HYERES [R-H] - 24 July

Race 1 - PRIX DU DOMAINE DU COLOMBIER CHABLIS - 2650m MOBILE D195 RST E Harness. Purse EUR €32,000.

- 1. FOLLOW ME DU LOGIS Won't find this as tough as last start when beaten 6L at Vichy. Can make amends.
- 2. **FINOU DU LUOT** Disqualified at Beaumont-De-Lomagne. Overlook the last run. Consistent prior.
- 3. ESPOIR DE BELLOUET Last start beaten 17L at Beaumont-De-Lomagne. Needs to lift.
- 4. **HONKY TONK BLUES** Has not been in the money in two runs this time in work, the latest when 5L away in fifth at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Expecting a much better run this time.
- 5. **DARK SIDE** Has filled a minor placing at his last two starts, the latest effort a third at this track. Continues to race well and is a leading contender.
- 6. **CHIBAIRO D'IRATY** Has not been racing well, including a poor effort last time when a long way back in eighth at this track. Must do a lot more.
- 7. **ECKMUHL JACK** Has been struggling of late, most recently finishing seventh at this track. Better than last start and can improve sharply.
- 8. **EPICO BLUE** Has recorded a hat-trick of wins, the latest at this track. Major player.
- 9. **EMPEREUR DE REUX** Disqualified last start at Cavaillon. More needed.
- 10. **EMBLEME ORANGE** Was beaten comfortably into sixth last time out despite a strong market position at Marseille Borely. Capable of bouncing back.

Summary: EPICO BLUE (8) looks for fourth consecutive victory at this track and trip. 0.5L scorer last time and will prove extremely hard to beat once more. DARK SIDE (5) has placed on last two starts, including here latest. Key player in current form. HONKY TONK BLUES (4) has shaped with promise on first two starts this campaign. Should now be primed and can improve. Each way player. ECKMUHL JACK (7) has an honest overall record. Each way claims in this field.

Selections

EPICO BLUE (8) - DARK SIDE (5) - HONKY TONK BLUES (4) - ECKMUHL JACK (7)

Race 2 - PRIX MAITRE RAYMOND MARTIN - 2650m MOBILE G79 Harness. Purse EUR €21.000.

- 1. **GULLIVER D'ELA** Has been racing well this campaign. Good effort when third last time out at this track. Expected to measure up again.
- 2. **GALIANO GRIFF** Made an encouraging return when he was third at Biarritz last start, beaten 1L. Fitter and should play a big role.
- 3. **FIMOKO STAR** Last couple have been disappointing the latest when disqualified at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Prior to that won two on end. Leading contender on best form.
- 4. **GRATTA KEKA** Missed the placings again last start, beaten 13L when sixth at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. More needed.
- 5. **FRISSON D'OCCAGNES** Was sub-par last time when sixth at this track after drawing poorly. Rates highly and from a much better draw can bounce back.
- 6. **FALMACO DES ANGLES** Fifth at Cagnes-Sur-Mer after drawing poorly. Great chance to bounce back. Has claims.
- 7. **FICTOR DES ROMAINS** Not the most reliable gelding, last start disqualified at Carpentras. Has a solid record here with two wins and a placing from five starts. Capable of winning at odds.
- 8. **GUALAMO** Disqualified last start at this track. Put a line through the latest run. Has ability on his day.
- 9. **GLORIA DARCHE** Form only moderate and has been without a win now for 24 runs. Last start finished fifth at this track. Not doing enough.
- 10. **FELIN DE BOMO** Has won here previously. Placed this venue two starts back.

Summary: GULLIVER D'ELA (1) has won three times and placed twice in last six starts. Could not be in any better form and will prove hard to beat once more. GALIANO GRIFF (2) shaped extremely well when a 1L third at Biarritz. Should only improve upon that so is worth holding safe. FELIN DE BOMO (10) has won here previously. Placed this venue two starts back and has each way claims. FIMOKO STAR (3) has to be excused DQ the last twice. Thriving prior to that however and a threat to all if bouncing back.

