in class D over this course and distance on 11 February. Needs to do a bit more to score
- 14. MY LADY ISLAND** - A winner of a class D at Saint-Galmier over 2600m on 21 November. Returns from a break and could need this run

Summary: MISAKI D'OURVILLE (11) has yet to taste winning success but went close again last time out when racing barefoot and could go one better. MILOYA ROSE (10) returns from a break but won her last two starts and will be a threat if fit enough. MISS GABRIELLE (9) showed a return to form over the shorter distance at this course and can get into the mix. MELINE DE MONGOCHY (7) is one of several runners in this race who are capable of victory.

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MISAKI D'OURVILLE (11) - MILOYA ROSE (10) - MISS GABRIELLE (9) - MA BELLA DE

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C3 - PRIX DU PARC DES VOLCANS D'AUVERGNE - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 20,000

- 1. MICHEL ANGE** - Returned to form a barefoot winner in class G at this track over 2050m on 8 February. Remains barefoot and can double up
- 2. MAIK DU HAUTVENT** - Disqualified in class F at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. In good form before that and can make the frame
- 3. MIDNIGHT OIL** - Showed some improvement when fourth in class F at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Has a place chance in this line-up
- 4. MATCHO LOUANGES** - In good form form and was runner-up in class F over this track and trip on 25 January. Has claims of winning
- 5. MONSEIGNEUR** - Not reliable and finished 9th in class E at this track over 2050m on 29 January. Remains barefoot but needs to find a few lengths to score
- 6. MINI LULU** - Not disgraced when fifth in class E at this track over 2050m on 29 January. Might play a minor role at very best
- 7. MY LOVE PANAME** - Showed some improvement when fifth in class C at Lyon-Parilly over 2850m on 9 November. Returns from a break and could need this run
- 8. MARKUS DES AGETS** - Consistent and finished fourth in class E at Vincennes over 2700m on 3 February. Tries barefoot and should fight out the finish
- 9. MISTA GUILLERVILLE** - Not reliable and finished 6th in a class C at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 24 January. Capable of scoring when in the right mood
- 10. MADNESS DOLCE** - Unreliable and finished 6th in class D at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 2150m on 21 January. More is needed to beat these rivals

Summary: An interesting and competitive race. MICHEL ANGE (1) impressed over the shorter distance at this course last time out and can follow up. MARKUS DES AGETS (8) is usually competitive and is barefoot this time, so could be ready for some winning success. MATCHO LOUANGES (4) is in good shape and would not be a surprise winner. MISTA GUILLERVILLE (9) is not as reliable as some of those rivals but is also capable of shining brightly.

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**MICHEL ANGE (1) - MARKUS DES AGETS (8) - MATCHO LOUANGES (4) - MISTA
GUILLERVILLE (9)**

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**C4 - PRIX DU BLESOIS - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class C - Harness - EUR €
21,000**

1. NELSON VOLTIGEUR - Showed some improvement second time out when a well-beaten fourth in Class D over this course and distance on 29 January. Needs to do a lot more to beat these rivals

2. NIKKO DE JOUDES - Victorious in Class F at Saint-Galmier over 2025m on 1 February. Steps up in distance but is improving and can follow up

3. NECTAR DES LOYAUX - Disqualified last time out at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 2925m on 7 February. In good form before that and can contest the finish

4. NEMO DES BROUETS - Consistent and was third in Class D over this track and trip on 29 January. Should be involved with the finish yet again

5. NOMADE BEST - Did not show his best when 5th in Class C at Beaumont-de-Lomagne over 2400m on 1 November. Returns from a break but can bounce back to score

6. NEW BABY DOLLAR - Unbeaten in two starts, the latest in Class D over this course and distance on 29 January. Can complete his hat-trick

Summary: Only six runners go to post for this event and NEW BABY DOLLAR (6) is unbeaten in two starts. He has beaten a few of these over this course and distance and looks likely to complete his hat-trick. NEMO DES BROUETS (4) is consistent and was a well-beaten third behind that rival last month, but he should finish a lot closer this time. NOMADE BEST (5) returns from a break but does have the ability to win. NIKKO DE JOUDES (2) tries further this time but is not out of it.

