## **PORNICHET** [L-H] - 24 September

#### Race 1 - PRIX PIERRE PERCEE - 2100m HCP. Purse EUR €18.000.

- 1. **CLOUD MAN** Fair 3.75L fourth in a 2500m maiden at Deauville AW 27 days ago. Of note on return to handicap company.
- 2. **SLEEPER** Down the field 35L twelfth in a 2200m conditions contest at Clairefontaine last month. Handicap debut.
- 3. **CHELSEA DU NINIAN** Good 1.75L fourth over 2200m at Clairefontaine just under a month ago. One to note.
- 4. **JENEREGRETTERIEN** Held 4.5L ninth over 1600m at Clairefontaine last month. Stepping up in distance.
- 5. **SWEET MALPIC** Good 1.5L second in a 2100m claimer at Evreux at the start of this month. Bold show expected on handicap debut.
- 6. **TOP GLORY** Debuting for a new trainer following a 9L ninth in a 1600m claimer at Saint-Cloud earlier this month.
- 7. AIR BEAUTY Given a break since finishing 10L seventh over 2100m at Chantilly in July. Minor role likely.
- 8. **AGAMEMNON** Good 1.25L third over 2000m in a Toulouse claimer sixteen days ago. Claims back in a handicap.
- 9. **AIGLE** Held 14L seventh in an 1800m maiden at Le Croise-Laroche earlier this month. Making her handicap and AW debut.
- 10. **LAST CHANCE** Returnign from a break when 1.5L second in a 2400m maiden at Beaupreau last month. Strong claims on handicap debut.
- 11. **GOTHIQUE** Below par 25L last of ten over 1650m at Craon on handicap debut. Others preferred.
- 12. **MOUSSON D'EVAILLE** Failed to shine when 17L sixth in a 2000m maiden at Le Lion-d'Angers just over two weeks ago. Handicap debut.
- 13. **HOLY OCTOBER** Faded when 8.25L seventh over 2800m in an Argentan claimer 25 days ago. Making her handicap debut.

**Summary**: SWEET MALPIC (5) can go one better than when 1.5L second in a 2100m claimer at Evreux. Bold show expected with more to come on handicap debut. LAST CHANCE (10) makes the shortlist following a 1.5L second to a subsequent winner in a 2400m maiden at Beaupreau. AGAMEMNON (8) can deliver a big effort having been beaten 1.25L third in a 2000m claimer at Toulouse. CHELSEA DU NINIAN (3) is another to consider with cheekpieces tried after a 1.75L fourth over 2200m at Clairefontaine.

### Selections

SWEET MALPIC (5) - LAST CHANCE (10) - AGAMEMNON (8) - CHELSEA DU NINIAN (3)

#### Race 2 - PRIX LES CYCLES DE LA BAIE - 2100m HCP CL3. Purse EUR €16,000.

- 1. MARBOOT Good 1.75L fourth over 1800m in a Clairefontaine claimer first up. Notable contender.
- 2. PERFECTO Below par 21L twelfth over 1650m at Craon earlier this month. More needed.
- 3. **BOKEN** Placed on each of his last three starts including when 5L second in an 1800m handicap at Saint-Malo last month. Bold show expected.
- 4. ANY GUEST Last of sixteen over 1900m at Deauville AW first up. Others preferred.
- 5. **BAFANA LINNGARI** Followed up a 1900m win at Deauville AW with a 4L fifth over the same course and distance. Has won three times here in the past.
- 6. **VAN HALO** 2.75L fourth over 2700m in a Les Sables-d'Olonnes claimer 26 days ago. Likely to find a few too good in this event.
- 7. **GOLD KAFE** Held 5.25L seventh over 1900m at Deauville AW last month. Blinkers worn for the first time that day are retained.
- 8. WHAT A FAIR FOOT Good 0.75L third over 1650m at Craon just under three weeks ago. Top chance.
- 9. **TRUCO** Held 15L sixth in a 2200m conditions race at Craon earlier this month. Form of that event is working out well.
- 10. LINE D'ARGENT Fair 5L sixth over 1650m at Craon earlier this month. Step forward required.
- 11. MULTAMIS Held 6L eighth over 1900m at Deauville AW 27 days ago. Minor role likely.
- 12. **ELYT OF GOLD** Victorious by 1.25L in a 2100m handicap at Senonnes at the end of June. Leading contender.
- 13. **COLD PLAY** Failed to shine when 19L fifteenth over 1600m at Clairefontaine last month. Others preferred.
- 14. QUEEN'S OF MARSHAL Fourth when beaten 3.75L over 1700m here last month. Claims in this event.
- 15. BE THE MAM Sixth when beaten 2L over 2000m at Saint-Cloud last week. Improvement required.
- 16. **SPRITZ ORANGE** Below par 13L last of twelve in a 2200m handicap at Chantilly first up. Likely to have improved for the run.

