

R1 COMPIEGNE [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX COLONEL D'ENGLESQUEVILLE - FEGENTRI - CHALL. DE L'OBST. EQUINAXY - 4100m
(a2m1/2) - TURF - Handicap - Steeple Chase - EUR € 61,000**

- 1. INSIDE MONTLIOUX** - Finished 13th in a Handicap Chase at Compiegne over 3,800m on 6 April. Look for an alternative
- 2. WALKS LIKE THE MAN** - Finished 8th in a Handicap Chase at Auteuil over 3,500m on 30 May and placed before that. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 3. RAFFLES LIAISON** - Ran 6th in a Handicap Hurdle at Senonnes-Pouance over 3,600m on 19 September. Looks inconsistent and can be opposed
- 4. FORTUNA** - Finished 6th in a Class 3 Conditions Chase at Fontainebleau over 3,850m on 3 October. Can make the frame
- 5. STYLE DE WAY** - Came home 4th in a Handicap Chase at Durtal over 4,000m on 11 October. He might find a few of these too smart
- 6. MARTIN GUERRE** - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Handicap Chase at Compiegne over 3,900m on 30 September. Hard to overlook
- 7. PREZIENNE DU LARGE** - Victorious in a Class 5 Conditions Hurdle at Jarnac over 3,800m on 11 October. One to pay close attention to
- 8. KING OF FRANCS** - Failed to complete last time over 4400m in a handicap chase at Auteuil on September 26. If non the worse he can have a say
- 9. LINDA SLIDE** - Not disgraced when third in a Class 3 Conditions Chase at Moulins over 3,800m on 10 October. Enters calculations
- 10. GEMILL** - Finished 6th in a Handicap Chase at Compiegne over 3,850m on 9 September and a tad low key before that. Looks vulnerable
- 11. ROYAL PONT AVEN** - He failed to complete on his last outing over 3850m at this track in a handicap chase on September 9. One to pass over
- 12. BAKARELO** - Came home 4th in a Handicap Chase at Auteuil over 4,400m on 26 September. He has work ahead to be involved

Summary: MARTIN GUERRE (6) ran a good race at this track when second over 3900m late last month and he can be too smart for PREZIENNE DU LARGE (7), who scored at Jarnac over hurdles 13 days ago and makes the switch back over fences. WALKS LIKE THE MAN (2) was second at this track in May over fences on his penultimate start and should be fit to go after a five month absence. FORTUNA (4) is better than recent form figures and can have a say at the business end.

SELECTIONS

MARTIN GUERRE (6) - PREZIENNE DU LARGE (7) - WALKS LIKE THE MAN (2) - FORTUNA (4)

C2 - PRIX D'IENTA - 3400m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Listed - Hurdles - EUR € 88,000

1. MAGIC DES CHARMES - Outclassed the opposition in a Listed Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,500m on 30 May. Looks like a smart prospect and can follow up

2. PURPLE POWER - Finished 7th in a Class 1 Conditions Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,600m on 8 September and three wins before that. Outside place chance

3. ZOOK - Failed to complete last time at Auteuil in a Listed hurdle over 3500m on May 30. He lacks experience and others make more appeal

4. LA TURBIE - Excellent runner-up in a Class 2 Conditions Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,500m on 26 September. Can make her presence felt

5. ALMARITA - Finished 6th in a Grade 3 Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,600m on 17 September and a win on debut before that in a Class 1 hurdle in April at the same track. Holds leading claims

6. MAHADEVI - Runner-up in a Class 3 Conditions Hurdle at Compiègne over 3,200m on 6 April. Open to progress and has to be considered

Summary: MAGIC DES CHARMES (1) won well on his latest start in May at Auteuil in a Listed hurdle and should be ready to go on his return from a five month break. LA TURBIE (4) will have no fitness concerns and poses as the main danger after a pleasing second at Auteuil late last month in a Class 2 hurdle. ALMARITA (5) scored on debut at Auteuil over hurdles and was far from disgraced on her most recent outing in a Grade 3 hurdle at the same track in September and can not be excluded.