Selections

GULLIVER D'ELA (1) - GALIANO GRIFF (2) - FELIN DE BOMO (10) - FIMOKO STAR (3)

Race 3 - PRIX DES SALINS DE HYERES - 2850m WALK-UP E65 HCP Harness. Purse EUR €22.000.

- 1. **HARTIST GRIFF** Finished 3L back in fifth at his latest outing at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Can do a lot better in this suitable contest.
- 2. HOUBLON Was sub-par last time when fifth at Carpentras. Expect to do better this time.
- 3. **HUNAKA D'OCCAGNES** Didn't make an impact last time when tenth at Feurs. That run followed a minor placing two runs back at Avignon. Hard to go past on best form.
- 4. **HISPANO DU REYNARD** Racing well with a placing two back at Carpentras then a dominant win at Bollene six weeks ago. Made it to the winner's circle last start and can go back-to-back.
- 5. **HIGH BLACK HORSE** Continued some plain form when disqualified at this track two-and-a-half weeks ago. Form not up to scratch.
- 6. **GAMINE DE PARIS** Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while. Missed out two starts back then was a distant ninth last start at this track. Unlikely to threaten.
- 7. **HINANO DES BROUETS** Disqualified at this track after finishing in the placings here the start prior. Place.
- 8. **HERMES DE MARZY** Finished third at Marseille Borely two starts ago then couldn't repeat at Cagnes-Sur-Mer last time but he was only 3L off the winner. Will be about the money.
- 9. **HAMILTON SEVEN** Clocked-in second at this track two starts back then missed the top-three but wasn't disgraced last start at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Winning prospects.
- 10. **HAZARDOUS GAME** Scored at Salon-De-Provence two starts back then clocked-in third at Cagnes-Sur-Mer last time, finishing 6L from the winner. Will be about the money again.

Summary: HISPANO DU REYNARD (4) powered clear for 4.75L success at Bollene. Impressed that day and can do better again. Hard to beat. HAZARDOUS GAME (10) gamely held rivals for 1.75L victory at Salon-De-Provence two starts ago. Placed since and should remain in good form. Big chance. HAMILTON SEVEN (9) has been going close recently. Good effort when beaten just 3L at Cagnes-Sur-Mer latest and is very easy to fancy following that. HERMES DE MARZY (8) is a consistent performer. Solid each way choice.

Selections

HISPANO DU REYNARD (4) - HAZARDOUS GAME (10) - HAMILTON SEVEN (9) - HERMES DE MARZY (8)

Race 4 - PRIX FRANCE BLEU PROVENCE - 2650m MOBILE F10 Harness. Purse EUR €17,000.

- 1. ILLA VILLA Was last produced when ninth at this track ten months ago. Happy to watch this time.
- 2. IMPREVU MAJYC Has been doing it tough recently, last time out finishing eighth at Marseille Borely.
- 3. **IZIA DE LIGNY** Missed out two starts ago then finished sixth at her latest outing at Beaumont-De-Lomagne, 12L adrift.
- 4. **IMAGE DU LOISIR** Missed out two starts ago then finished fifth at her latest outing at Vichy, 6L adrift. Has placed twice from four stars for this driver.
- 5. IRASI DE PHYT'S Disqualified last start at Vannes. No form of note.
- 6. IRIS DE GINAI Missed the placings again last start, beaten 14L when sixth at Marseille Borely.
- 7. **IDEE DE CRENNES** Resumed last start and was runner-up at Laon. Watch for another bold performance.
- 8. **IONA CAYENNAISE** Has disappointed on recent starts. Has won previously however and is a threat to all if back near that level.
- 9. **IMOLA DU HOULBET** Has disappointed on recent starts. Has won previously however and is a threat to all if back near that level.

