

CHARTRES [L-H] - 22 October

Race 1 - PRIX VERT MARINE - 2800m WALK-UP G110 HCP AM Harness. Purse EUR €6,000.

1. **EQUIDO** - Sixth on grass at Vitre just under three weeks ago. Earlier form gives him a chance.
2. **ELIOS NOE** - Held 18L eighth in a sixteen runner contest at Cordemais nineteen days ago. Minor role likely.
3. **FAST AND TONIC** - Good 1.25L second at Vincennes earlier this month. Strong claims.
4. **FLICFLAC DU LOGIS** - Successful by 1.25L at Vincennes seventeen days ago. Top chance.
5. **EXPRESS DE BOMO** - Failed to shine when 20L twelfth at Bihorel first up. Improvement likely.
6. **DOUDOU MAGIC** - Ninth at Alencon earlier this month. Others hold more obvious claims.
7. **FIACRE DU CHENE** - 61 race maiden suffered a DQ at Ecommoy 26 days ago.
8. **FESTIVAL DE LARRE** - Fourth when beaten 8.5L at Fleurance in August. Claims.
9. **DALTON D'EBANE** - Midfield finish when 12L ninth at Cherbourg in a claiming race twelve days ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
10. **FIRST DESTIN** - Good 2L second at Le Croise-Laroche just over a month ago. Leading contender.
11. **ESPOIR DU GITE** - Given a break since finishing 5.5L eighth here in early April. Others preferred.
12. **DUCK DRYME** - Down the field 10L ninth in a Vincennes claimer ten days ago. Step forward required.
13. **CREDO BLUE** - DQ at Mauquenchy at the start of the month. Claims on his second place finish at Agon-Coutainville prior.
14. **CESSILAC** - Held 49L eighth at Montier-en-Der in August. Poor wins/runs record.
15. **DEFI DE LA COUDRE** - Down the field at Mauquenchy second up. More required.
16. **DON JUAN DE MOERES** - Held 12L ninth at Amiens five days ago. Others preferred.

Summary: FIRST DESTIN (10) may go one better than when 2L second at Le Croise-Laroche. FLICFLAC DU LOGIS (4) makes the shortlist. Won by 1.25L at Vincennes. FAST AND TONIC (3) might play a role having finished second in that contest at Vincennes. EQUIDO (1) can be considered after a 2L second at Blain on his penultimate start.

Selections

FIRST DESTIN (10) - FLICFLAC DU LOGIS (4) - FAST AND TONIC (3) - EQUIDO (1)

Race 2 - PRIX TROTTING BLOODSTOCK - 2800m WALK-UP E67 HCP APP Harness. Purse EUR €17,000.

1. **GAUTE DES DOUITS** - Good 4.25L fourth at Caen thirteen days ago. One to note.
2. **GASPARD DU PALAIS** - DQ at Vichy just under six weeks ago. Others preferred.
3. **GARUNCHA PURPLE** - DQ on five of her last six starts including at Laval at the end of August. Others hold more obvious claims.
4. **GRANTURISMO LEPINE** - Below par 21L seventh in a mounted race at Enghien at the end of last month. Capable of better.
5. **GORIAN DE VIETTE** - Fair 5L sixth at Caen four weeks ago. Claims in this event.
6. **GITANO DE LUISLO** - DQ at Reims earlier this month. More required.
7. **GIRL GEMA** - Successful at a minor venue just under six weeks ago. Notable runner.
8. **GHOST LIGHT** - DQ at Caen four weeks ago. Earlier form gives him a chance.
9. **GOOD MORNING BIBIS** - DQ at Lyon-la-Soie sixteen days ago. Minor role likely.
10. **GOSPEL D'ARIANE** - Down the field at Nuille-sur-Vicoïn earlier this month. Others preferred.
11. **GERONIMO DE BUSSET** - Fair 10L fourth in a claimer at a minor track in August. Step forward needed.
12. **GIRL HAUFOR** - Returning from a break when eleventh at Angers sixteen days ago. Likely to have improved for the race.
13. **GARDE MOI HAUFOR** - Down the field eleventh at Nantes first up. Step forward likely.
14. **GUYLAIN DE MAI** - DQ at Challons-en-Champagne five days ago. Claims having won by 1.75L at Vincennes prior.
15. **GRISOU ATOUT** - Good 0.75L second at Niort just over a month ago. Leading contender.

