VINCENNES - 21 May

Race 1

- 1. BE BOP MARCEAUX Held on recent outings in both walk up and autostart events. Others preferred.
- 2. **EXPRESS DU GERS** 1.75L third in a class C walk up at this venue six days ago. Respected down in grade without shoes.
- 3. **ESTEBAN JIEL** 0.75L success in a class C walk up when beating a pair of subsequent winners here four runs ago. Key player on that form.
- 4. **EMENCOURT BLEQUIN** Running consistently well in this grade earlier in the year. Not ruled out on stable debut.
- 5. EMPHASIS TURBO Held fifth in a class D walk up at Laval seven days ago. More needed.
- 6. **EMINENT D'ORGERES** Recent form requires improvement but he is capable of running well in this grade. One for the placings.
- 7. CABALLO D'AURE Well beaten in a walk up at Bordeaux just over two weeks ago. Step forward needed.
- 8. **EASTWOOD PARK** 3.5L runner up behind Django des Charmes in a class C walk up at La Capelle last month. Respected.
- 9. BEGUIN D'ALI 1.25L third in a claimer here two outings back. Each way player under a good driver.
- 10. **EADSHOT JOSSELYN** 0.5L third behind a pair of subsequent winners in a class D course and distance walk up two outings back. Running well prior to a late DQ here since. Key player.
- 11. **DARWIN MAZA** Trio of fifth placed finishes including beaten 4.5L in a class E walk up at St-Aubin two weeks ago. Frame contender.
- 12. **EL SANTO HAUFOR** Held the last twice but dangerous to dismiss on good walk up form earlier this season
- 13. **DJANGO DES CHARMES** Scored by 3.5L in a class C walk up at La Capelle prior to a solid fifth from behind the mobile here two weeks ago. Leading player back in a lower grade walk up.

Summary

DJANGO DES CHARMES (13) beat EASTWOOD PARK (8) by 3.5L in a class C walk up at La Capelle prior to finishing a solid fifth from behind the mobile here. The former rates a leading contender back in a lower grade walk up whilst the latter is respected under a top driver. EADSHOT JOSSELYN (10) finished 0.5L third behind a pair of subsequent winners in a class D track and trip walk up two runs back. In the mix. ESTEBAN JIEL (3) holds claims on the form of his 0.75L success in a class C walk up here four outings ago. EXPRESS DU GERS (2) is dangerous to dismiss eased in standard for a top yard.

Selections

DJANGO DES CHARMES (13) - EASTWOOD PARK (8) - EADSHOT JOSSELYN (10) - ESTEBAN JIEL (3) - EXPRESS DU GERS (2)

- 1. **DIVINELLA** DQ the last twice but was in the process of running well in a class E walk up here two runs back. Not ruled out if maintaining stride.
- 2. **DANSE CADENCE** Back-to-back seconds in claiming mobile races at this venue. Not discounted on best walk up form.
- 3. **ESCAPADE** Beat a subsequent winner by 3L in a class E walk up at Laval four outings back. Dangerous to dismiss if replicating that form.
- 4. **CARLA DU HOULME** 1.75L fourth in a class C walk up here six days ago. Respected eased in standard without shoes.
- 5. **ETOILE DU PERCHE** 3.25L second when racing barefoot for the first time on turf at Tours Chambray sandwiched between a pair of DQs. Shortlisted.
- 6. **ECLIPSE D'ORIENT** Held in a class C walk up here last week but not ruled out on best figures.
- 7. **DIVA BEAUREGARD** Well held on recent starts including in mounted races the last twice. Return to a driven event a positive but remains best watched.
- 8. **DIGUEDOR** Recent form requires more but she is capable at this level. One for the placings running barefoot.
- 9. **BELLE DE MANCHE** 4.5L fourth in a class E walk up on turf at Vannes two runs back. Each way player on that form.
- 10. **ETOILE DE QUESNY** 0.25L success in a higher grade course and distance walk up before a pair of excellent runs. Top chance with a 50% strike rate over this track and trip.
- 11. **ELENA DE PIENCOURT** Safely accounted for on recent form and best watched on stable debut.
- 12. **CADENCE DEL FRETTA** 6.5L seventh in a class E walk up at St-Aubin on return just under two weeks ago. Should strip fitter but needs progress.