Summary: IDEE DE CRENNES (7) placed on reappearance at Laon. Should only improve upon that and rates as the clear one to beat. IMAGE DU LOISIR (4) has placed twice from four stars for this driver. Expect another bold showing. IONA CAYENNAISE (8) has disappointed on recent starts. Has won previously however and is a threat to all if back near that level. Keep safe. IMOLA DU HOULBET (9) has disappointed on recent starts. Has won previously however and is a threat to all if back near that level.

Selections

IDEE DE CRENNES (7) - IMAGE DU LOISIR (4) - IONA CAYENNAISE (8) - IMOLA DU HOULBET (9)

Race 5 - PRIX DE L'ILE DE PORT-CROS - 2850m WALK-UP F129 HCP APP Harness. Purse EUR €22,000.

- 1. **GAMIN DE VIVOIN** Improved to clock-in second at this track last start on the back of a well-beaten fourth at Bollene the run prior. Heading the right way now. Chance.
- 2. **FULL DE GAVEL** Finished third at Carpentras last start after he was unplaced two back at Thouars. Getting closer.
- 3. **EMANDORIA** Met with support last start but could only manage fifth at Oraison.
- 4. **GORDON QUICK** Finished runner-up two starts back at Oraison then missed the frame last time out at this track. Facing a difficult assignment.
- 5. ETRE MERITE Didn't make an impact when tenth at Carpentras, beaten 11L.
- 6. EPSOM DE GOUPILLEL Seventh beaten 3L at Carpentras. Place on earlier form.
- 7. **GUIBSON DU SOLNAN** Started well in commission last start but could only manage sixth at Biarritz. Hard to catch but has claims.
- 8. **FITZY DE VIVE** Ran fifth last start at this track on the back of a win at this track to runs back. Strong contender.
- 9. DARBY KALOUMA Won't find this as tough as last start when beaten 7L at Agen but needs to lift.
- 10. **GITANE DU DIGEON** Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while. Failed to feature at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Unlikely to threaten.
- 11. **ECUREUIL PHIL** Missed the placings again last start, beaten 6L when fifth at this track. Capable of a better showing.

Summary: GAMIN DE VIVOIN (1) is a honest performer. Placed at this track last time and rates highly on that form. Will take beating. FULL DE GAVEL (2) improved to finish a good 1.75L third at Carpentras. Can improve again and is easy to fancy. FITZY DE VIVE (8) was a game 0.5L winner here two starts ago. Another creditable effort back here since and he is worth holding safe. GUIBSON DU SOLNAN (7) has disappointed on both efforts since victory three starts back. Threat to all if bouncing back to near best however.

Selections

GAMIN DE VIVOIN (1) - FULL DE GAVEL (2) - FITZY DE VIVE (8) - GUIBSON DU SOLNAN (7)

Race 6 - PRIX DE L'ILE DU LEVANT - 2650m MOBILE G84 AM Harness. Purse EUR €6.000.

- 1. **EL CAMINO DE LOU** Disqualified at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Little form on offer.
- 2. **GANDI DES OLIVIERS** Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while. Failed to threaten when disqualified at Salon-De-Provence. Not keen.
- 3. **DON HUBERTO** Was last produced when tenth at Angers three-and-a-half months ago. Little form of late.
- 4. **EXTRA DE LUNOJO** Ran fourth last start at Carpentras on the back of a win at Oraison to runs back. Capable of playing a major role.
- 5. **GAMICHEL LUDOIS** Improved to clock-in third at Cagnes-Sur-Mer last time out following a sixth at Paray-Le-Monial. Will make his presence felt.
- 6. **EXTRA DU RENOUARD** Continued a long run without winning when fourth at Cagnes-Sur-Mer last time out. Edging closer. Include.
- 7. **FACHO** Finished third last time out at Carpentras, beaten 1L. Form here is solid with four wins from five starts. Among the leading chances.

