

R2 GRAIGNES [L-H]

C1 - PRIX GROUPAMA - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class G Amateur Riders - Mounted - EUR € 22,000

1. **JUSTY DU OLPASI** - Not disgraced when fifth in a class F mounted race at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May. Can get involved with the finish
2. **KAVIVE** - Has some fair form and finished fifth in a class D mounted race over this course and distance on 28 April. Capable of making the frame
3. **KARLSON PASS** - A much improved third in a class G mounted race at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May. Remains barefoot and could earn some more money
4. **JAGERSRO** - Disqualified three times in a row, the latest in a class F at Saint-Brieuc over 3150m on 30 April. Hard to trust and others make more appeal
5. **HYGNUS PRIOR** - Kept to harness races of late and finished fifth in a class F at Durtal over 2825m on 1 May. Remains barefoot and could play a role in a mounted race
6. **JANEIRO TURGOT** - Disqualified in a class G at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May. Remains barefoot but is battling to regain form and others are preferred
7. **INDIGODARCHE** - Not reliable and finished 9th in a class G mounted race at Nantes over 3000m on 14 May. Needs to do more to score
8. **JIKITA MELRIC** - In good shape and finished fourth in a class G mounted race at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May. Could play a minor role
9. **JUMPER MATIDY** - Only modest of late and finished 7th in a class G mounted race at Le Mont-Saint-Michel over 2675m on 15 May. Capable of better and has a place chance
10. **KEPI ROUGE** - Knocking hard at the door and was runner-up in a class F mounted race at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May. Remains without shoes and can go one place better
11. **JURASSIC MOIRE** - Finished fifth in a class G mounted race at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May. Has disqualification issues but is also capable of contesting the finish
12. **HAND DAIRPET** - Has only been modest of late and finished 7th in a class G at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
13. **ICHIRO OKINA** - Kept to harness races for some time now and finished 9th in a class E at Elbeuf over 2750m on 8 May. Did win the last time seen in a mounted race and is not out of it
14. **KLASSIC FROMENTRO** - Disqualified twice in a row, the latest in a class G mounted race at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May. Remains barefoot and is capable of bouncing back to score

Summary: A very open looking first event. KLASSIC FROMENTRO (14), racing barefoot all round, looks capable of returning to winning ways. He will, however, need to see off KEPI ROUGE (10), who has been knocking on the door, as well as JURASSIC MOIRE (11), who returns to a track he particularly enjoys. KAVIVE (2) produced a fair effort over this course and distance last time and can still have a say in the race.

SELECTIONS

KLASSIC FROMENTRO (14) - KEPI ROUGE (10) - JURASSIC MOIRE (11) - KAVIVE (2)

C2 - PRIX AGRIAL - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class F - Harness - EUR € 17,500

1. **NAXOS DU ROCHER** - Disqualified in both his start so far, the latest in a class F at this track over 2700m on 6 May. Hard to trust and is best watched for now
2. **NEIGE DES VENTS** - Disqualified on debut in a class G at Gournay-en-Bray over 2550m on 10 May. Needs to find a few lengths to score
3. **NIGHT BUTTERFLY** - Disqualified on debut in a class F at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May. Capable of improvement but others are preferred
4. **NINAMYS** - Disqualified on debut in a class F at Chatellaillon-La-Rochelle over 2500m on 29 March. Capable of improvement but others are preferred
5. **NORTH WIND** - Disqualified on debut in a class F at Amiens over 2400m on 25 April. Looks capable of better and could contest the finish
6. **NUAGE D'ERABLE** - Finished 6th on debut in a class G at Jallais over 2975m on 2 May. Likely to improve and could make the frame
7. **NEON DU PARC** - Disqualified in two of four starts so far, the latest in a class F at Cherbourg over 2625m on 10 May. Needs major improvement to win
8. **NE M'ATTENDS PAS** - Disqualified in a class G at Fougères over 3200m on 8 May. Did better in his penultimate start but others make more appeal
9. **NEMESIS VICI** - Disqualified twice in two of last three starts, the latest in a class F at Cherbourg over 2625m on 10 May. Not easy to trust and others make more appeal
10. **NEW STAR BECO** - A much improved second run when runner-up in a class G at Valognes over 3025m on 14 May. Can earn some more money
11. **N'OUBLIE PAS** - Has run well in both starts, he latest when fourth in a class F at Cherbourg over 2625m on 10 May. Can be competitive once again
12. **NARDECH DE HOUELLE** - Not disgraced when fifth in a class E at Nort-sur-Erdre over 2400m on 8 May. Capable of better and has claims in this line-up

