

## VINCENNES [L-H] - 24 December

**Race 1 - PRIX DE MIREVAL - 2200m WALK-UP D205 Monte.** Purse EUR €49,000.

1. **EDELWEISS PAULCA** - Nose second here at the end of last month. Bold show expected.
2. **DEFI DE SUBLIGNY** - Improved effort 4.25L third in a driven race here second up. Switch to mounted racing not certain to suit.
3. **ELISA MUSICA** - Fifth when beaten 3L here last week. Winner at Bordeaux prior.
4. **DRACO JIEL** - Held 8.25L seventh in a driven race at Mauquenchy second up. Capable of better.
5. **DIVIN DU RENOARD** - Completed a double when winning by 0.25L at Chartres. Notable contender.
6. **EXTRA DU CHATAULT** - Below par 7.25L eighth in a driven event at Le Croise-Laroche. Others preferred on mounted debut.
7. **ESPOIR DU RAVARY** - Good 2.25L fourth here at the end of last month. Of note.
8. **DIANE DE FREDLAU** - Down the field 3.25L seventh at Le Mans. Minor role likely.
9. **DIVA DU CAIEU** - Held 6.25L sixth at this circuit last month. More required.
10. **DIAMANT DE BOLAN** - Placed third in a couple of driven races at Pont-de-Vivieux. Strong claims back in a mounted event.
11. **DIRKY EVER** - Failed to shine when 16L eighth here six days ago. Others preferred.
12. **EDENE L'AUVERGNIER** - Good 0.5L third here six days ago. Leading contender.
13. **EGERIE DE BANVILLE** - Runner-up when beaten 1.75L in a driven race at Beaumont-de-Lomagne. Claims.

**Summary:** EDENE L'AUVERGNIER (12) can register a victory having finished 0.5L third at this venue. EDELWEISS PAULCA (1) may go well. Suffered a nose defeat when runner-up here. DIAMANT DE BOLAN (10) finds a good opportunity following a 1.75L third at Pont-de-Vivieux. DIVIN DU RENOARD (5) is also considered. Won by 0.25L at Chartres.

### Selections

**EDENE L'AUVERGNIER (12) - EDELWEISS PAULCA (1) - DIAMANT DE BOLAN (10) - DIVIN DU RENOARD (5)**

1. **GIANPAOLO** - Fair 5L fifth at this track. Step forward needed.
2. **FRIBOURG** - Out of form of late including 14L eighth at Graignes.
3. **GOSPEL D'ARIANE** - Held 7.5L eighth at this circuit. Winner here prior.
4. **FERIA DU JOUAN** - Midfield finish when 6L seventh at Le Croise-Laroche earlier this month.
5. **FAMILY SAUTREUIL** - 5L seventh at this track first up. Improvement likely.
6. **FRIVOLE PAN** - Fair 3.5L fifth at this venue twelve days ago. Poor wins/runs record.
7. **FRUCTUEUX** - Held 8L seventh at Cordemais. Looks up against it in this contest.
8. **GREAT ZEUS** - DQ at this circuit twelve days ago. Has won here in the past.
9. **GRAND MARABOUT** - 16L fourth in a mounted race here last week. More required.
10. **FACTO TURGOT** - Down the field 11L twelfth at this track two weeks ago. Likely to find a few too good.
11. **FACTICE MONTAVAL** - 6.5L fifth at this venue earlier this month. Form surrounding him is solid.
12. **FAST DES BROUSSES** - Held 8L eighth at this track two weeks ago. Others preferred.
13. **FIGHTER DANCER** - Good 5.5L third here earlier this month. Leading contender.
14. **FURYO** - Fair 8L ninth at this track five days ago. Likely to find a few too good.
15. **FORSICA DU ROCHER** - Good 6L fourth here two weeks ago. Notable contender.