SELECTIONS

MAGIC DES CHARMES (1) - LA TURBIE (4) - ALMARITA (5) - MAHADEVI (6)

C3 - PRIX DE BEAUNE - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 98,000

1. **SIR MARVEL** - Finished 3rd in a Claiming Chase at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 3,800m on 8 October. Merits consideration
2. **COUTE QUE COUTE** - Finished 2nd in a Class 1 Conditions Chase at Strasbourg over 4,200m on 20 September. Holds leading claims
3. **BELLE GOSSE** - Victorious in a Handicap Hurdle at Pompadour over 3,900m on 30 August. Stiffer task ahead and can be opposed
4. **LOUBA** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 3 Conditions Chase at Auteuil over 3,500m on 6 October. Back over hurdles and can feature
5. **LADY LADY LAY** - Finished 7th in a Listed Handicap Chase at Auteuil over 4,400m on 17 September. Sh might need a few to misfire
6. **LE COLOMBAR** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 4 Chase at Lyon-Parilly over 4,100m on 18 October. Top-three chance on quick return to action
7. **MON PETIT PRINCE** - Excellent runner-up in a Class 3 Conditions Chase at Fontainebleau over 3,850m on 3 October. Honest performer who can give another good account of himself
8. **LADY ANGE WIN** - Won in a Class 3 Condition Chase at Fontainebleau over 3,850m on 3 October. Hard to rule out of the top-four
9. **LE COEUR SAUVAGE** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Handicap Hurdle at Compiègne over 3,800m on 13 May. Can make his presence felt
10. **FLYING TRIX** - Finished 6th in a Class 2 Condition Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,600m on 1 October and a win before that at Angers in February. Looks vulnerable
11. **JOCASTA** - Fourth in a Handicap Hurdle at Fontainebleau over 3,550m on 12 October. She might find a few of these too smart
12. **LIBRE ARBITRE** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 4 Hurdle at Le Touquet over 4,100m on 4 October. Each-way option up in class
13. **KING LANE** - Finished 11th in a Handicap Hurdle at Auteuil over 4,300m on 17 October. Unlikely to trouble the principles
14. **CAPTAIN FLAG** - Excellent runner-up in a Class 3 Condition Hurdle at Fontainebleau over 4,200m on 12 October. Outside place chance
15. **LERIKA** - Successful in a Class 3 Condition Chase at Le Touquet over 4,000m on 4 October, and a win over hurdles at the same track in September. Hat-trick of wins will be more difficult

Summary: LOUBA (4) is tentatively preferred on his return to hurdles after winning a Class 3 chase at Auteuil earlier this month. MON PETIT PRINCE (7) has been in excellent form this year, with several placed efforts, and should pose a strong challenge. LE COEUR SAUVAGE (9), placed on all three starts this year, is another to consider, while COUTE QUE COUTE (2) brings versatility over hurdles and fences, and warrants close attention. LE COLOMBAR (6) also merits respect after winning over fences at Lyon-Parilly six days ago.

SELECTIONS

LOUBA (4) - MON PETIT PRINCE (7) - LE COEUR SAUVAGE (9) - COUTE QUE COUTE (2)

C4 - PRIX VATELYS - 3450m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Listed - Steeple Chase - EUR € 88,000

1. MOSSDAM - Finished 4th in a Class 1 Conditions Hurdle at Compiègne over 3,400m on 30 September on his second run. Player on chasing bow

2. SOMMERKONIG - Finished 5th in a Grade 3 Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,600m on 17 September. Useful over hurdles and ran well when 2nd over fences on September 8. He can feature

3. NORTHMAN - Successful in a Conditions race at Compiègne over 3,450m on 30 September and a win over hurdles before that. Live contender

4. VANEADI - Came home 9th in a Class 2 Condition Chase at Auteuil over 3,500m on 22 September. Capable performer but unlikely to trouble the principles

5. NEVER GIVE UP THOM -

6. DOUBLE BE - Ran well to be 2nd at Merano (ITA) in a Grade 1 hurdle on September 27 over 3300m, and 3rd before that over fences at Auteuil. One to keep onside

7. NOVALLY - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Class 4 Condition Chase at Fontainebleau over 3,600m on 3 October. Others rate higher

8. NEXTUBE HAS -

Summary: MOSSDAM (1) has solid form over hurdles and on his switch to fences for the first time, he can be expected to be well schooled by his astute connections. NORTHMAN (3) has experience, having won over course and distance over fences on his most recent start late in September when jumping well. SOMMERKONIG (2) is also worthy of attention and can make his rivals work hard for success. DOUBLE BE (6) is another to pay attention to having finished second over fences two runs back at Auteuil.