Summary

ETOILE DE QUESNY (10) scored by 0.25L in a higher grade course and distance walk up before a pair of excellent runs. Leading player in this level with a 50% strike rate over this track and trip. CARLA DU HOULME (4) produced a 1.75L fourth in a class C walk up here six days ago. Notable runner eased in standard. ETOILE DU PERCHE (5) finished 3.25L runner up when racing barefoot for the first time in a class A turf walk up at Tours Chambray. Shortlisted if finding the finish. ESCAPADE (3) is one to note.

Selections

ETOILE DE QUESNY (10) - CARLA DU HOULME (4) - ETOILE DU PERCHE (5) - ESCAPADE (3)

- 1. **GINKO DU ROUSSOIR** Ready 8L winner of a class D walk up at Vichy eighteen days ago. Top chance up in grade without shoes.
- 2. **GARUDA FLIGNY** 2.25L third behind re-opposing rivals in a class D walk up at this venue. Respected with a good record barefoot.
- 3. **GAELIC DU ROCHER** Narrow margin second splitting re-opposing runners in a grade D walk up here twelve days ago. One to note without shoes.
- 4. **GALLA DE MANCHE** Held the last twice but more than capable of running well at this level. Dangerous to dismiss following a short break.
- 5. **GRANDIOSE BEY** Narrow success when beating re-opposing runners at this venue twelve days ago. Key player.
- 6. **GALON DE VIRE** 1.25L second to a subsequent winner in a class B walk up at Enghien prior to a fair seventh here 35 days back. Notable runner eased in standard for a top driver.
- 7. **GIBOULEE DE MARS** Runner up in a class C mobile event at this track a month ago. Plenty of good walk up form in this grade prior. Key player without shoes.
- 8. **GOLD DE CHIMAY** 0.25L second in a class B walk up at Enghien sixteen days ago. Dangerous to rule out despite a poor record here (no victory in sixteen runs).
- 9. **GOLD RIVER** Narrowly denied in a class C mobile event here four weeks ago. Unexposed racing without shoes. Key contender back in a walk up.

Summary

GOLD RIVER (9) was narrowly denied into second in a class C mobile event here. More to come racing without shoes. Key player back in a walk up in the same grade. The progressive GINKO DU ROUSSOIR (1) ran out a ready 8L winner of a class D walk up at Vichy. Top chance up in standard under a leading driver. GIBOULEE DE MARS (7) showed ability when runner up in a class C mobile contest at this venue. Plenty of good walk up form at this level prior. Holds claims barefoot. GRANDIOSE BEY (5) beat re-opposing rivals at this track and is one to note.

Selections

GOLD RIVER (9) - GINKO DU ROUSSOIR (1) - GIBOULEE DE MARS (7) - GRANDIOSE BEY (5)

- 1. **FORBACH** Completed a hat-trick prior to a good 0.5L second in a class E mobile event at Vichy eighteen days ago. Respected racing barefoot.
- 2. **DIVALLO** 5.5L sixth in a class E autostart at Hyeres 20 days ago. One for the placings.
- 3. **INSPECTOR BROS** In good walk up form of late including 0.5L second in a class C event here last month. Unexposed without shoes and respected if replicating.
- 4. **FALCO D'HAVAROCHE** Excused a below par run on turf as had been in good walk up form prior. Shortlisted for a top driver back behind the mobile.
- 5. **FALCO BERRY** DQ in a walk up at Reims two weeks ago but holds a 50% strike rate from behind the mobile. Key player having scored in a higher grade in December.
- 6. **ENFANTIN** 0.25L second behind a subsequent winner in a class D walk up at Pontchateau 30 days ago. Shortlisted racing barefoot back in a mobile event.
- 7. **DINO VOLO** 4L success in a claiming mobile contest at this venue ten days ago. Not ruled out back up in grade under a top driver without shoes.
- 8. **DROLE DE MEC** Recent form requires more but he does have a good record without shoes. Not entirely dismissed.
- 9. **EMPIRE CITY** Held on both starts this campaign but the return to a mobile event looks a positive. Outside place claims.
- 10. **HAVBERGS KNIGHT** 1.75L third in a class E mobile event at La Capelle just under a fortnight ago. Not ruled out on stable debut.
- 11. **RIBAUDE** Back-to-back sixths including beaten 2.25L from behind the mobile at Lyon la Soie two outings ago. Each way player.
- 12. **TYPHOEUS FACE** Unplaced in four starts to date but ran well when 2.25L fifth in a class C mobile event at this venue three weeks ago. Not discounted.