**Summary:** FIGHTER DANCER (13) can take this having finished 5.5L third here two weeks ago. FORSICA DU ROCHER (15) may go well on the back of a 6L fourth at this venue. GOSPEL D'ARIANE (3) finds a good opportunity. Won by 0.75L here on his penultimate start. GREAT ZEUS (8) is considered with top driver Eric Raffin booked.

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| <b>FIGHTER DANCER (13) - FORSICA DU ROCHER (15) - GOSPEL D'ARIANE (3) - GREAT ZEUS (8)</b> |
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**Race 3 - PRIX DE GAMBAIS - 2700m WALK-UP C90 Monte.** Purse EUR €38,000.

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1. **HALFA** - 2.75L fifth at this circuit two weeks ago. One to note.
2. **HUELBA** - DQ at this venue first up. Capable of better.
3. **HERBUE DES VALOIS** - Runner-up when beaten 8.25L at this track last week. Strong claims racing without shoes for the first time.
4. **HEUREUSE DE VIVRE** - Third when beaten 11L here eight days ago. Likely to find a few too good.
5. **HARMONY QUICK** - Winner of her last five starts including by 1.25L at this track first up. Leading contender.
6. **HUSHABYE** - Fourth when beaten 2.75L here earlier this month. Claims.
7. **HEROINE DU CITRUS** - Completed a hat-trick when winning by a nose here two weeks ago. Top chance.

**Summary:** EROINE DU CITRUS (7) is unbeaten with this shoeing combination. Rates a winning chance having found success by a nose at this circuit. HARMONY QUICK (5) can challenge for the win following a 1.25L victory here. HERBUE DES VALOIS (3) could go well. Finished 8.25L runner-up at this venue. HALFA (1) is also considered on the back of a 2.75L fifth at this track.

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1. **SUNDAY SONATA** - DQ two most recent starts. Best watched on French debut.
2. **ZANTE LASER** - DQ at this track first up. More needed.
3. **DIGITAL CLASS** - Good 1.25L fourth on French debut two weeks ago. Bold show expected.
4. **FOUGUE DU DOLLAR** - Fifth when beaten 1.75L at this track a fortnight ago. Of note.
5. **MILY** - Runner-up at Solvalla in October. Racing without shoes for the first time.
6. **FINE PERLE OF LOVE** - Good 3.25L third here earlier this month. Top chance.
7. **MILLIE MILLIONAIRE** - Held 12L ninth here earlier this month. Others hold more obvious claims.
8. **FASTY DU LUOT** - Put a DQ behind her when 2.5L sixth at this circuit. Step forward required.
9. **FLAMME VIVE** - Good 0.75L second here earlier this month. Notable contender.
10. **VOYAGE D'AMOUR** - Fourth last two starts including when beaten 1.75L here nine days ago. Of note.
11. **CATCH MY LOVE** - DQ at this track first up. Step forward required.
12. **DAZZLE JET** - Good 1.25L third here last week. Noted.
13. **FRENCH WAY OF LIFE** - Placed on each of her last six starts including when 0.75L third here two weeks ago. Leading contender.
14. **FANTASIA DE LIGNY** - Completed a double when winning by 0.75L here. Bold show expected.
15. **FILOE DE JARY** - Held 6.5L eighth at this track earlier this month. Others preferred.

**Summary:** FRENCH WAY OF LIFE (13) can take this following a string of placed efforts including a 0.75L third here. FINE PERLE OF LOVE (6) can deliver a big effort on the back of a 3.25L third here. FANTASIA DE LIGNY (14) is considered having finished 0.75L clear of her rivals at this venue. DIGITAL CLASS (3) enters calculations following a 1.25L fourth here on French debut. FLAMME VIVE (9) runner-up when beaten 0.75L here is another to consider.

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**Race 5 - PRIX JULES LEMONNIER - 2175m WALK-UP I Monte.** Purse EUR €100,000.