SELECTIONS

MOSSDAM (1) - NORTHMAN (3) - SOMMERKONIG (2) - DOUBLE BE (6)

C5 - PRIX DOMINIQUE SARTINI - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Listed - Hurdles - EUR € 88,000

1. **SHABRACK** - Second in a Handicap Hurdle at Compiegne over 3,600m on 30 September, Not to be taken lightly
2. **BOYSTONE** - Fourth in a Class 3 Conditions Chase at Auteuil over 3,500m on 6 October. He is capable although others make more appeal
3. **FANFARON** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Handicap Hurdle at Compiegne over 3,600m on 30 September. Place contender
4. **FRECKLES** - Won in a Class 2 Conditions Hurdle at Strasbourg over 3,600m on 20 September when last racing. This will be more challenging
5. **KILL PASS** - Fifth in a Listed Handicap Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,900m on 25 April. Useful operator who can make his presence felt
6. **MADISON ROQUE** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 3 Conditions Hurdle at Clairefontaine over 3,600m on 24 June. On an upward curve and warrants respect
7. **KILLING BID** - Failed to complete last time over 3500m at Auteuil in a Class 3 chase on October 6. 4th before that over fences at Auteuil on September 17. He can bounce back and play a lead role back over hurdles

Summary: KILLING BID (7) has solid claims despite fluffing his lines on his latest start at Auteuil earlier this month over fences. His fourth on his penultimate start at the same track in September was more encouraging. MADISON ROQUE (6) can be a threat after winning his last two races over hurdles and seems to be improving. SHABRACK (1) has been second on three of his last four runs and is also worthy of attention. KILL PASS (5) is also one to keep onside and completes the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

KILLING BID (7) - MADISON ROQUE (6) - SHABRACK (1) - KILL PASS (5)

**C6 - GRAND STEEPLE-CHASE DE COMPIEGNE - 4100m (a2m1/2) - TURF - - Steeple Chase - EUR €
220,000**

1. GAME OF STORM - Solid 2nd in a Grade 3 over 3800m at Compiegne on the 30th of September behind LE PHILOSOPHE (2). Won this race last year and thrives at this track. Sets the standard

2. LE PHILOSOPHE - A game success in a Grade 3 chase over 3800m at Compiegne on the 30th of September. He won this race in 2024 and will be full of confidence after his latest success

3. JAGUAR DU BERLAIS - Probably needed the race in a Grade 3 chase over 3800m at Compiegne on the 30th of September when 7th behind LE PHILOSOPHE (2). Track/trip winner in a Grade 3 chase in May and warrants respect

4. GIACOSA - Credible 3rd in a Group III over 3800m at Compiegne on the 30th of September 2026. Deserves an each way chance

5. KENTUCKY WOOD - Finished 7th in a Grade 3 chase over 4400m at Auteuil on the 22nd of September 2026. Place chance at best

6. IMPRESSIVE - Ran 6th in a Grade 3 chase over 4400m at Auteuil on the 22nd of September 2026. Unlikely to be a threat

7. PICKLAND - Not the best effort when missing the board at Auteuil over 4700m in a Grade 3 chase on the 11th of October 2026. Best to look elsewhere

8. VICTORY VALLEY - Went missing in a Listed chase over 3800m at Compiegne on the 9th of September 2026. Can bounce back to form and make the frame

9. CI PPO RA - Ran 6th in a Grade 3 chase over 3800m at Compiegne on the 30th of September 2026. Others preferred here

10. BUBBLE PRETTY - Pleasant 4th in a Grade 3 chase over 3800m at Compiegne on the 30th of September 2026. Merits consideration

Summary: GAME OF STORM (1) won this race last year and can gain revenge on old rival LE PHILOSOPHE (2), who beat him when they met in the Prix De La Gascogne (Grade 3) chase over 3800m late last month. LE PHILOSOPHE (2) will be no pushover despite being worse off at the weights today. GIACOSA (4) was a narrow margin behind in third in the same race and can once again play a leading role. JAGUAR DU BERLAIS (3) did not fire when back in seventh, but scored in May over track and trip and will strip fitter this time.

SELECTIONS

GAME OF STORM (1) - LE PHILOSOPHE (2) - GIACOSA (4) - JAGUAR DU BERLAIS (3)

C7 - PRIX DE BESANCON - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Listed - Hurdles - EUR € 88,000

