## **R5 CABOURG [R-H]**

# C1 - PRIX DES DORONICS - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class F - Harness - EUR € 27.000

- **1. GAMINE DU BAS BOSQ -** Unreliable sort but is not incapable of staking a claim in a race of this nature. Not taken lightly
- **2. GAVROCHE ANABA -** Has been struggling for some time now so is unlikely to trouble the judge. Others make more appeal
- **3. GOLDEN DES TOUCHES -** Out of sorts and is probably more effective at a lower level but may have more to offer racing unshod behind
- **4. GOLDISSIME -** Disqualified last time after 'winning' at Saint-Malo. Worth another chance and ought to make amends
- **5. GUEST DES BROUSSES -** Finished a reassuring 4th last time and with the help of David Thomain could confirm. Don't ignore
- **6. GRAAL DE FROMENTEL -** Capable but delicate sort who has decent form references so is not without a chance. Not discounted
- **7. GALGA D'ESCRIT -** Up in class after winning three of her last four starts but has obvious claims on recent form. Keep safe
- **8. GODSEND -** Holding his form and seldom finishes far off the mark, so could get a look in here racing fully unshod
- **9. GUPITER** Most effective in mounted races recently and with this shoeing arrangement is best watched for now
- **10. GALAXY DE CASTELLE -** Inconsistent but is undeniably capable of making her presence felt with her shoes removed. Outsider
- **11. GROUPIE DU QUENNE -** Last-start winner racing unshod but is unlikely to repeat that feat with this shoeing configuration
- **12. GALDRIC D'ECHAL -** Often disqualified and has been struggling for some time now, so is unlikely to trouble the judge here
- **13. GETEHI DU NOYER -** Sanctioned last time but is otherwise a consistent sort with solid form credentials. Not taken lightly
- **14. GENTLEMAN PIYA -** Ultra-consistent sort boasting solid form references, so makes obvious appeal here. On the shortlist
- **15. GAGNANT DE BRIKVIL -** Tends to do well when avoiding disqualification and has caught the eye recently. Dangerous to dimiss
- **16. GLOUGLOU D'EMI -** Tends to do well when not disqualified so shouldn't be underestimated racing unshod behind. Watch

**Summary**: GOLDISSIME (4) had victory taken away from him upon investigation last time and finds here an ideal opportunity to set the record straight. Consistent GENTLEMAN PIYA (14) is likely to lead the opposition ahead of GALGA D'ESCRIT (7), who can take advantage of his good recent form to make his presence felt stepping up in class. GETEHI DU NOYER (13) was at fault in his last start recently but also has the means to have a say in this opening event. BRIKVIL WINNER (15) appeals most of the remainder.

### **SELECTIONS**

GOLDISSIME (4) - GENTLEMAN PIYA (14) - GALGA D'ESCRIT (7) - GETEHI DU NOYER (13)

# C2 - PRIX DES SPIREES - 2725m (a1 11/16m) - Autostart - Class F - Harness - EUR € 23.000

- **1. IDEAL DE NGANDA -** Has proven most effective when racing barefoot and appears to have been carefully prepared for this engagement. Include
- **2. IGOR DES CAILLONS -** Seldom wins but seldom finishes far off the mark and is effective racing unshod behind. Dark horse
- **3. INSAISISSABLE DUO -** Not at his best recently but has the means to be competitive here racing unshod on all four. Keep safe
- **4. IVOLI ZEUS -** Tends to do well when avoiding disqualification and has caught the eye recently. Dangerous to dismiss
- **5. IMAKO VERDERIE -** Inconsistent but is not incapable of making his presence felt in a race of this nature. Not taken lightly
- **6. IPOP -** Was sanctioned last time in his only outing this year and is best watched for now. Others preferred
- **7. INDIGO -** Confirmed with this shoeing arrangement and, with two comeback outings under his belt, is likely to give this a good go
- **8. IN LOVE WINNER -** Consistent for the most part and, while his best recent performances have come under the saddle, is capable of having a say
- **9. I AM JELOCA -** Has nothing noteworthy to his name for a considerable period so can be ruled out. Others preferred
- **10. IGGY DES RIOULTS -** Unreliable but is confirmed with this shoeing arrangement, so is capable of getting a look in here

**Summary:** A wide-open contest from which INDIGO (7) could emerge victorious under these conditions having needed both of his comeback outings. With his hind shoes removed, he gets the nod ahead of unshod IDEAL DE NGAANDA (1) who has been carefully prepared for this competition. ELUSIVE DUO (3) has a theoretical chance judged on what he has done best but will need to bounce back from two disappointing recent performances. IN LOVE WINNER (8) comes next.