Summary: Open to plenty of improvement, NARDECH DE HOUELLE (12) looks the type to get off the mark sooner rather than later. N'OUBLIE PAS (11) has shown promising ability and, with improvement expected on the back of his first two outings, rates a leading contender. NORTH WIND (5) disappointed on debut but is well worth another chance. A half-brother to June d'Erable, NUAGE D'ERABLE (6) is likely to progress and could be a lively danger.

SELECTIONS

NARDECH DE HOUELLE (12) - N'OUBLIE PAS (11) - NORTH WIND (5) - NUAGE D'ERABLE (6)

C3 - PRIX LES MAITRES LAITIERS DU COTENTIN - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class F - Harness - EUR € 17,500

1. **MA JYL** - A barefoot winner of a claimer at Le Mont-Saint-Michel over 2675m on 26 April. Remains barefoot but tackles stronger this time
2. **MISS LADY DU DAN** - Has some fair form and finished fifth in a class F at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May, Remains barefoot and could make the frame
3. **MALAVITA ROSA** - Disqualified last time out in a class F at Le Mont-Saint-Michel over 2675m on 15 May. Not easy to trust but is capable of contesting the finish
4. **MISS ROBINSON** - Returned from a break and finished a good third in a class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May. Fitter this time and could score
5. **MILA CAAL** - Only modest of late and finished 6th in a class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May. Remains without shoes and could earn some money
6. **MOON ROCQ PIERJI** - Unreliable and was disqualified in a class F at Alencon over 2650m on 10 May, Remains barefoot and could bounce back to score if smart
7. **MELANOURA** - Unreliable and finished 7th in a class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May. Probably needs to do more to beat these rivals
8. **MERVEILLE DE JIEL** - Returned to form and was fourth in a class F at Elbeuf over 2750m on 8 May. Capable of earning some more money
9. **MAESTRIA DE PADD** - Off form and and was unplaced in a class F at Landivisiau over 3200m on 9 May. Needs to find a few lengths to beat these rivals
10. **MOME DU LUPIN** - Did not show her best when 8th in a class E at Vincennes over 2175m on 22 January. capable of better and can be competitive in this line-up
11. **MALICIA TOR** - Unreliable but was fourth in a class F over this track and trip on 6 May. Has a place chance in this line-up
12. **MONEY LAND** - Consistent of late and finished third in a class F over this course and distance on 6 May. Could be a threat yet again
13. **MA BELLE AVENTURE** - Disqualified twice in a row, including last time out in a class F over this course and distance on 6 May. Remains barefoot and is capable of scoring if staying in stride
14. **MA JOLIE JIEL** - Much improved last run when fourth in a class F at Elbeuf over 2750m on 8 May. Hard to trust but can play a minor role when smart

Summary: MISS ROBINSON (4) is a filly with a bright future and, having finished third on her reappearance, she looks capable of scoring. That said, this is a competitive and well-matched field. MOME DU LUPIN (10) has been freshened up since her below-par effort at Vincennes and is worth close attention on her return. Well positioned behind the car, MISS LADY DU DAN (2) can mount a serious challenge. MOON ROCQ PIERJI (6) is another to consider on the back of a comeback run.