**Summary**: ELYT OF GOLD (12) won by 1.25L over 2100m at Senonnes. Can complete a double following a break. WHAT A FAIR FOOT (8) may play a part in the finish having been beaten 0.75L when third over 1650m at Craon. BOKEN (3) is considered following a 5L second over 1800m at Saint-Malo. QUEEN'S OF MARSHAL (14) is another to consider after a 3.75L fourth over 1700m at this venue.

### **Selections**

ELYT OF GOLD (12) - WHAT A FAIR FOOT (8) - BOKEN (3) - QUEEN'S OF MARSHAL (14)

# Race 3 - PRIX LIONS CLUB LA BAULE GRAND LARGE (PRIX DE BAGUENEAU) - 2100m HCP CL4. Purse EUR €14,000.

- 1. **SARATI** Runner-up two most recent starts including when beaten 0.5L over 2250m at Longchamp at the start of this month. Top chance.
- 2. REVE DE BAREL Faded when 4L twelfth over 1900m at Deauville AW last month. Capable of better.
- 3. **ESTEEM AUNAY** Step up in trip is a positive here following a 4.25L fourth over 1650m at Craon just under three weeks ago.
- 4. SPINNING MIST Tenth over 2000m at Saint-Cloud last week. Has won here in the past.
- 5. **WHITE SOCK** Given a break since finishing 12L fifth over 2200m at Loudeac in early April. Handicap debut.
- 6. **DREAM IN NORMANDY** Fair 3.75L eighth over 2250m at Longchamp at the start of the month. Has won or placed on four of his six starts at this circuit.
- 7. **PENNBLE** Given a break following a 3L sixth in a 1900m handicap at Chantilly AW in May. Likely to improve for the race.
- 8. **LIGHT HEART** Midfield finish when 7L seventh over 2000m at Le Lion-d'Angers just over two weeks ago. Not written off completely returning to the scene of his only previous victory.
- 9. **CLORINDA** Good 5.5L second to a subsequent winner over 1700m on the sand at Pompadour earlier this month. Leading contender.
- 10. **FONTENAY** Fourth when beaten 1.5L over 1900m at Deauville AW just over six weeks ago. Strong claims.
- 11. **GORMLAITH** Fair 4.5L fifth over 2000m at Le Lion-d'Angers earlier this month. Likely to find a few too good.
- 12. **ADORATA** Down the field 38L thirteenth over 2000m at Le Lion-d'Angers fifteen days ago. Needs to put that effort behind her.
- 13. LE DEPUTE Held 7L sixth over 2000m at Le Lion-d'Angers earlier this month. Best watched.
- 14. **FIRE OF BEAUTY** Good 2.25L fourth over 1950m at Chateaubriant just over four weeks ago. One to note.
- 15. ILLUMINATOR Runner-up when beaten 1.5L at Montignac last month. Has run well here in the past.
- 16. SHENDAIL Faded late on when 3.5L fifth over 2000m at Mauron last month. Others preferred.

**Summary**: SARATI (1) can defy top weight to go one better than when 0.5L second over 2250m at Longchamp. CLORINDA (9) is considered having been beaten 5.5L into second by a subsequent winner over 1700m at Pompadour. FONTENAY (10) makes the shortlist on the back of a 1.5L fourth over 1900m at Deauville AW. ESTEEM AUNAY (3) is another to consider upped in distance having been beaten 4.25L fourth over 1650m at Craon.

### **Selections**

SARATI (1) - CLORINDA (9) - FONTENAY (10) - ESTEEM AUNAY (3)

#### Race 4 - PRIX SONEPAR CONNECT - 2100m CL3. Purse EUR €15,000.

- 1. KING COBRA Good 4L second over 1950m at Les Sables-d'Olonne 26 days ago. Strong claims.
- 2. **MARSHALL LESSING** Nose winner of a 2700m claimer at Les Sables-d'Olonne at the end of last month. Top chance.
- 3. **FULL PRECIEUX** Fair 3L sixth over 1850m at Longchamp just under three weeks ago. Claims on earlier form
- 4. **VYKOV** Runner-up when beaten 1.75L in an 1800m claimer at Clairefontaine last month. Notable contender.
- 5. **BAMCALYB** Victorious by 2L in a 2100m conditions race at Le Touquet just under five weeks ago. Of note in this race.
- 6. **DON RAMIRO** Good 2.25L third over 1900m at Deauville AW just under four weeks ago. Leading contender.
- 7. CAPATINO Held 26L last of six over 2200m at Clairefontaine on French debut. Best watched.
- 8. JUST LIGHT Fifth when beaten 3.75L over 1900m at Deauville AW 27 days ago. Step forward needed.
- 9. **LADY LIZZY** Good 4L fourth over 2700m in a handicap at Les Sables-d'Olonne in July. Placed on five of her eight previous AW starts.
- 10. **REINE DE KERLENNE** Struggled both starts to date including when 83L fourteenth over 3100m in a maiden here in early January. Best watched.