### **SELECTIONS**

INDIGO (7) - IDEAL DE NGANDA (1) - INSAISISSABLE DUO (3) - IN LOVE WINNER (8)

# C3 - PRIX OUEST FRANCE (PRIX DES MYOSOTIS) - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class F - Mounted - EUR € 27.000

- **1. GHALAL DE VANDEL -** Was a much-improved 3rd when switching to the mounted code last time. Must confirm to have a say
- 2. HIER ENCORE Complicated sort who has looked rather ordinary for some time now, so his chances are limited here
- **3. GANGWAY -** Last-start winner under the saddle and does tend to do well when avoiding disqualification. Outsider
- **4. HAND DES ELIES -** Disqualified in his last start but has been consistent for the most part. Capable of redeeming himself
- **5. FAUST DE BEYLEV -** Sanctioned in each of his last three starts, usually all or nothing with him. Hard to trust but is capable
- **6. FORJET VOGOULIERE -** Undeniably capable but appears to have gone off the boil recently, so must reaffirm to get a look in
- **7. HISTORIEN GALBE -** Has serious means and is in great shape, so is likely to win the majority of votes. Will be a factor here
- **8. HULK DU COQ -** Consistent performer in this class and is proven under these conditions. Should have a role to play
- **9. FULGURIS SEGAH -** Undeniably capable and usually does well when avoiding disqualification. Respected racing barefoot

**Summary**: Several of these have a chance to claim victory but a lot of them are sorely lacking in wisdom. That, however, is not the case with HISTORIEN GALBE (7) who offers the most guarantees. Consistent HULK DU COQ (8) and FULGURIS SEGAH (9) are capable of serving it up to the selection and ought to play leading roles too. FULGURIS SEGAH (9) is also dangerous to dismiss, with HAND DES ELIES (4) not without a chance either.

#### **SELECTIONS**

HISTORIEN GALBE (7) - HULK DU COQ (8) - FULGURIS SEGAH (9) - HAND DES ELIES (4)

# C4 - PRIX GIRAFOU (PRIX DES BOUTONS D'OR) - 2725m (a1 11/16m) - Autostart - Class E - Harness - EUR € 22.000

- **1. JERZINO VICI -** Reassuring 2nd last time and on that form should be competitive here racing fully unshod. Include
- **2. JUSTE CHOIX -** Has won three of his last four starts and got back to winning ways last time. Capable of following up
- **3. JALACTIC -** Tends to do well when not disqualified and has caught the eye on occasion, so dangerous to dismiss
- **4. JASMIN FLEURY -** Capable but complicated type who has been disqualified in his last two outings. Not taken lightly
- **5. JACKPOT DE NILREM -** Consistent under the saddle recently so is best watched for now until reverting to that code. Outsider
- **6. JAPON DAIRPET -** Ultra-consistent and is in good form. Has already shone with this configuration so has obvious claims
- **7. JOKER WIND -** Undeniably capable but appears to have gone off the boil recently so needs to reaffirm. Dark horse
- **8. JEWEL LUMALO -** Has struggled to regain any form or consistency for some time now so is unlikely to trouble the judge
- **9. JOSELITO DELADOU -** Consistent for the most part and is seldom far off the mark but has no more than a place chance here

**Summary**: With three wins and a 2nd in four outings this year, JUSTE CHOIX (2) is hard to oppose and could add to his tally here at the expense of JERZINO VICI (1), who has taken a step forward racing barefoot. JAPON DAIRPET (6) has the means to get into the fight too. JASMIN FLEURY (4) has regained freshness after several failures and can have a say if remaining wise.