1. **GALLIPOLI** - Ran 6th in a Class 1 Condition Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,900m on 8 September. Can make the frame
2. **STYLE D'EMIRS** - Finished 8th in the Grade 1 Hurdle Racing Tv Grande Course de Haies d'Auteuil at Auteuil over 5,100m on 16 May. Needs a few to falter
3. **OLYMPIC STORY** - Ran well to be 2nd in a Grade 1 hurdle over 4000m at Merano (Italy) on September 27 and 3rd before that at Compiègne on September 9 in a Listed hurdle over 3800m. Among the leading chances
4. **ILLUSION MACHINE** - Fourth in the Grade 1 Hurdle Racing Tv Grande Course de Haies d'Auteuil at Auteuil over 5,100m on 16 May. and Listed hurdle success before that in April. Key chance
5. **GARDIEN DE MUSEE** - Came home 5th in the Grade 1 Hurdle Racing Tv Grande Course de Haies d'Auteuil at Auteuil over 5,100m on 16 May. Hard to ignore
6. **CAF'CONC** - Finished 2nd in a Listed Hurdle at Pau over 4,100m on 18 January. Ought to be thereabouts
7. **ANATOLE** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 2 Condition Hurdle at Compiègne over 3,600m on 9 September. He faces a stiff task
8. **AL FONCE** - Finished 8th in a Listed Handicap Hurdle at Auteuil over 3,600m on 8 September, and a win before that. Unlikely to trouble the principles

Summary: ILLUSION MACHINE (4) has solid credentials having won a Listed hurdle at Auteuil on his penultimate start in April, and a pleasing fourth in the Grade 1 Grand Course De Haies D'Auteuil hurdle when last seen in May. He can edge this over GARDIEN DE MUSEE (5) who was back in fifth in the same race and can make the selection work hard for success. OLYMPIC STORY (3) ran a good race when second in a Grade 1 hurdle at Merano (Italy) when last seen late last month and warrants close attention. GALLIPOLI (1) heads the rest.

SELECTIONS

ILLUSION MACHINE (4) - GARDIEN DE MUSEE (5) - OLYMPIC STORY (3) - GALLIPOLI (1)

C8 - PRIX CERILLY - 3450m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Class 1 - Steeple Chase - EUR € 58,000

- 1. MACARENA DU RIB** - Decent 3rd at Merano (ITA) in a Grade 1 hurdle over 3500m on September 27 on her latest start and consistent form before that. Key player
- 2. DIAMANT DU RHEU** - Fifth in a Class 1 Condition Chase at Compiegne over 3,450m on 30 September. Among the leading each-way chances
- 3. NEVER SEEN** - Finished 10th in a Handicap Chase at Auteuil over 3,500m on 16 May and 4th at this track before that in a Grade 3 chase on April 21 over 3900m. Can make an impact
- 4. LEWIS GREY** - Unplaced in a Class 2 Condition Chase at Auteuil over 3,500m on 17 September. Capable of having a say in the finish
- 5. THE PRINCE** - Won in a Handicap Chase at Craon over 4,100m on 27 September and honest efforts before that. Needs more in a stronger race
- 6. DANCE ALL NIGHT** - Finished 14th in a Handicap Chase at Auteuil over 4,400m on 12 September and two placed runs before that. In the mix
- 7. MALESSIA** - Failed to complete last time over 3700m at Clairefontaine on June 24 in a handicap chase. She might need a few to misfire
- 8. MEC DE LA BARRIERE** - Runner-up in a Class 1 Condition Chase at Compiegne over 3,450m on 30 September. Ought to be in the shake-up
- 9. MON AUDACE** - Pulled up on the sole start over 3500m at Nantes on October 14 in a Class 3 hurdle. Chasing debut and he is best watched for now
- 10. MIKI BILLY** - Ran 6th in a Class 1 Condition Chase at Compiegne over 3,450m on 30 September and below par before that. Others rate higher
- 11. POPY** - Finished 4th in a Class 1 Condition Chase at Compiegne over 3,450m on 30 September. She can make the top-four
- 12. CIEL MON CASTOR** - Fell at Auteuil on October 6 over 3500m in a Class 3 chase on her latest outing. If non the worse she is worth considering

Summary: MACARENA DU RIB (1) is preferred after finishing third in a Grade 1 hurdle in Italy in late September, with a return to fences likely to suit. NEVER SEEN (3) is feared after a respectable fourth in a Grade 3 chase in April at Auteuil on his penultimate start, and could go well fresh. DIAMANT DU RHEU (2) won three times in 2025 and has two placed runs this year over fences and has each-way claims, as does MEC DE LA BARRIERE (8), who is also one to keep onside.

SELECTIONS

MACARENA DU RIB (1) - NEVER SEEN (3) - DIAMANT DU RHEU (2) - MEC DE LA BARRIERE (8)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
MAGIC DES CHARMES (201)

Outsider of the day
DANCE ALL NIGHT (806)

Reverse forecast
ILLUSION MACHINE (704) - GARDIEN DE MUSEE (705)

Three pick of the day

MARTIN GUERRE (106) - MAGIC DES CHARMES (201) - MOSSDAM (401)