

R3 VINCENNES [L-H]

C1 - PRIX DE SAINT-MANDE - 2100m (a1m1/4) - - Harness - EUR € 12,000

1. **JOY EASTER** - Occasionally a handful but tends to go well for his amateur, lastly 5th in an Elbeuf Class H in May. Has not had the benefit of a conditioner but will be barefoot and should not be underestimated
2. **KARA DE PIERREPONT** - Ran 6th in a Class D at Enghien over 2,875m on 2 August. Won an amateurs Class F there for Ann Kristin Rasmussen in June and is well-placed to give this a good go. Chance
3. **JAVA DE LANGERON** - Has looked decidedly ordinary since winning an amateurs Class G at Vichy in early-July. Runs barefoot this time but still has too much to do
4. **JULIANA DES LUCAS** - Gave a reassuringly good account when 2nd in an Enghien amateurs Class G late last month. Benefits from a nice entry here and ought to be taken seriously
5. **JUDICIEUSE ZAILER** - Appeared to be getting back in shape in late-spring but has since come off the boil and will first need to reassure
6. **KEEPSAKE MOSSA** - Authoritative winner of a Class F at Chatelaillon over 2,625m on 3 August. Has done nothing but improve lately and from the front row can double up
7. **JANGO ELEVEN** - Has been on a good run of form lately, most recently running 5th in a Laon Class F 3 weeks ago. Has form at this level, races barefoot, and looks competitive for a place in the picture
8. **ILLICO DES BROUETS** - Has been a complete write-off for past 5 months and will have nothing to bring to the party
9. **IBLISS MAYBE** - 7th in an Enghien Class F, 12 days after securing a Laon amateurs Class F. Is shod as he was that day and, despite the draw, looks a player
10. **JUDICIOUS DAYDREAM** - Finished 7th in a Class F at La Roche-Posay over 3,150m on 9 August. Has never won at this level but is useful when focused and is worth keeping an eye on

Summary: On her first start at this level with Barbara Guenet, KEEPSAKE MOSSA (6) has a good opportunity to follow up her recent success. KARA DE PIERREPONT (2), who has already won with her partner, and the in-form JANGO ELEVEN (7) can lead the opposition, alongside a reconfigured IBLISS MAYBE (9), who must nevertheless contend with a wide draw.

SELECTIONS

KEEPSAKE MOSSA (6) - KARA DE PIERREPONT (2) - JANGO ELEVEN (7) - IBLISS MAYBE (9)

C2 - PRIX DE BELLEY - 2100m (a1m1/4) - - Harness - EUR € 18,000

- 1. IDEE SHANNON** - Useful sort with form at this level. Should not be too hastily-judged for faulting at Enghien and, with application, can set the record straight and win this
- 2. JISMIE GRIFF** - Has been completely off the boil since returning to competition, lastly 8th in 8 August race of reference, and can be passed over
- 3. ILLICO D'AMOUR** - Gave a good account on claiming debut when tenacious 2nd over 2875m here 3 weeks ago. Has pulled a good number and can trot his way back into the winners' circle
- 4. INCREDIBLE GO** - Had been on a good run of form until failing to deliver at Dozule 10 days ago. Is clearly in shape though and can be brought back into the fold
- 5. IGNACE GUENESERIE** - Back under harness, and makes his claiming bow, after running 8th in a Mansle Class F under the saddle last Sunday. Takes a notable dip in category can begin to get back in the game
- 6. IZIO DU POMMEREUX** - Has been a complete write-off since returning to competition this season and even at this level will have too much to do
- 7. INSIDE MAN** - Encouraged at Montier-en-Der on 26 July but was unable to confirm a fortnight later at Mauquenchy, and cannot be considered a priority
- 8. IRON SPIRIT** - Unexceptional element that has done little of note for some time and has no possible chance
- 9. IROISE QUESNOT** - Has not been seen out since finishing unplaced in a Class E at Hyeres over 2,650m on 1 May. Did run 2nd under these conditions in the spring and cannot be discounted
- 10. IKILIK** - Has started to show more since dropping down in category, most recently 4th in a 2150m claimer at Enghien 2 weeks ago, and could well make first 5 once more
- 11. INDUCTIF** - Has ability but has also been disqualified in 8 of last 9 starts and will have few friends
- 12. ICARE DU POMMEREUX** - Out of the picture in both return runs and would be preferred barefoot. Dismiss
- 13. INDIEN EMJI** - Produced some good performances during the spring before losing his way. Is confirmed under these conditions but others still preferred
- 14. JOYAU DU RIB** - Ran 4th at Enghien in June on his first start at this level. Has not been as sharp since but nonetheless returns to the claiming division with a decent hand to play
- 15. JOG DE JAVIE** - Finished 5th in a Class F Apprentices' race at Cagnes-sur-Mer over 2,150m on 20 July. Has placed just 3 times from 14 claiming starts and is not an obvious choice