### **SELECTIONS**

JUSTE CHOIX (2) - JERZINO VICI (1) - JAPON DAIRPET (6) - JASMIN FLEURY (4)

## C5 - PRIX DES CROCUS - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 22.000

- **1. JOY DES DIMANCHE** Has nothing noteworthy to her name for a considerable period now so can be ruled out. Overlook
- 2. JILIKA DU MESLE Has sufficient means and does tend to do well when not disqualified but is too delicate. Must reaffirm
- **3. JUNON DE BEYLEV -** Disqualified in two of her three starts this year but did win the other. Hard to trust but hard to rule out
- **4. JAVADA DU MONT -** Out of sorts lately but undeniably capable of having a say here judged on her best form. Dark horse
- **5. JULIA VIVA -** Sanctioned last time but is an otherwise consistent performer in this class. Respected racing barefoot
- **6. JOYCE PILE -** Promising and highly regarded filly with solid form credentials and scope for improvement. Follow
- **7. JOCELYNE -** Has not been at her best this year but has sufficient means and is barefoot for the first time. Respect
- **8. JASMINE DE L'AVRE -** Has looked rather ordinary for some time so her chances are limited even at this level. Can rule out
- **9. JAYA KALOUMA -** Capable but complicated in equal measure. Reassured with a last-start victory and needs to confirm
- **10. JORDANIE GLAM -** Finished a reassuring 2nd last time and should be competitive here if confirming that improvement
- **11. JOYCE DE LA COUR -** Unreliable sort but is quite capable of staking a claim in a race of this nature if remaining wise. Lurker
- **12. JESAMINA DE LOU -** Has nothing noteworthy to her name for a considerable period now so can be ruled out. Overlook
- **13. JUDY TURGOT -** Usually does well when avoiding disqualification so is not one to be underestimated. Lively outsider
- **14. JULOHA STAR ELGE -** Out of sorts but retains ability and is quite capable of overcoming her 25m handicap to play a role
- **15. JOUDJIE -** Sanctioned on her reappearance under the saddle and probably best to watch until reverting to that code. Overlook

**Summary**: JOYCE PILE (6) has already revealed serious means and seems more than capable of accounting for this opposition, led by JULOHA STAR ELGE (14) and JOCELYNE (7), who will be completely unshod for the first time. JULIA VIVA (5) faulted at Caen last time but ought to be competitive here on the strength and consistency of his earlier form. After an improved last start at Vire, JAVADA DU MONT (4) has claims

JOYCE PILE (6) - JULOHA STAR ELGE (14) - JOCELYNE (7) - JULIA VIVA (5)

# C6 - PRIX DES BLEUETS - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 22.000

- **1. KASSIOPEE -** Nothing noteworthy to her name to warrant consideration in this grade/company, so can be ruled out
- **2. KATOUCHKA -** Showed a good change of gears to win her last start and can stake a claim if repeat that performance
- **3. KISS ME JIVE -** Has looked rather limited to this point so her chances are limited here. Others make more appeal
- **4. KEY WEST DE CHENU -** Unreliable but has considerable means and is quite capable of having a say in a race like this. Lurker
- **5. KALIPETTE JELOCA -** Delicate but has revealed her potential. Needs only to remain wise to play a leading role in the finish
- **6. KISMIE DE MONTFORT -** Confirmed the improvement of her previous outing by winning last time and may have more to offer
- **7. KELLE STAR DI PAO -** Got back on track and confirmed the promise of her debut when winning last time. Has more to give
- **8. KEJIMA -** Showed early promise but has been inconsistent of late, so needs to reaffirm. Best watched for now
- **9. KAROLINA DRY -** Showed her competitiveness by winning last time but must confirm that improvement to have a say
- **10. KOOKIE DE BELLANDE -** Consistent filly with solid form references, finishing close-up in her last three. Will be winning soon
- **11. KOCAINE BOND** Wide-margin winner of her last start and on that evidence seems capable of following up. One to beat
- **12. KELOWA STARDUST -** Has shown signs of improvement in recent outings so could have a say if confirming. Not taken lightly
- **13. KELLY RAIN** Does well when avoiding disqualification so must remain wise to have a say. For lovers of outsiders
- **14. KOMSI KOMSA -** Holding her form and consistency, seldom finishing far off the mark. Has only a place chance though

**Summary**: Of the five fillies to have won recently, KOCAINE BOND (11) was probably the most impressive so could follow up. There are, however, several others who could fight for victory including the maiden KOOKIE DE BELLANDE (10), who ought to open her account sooner rather than later, last-start winner KELLE STAR DI PAO (7), as well as KALIPETTE JELOCA (5) if she remains wise. Plenty of depth to this contest!