**Summary**: DON RAMIRO (6) can register a victory third up having finished 2.25L third over 1900m at Deauville AW. Supplemented runner MARSHALL LESSING (2) finds a suitable event having won by a nose over 2700m at Les Sables-d'Olonne. KING COBRA (1) is considered following a 4L second in a 1950m contest at Les Sables-d'Olonne. LADY LIZZY (9) completes the shortlist having placed second on both previous starts at this venue.

**Selections** 

DON RAMIRO (6) - MARSHALL LESSING (2) - KING COBRA (1) - LADY LIZZY (9)

#### Race 5 - PRIX VICOMTE DU BOISPEAN - 2400m CLM CL4 HCP. Purse EUR €11,000.

- 1. **LOCAL WHISKY** Head winner of a 2400m claiming handicap at Salon-de-Provence eleven days ago. Bold show expected.
- 2. **GLOCKENSPIEL** Held 11L ninth over 2900m at Clairefontaine last month. Drop in trip a positive on debut for a new trainer.
- 3. **KASAMAN** Good 1.75L third over 1900m at Argentan at the end of last month. Supplemented for this contest.
- 4. **PARK OF DIAMOND** Placed third when beaten 5.5L at Le Croise-Laroche seventeen days ago. One to note
- 5. **KENNY** Held 6.25L seventh over 3700m in a handicap at Nantes in early May. Likely to improve for the race.
- 6. **RIVER BIRD** Ten race maiden was beaten 6.5L eighth over 2400m at Clairefontaine last month. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 7. **AFRODISIOS** Held 14L fourth in a 3000m claiming handicap at Fontainebleau in March last year. Best watched on return from a lengthy absence.

**Summary**: LOCAL WHISKY (1) can complete a double having won by a head over 2400m at Salon-de-Provence. KASAMAN (3) may play a role in the finish having been beaten 1.75L third over 1900m at Argentan. PARK OF DIAMOND (4) is considered on the back of a 5.5L third in a 2500m handicap at Le Croise-Laroche. Supplemented for this GLOCKENSPIEL (2) is also considered having won by 3.5L over 2500m at Siant-Malo on his penultimate start.

**Selections** 

LOCAL WHISKY (1) - KASAMAN (3) - PARK OF DIAMOND (4) - GLOCKENSPIEL (2)

#### Race 6 - PRIX LE GUALES DE MEZAUBRAN - 1700m MDN. Purse EUR €16,000.

- 1. EXPRESS POWER Fair 6.5L sixth over 1400m at La Teste earlier this month. Bold show expected.
- 2. **PRINCE CHARMING** Runner-up when beaten a head in a 2100m claimer at Montignac just over four weeks ago. One to note.
- 3. **SIM CARD** Good 0.75L second over 1950m in a Les Sables-d'Olonne maiden at the end of last month. Of note in this race.
- 4. STRATOSPHERIQUE Held 12L ninth over 1800m in a Clairefontaine claimer last month. More required.
- 5. BOTAS Fair 4.25L fifth in a 1500m claimer at Deauville AW. More required.
- 6. **O GRE DES SAISONS** Given a break since finishing 7L fifth in a 1500m maiden at Tarbes in June. Others preferred.
- 7. **SPARGI ISLAND** Returning from a break when 15L ninth over 1600m in a Clairefontaine maiden early last month. Top chance on the form he showed on the AW earlier this year.
- 8. **BISCOTTINO** Below par 9.75L eighth over 1400m in a La Teste maiden just under three weeks ago. Improvement required.
- 9. **SENSIBLE** Placed third when beaten 3.25L in a 1500m claimer at Deauville AW 27 days ago. Debuting for a new trainer.