Summary: IDEE SHANNON (1) showed her form at Enghien but was unable to keep her action together. If she stays trotting this time, she can be preferred to ILLICO D'AMOUR (3), who ran 2nd that day on his first start at this level, INCREDIBLE GO (4), who is better than his latest result would suggest, and IGNACE GUENESERIE (5), who should be closely watched on his debut in the claiming category.

SELECTIONS

IDEE SHANNON (1) - ILLICO D'AMOUR (3) - INCREDIBLE GO (4) - IGNACE GUENESERIE (5)

C3 - PRIX DE DOLE - 2100m (a1m1/4) - - Harness - EUR € 40,000

1. MISS ROBINSON - Was unable to secure the hat-trick when 2nd in a Class E at Enghien over 2,875m on 2 August. Has not once finished out of first three and will have a lot to contribute as she takes to the new profile

2. MALINE DU PLESSIS - Finished 6th in a Class D at Enghien over 2,875m on 13 August when prepping for this. Is shod to preference this time and can return to winning ways

3. MAMAMIA DES ARRIS - Successful in a Class E at Cabourg over 2,750m on 21 July 2026. Is as capable racing left-handed as right- and the draw will do her chances no disservice

4. MAJESTE DAB - Runner-up in a Class E at Amiens over 2,400m on 29 July after having won 2 in a row racing left-handed. Is back to racing barefoot, is reunited with Eric Raffin who won with her on their sole association, and will be no soft touch

5. MIST NIGHT QUICK - Finished 7th in a monte Class D at Enghien over 2,250m on 10 August 2026. Is here for a change of scenery and is unlikely to spice things up

6. MILKA DES THUYAS - Unplaced on comeback in a Class D at Enghien over 2,150m on 22 July. Imposed under these conditions last winter but still needs the run

7. MANONEGRA - Finished 5th in a Class D at Argentan over 2,150m on 8 August, her first start since March. Will have come on for the run and, sporting modified shoeing, can pick up some prizemoney

8. MOON LIGHT RIVER - Unplaced in a Class D at Cabourg over 2,750m on 31 July 2026 after 2 good efforts at a lower level, and is taking on too much once again

9. MY QUEEN - Finished 2nd in a Class E at Enghien over 2,875m on 26 July, a fortnight after securing a Le Mans Class E. Steps up in category here but still looks competitive for a place in the picture

10. MARGATE - Has been excelling in both codes recently, lastly 2nd in a monte Class E at Cabourg over 2,750m on 31 July. Has never shown much liking for Vincennes but in current condition is hard to ignore

Summary: There is little to separate MALINE DU PLESSIS (2), racing barefoot for the first time, MAJESTE DAB (4), in excellent form and also barefoot for the occasion, the consistent MISS ROBINSON (1), who just missed out on the hat-trick, and the unfavourably-drawn MY QUEEN (9) who is nevertheless in cracking shape.

SELECTIONS

MALINE DU PLESSIS (2) - MAJESTE DAB (4) - MISS ROBINSON (1) - MY QUEEN (9)

C4 - PRIX DE PROVENCE - 2700m (a1m1/2) - - Harness - EUR € 90,000

1. LUNELLA LEMAN - Unplaced in a Group III at Saint Malo over 2,950m on 5 August when being prepared for this. Has been out of sorts since mid-May but sports modified shoeing and it is just a question of time before she gets back in the game

2. FAR WEST BI - Returned to victorious ways when stylishly securing a Class B at Châtelailon-La Rochelle on 12 July. Faces a stiffer test this time but will be barefoot for the occasion. Place chance