Summary: EXTRA DE LUNOJO (4) has won twice in last four starts. Thriving at present and has particularly good record for this driver. The one to beat. GAMICHEL LUDOIS (5) was beaten 2.75L into third at Cagnes-Sur-Mer last time. Easy to fancy following that. FACHO (7) won five starts ago and has placed twice since. Went down just 1.25L at Carpentras and should give another bold showing. EXTRA DU RENOUARD (6) has each way claims in this field.

Selections

EXTRA DE LUNOJO (4) - GAMICHEL LUDOIS (5) - FACHO (7) - EXTRA DU RENOUARD (6)

Race 7 - PRIX DE L'ILE DE PORQUEROLLES - 2650m MOBILE F4 Harness. Purse EUR €17.000.

- 1. **JAMBA D'OURVILLE** Was in the money at Oraison two back then disappointed last time when seventh at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Sure to go well.
- 2. JAVANAISE Disqualified at Cagnes-Sur-Mer. Overlook the recent mishap. Place.
- 3. **JUVE D'HERIPRE** Made her debut at Cagnes-Sur-Mer last start and didn't do a lot when seventh. May come on. Look for market interest.
- 4. JUST BENOIT Was sub-par last time when fifth at Marseille Borely. Edging closer. Include.
- 5. **JAZZY** Disqualified at this track. This will fully test. Little form.
- 6. **JAVA DES RACQUES** Was well-fancied last time out finishing fifth and beaten 6L at Carpentras. More needed.
- 7. **JELINA BENOIT** Has had two runs this prep without filling a placing, the latest effort a fourth at Marseille Borely, beaten 3L. Should be at peak fitness and can turn things around.
- 8. **JUVENILE CUP** Disqualified at Enghien. Overlook the most recent outing. Easier here. Consider.

Summary: JELINA BENOIT (7) was beaten 3.25L into fourth in good race at Marseille Borelly last time. This looks easier and can progress again. The one to beat. JAMBA D'OURVILLE (1) was beaten 2L into second at Oraison two starts ago. That form reads well and is easy to fancy here. JUST BENOIT (4) has run with credit all starts so far and gets to the right race now. Big chance of shedding the maiden tag. JUVE D'HERIPRE (3) shaped with promise on debut. Should only improve and holds each way claims now.

Selections

JELINA BENOIT (7) - JAMBA D'OURVILLE (1) - JUST BENOIT (4) - JUVE D'HERIPRE (3)

Race 8 - PRIX ANDRE MICALLEF - 2850m WALK-UP F120 Monte, Purse EUR €25,000.

- 1. **EDINSON CAVANI** Finished runner-up at this track last start after he was out of the money two back at this track. Has claims.
- 2. **ELOGIO TEJY** Form average and it has been 24 runs since the last win. More needed.
- 3. **FILOU DES OUBEAUX** Was a last-start winner at this track, scoring by 6L. Form here is solid with three wins from five starts. Can be in the finish.
- 4. **GOLDEN VIKING** Disqualified at Beaumont-De-Lomagne. Put a line through the latest run. Top pick if at his best. Won back-to-back races earlier in the season.
- 5. **FIGEAC COLMI** Has not been in the placings in two runs this time in work, the latest when 12L away in seventh at Villereal.
- 6. **EXTRA BALL** Improved to clock-in second at Saint Galmier last start following a mediocre ninth at Feurs the run prior. A big run would not surprise.
- 7. **FAUBOURG DU PERCHE** Is racing well with a sequence of three minor placings, the latest a 17L third at Oraison. Overdue and should run well again.

Summary: FILOU DES OUBEAUX (3) has won four of last five starts and is clearly thriving at present. Secured third course win when going clear for 7L success here last time and is hard to oppose following that. FAUBOURG DU PERCHE (7) has placed on last three starts. Overdue a victory and should give another bold showing. EDINSON CAVANI (1) placed at this track last time. Each way chance. EXTRA BALL (6) has a great record for this driver. Rates well in this field and is easy to fancy.

Selections

FILOU DES OUBEAUX (3) - FAUBOURG DU PERCHE (7) - EDINSON CAVANI (1) - EXTRA BALL (6)