Summary

FALCO BERRY (5) can be excused a DQ in a walk up at Reims. Holds a 50% strike rate from behind the mobile. Top chance having scored in a higher grade here in December. INSPECTOR BROS (3) arrives in good walk up form including when a 0.5L second in a class C at this venue. Unexposed barefoot and holds claims if replicating behind the mobile. FORBACH (1) completed a hat-trick prior to a good 0.5L second in a class E mobile race at Vichy. Notable runner racing barefoot. FALCO D'HAVAROCHE (4) and ENFANTIN (6) complete the shortlist.

Selections

FALCO BERRY (5) - INSPECTOR BROS (3) - FORBACH (1) - FALCO D'HAVAROCHE (4) - ENFANTIN (6)

- 1. **HEAVEN QUICK** Mixed form in class D walk ups of late and others hold stronger claims.
- 2. **HE AND ME** Well beaten on both starts since resuming but dangerous to rule out on the form he showed here over the winter.
- 3. **HERVE DU DERBY** DQ at Maure-de-Bretagne on reappearance sixteen days ago. Should strip fitter but step forward is needed.
- 4. **HEART JEWEL** DQ here when racing barefoot for the first time on reappearance last week. Place claims on best form.
- 5. **HOBBES** 6.25L second splitting re-opposing rivals over this course and distance on return seventeen days ago. Respected with improvement likely.
- 6. **HEQUILEO JIEL** 8.5L third behind re-opposing runners over this track and trip two and a half weeks back. Unexposed in this shoeing combination. Not ruled out.
- 7. **HOLD UP DREAM** Made all for a 0.25L success in a class D track and journey walk up 24 days ago. Key player under a good driver.
- 8. **HORATIUS D'ELA** 0.5L third in a grade C course and distance walk up in February. Notable runner under a top driver on stable debut.
- 9. **HERADAMES** 0.25L success when beating a subsequent winner over this track and trip in February. Respected in this class following a short break.
- 10. **HORACE DU GOUTIER** Five wins from ten career starts including by 0.75L in a grade C mobile event at Saint-Galmier two runs ago. Leading player back in a walk up.
- 11. **HIP HOP HAUFOR** Improved form since without shoes including beating re-opposing rivals by 6.5L at this course and distance seventeen days ago. Unbeaten barefoot. Top chance.

Summary

HIP HOP HAUFOR (11) bids for a hat-trick after showing improved form since racing without shoes. Beat re-opposing rivals by 6.5L over this course and distance. Unbeaten racing barefoot. Top chance. HORACE DU GOUTIER (10) holds five wins from ten career outings including when a 0.75L winner of a class C mobile event at Saint-Galmier two runs back. Claims back in a walk up. HORATIUS D'ELA (8) produced a 0.5L third in a grade C course and distance walk up in February. One to note under a top driver on stable debut. HOLD UP DREAM (7) cannot be ruled out.