3. KEY OF LOVE - Surprise 3rd in a Group III at Vincennes over 2,850m on 21 June. Alexandre Abrivard in the bike this time and is unlikely to be far from the action

4. LORD DELO - Has been very hard to fault so far in 2026, most recently winning a Saint-Malo Gr.3 before being subsequently disqualified. JMB is back in the bike and will expect to set the record straight

5. EDGAR SABA - Ran 3rd in a Gr.3 before repeating in a Class B at Enghien 3.5 weeks ago. Is not a priority but is still worth monitoring

6. JET EXPRESS - Second in a Class B at Enghien over 2,875m on 29 July, just missing out on the three-timer, and steps back up in category with a lot to contribute. Chance

7. KAMEHAMEHA - Finished 3rd in a Class A at Vincennes over 2,850m on 17 April, at 54-1. Has not been seen since, races shod, and is not a concern

8. JUST DE L'OISON - Runner-up in a Class B at Enghien over 2,875m on 11 July. Has been an absolute dynamo since starting to race barefoot and should figure prominently at the business end of affairs

Summary: A very good race despite the small field. Back racing left-handed, LORD DELO (4) has a point to prove after victory was taken from him by the stewards at Saint-Malo. JET EXPRESS (6) and JUST DE L'OISON (8) have been consistently competitive and can lead the opposition alongside a barefoot FAR WEST BI (2), impressive winner at Châtelailon-La Rochelle.

SELECTIONS

LORD DELO (4) - JET EXPRESS (6) - JUST DE L'OISON (8) - FAR WEST BI (2)

C5 - PRIX DE MULHOUSE - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E - Harness - EUR € 41,000

1. **LENNY DU PONT** - Ran 6th in a Class F at La Capelle over 2,700m on 30 July, a week after running 2nd in a Mauquenchy Class F, but at this level will need to find more
2. **L'AMOUR** - Would have played an active role in the finish in an Enghien Class E 10 days ago had he not suffered interference. JMB is back in the bike and will be out to put things right
3. **LANDSMAN** - Serious individual that has been knocking at the door over recent months. Is unlikely to win this but is still good enough to challenge for a place cheque
4. **L'AS DES ISLES** - Unplaced in a Class F at Pornichet over 2,725m on 13 August when being prepared for this. Will be barefoot this time, with Benjamin Rochard in the bike, and must not be underestimated
5. **LEBOSS D'HAVAROCHE** - Has merit but is as complicated as they get, and recent numbers do little to inspire confidence
6. **LOVELY TRIP** - Fourth in a Class F at Pornichet over 2,725m on 13 August, after having imposed under the very same conditions the previous month. Takes on a better lot here though and looks a minor place chance at best
7. **LOUVIERS** - Unplaced in a Class F at Pornichet over 2,725m on 13 August. Has otherwise been acquitting himself honourably and has a reasonable chance of getting a look in
8. **LOOK MATYSS** - Unplaced in a Class D at Enghien over 2,875m on 1 August, having run 2nd at Lisieux a fortnight earlier. Is confirmed at Vincennes but others still easier to back
9. **LOTUS DU RIB** - Ran 7th in a Class E at Saint Malo over 2,950m on 5 August after having imposed at Lisieux 3 weeks earlier. Has won 3 of 7 starts in 2026 and is unlikely to be far off the mark
10. **LOUXOR TONIQUE** - Won 3 of 4 prior to running 2nd in a Class E at Meslay-du-Maine over 2,875m on 28 July. Is new to Vincennes but has demonstrated good versatility and will be expected to finish close
11. **L'AS DES AS** - Excellent servant that has hardly put a foot out of line this year, lastly winning a Class F at Montier-en-Der in early-July. Is barefoot this time and will have his chances

Summary: L'AMOUR (2) was unlucky at Enghien 10 days ago and, barefoot this time, will be looking to make amends. He should be wary of L'AS DES AS (11), ideally-engaged at the limit of earnings, barefoot, and partnered by Eric Raffin, and LOUXOR TONIQUE (10), who is in excellent form. LANDSMAN (3) is one to watch, first-time barefoot and first-time going left-handed.