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1. **C D** - Sixth when beaten 1.75L in a driven race here last month. Noted on mounted debut.
2. **GABIANO** - Held 7.25L tenth in the G3 Prix Narquois driven race here two weeks ago. Return to a mounted event no issue.
3. **CHALIMAR DE GUEZ** - DQ in the G3 Prix Auguste Francois nine days ago. More required.
4. **CARLY** - Good 2.25L second in the G3 Prix Henri Desmontils in March. Leading contender first up.
5. **CHICA DE JOUDES** - Held 8.25L eighth in the G2 Prix d'Amerique Races Zeturf Q2 driven race here. Mounted debut.
6. **FADO DU CHENE** - DQ late on in the G2 Prix Edmond Henry here. Dangerous if maintaining stride.
7. **MINDYOURVALUE W.F.** - Good 0.5L second in the G2 Prix Paul Buquet here three weeks ago. Strong claims.
8. **BOSS DU MELEUC** - Successful by 0.5L in the G2 Prix Paul Buquet here. Bold show expected.
9. **CLEGS DES CHAMPS** - DQ in the G2 Prix Paul Buquet at this circuit. Improvement needed.
10. **DELIA DU POMMEREUX** - Fair 3.5L fifth in the G2 Prix d'Amerique Races Zeturf Q2 here twelve days ago. Top chance on mounted debut.

**Summary:** CARLY (4) can deliver a victory first up having finished 2.25L second in the G3 Prix Henri Desmontils here in March. A dual G1 winner in driven races DELIA DU POMMEREUX (10) can deliver a big effort on mounted debut. MINDYOURVALUE W.F. (7) is shortlisted following a 0.5L second in the G2 Prix Paul Buquet here. BOSS DU MELEUC (8) is also considered having won by 0.5L in the aforementioned G2 Prix Paul Buquet.

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| <p><b>CARLY (4) - DELIA DU POMMEREUX (10) - MINDYOURVALUE W.F. (7) - BOSS DU MELEUC (8)</b></p> |
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1. **GRANIT DU GERS** - Down the field 15L tenth at this track three weeks ago. Won twice prior.
2. **GEORGIO HAUFOR** - Good 2.25L second at this circuit nine days ago. Notable contender.
3. **GENERAL DU PALAIS** - Placed third at Mauquenchy a fortnight ago. One to note.
4. **GREC D'HAVAROCHE** - Below par 7.25L tenth here nineteen days ago. Improvement required.
5. **GUERRIER CASTELETS** - DQ on five of his last six starts. Risky proposition.
6. **GABO DI ROCCA** - DQ two most recent outings including at Toulouse in September. Debuting for a new trainer.
7. **GRISBI DU PERSIL** - Completed a double at Le Croise-Laroche prior to a 6.5L fourth in a mounted race here two weeks ago. Top chance.
8. **GOLFEUR DES LOYAUX** - Fair 5L sixth having raced from off the pace here earlier this month. Poor wins/runs record.
9. **GALBA RINGEAT** - Good 3.25L fourth at this track just under three weeks ago. Of note.
10. **GOLD DU METZ** - Held 12L seventh at Mauquenchy. Improvement required.
11. **GENERAL DARLING** - DQ last two starts including at Mauquenchy two weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
12. **GARLIC BREAD** - Good form prior to a DQ in the Le Trot Open des Regions - 5 Ans here earlier this month. Leading contender.
13. **GIPSY AJITE** - Successful by 0.75L at this circuit last month. Bold show expected.

**Summary:** GARLIC BREAD (12) can put a DQ in the G3 Letrot Open des Regions - 5 Ans behind him to take this contest. GRISBI DU PERSIL (7) can go well having finished 6.5L fourth here. GIPSY AJITE (13) enters calculations having won by 0.75L at this circuit. GEORGIO HAUFOR (2) finds a chance to shine following a 2.25L second here. GENERAL DU PALAIS (3) is another to consider having been beaten 1.25L when third at Mauquenchy.