Summary: GRISOU ATOUT (15) can deliver a victory following a 0.75L second at Niort. GUYLAIN DE MAI (14) makes the shortlist. Won by 1.75L at Vincennes on his penultimate start. GIRL GEMA (7) enters calculations having found success at a minor venue. GAUTE DES DOUITS (1) is another to consider after a 4.25L fourth at Caen.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">GRISOU ATOUT (15) - GUYLAIN DE MAI (14) - GIRL GEMA (7) - GAUTE DES DOUITS (1)</p>
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Race 3 - PRIX LE TUYAU MAGAZINE - 2800m WALK-UP E175 RST E Monte. Purse EUR €25,000.

1. **DIABOLIC QUEEN** - Bidding to complete a five-timer when DQ at Vincennes ten days ago. Top chance to bounce back.
2. **CLEVNER** - Successful by 1.25L at Caen thirteen days ago. Notable contender.
3. **ECOSSE BLEUE** - Held 18L seventh at Savenay 26 days ago. Improvement needed.
4. **EQUIN D'AVRIL** - Good 0.75L second at Nantes at the start of the month. New shoeing combination for this event.
5. **DUC QUICK** - Seventh at Mauquenchy 25 days ago. New shoeing combination tried third up.
6. **ERMES DE CORDAY** - Seventh when beaten 8.25L at Enghien just over three weeks ago. Step forward needed.
7. **COOL HAUFOR** - Held 36L fourth at Cagnes-sur-Mer at the end of July. Likely to improve for the race.
8. **DEVERIA** - Midfield finish when beaten 9.5L seventh at Cabourg fifteen days ago. Capable of better.
9. **DALJEMOSA** - Down the field seventh at Cherbourg in August. Minor role likely.
10. **CHOUPETTE JALLERIE** - Good 5.25L third at Feurs a week ago. One to note.
11. **BISCUIT** - DQ in a driven race at Enghien four days ago. Looking for a first mounted success at the fifteenth time of asking.
12. **DELPHES D'ARIANE** - Held 5.5L ninth at Vincennes ten days ago. Others make more appeal.
13. **CASH DRIVE** - Down the field in a driven race at Vitre at the start of the month. Best watched.
14. **EASTER DAY** - Good 1.25L fifth in a driven race at Vincennes a week ago. New shoeing combination tried on just his second mounted race start.

Summary: DIABOLIC QUEEN (1) can put a DQ at Vincennes behind her having demonstrated good winning form prior. CLEVNER (2) makes the shortlist. Won by 1.25L at Caen. EQUIN D'AVRIL (4) enters calculations on the back of a 0.75L second at Nantes. CHOUPETTE JALLERIE (10) is also considered having finished 5.25L third at Feurs.

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<p style="text-align: center;">DIABOLIC QUEEN (1) - CLEVNER (2) - EQUIN D'AVRIL (4) - CHOUPETTE JALLERIE (10)</p>
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Race 4 - PRIX SOCIETE POUILLARD - 2800m WALK-UP E24 Harness. Purse EUR €17,000.