Selections

HIP HOP HAUFOR (11) - HORACE DU GOUTIER (10) - HORATIUS D'ELA (8) - HOLD UP

DREAM (7)

- 1. **FANTASIA LOVE** 2.5L second in a class F walk up at Le Mont Saint Michel two weeks ago. Unexposed racing barefoot and does have form in this grade. Not ruled out.
- 2. FLEUR FATALE Failed to find the finish on last six outings. Happy to oppose.
- 3. **FADOUNA D'OCCAGNES** 0.25L runner up in a class D walk up at Enghien sixteen days ago. Good record without shoes. Respected.
- 4. **FEE DU VERNAY** 4.5L second in a grade D walk up at Graignes 20 days back. One to note.
- 5. **FABULEUSE FLIGNY** Below par ninth in this grade at Enghien just over two weeks ago. Each way player on best figures.
- 6. **FAYETTE** 0.75L third behind a re-opposing rival at Enghien sixteen days ago. Respected under a top driver although no placings from eight track attempts is a concern.
- 7. **FEE DE BOISNEY** 5.25L fourth in a class F mobile event at Amiens six days ago. Place claims running barefoot.
- 8. **FAUVE DES YOLAIS** 3L runner up in a class D walk up at Laval two weeks back. Notable runner.
- 9. **FIORA DE COUSSERAT** 2.75L success in a walk up on turf at Nimes prior to a solid 3.25L second in a class E at Angouleme nineteen days ago. Respected.
- 10. **FAVORITE DARLING** 0.25L victory in a class D walk up at this venue prior to a mobile DQ here last month. Key player back in a walk up with a good record without shoes.
- 11. **FLEUR D'ERABLE** Below par sixth at Laval a fortnight ago but has the form to be involved at this level. Not ruled out for a top driver.

Summary

FAVORITE DARLING (10) scored by 0.25L in a class D walk up at this venue prior to a mobile DQ here. Leading contender back in a walk up with a good record barefoot. FADOUNA D'OCCAGNES (3) had re-opposing rivals behind when a 0.25L runner up in a class D walk up at Enghien. Good record without shoes. Holds claims. FIORA DE COUSSERAT (9) produced a 2.75L success in a walk up on turf at Nimes before a 3.25L second in a class E at Angouleme. Hard to dismiss on current form. FAUVE DES YOLAIS (8) cannot be ruled out.

Selections

FAVORITE DARLING (10) - FADOUNA D'OCCAGNES (3) - FIORA DE COUSSERAT (9) - FAUVE DES YOLAIS (8)

- 1. ILARIA KILY Held in three starts to date. More needed.
- 2. **IMPERIEUSE STEED** 0.25L third in a class D mobile race at Enghien 27 days ago. One to note if replicating back in a walk up.
- 3. ISABELLA FERM Three-year-old filly by Charly Du Noyer. Market can guide on debut.
- 4. **INDIANA SENSE** 0.75L runner up in a class D mobile event at Caen sandwiched between a pair of DQs. Respected if maintaining stride.
- 5. **IDOLE DE MEAT** 0.25L second in a class E walk up at Laval a fortnight ago. Unexposed. Notable runner.
- 6. **IDEEFOLLEBUISSONAY** 11L third in a class D walk up at Chartres nine days back. Each way player.
- 7. **IMPRESSION** 1.25L fifth in a class C walk up at this venue three outings back reads well. Respected if replicating.
- 8. **INFINITY JET** Comfortable debut success before a good 0.25L mobile second at Enghien 27 days ago. Top chance with more to come under a leading driver.
- 9. **ISHTAR FONT** All four career runs have come from behind the mobile. Shown plenty of ability around this grade. One to note tackling a walk up for the first time.
- 10. **IDEA DES VALLONS** 2.5L fourth in a class C walk up at this venue a week ago. Key player.
- 11. **IMIKO JIEL** Found the frame in all four career runs including 1.75L second in a class D walk up here last month. Key player.

Summary

INFINITY JET (8) produced a comfortable win on debut before a good 0.25L mobile second at Enghien. Open to progress. Leading player for a top driver. IDEA DES VALLONS (10) finished 2.5L fourth in a class C walk up here a week ago. Notable runner. IMPRESSION (7) ran well when 1.25L fifth in a class C walk up at this track three outings back. One to note if replicating. IMIKO JIEL (11) has placed on all four career attempts to date including when a 1.75L second in a class D walk up here last month. Hard to rule out.

Selections

INFINITY JET (8) - IDEA DES VALLONS (10) - IMPRESSION (7) - IMIKO JIEL (11)