SELECTIONS

MISS ROBINSON (4) - MOME DU LUPIN (10) - MISS LADY DU DAN (2) - MOON ROCQ PIERJI (6)

C4 - PRIX DISTRICO - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class F - Harness - EUR € 17,500

1. **MALO DE BRASSE** - Has needed both starts this year and finished 6th in a class F at Savigny-sur-Braye over 2500m on 14 May. Tries barefoot and could be a threat to these rivals
2. **MUST DE LOU** - Disqualified in a class F at Reims over 2500m on 23 April. Hard to trust but is capable of making the frame when staying in stride
3. **MALIN DU LUPIN** - Disqualified in a class E at Machecoul over 2700m on 19 October. Talented and can bounce back to score returning from a break
4. **MICKEY DE CRENNES** - Unreliable and finished 7th in a class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 14 May. Reverts to barefoot and could be a threat if staying on the trot
5. **MAJANO** - Disqualified in a class F at Thouars over 2700m on 14 May when barefoot. Very unreliable but is capable of scoring
6. **MISTER LOVE QUICK** - Yet to win a race and finished 6th in a class F at this track over 2700m on 1 May. Has a place chance in this line-up
7. **MOZART DES BORDES** - Showed some improvement when fifth in a class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May. Remains barefoot and can get involved with the finish
8. **MAESTRO DU COQ** - Disqualified twice in last three starts, including last time out in a class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 14 May. Remains barefoot but others are much preferred
9. **MIGNON DES MACE** - Not reliable and finished 8th in a class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 14 May. May need to do more than that to beat these rivals
10. **MOGADOR JIEL** - Not reliable but was barefoot and fourth in a class F at Vire over 2800m on 8 May. Remains barefoot and could earn some more money
11. **MIRAGE DU CAIEU** - Disqualified twice in a row, the latest in a class F at Cherbourg over 2625m on 6 April. Not easy to trust but could surprise if smart
12. **MYRIO PLENNERIE** - Disqualified in a class H at Valognes over 3025m on 14 May. Remains barefoot but is hard to trust and others make more appeal

Summary: MALIN DU LUPIN (3) makes his reappearance but represents a shrewd yard that is likely to have him well prepared for this race. MOZART DES BORDES (7) has been progressing nicely following a break of several months and this does look to have been a targeted race. MAJANO (5) showed ability last season and can be forgiven his below-par comeback effort. Improvement looks very likely MALO DE BRASSE (1) will be looking to bounce back to form and is another to consider.

SELECTIONS

MALIN DU LUPIN (3) - MOZART DES BORDES (7) - MAJANO (5) - MALO DE BRASSE (1)

C5 - PRIX INTERMARCHE CARENTAN - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- 1. LINCOLN MAKS** - Did not show his best when 6th in class F at Le Grand-Fougeray over 2775m on 14 May. Does better when barefoot and could strike
- 2. LET'S GO VAL** - Unreliable and finished 5th in class F at Caen over 2200m on 16 May. On a long losing streak and others make more appeal
- 3. LISANDRO FIORELLO** - Victorious in class F over this course and distance on 28 April when barefoot. Remains without shoes and is not out of it
- 4. LALIK** - Successful twice in a row, the latest in class F at Gournay-en-Bray over 2550m on 10 May. Can complete the hat-trick
- 5. LAROUS** - Holding form and finished 4th in class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 14 May. Victorious earlier in May and could win again
- 6. LUNA DE MALAC** - Not reliable and finished 5th in class E at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May. Has shown improvement and is barefoot so has a place chance
- 7. LEBOSS D'HAVAROCHE** - Disqualified in class E at Vichy over 2800m on 11 May. Unreliable and others make more appeal this time around
- 8. LOLLIPOP MIJACK** - Unreliable but was third in class F at Vire over 2800m on 8 May. Victorious back in October and is capable of scoring again
- 9. LET'S GO SMART** - Victorious in class F over this course and distance on 6 May. Not reliable but keeps the same shoeing and is not out of it
- 10. LE BOSS DANOVER** - Much improved last run when runner-up in class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 14 May. Has major disqualification issues but can make the frame when smart
- 11. LOOK DE VALAILLES** - Showed some improvement when 3rd in class F at Elbeuf over 2750m on 8 May. Capable of earning some more money
- 12. LICORNVERASPERANZA** - Off form and finished 10th in class E at Argentan over 2800m on 11 May. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 13. LADY D'IDEF** - Victorious in class E over this track and trip on 12 April. Has shown improvement this year and could double up

Summary: A case can be made for several of these on paper, but LALIK (4) is clearly thriving at present and looks set to play a leading role and he could finish off her treble. LADY D'IDEF (13), a recent winner over this course could challenge for top honours again. LET'S GO SMART (9), who has rediscovered her form as shown by her success here earlier this month. LOLLIPOP MIJACK (8) is heading in the right direction after a lengthy absence and can make the frame.