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| <b>GARLIC BREAD (12) - GRISBI DU PERSIL (7) - GIPSY AJITE (13) - GEORGIO HAUFOR (2) - GENERAL DU PALAIS (3)</b> |

**Race 7 - PRIX UNE DE MAI - 2175m WALK-UP RST Harness.** Purse EUR €100,000.

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1. **JACINTHE DES PRES** - Good 4.25L second at this track eleven days ago. Of note.
  2. **JERUSALEM** - Victorious by 0.25L at this track second up. Step forward required.
  3. **JAMAICA TURBO** - Winner of both previous starts including by 4.25L here earlier this month. Leading contender.
  4. **JUNON** - Runner-up when beaten 0.25L here two weeks ago. Had Jocosia in front of her that day.
  5. **JOYCE BEAUTY** - Placed third when beaten 4.5L here at the end of last month. Likely to find a few too good.
  6. **JOCOSA** - Successful by 0.25L at this track two weeks ago. Notable contender.
  7. **JET SET BOND** - Placed third when beaten 2.25L in the G3 Prix Vourasie here three weeks ago. Strong claims.
  8. **JUST LOVE YOU** - Unbeaten in four starts including when scoring by 0.75L in the G3 Prix Vourasie here earlier this month. Leading contender.
  9. **JAZZY PERRINE** - Good 0.75L second in the G3 Prix Vourasie here three weeks ago. Bold show expected racing in pads for the first time.
- Summary:** JUST LOVE YOU (8) can maintain her unbeaten record following a 0.75L victory in the G3 Prix Vourasie here. JAMAICA TURBO (3) can deliver a big effort having won by 4.25L at this circuit. JAZZY PERRINE (9) came home 0.75L second in the aforementioned G3 Prix Vourasie at this venue. Can go well. JET SET BOND (7) is also noted having finished 2.25L third in that G3 contest.

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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>JUST LOVE YOU (8) - JAMAICA TURBO (3) - JAZZY PERRINE (9) - JET SET BOND (7)</b></p> |
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1. **HYPER FAST** - Held 7L sixth here first up. Step forward likely.
2. **HYACINTO BELLO** - Fair 8L sixth at this track ten days ago. More required.
3. **HAMILTON STAR** - Good 0.75L second here earlier this month. Bold show expected racing barefoot for the first time.
4. **HIATUS** - Fourth when beaten 3.25L here last week. One to note.
5. **HONNEUR DU CEBE** - 2.25L fourth here five days ago. Noted.
6. **HERAUT D'ARMES** - Placed third when beaten 0.75L here three weeks ago. Leading contender.
7. **HIPPOCRATE** - Runner-up here three weeks ago. Top chance.
8. **HIDALGO DES NOES** - Strong claims on the back of a 0.75L third in the G3 Letrot Open des Regions 4 Ans at this circuit.

**Summary:** HERAUT D'ARMES (6) can take this following a 0.75L third at this circuit. HIPPOCRATE (7) can play a part in the finish on the back of a 0.75L second here. HAMILTON STAR (3) enters calculations racing barefoot for the first time having been beaten 0.75L when runner-up at this track. HIDALGO DES NOES (8) is another to consider having caught the eye when 0.75L third in the G3 Letrot Open des Regions 4 Ans.