**Summary**: SPARGI ISLAND (7) showed good AW form last spell. Can take this following a 15L ninth in a 1600m maiden at Clairefontaine first up. Top chance back on this surface. EXPRESS POWER (1) may play a role on the back of a 6.5L sixth over 1400m at La Teste. SIM CARD (3) looks up to delivering a big effort having finished 0.75L second over 1950m at Les Sables-d'Olonne. SENSIBLE (9) is another to consider after a 3.25L third in a 1500m claimer at Deauville AW.

**Selections** 

SPARGI ISLAND (7) - EXPRESS POWER (1) - SIM CARD (3) - SENSIBLE (9)

# Race 7 - PRIX CHORALE CANTADUNE PORNICHET (PRIX CHARLES DU LUART) - 1700m CLM CL4 HCP. Purse EUR €11.000.

- 1. MINISTRABLE Good 2L second over 1950m at Les Sables-d'Olonne 26 days ago. Leading contender.
- 2. **MINIKING** Down the field tenth over 1200m at Evreux at the start of the month. Others preferred.
- 3. **SHOWMETHEGIN** Returned to form with a 3.5L fourth over 1800m at Le Croise-Laroche earlier this month. One to note.
- 4. **SENEPARK** Placed third when beaten 2.25L in a 1700m claimer at Lal Roche-sur-Yon just under two weeks ago. Winner of his only previous start at this venue.
- 5. MOANA Held 10L fifteenth over 1500m at Deauville AW last month. Capable of better.
- 6. **ROSEBELLE** Held 25L sixth in a 2200m conditions race at La Roche-Posay earlier this month. Blinkers tried for the first time.
- 7. **KROME** Down the field 21L eleventh over 2000m at Le Lion-d'Angers fifteen days ago. Minor role likely.
- 8. INSTRUIT Good 4L third in a 1950m contest at Les Sables-d'Olonne 26 days ago. Top chance.
- 9. **MARKLAND** Runner-up when beaten 2L In a 1700m claimer at La Roche-sur-Yon twelve days ago. More required on these terms.
- 10. **POUR LIBRANNO** Runner-up to a subsequent winner when beaten 2L in a 1700m contest at La Rochesur-Yon twelve days ago. Has won here in the past.
- 11. **MADELEINE MOVES** Held 10L fifth over 1700m at La Roche-sur-Yon nineteen days ago. Looks up against it on these terms.

**Summary**: INSTRUIT (8) can deliver a victory following a 4L third over 1950m at Les Sables-d'Olonne. MINISTRABLE (1) makes the shortlist to go one better than when 2L second in the aforementioned contest. SENEPARK (4) may shine having finished 2.25L third over 1700m in a claimer at La Roche-sur-Yon. MOANA (5) could put a below par Deauville AW effort behind him. Ran 3.25L fifth at the same track in a 1900m event on her penultimate start.

Selections

INSTRUIT (8) - MINISTRABLE (1) - SENEPARK (4) - MOANA (5)

# Race 8 - PRIX SAN VINCENTE DE LA BARQUERA (PRIX MOULIN D'ARGENT) - 1700m MDN. Purse EUR €16.000.

- 1. NOT IN DOUBT Fair 4L sixth over 2100m at Le Touquet. Represents a top stable.
- 2. **KENOTE** Held 41L ninth in a 2000m contest at Le Lion-d'Angers earlier this month. Best watched.
- 3. **JURY PICO** Given a break and changed trainer since finishing 3.25L sixth over 1441m at Wolverhampton (UK) in early May. One to note.
- 4. **MISEREY** Improved on debut effort when 7.25L fourth in an 1800m maiden at Le Croise-Laroche earlier this month. Further improvement required.
- 5. **IMPERATRICE BERE** Failed to shine when 16L ninth in an 1800m maiden at La Teste just under five weeks ago. Others preferred.
- 6. VERIA Down the field 6L eleventh in a 2000m handicap at Chantilly in July. Claims on best form.
- 7. TICK TOCH Good 3.75L fifth in a maiden over 1500m at Niort earlier this month. Bold show expected.
- 8. **MOONY** Runner-up when beaten 3.5L in a 2000m maiden at Le Lion-d'Angers fifteen days ago. Top chance.

**Summary**: MOONY (8) may register a success having finished 3.5L second over 2000m at Le Lion-d'Angers. Top chance for a good yard. TICK TOCH (7) makes the shortlist following a 3.75L fifth in a 1500m maiden at Niort. NOT IN DOUBT (1) enters calculations on the back of a 4L sixth over 2100m at Le Touquet. Making stable and French debut is JURY PICO (3). Can be considered having been beaten 3.25L sixth over 1441m at Wolverhampton (UK).

**Selections** 

MOONY (8) - TICK TOCH (7) - NOT IN DOUBT (1) - JURY PICO (3)