SELECTIONS

LALIK (4) - LADY D'IDEF (13) - LET'S GO SMART (9) - LOLLIPOP MIJACK (8)

C6 - PRIX GAN ASSURANCES COUTANCES - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- 1. JUVISY GEMA** - In good form and was runner-up in Class F at Landivisiau over 3200m on 9 May. Has not won for some time but can contest the finish
- 2. JOY DU CHERISAY** - Disqualified last time out at Argentan over 2875m on 17 January. Returns from a break and could need this run
- 3. KINOHA D'OURVILLE** - Remains in good shape and was third in Class E at Nantes over 2275m on 14 May. Should contest the finish
- 4. JUPILLE DE GODREL** - Unreliable and finished 8th in Class F at Amiens over 2900m on 25 April. Has a place chance on best form
- 5. KIMIKO DU DOUBS** - Only modest of late and finished 6th in Class H at Evreux over this distance on 1 May. Fitter now and could go close at this level
- 6. KALI DES LANDIERS** - Not reliable and finished 5th in Class F at Bernay over 2800m on 3 May. Has won twice already this year and is not out of it
- 7. KEZURA LORRAINE** - Successful last time out in Class E at Châtelailon-La Rochelle over 2500m on 1 May. Capable of doubling up
- 8. KELLY CHARLY ERA** - Unreliable but was runner-up in Class E over this course and distance on 6 May. Can be competitive in this line-up
- 9. KOMETE DU RADON** - Has struggled this year and finished 13th in Class E at Saumur over 3250m on 22 February. Could need this run returning from a break
- 10. KARMEN DE MONTCEAU** - Has struggled this year and finished 10th in Class D at Vincennes over 2700m on 30 April. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 11. KISS ME FIRST** - Has improved this year and was victorious in Class F at Vire over 2800m on 5 April. Keeps that shoeing arrangement and could double up
- 12. KIRENE FLASH** - In good form and finished third in Class E over this track and trip on 6 May. Can be a threat to these rivals
- 13. KULTA** - Showed some improvement when runner-up in a claimer at Cherbourg over 2625m on 10 May. Might play a minor role

Summary: KEZURA LORRAINE (7) scored with plenty in hand three weeks ago and will head to post with strong support expected. The main danger could come from the Sassier runners, notably KIMIKO DU DOUBS (5), who should improve from a needed comeback run, and JUVISY GEMA (1), whose current form leaves little to question. KELLY CHARLY ERA (8) avoids the males this time and, having finished second over this track and trip recently, she should not be overlooked.

SELECTIONS

KEZURA LORRAINE (7) - KIMIKO DU DOUBS (5) - JUVISY GEMA (1) - KELLY CHARLY ERA (8)

C7 - PRIX COOPERATIVE ISIGNY - SAINTE MERE - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 23,000

- 1. JULIUS DU THEIL** - Off form and finished 8th in class F at Argentan over 2875m on 13 April. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 2. KOEUR DE VANILLE** - Disqualified three times in a row, the latest in class E at Nantes over 2275m on 14 May. Hard to trust but can earn some minor money
- 3. KORSIKO** - Unreliable and finished 12th in class D at Angers over 2350m on 15 January. Could need this run returning from a break
- 4. KOZMIC BLUES** - in good form and was runner-up in class F at Rambouillet over 2800m on 3 May when barefoot. Remains without shoes and has claims
- 5. KID DE CAPONET** - Victorious in class E over this track and trip on 6 May. Has a couple of wins here and can score again
- 6. KID DE LA BANIO** - Disqualified in class D at Arras over 2900m on 10 May. Unreliable but is capable of getting into the mix of things when in the right mood
- 7. KOKA DU DOUET** - Often competitive and was runner-up in class E at La Capelle over 2750m on 8 May. Can go one place better
- 8. KOPPERT CRESS** - Has struggled this year and was 9th in class E at Cluny over 2700m on 8 May when barefoot. Not this time and is on a long losing streak. Best watched for now
- 9. KAOLIN MOUROTOIS** - Unreliable but was unplaced last time out in Class F at Gournay-en-Bray over 2550m on 10 May. Might pop up in a place
- 10. JOBIC KERGWEN** - Disqualified in three of last four starts, including last time in class F at Villedieu-Les-Poeles over 2800m on 2 May. Hard to trust and others are preferred
- 11. KOUIDITCH D'ABOMEY** - Only modest of late and finished 6th in class E at Vitre over 3225m on 3 May. Needs to do a bit more to score
- 12. KADEAU DE L'AVRE** - Victorious in class F at Volognes over 3025m on 14 May when barefoot. Remains without shoes and is a threat yet again
- 13. KUROKO LAUAR** - Has only been moderate of late and was 7th in class D at Nantes over 3000m on 14 May. Needs to find a few lengths to score