1. **HIP HOP DE CHENU** - Held 7.25L sixth at Nantes just under three weeks ago. New shoeing combination tried.
2. **HARLEYZON** - DQ at Reims last month. Gets a new shoeing combination on debut for a new trainer.
3. **HAKIM BUISSONAY** - DQ at Enghien four days ago. Capable of better.
4. **HADRIEN MERITE** - Down the field twelfth at this track 27 days ago. More required.
5. **HOTMAIL** - Good 0.75L third at Graignes just under three weeks ago. Bold show expected.
6. **HANAE DU RIB** - Held 11L ninth at Cabourg last week. Others hold more obvious claims.
7. **HIPPOCRATE DU TRIO** - Completed a double when winning at Rambouillet at the start of the month. Racing barefoot for the first time.
8. **HIPPIE DU BREIL** - DQ at Les Sables-d'Olonne six days ago. More needed.
9. **HOLDEM POKER** - Down the field at Mauquenchy first up. Step forward likely.
10. **HOT CALL** - Fair 3.5L fifth at Mauquenchy nineteen days ago. Claims if building on that effort.
11. **HOMA** - Good 4L fourth at Alencon just over a month ago. One to note.
12. **HESPERANCE ELTE** - Failed to shine when down the field at Mauquenchy at the start of the month. Others hold more obvious claims.

Summary: HIPPOCRATE DU TRIO (7) bids for a hat-trick having won at Rambouillet. Leading claims in current form racing without shoes for the first time. HOTMAIL (5) may play a role in the finish following a 0.75L third at Graignes. HOMA (11) enters calculations on the back of a 4L fourth at Alencon. HOT CALL (10) is another to consider after a 3.5L fifth at Mauquenchy.

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<p style="text-align: center;">HIPPOCRATE DU TRIO (7) - HOTMAIL (5) - HOMA (11) - HOT CALL (10)</p>
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Race 5 - PRIX CHARTREXPO - 2800m WALK-UP B HCP Harness. Purse EUR €25,000.

1. **ISADORA BUISSONAY** - Good 3L second at Vincennes at the end of last month. One to note.
2. **IMIKO JIEL** - Fair 4.5L sixth at Vincennes 24 days ago. Step forward required.
3. **ISSALIO** - Good 4L second at Vincennes a month ago. Bold show expected.
4. **INES PICARDE** - Held 10L ninth at Feurs a week ago. Others preferred.
5. **IRINUSHKA** - Down the field tenth at Vincennes at the end of last month. More required.
6. **IT'S PAT** - Fifth at Rambouillet just under three weeks ago. Notable contender.
7. **IRVING DE BAILLY** - Fair 8L sixth at Enghien last week. Step forward required.
8. **INTEGRE** - Down the field twelfth at Enghien nine days ago. More needed.
9. **IMPACT PLAYER** - Fair 7.5L fifth at Enghien nine days ago. Likely to find a few too good.
10. **INES DES RIOULTS** - Impressive 8L winner of a mounted race at Vincennes in June. Likely to improve for the race.
11. **INDEPENDANCIA** - DQ at Graignes five days ago. Strong claims having finished fourth at Rambouillet prior.
12. **ILLUSIVE ARTIST** - Good 3.25L fifth in the G3 Prix de Kurse at Vincennes earlier this month. Leading contender.
13. **ICONE DE CASTELLE** - Winner of the G3 Prix de Taverny at Vincennes last month. Top chance.

Summary: ICONE DE CASTELLE (13) won by 4.25L in the G3 Prix de Taverny at Vincennes. Sets the standard and can complete a double. ILLUSIVE ARTIST (12) delivered a 3.25L fifth in the G3 Prix Kurse at Vincennes. Bold bid anticipated if replicating. INDEPENDANCIA (11) is respected having finished fourth in a Class B at Rambouillet on her penultimate start. ISSALIO (3) is another to consider following a 4L second at Vincennes.

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Race 6 - PRIX O'GROS L'O MAINVILLIERS - 2775m WALK-UP B HCP Harness. Purse EUR €25,000.