SELECTIONS

L'AMOUR (2) - L'AS DES AS (11) - LOUXOR TONIQUE (10) - LANDSMAN (3)

C6 - PRIX PHACT - 2175m (a1m1/4) - Gr3 - Mounted - EUR € 80,000

1. NAYAMA BERRY - Won a Class C at Enghien over 2,250m on 16 July 2026. Has no references over the Vincennes main track and appears to be out of her depth

2. NITRO DAIRPET - Has not been seen out since being disqualified in a Group II at Caen over 2,450m on 9 May. Is useful when focused and with pads fitted should not be far off the mark

3. NATURE DU GOUTIER - Unplaced on re-entry in a Group II at Enghien over 2,150m on 14 August. Is in race-mode this time and can play a small part

4. NINA JAVO - Ran 6th in a harness Class B at Graignes over 2,700m on 8 August 2026. Is patently in competition-mode but in this company will have her work cut out

5. NESPERA - Finished 9th in a Class A at Enghien over 2,875m on 25 July, her first start since March. Sports 4 pads this time but is still not a priority

6. NEW MONEY - Disqualified last time out in a Group I at Vincennes over 2,700m on 21 June 2026, having won a Class A over course and distance 12 days earlier. On good behaviour can get in on the action

7. NATURE DU CHENE - Finished 7th in a Group I at Vincennes over 2,700m on 21 June after having won a Gr.3 here the previous month. Has nothing to prove at this level and may just prove main threat to NINJA DE L'ENVOL (10)

8. NEW SUCCESS - Finished 12th in a harness Class B at Bernay over 2,800m on 26 July, Ran 2nd in a Caen Gr.2 before the spell, sports pads as he did that day, tends to go well for Eric Raffin, and will garner support

9. NEO VANILLA - Unplaced in a Group III at Enghien over 2,875m on 1 August. Ran 3rd in a Gr.2 on sole start under these conditions, will be shod as he was that day, and represents a decent place chance

10. NINJA DE L'ENVOL - Comfortable winner of a Group I at Vincennes over 2,700m on 21 June. Has not been seen out since but will have been specifically prepared and can make this his own

Summary: Impressive winner of the Gr.1 Prix d'Essai on 21 June, NINJA DE L'ENVOL (10) comes here fresh and is set to take all the beating. NATURE DU CHENE (7), well beaten that day but reconfigured here, and the dependable NEO VANILLA (9), can be preferred to the flighty but talented NEW MONEY (6).

SELECTIONS

NINJA DE L'ENVOL (10) - NATURE DU CHENE (7) - NEO VANILLA (9) - NEW MONEY (6)

C7 - YEARLING CUP 2026 - ARQANA TROT - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Gr3 - Harness - EUR € 150,000

1. **NAZZARENO** - Was eliminated in a monte Class C at Enghien recently, after having won a Class E at La Capelle the previous month, and at this level will have too much to do
2. **NAHIA DIBAH** - Third in a Class D at Enghien over 2,150m on 13 August, just missing out on the three-timer. Takes on a more exalted lot this time and chances appear limited
3. **NOTE REBELLE** - Serious filly that ran 3rd in an Enghien Class B on 10 August only to lose it in the stewards' room. Sports hind pads for the first time and must be taken seriously
4. **NORMAN PIERJI** - Won 3 in a row before being disqualified from 2nd place in a Class B at Châtelailon-La Rochelle late last month. Is a serious future prospect and will have his chances when push comes to shove
5. **NASH PERRINE** - Won a Class C at Cabourg over 2,750m on 24 July. Can prove a handful but gave a good account on her sole start over the main track and cannot be ruled out
6. **NOT FOR FUN** - Returns to racing with 4 pads after coming 5th in a Pornichet Class B 9 days ago, but to compete at this level will need to find more
7. **NOBEL VENESI** - Ran 6th in a Group III at Enghien over 2,875m on 1 August, just his 2nd start back. Will be fully-fit by now and although not a priority, is still worth keeping an eye on
8. **NAYA D'ERONVILLE** - Successful in a Class B at Enghien over 2,875m on 10 August, a fortnight after having dominated a Class D there. Is a force when padded and makes her Vincennes debut with a good hand to play
9. **NOB HILL** - Fourth in a Group III at Enghien over 2,875m on 1 August. Was not at his ease that day, is clearly better than the result would suggest, and Alexandre Abrivard will be keen to prove the point
10. **NEO DE JOUDES** - Runner-up in Group I Prix Albert Viel at Vincennes over 2,700m on 21 June. Is head-and-shoulders better than the field and, barring force majeure, the race should be his for the taking