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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>HERAUT D'ARMES (6) - HIPPOCRATE (7) - HAMILTON STAR (3) - HIDALGO DES NOES (8)</b></p> |
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1. **EUROPA DE CHENU** - Third when beaten 2.25L here at the end of last month. One to note.
2. **ESCONDIDO** - Held 18L ninth here six days ago. More needed.
3. **ECLAT DES NOIX** - Runner-up at Pont-de-Vivax eleven days ago. Of note.
4. **ETAT CIVIL** - Held 12L sixth at Cabourg last week. Improvement required.
5. **EASY MAZA** - Failed to shine when 32L tenth at Le Croise-Laroche. Others hold more obvious claims.
6. **ELFE ATOUT** - Below par 11L twelfth here sixteen days ago. Others make more appeal.
7. **EVA DE GUERINIERE** - Winner of three of her last four starts including by 0.5L here eighteen days ago. Leading contender.
8. **ELENE BOURGEOISE** - Midfield finish when 8.25L eighth at Le Mans last month. Minor role likely.
9. **ELMIKA DE VIETTE** - Fair 8L fifth at Reims three weeks ago. Step forward needed.
10. **EDENA BELLA** - DQ at this track a month ago. Poor wins/runs record.
11. **ENIEME CHANCE** - Midfield finish when 5.25L eighth at Vire nineteen days ago. Best watched.
12. **EOLIEN DE CHENU** - Good 0.25L second at Graignes earlier this month. Top chance.
13. **ELIXIR DE CRENNES** - Successful by 0.25L at Graignes earlier this month. Strong claims.
14. **EL MATADOR** - DQ at this track last week. Claims on earlier form.
15. **ESPOIR DU NOYER** - Solid 1.25L fourth at Le Croise-Laroche last month. Bold show expected.
16. **EREBOR** - Placed third when beaten 4.5L at Amiens nine days ago. Noted.

**Summary:** EVA DE GUERINIERE (7) can complete a hat-trick having scored by 0.5L at this circuit. EOLIEN DE CHENU (12) can play a hand in the finish following a 0.25L second at Graignes. ELIXIR DE CRENNES (13) enters calculations having won by 0.25L in that Graignes contest. ESPOIR DU NOYER (15) is considered following a 1.25L fourth at Le Croise-Laroche. EL MATADOR (14) completes the shortlist having placed second twice prior to a DQ at this venue.

**Selections**

**EVA DE GUERINIERE (7) - EOLIEN DE CHENU (12) - ELIXIR DE CRENNES (13) - ESPOIR DU NOYER (15) - EL MATADOR (14)**

1. **ILCOURT DU RENARD** - Struggled of late including when 67L tenth here a week ago. Best watched.
2. **IF YOU WIN** - Good 0.25L at Vire earlier this month. Notable contender.
3. **INVITE D'OBRET** - Fair 5L sixth here two weeks ago. More required.
4. **INDY UP STAR** - DQ on five of his last six starts including here at the start of the month.
5. **INDIEN DU LIAMONE** - Sixth when beaten 3L here eleven days ago. Improvement needed.
6. **INDY D'ALOUETTE** - Solid 0.75L third at Graignes seventeen days ago. Strong claims.
7. **ISIMONEY DU CHENE** - DQ at this track seventeen days ago. Racing in pads for the first time.
8. **IAGO VICTORY** - Midfield finish when 8.5L seventh at Chartres three weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
9. **INCONTOURNABLE** - Fair 7.25L fifth at Chartres at the start of the month. Likely to find a few too good.
10. **IRON QUICK** - Good 2.5L fourth here eleven days ago. Bold show expected.
11. **INNOCENT DU BOURG** - Fourth two most recent starts including when beaten 5.5L at Chartres three weeks ago. Claims.
12. **IGGYPOP D'HERFRAIE** - Bidding to complete a hat-trick when 4.25L third at this track three weeks ago. Leading contender in a new shoeing combination.
13. **IYAR** - 7.5L fifth at Graignes earlier this month. Improvement needed racing in pads for the first time.
14. **IHOLDY VEDAQUAIS** - Held 13L ninth here first up. Others preferred.
15. **INSTANT D'HAUFOR** - DQ two most recent starts including here a month ago. More required.

**Summary:** IGGYPOP D'HERFRAIE (12) can take this following a 4.25L third here. INDY D'ALOUETTE (6) can go well on the back of a 0.75L third at Graignes. IRON QUICK (10) enters calculations having been beaten 2.5L when fourth at this track. IF YOU WIN (2) is open to improvement. Shortlisted having been beaten 0.25L at Vire on his third career start.

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| <b>IGGYPOP D'HERFRAIE (12) - INDY D'ALOUETTE (6) - IRON QUICK (10) - IF YOU WIN (2)</b> |
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