Summary: KID DE CAPONET (5) scored over this course and distance last time in an apprentices' event and, now partnered by Yoann Lebourgeois. He does set the standard for the race. KOZMIC BLUES (4), who is close to his best, rates a serious danger. KADEAU DE L'AVRE (12) has solid claims despite the drawback of a second-row start. KID DE LA BANIO (6) has the form to be competitive and, if keeping his action together, can also trouble the judge.

SELECTIONS

KID DE CAPONET (5) - KOZMIC BLUES (4) - KADEAU DE L'AVRE (12) - KID DE LA BANIO (6)

C8 - PRIX VANS M.T.M - 2725m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 28,000

- 1. JUST A MAN** - Not reliable and finished 9th in Class E at Cordemais over 2825m on 27 February. Returns from a break but could earn some money
- 2. KAISER RIVER** - Not reliable and finished 6th in Class E at Sablé-sur-Sarthe over 2825m on 10 August. Returns from a break and could need this run
- 3. JACANA DE BLARY** - Disqualified twice in a row, the latest in a mounted race at Angers over 3125m on 12 May. Not easy to trust and others make more appeal
- 4. KINDY DU VIVIER** - Has been in good form of late and was a barefoot winner in Class F at Argentan over 2150m on 11 May. Not fully barefoot this time but can follow up
- 5. KAPELLA VET** - Consistent of late and finished third in Class F at Châtelailon-La Rochelle over 2625m on 26 April. Can be competitive once again
- 6. JUST BUILT** - Not reliable but was 5th in Class E over this track and trip on 6 May. Can get involved in the finish
- 7. JOLIE QUEEN** - Out of form and was disqualified last time out at Valognes over 3025m on 14 May. Needs major improvement to win
- 8. KIA DE GUELLE** - In good form and finished runner-up in Class E at Maure-de-Bretagne over 2850m on 9 May. Should fight out the finish
- 9. JOYAU BLUE** - Finished third last time out in a claimer at Enghien over 2150m on 27 April. On a long losing run and more is needed to beat these rivals
- 10. ILLYTRASS** - Showed some improvement when runner-up in Class E at Elbeuf over 2750m on 8 May. Remains without shoes and can go one place better
- 11. KNOCK OUT** - Not reliable and finished 7th in Class F at Argentan over 2150m on 11 May. Capable of better and has a place chance

Summary: A very competitive lucky last race. The younger runners look set to dominate, with KINDY DU VIVIER (4), reportedly primed for this target, KAPELLA VET (5), in excellent form, and KIA DE GUELLE (8), who appears ahead of her current mark, all holding strong claims. JUST BUILT (6) caught the eye with a strong late effort over this track and trip earlier this month and rates a lively contender for top honours.

SELECTIONS

KINDY DU VIVIER (4) - KAPELLA VET (5) - KIA DE GUELLE (8) - JUST BUILT (6)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day

KEZURA LORRAINE (607)

Outsider of the day

LOOK DE VALAILLES (511)

Reverse forecast

KINDY DU VIVIER (804) - KAPELLA VET (805)

Three pick of the day

KEZURA LORRAINE (607) - KID DE CAPONET (705) - KINDY DU VIVIER (804)