Summary: One of the best of his generation, NEO DE JOUDES (10) has been carefully prepared for this and will be no soft touch. The spirited NOB HILL (9) has been reconfigured, is reunited with Alexandre Abrivard, and can lead the opposition alongside Thierry Duvaldestin's two runners, NAYA D'ERONVILLE (8), who is improving for every run, and NORMAN PIERJI (4), who has not been bested in the day's configuration.

SELECTIONS

NEO DE JOUDES (10) - NOB HILL (9) - NAYA D'ERONVILLE (8) - NORMAN PIERJI (4)

C8 - PRIX ALFRED LEFEVRE - 2850m (a2m) - - Mounted - EUR € 90,000

- 1. KISS ME HONEY** - Returns to the ridden code after coming second in a harness Class C at Chatelaillon over 2,500m on 27 July. Has form at the highest level and, with application, can have her day in the sun
- 2. HORSY ROYAL** - Won a Class C at Enghien over 2,875m on 25 July. Faces a much tougher task this time though and others easier to support
- 3. HEVA BLONDE** - Fourth in a Class C at Enghien over 2,875m on 25 July. Is clearly getting back to her best but at this level is being aimed too high
- 4. ICARE WILLIAMS** - Ran 6th in a Class D at Vichy over 2,950m on 1 July 2026. Presents solid monte credentials but recent results do little to impress
- 5. KAYA DREAM** - Fifth in a Class C at Les Sables D'Olonne over 2,775m on 24 July. Is unlikely to create an upset but always gives her best and should not be overlooked
- 6. HOLD UP DES VENTES** - Gave a good account to finish 4th in Gr.2 Prix de Londres earlier this month and with form maintained can repeat
- 7. KID BELLAY** - Unplaced in a harness Class B at Enghien over 2,875m on 29 July, his first appearance for 5 months. Is reunited with Eric Raffin for the occasion and, competitively-shod, is unlikely to let the side down
- 8. ILTON ROYAL** - Unplaced in a Class A at La Gacilly over 3,100m on 9 August, his first start since March. Paul Ploquin back in the bike but is still not a concern
- 9. JUPITER DE PLAY** - Won a Gr.3 across town on 9 July but was eliminated a month later when competitive for a place in a Gr.2 at the same venue. On better behaviour though can play a leading role
- 10. INDIGO DE FONTAINE** - Unplaced in a harness Group III at Saint Malo over 2,950m on 5 August when preparing for this. Won like a champion at Cabourg last month and has every chance of confirming
- 11. INSHORE** - Complicated sort that comes to Vincennes on a hat-trick of eliminations and is not about to trouble the judge
- 12. HEURISTIQUE** - Finished 7th in a Class A at Cabourg over 2,750m on 17 July. Showed here a month earlier that her form is not in question and can be backed with confidence this time
- 13. HEDEN CRUZ** - Finished 5th in a Class A at Cabourg over 2,750m on 17 July. Has not got his nose in front for some time but reassured at Cabourg and can challenge for a place in first five

Summary: Convincing winner of the Prix Fandango at Cabourg, INDIGO DE FONTAINE (10) will be shod as he was that day and will attempt to follow up, but KISS ME HONEY (1), who races under the saddle sparingly but to good effect — she was second in Gr.1 Prix Bilibili during the winter — has the ability to test him. JUPITER DE PLAY (9) and HEURISTIQUE (12) both deserve to be given another chance.

SELECTIONS

INDIGO DE FONTAINE (10) - KISS ME HONEY (1) - JUPITER DE PLAY (9) - HEURISTIQUE (12)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
NINJA DE L'ENVOL (610)

Outsider of the day
JOYAU DU RIB (214)

Reverse forecast

LORD DELO (404) - JET EXPRESS (406)

Three pick of the day

LORD DELO (404) - NINJA DE L'ENVOL (610) - NEO DE JOUDES (710)