1. **HUNE DE CONDE** - DQ in a lower grade at Laval recently. Has been going well prior to this albeit at a lower level. Potential pace angle.
2. **HADOL DU PALMA** - Resuming after a 122 day break with shoes on. Best watched.
3. **HABIT DE SOIREE** - Fifth beaten 4.25L at Chartres in this class in September. Not ruled out.
4. **HIBISCUS DES BAUX** - Ninth beaten 10L at Enghien after a spell. Going up two levels and needs more.
5. **HAMYOT DE BOMO** - Fifth beaten 4L at Enghien in two classes lower nine days ago. Consistent and placed in this grade the time before.
6. **HEART JEWEL** - Fourth beaten 3.25L at Vincennes in two classes lower. Went well at this level the time before.
7. **HIROUNE D'HERIPRE** - Well beaten after a break in this class. Shoes remain on and best watched.
8. **HELLO MADEMOISELLE** - Well beaten on last two outings and needs more.
9. **HUPERLA MAG** - Back to back DQ. Sixth the time before beaten 2.5L at Enghien in a Class C. Interesting.
10. **HANNAH** - Second beaten 0.75L at Enghien in one class lower. Not the strongest but entitled to need this after a break.
11. **HUGO DU BOURG** - Fifth beaten 8L in a higher class at Cagnes Sur Mer. Down a level and can go close.
12. **HIATUS** - Well beaten after a break in this class. Shoes are still on and passed over.
13. **HOUSTON DE BLARY** - Second beaten 0.25L at Vincennes in a mounted contest contest. Interesting.
14. **HELITLOPET** - Five straight DQ but all at Group level. Taking a big class drop and can be considered.
15. **HEDE DARLING** - Fifth beaten 4L at Angers in this class. Should not be far away once more.
16. **HOOKER BERRY** - Fourth beaten 2.25L at Vincennes in the G1 Criterium des 4 Ans after finishing strongly. Dropping down in class and looks the one beat.

Summary: HOOKER BERRY (16) sets the standard after a 2.25L fourth at Vincennes in the G1 Criterium des 4 Ans. Has to go close once more. HOUSTON DE BLARY (13) finished second beaten 0.25L in this class at Vincennes. More than capable at this level. HUGO DU BOURG (11) was beaten 8L into fifth at Cagnes Sur Mer in a higher class. Interesting down in grade. HEART JEWEL (6) can go well at this level.

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<p style="text-align: center;">HOOKER BERRY (16) - HOUSTON DE BLARY (13) - HUGO DU BOURG (11) - HEART JEWEL (6)</p>
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Race 7 - PRIX BMW GROUPE BERTEAUX CHARTRES / DREU - 2775m WALK-UP B HCP Harness.
Purse EUR €28,000.

1. **GHALAL DE VANDEL** - Sixth beaten 7.25L in a lower class and easily ruled out.
2. **GAMIN DE FOURCHES** - Back to back sevenths. Most recently in this class and not an obvious winner.
3. **GARLIC BREAD** - Second beaten 1.75L at Enghien in a Class D. Going ok but will need to improve.
4. **GOLDEN LORD MIJACK** - Seventh beaten 14L at Laval in a much lower class. Passed over.
5. **GAVROCHE KILY** - Fourth beaten 4L at Cabourg in a Class E. Difficult to consider at this level.
6. **GALLA DU FRUITIER** - Fifth beaten 4L at Enghien in two classes lower. Place at best.
7. **GALBA RINGEAT** - Bidding for a four timer after winning at Class E at Vincennes. Has a 50% strike rate barefoot and worth a try at this level.
8. **GOLD DU METZ** - Not seen since August when winning a Class E at Dieppe by 0.75L. Returns with shoes on and entitled to need the run.
9. **GAETANE WOOD** - Fourth beaten 3L at Enghien in two classes lower. Returns from a 86 day break with shoes on.
10. **GWENDOLINE** - Struggled in a lower class at Vincennes in August. Will need a lot more.
11. **GAZELLE DU BOURG** - Sixth beaten 3.25L at Cagnes Sur Mer in a higher class. Down a level and should not be far away.
12. **GIBOULEE DE MARS** - Third beaten 3L at Le Croise Laroche in this class. Proven at this level.
13. **GHALIE DU GOUTIER** - Won by 0.75L at Vincennes in this class in September. This looks weaker and can score again.
14. **GAMAY DE L'ITON** - Ninth beaten 7.5L in the G1 Criterium des 5 Ans at Vincennes. Placed at this level the time before and should go close.
15. **GLORIA BERRY** - Well beaten on two outings after a break. Shoes remain on and best watched.
16. **GLORIA DU GERS** - Fourth beaten 6.5L at a country track in a Class D. Will need a bit more.