SELECTIONS

**NEW BABY DOLLAR (6) - NEMO DES BROUETS (4) - NOMADE BEST (5) - NIKKO DE
JOUDES (2)**

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C5 - PRIX DU PARC DU VERCORS - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D - Harness - EUR € 26,000

- 1. J'Y CROIS** - Unreliable and finished 10th in class E at Aix-les-Bains over 2700m on 3 August. Returns from a break and should need this run
- 2. JEANNOT DU SABLIER** - Only modest of late and finished 6th in class D over this track and trip on 25 January. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 3. JOLLY LOOK** - Not reliable and finished 8th in class G over this track and trip on 25 January. Reverts to barefoot but more is needed to score
- 4. JASPER JOHNS** - Battling to find best form and finished 7th in a class F at this track over 2700m on 17 January. Others are preferred
- 5. KEROS DU BAS BOSQ** - Has struggled of late and finished 10th in class F over this track and trip on 11 February. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 6. LAGON DES BROUETS** - In good form and finished fourth in class E at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Remains barefoot and can be competitive once again
- 7. KID PADDLE** - Not reliable and finished 8th in class F over this track and trip on 11 February. Reverts to barefoot and has claims at scoring
- 8. JOUE PAS AVEC MOI** - Disqualified in class G at Agen-le-Passage over 2575m on 14 February. Remains barefoot but needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 9. JO DE L'ETANG** - Off form and was unplaced in class D over this course and distance on 25 January. Reverts to barefoot but more is needed to win
- 10. KEEP TIME** - Only moderate form of late and finished 7th in class F over this course and distance on 11 February. Others make more appeal
- 11. LOMBARDO DE LOU** - Only modest of late and finished 8th in class B at Marseille-Vivieux over 2650m on 29 October. Returns from a break and could need this run
- 12. JASMIN DE LA COUR** - Showed some improvement when fourth in class D over this course and distance on 11 February. Remains barefoot and could play a minor role
- 13. KISMET** - Finished 7th in class D at this track over 2050m on 19 January. Remains barefoot and has a place chance on best form
- 14. KISS ME** - Unreliable but was a runner-up in class D at this track over 2050m on 19 January. Remains barefoot and can go one better
- 15. LAHIRE DE NAPPES** - Unreliable and finished 8th in class B at Vincennes over 2850m on 6 February. Not easy to trust but can beat these rivals when in the mood

Summary: LAHIRE DE NAPPES (15) is not reliable but has run in better races than this and is capable of a successful trip. KISS ME (14) is also unreliable but ran well at this track last time out and can be a lively danger. KID PADDLE (7) may have had this race targeted and is barefoot and ready to strike a blow. LAGON DES BROUETS (6) remains in very good shape and can also be involved in the finish once again.

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LAHIRE DE NAPPES (15) - KISS ME (14) - KID PADDLE (7) - LAGON DES BROUETS (6)

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C6 - PRIX DU PARC DES BALLONS DES VOSGES - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- 1. LOLITA DE JEMAX** - Has struggled of late and finished 10th in a claimer at Vincennes over 2700m on 12 December. Remains barefoot but needs major improvement to win
- 2. LAMPEE DES GOUJONS** - Did not show her best when 8th in a class F over this course and distance on 11 February. Capable of doing better and has a place chance
- 3. LATINO PASS** - Unreliable and finished 9th in class F over this course and distance on 11 February. Others are preferred
- 4. LEJACK DERIG** - Battling to find best form and was 10th in a class F over this track and trip on 11 February. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 5. LE DESTIN** - Finished fourth in class D over this track and trip on 29 January. Might play a minor role at very best
- 6. LIBERTY FRANCE** - Remains in good form and was runner-up in class F at Hyeres over 2650m on 8 February. Should contest the finish
- 7. LILY DE CHICHEVET** - Not reliable and finished 6th in class D over this track and trip on 29 January. Reverts to barefoot and could earn some money
- 8. LABEL MESS** - In good form and was fourth in class D at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 24 January. Remains barefoot and is capable of scoring
- 9. LE CARAT D'AS** - In good shape and finished tthird in class E at Agen-le-Passage over 2575m on 14 February. Can be competitive once again
- 10. LIBERTY DU MORTIER** - Only modest of late and finished 9th in class E at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Reverts to barefoot but others make more appeal
- 11. L'AMIRAL FLOWER** - A winner of a class E at Vincennes over 2700m on 29 November when barefoot. Not barefoot this time and could need this run returning from a break
- 12. LYNX DES BROUETS** - Very consistent and was runner-up in class E at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Can go one place better

Summary: A very open race. LYNX DES BROUETS (12) is threatening another win and gets the vote to do just that, but will need to fight off many challengers. LABEL MESS (8) remains barefoot and is in good form, so would not be a surprise winner. LE CARAT D'AS (9) is also in good shape and will be competitive over this track and trip. LIBERTY FRANCE (6) is yet another with good recent form and must be respected for that.