**SELECTIONS** 

KOCAINE BOND (11) - KOOKIE DE BELLANDE (10) - KELLE STAR DI PAO (7) - KALIPETTE JELOCA (5)

# C7 - PRIX DES ARGOUSIERS - 2750m (a1 11/16m) - Class D - Mounted - EUR € 25.000

- **1. JAVA WIC -** Unplaced in both comeback outings this year in harness races but is unbeaten under the saddle and is capable of winning again returned to this code
- 2. JET BESP Consistent performer in this code and is confirmed under these conditions. Not to be underestimated
- **3. JEZABELLE BIE -** Has the means to stake a claim here, having won two of her three starts in this code recently. Chance
- **4. JEDI -** Beaten for the first time this year (after consecutive 4 wins) when finishing 2nd last time. Shortlisted
- **5. JOY D'OURVILLE -** Has been struggling for some time now so unlikely to trouble the judge here. Others are preferred
- **6. JUSQUIAME -** Sanctioned last time but has otherwise been consistent for the most part. Can get into the picture
- **7. JIMANY -** Has struggled to regain her form or any consistency for some time and is unlikely to trouble the judge
- **8. JIKITA MELRIC -** Versatile, won under the saddle 2 starts back before finishing 8th in a harness race last time. Respect
- **9. JAVA DE CORDAY -** Made a winning start under the saddle and confirmed that improvement by finishing 2nd in this code last time. Respect
- **10. JAIL BREAK -** Nothing noteworthy to his name for a considerable period now so probably best to rule out. Overlook
- **11. JACKSON DU CLOS -** Has taken well to this discipline, winning twice and finishing 2nd in his 3 outings under the saddle. Big chance

**Summary**: Out of sorts recently in the harness category but undefeated in three starts under the saddle, it should pay to follow the progress of JAVA WIC (1) who is taken to get back on track. JACKSON DU CLOS (11) and JAVA DE CORDAY (9) have proven formidable in this code and both will be competitive for the leading positions. JEDI (4) was beaten for the first time this year in his last start but should make his presence felt too. JIKITA MELRIC (8) is not without a chance either. Good race!

### **SELECTIONS**

JAVA WIC (1) - JACKSON DU CLOS (11) - JAVA DE CORDAY (9) - JEDI (4)

# C8 - PRIX JEAN-PAUL POTTIER - 2050m (a1 1/4m) - Amateurs-Autostart - Class G - Harness - EUR € 8.000

- **1. GHANA -** Consistent performer in this class and usually does well racing barefoot, so has every chance. Include
- 2. FIDELO BEJI Has looked rather ordinary for some time now, so his chances are limited even at this level. Overlook
- **3. HESTIA DU COMTAL -** Has maintained a good level of form and consistency at a higher level, so should be formidable in this grade
- **4. GENTLEMAN GWEN -** Has done well at this level so is undeniably capable but has gone off the boil recently. Dark horse
- **5. HAMYOT DE BOMO -** Consistent for the most part but out of sorts with this shoeing configuration in both starts this year. Capable of better, can't be written off
- **6. FIRST DU FOSSE -** Finished 2nd five starts back but has been sanctioned in each of his four outings since. Must reaffirm
- **7. GANG OF NEW YORK -** Arrives in good form and is confirmed in this category so, even with his irons, should be competitive
- **8. HELLO BLEU -** Has nothing noteworthy to his name for some time to warrant consideration here. Can be ruled out
- **9. HATALANTE DE FLO -** Has blown hot and cold recently but, despite her starting spot on the second row, must not be taken lightly
- **10. HOLDEM POKER -** Continues to struggle to regain his form or any consistency, so must improve to have a say. Outsider

**Summary**: Quick-starter HESTIA DU COMTAL (3) is ideally positioned on the front row behind the autostart so is worth chancing to make a winning start in this category. GHANA (1) is experienced in these types of events so ought to be competitive with HAMYOT DE BOMO (5), whose form is uncertain, also capable of posing a threat. GANG OF NEW YORK (7) is dangerous to dismiss.

#### **SELECTIONS**

HESTIA DU COMTAL (3) - GHANA (1) - HAMYOT DE BOMO (5) - GANG OF NEW YORK (7)