Summary: GHALIE DU GOUTIER (13) won a stronger race for the grade at Vincennes in September by 0.75L. Should be the one to beat again. GAMAY DE L'ITON (14) produced a good effort when 7.5L ninth at Vincennes in a G1. Placed in this class the time before and should feature down in grade. GIBOULEE DE MARS (12) finished third beaten 3L at Le Croise Laroche in this class earlier this month. Place chance. GAZELLE DU BOURG (11) was a close sixth in a higher grade at Cagnes Sur Mer. Capable.

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Race 8 - PRIX EPI CENTRE LECLERC - 2800m WALK-UP E183 HCP Harness. Purse EUR €25,000.

1. **FAKIR DE L'AULNE** - Fifth beaten 4.25L at Lisieux in this class five days ago. In form and not ruled out.
2. **EXCELEBRATION** - Fifth beaten 4L at Bihorel in a lower class. This ended a run of three straight DQ. Needs to build on this.
3. **ENDENE BEAUREGARD** - Not at best at Cabourg when down the field. Needs a class drop to help.
4. **DESIR DU JUILLE** - Fifth beaten 7.25L at this venue in a lower class. Easily ruled out.
5. **EVA DU CAMPDOS** - Resuming after a 76 day break. Ended last campaign in poor form. Best watched.
6. **DEESSE DES SABLES** - Well beaten in last five and difficult to consider switching from a mounted to a driven.
7. **ETOILE D'ETE** - Sixth beaten 19L at Cabourg in a higher class. Coming down in grade but needs more.
8. **ECLAT DE MAHEY** - Won three weeks ago at Toulouse in this class by 0.75L. In the same grade and should go close.
9. **FESTIVAL D'ORIENT** - No form in last five and needs the change of shoeing to bring significant improvement.
10. **FAUST LUDOIS** - Fourth beaten 8.5L in this class at Lisieux two starts back. Struggled up in grade the time to before. Interesting back down in class.
11. **EL PASO BLUE** - Won back to back Class F contests before a second in this grade at Vincennes. Down a level and has to be considered.
12. **ELECTRON DU RIB** - Fourth but beaten 10L in this class at Alencon in a mounted. Needs more reverting to a driven.
13. **EASY MAZA** - No form in last two outings and easily dismissed.
14. **FLAMBEAU ROYAL** - Third beaten a neck at Le Croise Laroche in September in this class. Can feature.
15. **FLEO LILA** - Fifth beaten 3.25L at Le Croise Laroche in this grade. Struggled up in class since but can bounce back.
16. **FUTUR DU CHENE** - Won by a neck in this class at Le Croise Laroche beating a number of reopposing rivals. Has a win and a placing from three outings in this shoeing combination.

Summary: FUTUR DU CHENE (16) won by a neck at Le Croise Laroche in this class beating a number of these. Could go close once more. ECLAT DE MAHEY (8) found success by 0.75L in this grade at Toulouse. Worth consideration once more. EL PASO BLUE (11) delivered back to back wins before a 4.25L second in this class at Vincennes. Not to be ruled out. FLAMBEAU ROYAL (14) was only beaten a neck behind Futur du Chene and should not be far away.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FUTUR DU CHENE (16) - ECLAT DE MAHEY (8) - EL PASO BLUE (11) - FLAMBEAU ROYAL (14)</p>