SELECTIONS

LYNX DES BROUETS (12) - LABEL MESS (8) - LE CARAT D'AS (9) - LIBERTY FRANCE (6)

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**C7 - PRIX DU PARC DU VERDON - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D - Harness -
EUR € 26,000**

1. KALISTA TILOU - Consistent and was 3rd in class E at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 2925m on 23 January. Should be right there at the finish

2. LILY CARNOIS - Not disgraced when 5th in class E at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Capable of being competitive in this line-up

3. KELLY DE CERISY - Finished 7th in a claimer at Vincennes over 2100m on 11 February. Remains barefoot but does need to find a few lengths to score

4. JOIA DE PIENCOURT - Disqualified in class E at Marseille-Vivieux over 2650m on 18 January. Battling to find best form and others make more appeal

5. LEI E BELLA - Threatening to win and was runner-up in class D over this track and trip on 25 January. Returns barefoot this time and can go one better

6. KAVALE ERCA - Victorious in her last two starts, the latest a class A at Lyon-Parilly over 2850m on 15 November when barefoot. Returns from a break and is not out of it

7. JADE MAJOR - Disqualified in class E at Vincennes over 2175m on 22 January. Not reliable but does also have claims at scoring when smart

Summary: JOIA DE PIENCOURT (4) only found one better on the day over this course and distance last month and looks the right one in a small field. KALISTA TILOU (1) has been consistent of late and should challenge for top honours once again. JADE MAJOR (7) is unreliable but is not out of it when in the right frame of mind. KAVALE ERCA (6) has won her last two starts but is returning from a break, so her fitness will need to be taken on trust.

SELECTIONS

LEI E BELLA (5) - KALISTA TILOU (1) - JADE MAJOR (7) - KAVALE ERCA (6)

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**C8 - PRIX DU PARC DES ALPILLES - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness -
EUR € 30,000**

1. HODRIGO EVER - Finished 11th in class D at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Has been unreliable and others make more appeal

2. HED - Not reliable but was 4th in class E at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 2700m on 31 January. Victorious earlier in January and is not out of it

3. GALVESTON - Unreliable and finished 9th in class F at Hyeres over 2850m on 8 February. Returns barefoot and is capable of an upset

4. HUGO DE JEMAX - Off form and finished 11th in class F over this course and distance on 10 December. Needs major improvement to score

5. IMPACT CASTELETS - Did not show his best when 7th in class E at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Scored well back in January and can be competitive once again

6. GRANIT PACO - Only modest of late and finished 7th in class D at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 1 February. Capable of doing better and has a place chance

7. IDEAL DE BANNES - Only modest of late and finished 7th in class E at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 24 January. Has a place chance on best form

8. IMPERIAL MARANDAIS - Has improved of late and was 4th in class F at Rouen-Maquenchy over 2150m on 4 February. Can do even better this time around

9. IZIASLAV TEK - In good form and finished 3rd in class F at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 2550m on 8 February when barefoot. Big chance in this line-up

10. GOLD DE LA COTE - Battling to find best form and was 13th in a claimer at Saint-Galmier over 2650m on 18 October. Returns from a break and others are preferred

11. HURRICANE FRANCE - Only moderate of late and was 7th in class F at Hyeres over 2850m on 8 February. Might play a minor role at very best

12. GALOPIN DE CONDE - Unreliable and finished 7th in class F at Vincennes over 2850m on 14 January. Capable of making the frame

Summary: A competitive lucky last race. IMPERIAL MARANDAIS (8) is fit and in good form and gets the vote to score. IMPERIAL MARANDAIS (8) has shown improvement of late and can be involved in the finish once again. HED (2) does best when racing barefoot and is without shoes here, so must be respected in this line-up. GALOPIN DE CONDE (12) is not reliable but is capable of making the frame when in the right mood.

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IZIASLAV TEK (9) - IMPERIAL MARANDAIS (8) - HED (2) - GALOPIN DE CONDE (12)