# **CAGNES-SUR-MER - 25 January**

# Race 1

- 1. **BOUDEVILLE** Narrow-margin winner of a claimer over 1800m at Lyon-LaSoie recently. Leading player.
- 2. **KA LANAKILA** Safely-accounted for in a claimer over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux earlier this month. Progress required.
- 3. SHI FU MI 4L fourth in a 1800m claimer at Lyon-La-Soie 11 days ago. Respected.
- 4. **LADY AUSTRALIA** Well-bred filly who has shown plenty of ability in two maidens to date. Key-contender into claiming company.
- 5. **WHO IS WHO** Two fair efforts in maidens over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux. Each way claims.
- 6. **VISITE OFFICIELLE** Behind some of these in an 1800m claimer at Lyon-La-Soie. Others preferred.
- 7. **BOOGIE WOOGIE** Well-held on four career starts thus far. Progress required returning from a break.
- 8. SISTER NIGHT Unraced filly by Holy Roman Emperor. Market-check required.
- 9. **RIMO OSCURO** Well-beaten on her return to action but outside place claims on previous form.

# **Summary**

The well-bred filly LADY AUSTRALIA (4) has shown plenty of ability in two maidens to date. Rates a key-contender dropping into claiming company. BOUDEVILLE (1) ran out a narrow-margin winner of a claimer over 1800m at Lyon-LaSoie recently. Respect. SHI FU MI (3) was 4L behind the former in that event and holds each way chances once more. WHO IS WHO (5) cannot be ruled out following two fair efforts in maidens.

#### Selections

LADY AUSTRALIA (4) - BOUDEVILLE (1) - SHI FU MI (3) - WHO IS WHO (5)

- 1. **LAUNCESTON PLACE** 5L ninth in a C3 handicap over 1500m at Marseille Vivaux. Strong record at this level. Key contender.
- 2. **CALISTE** Eighth beaten 3L in a C2 handicap over this trip at Chantilly AW. Leading player into a claimer.
- 3. **KANDERAS** 2L third in a similar contest at Deauville AW earlier this month. Respected.
- 4. **HASTOTRIKE** Listed winner in Greece last year but below-par there recently. Best watched.
- 5. **GAMGOOM** Consistent ten-year-old with a solid overall record. 2L success at Mons last month and a bold bid looks likely.
- 6. YOU BETTER RUN Five-year-old making his debut. Market-check required.
- 7. **KOKKINOLAIMIS** Off since scoring by 1L at Markopoulo (Greece) four months ago. Market-check.
- 8. **SANT ANGELO** Midfield in a C3 handicap over track and trip. Others preferred.
- 9. **ELEVEN O TWO** 3L fifth in a similar event over 1500m at Marseille Vivaux. Progress needed.

# Summary

LAUNCESTON PLACE (1) produced a 5L ninth in a C3 handicap over 1500m at Marseille Vivaux. Rates a key-contender with a strong record at claiming level. KANDERAS (3) comes respected following a 2L third in a similar contest at Deauville AW earlier this month. GAMGOOM (5) is consistent. Maintains a solid overall record and a bold bid is likely after a 2L success at Mons last month. CALISTE (2) cannot be discounted down in grade.

# **Selections**

LAUNCESTON PLACE (1) - KANDERAS (3) - GAMGOOM (5) - CALISTE (2)

- 1. **CAPLA KNIGHT** 4L seventh in a C2 handicap over this trip at Chantilly AW 9 days ago. Respected.
- 2. **AUTUMN TWILIGHT** Below-par at Kempton (UK) last month but not dismissed on previous efforts.
- 3. **WHAT'S UP** Narrowly denied over 1500m in a claimer at Deauville earlier this month. Considered.
- 4. **HEALEY** Good career strike-rate and each way claims following a break.
- 5. **NOELLE** Arrives on a hat-trick following back-to-back victories over 1500m at Marseille Vivaux. Leading player.
- 6. WINVALCHOPE 7L sixth over 1800m in a C2 event at Lyon-La-Soie. Place claims.
- 7. **GRIBARIANE** Filly by Dariyan who requires a market-check on debut.
- 8. **DIAMOND SAPPHIRE** Well-held over 1600m here first time out. Others preferred.
- 9. **LA NEVA** 5L ninth in a handicap over 1600m at Chantilly AW 9 days ago. Outside place hope.
- 10. **CLODARA** Safely-accounted for on four career starts to date. Best watched.

# Summary

CAPLA KNIGHT (1) produced a 4L seventh in a C2 handicap over this trip at Chantilly AW nine days ago. Rates a leading player back in a claimer with Pierre-Charles Boudot booked. NOELLE (5) arrives on a hat-trick following back-to-back victories over 1500m at Marseille Vivaux. Respect. WHAT'S UP (3) was narrowly denied over 1500m in a claimer at Deauville earlier this month. Consider. HEALEY (4) holds each way claims returning from a break.

# **Selections**

CAPLA KNIGHT (1) - NOELLE (5) - WHAT'S UP (3) - HEALEY (4)

- 1. **FANTASTIC SPIRIT** 2L fifth in the G3 Prix Du Prince d'Orange over this trip at Longchamp in September. Respected on return.
- 2. **BOBYDARGENT** Narrow-margin winner of a 1900m C2 handicap at Deauville AW. Considered.
- 3. **RICHEMONT** 4L fourth in a 2000m Listed race at Marseille Borely 72 days ago. Shortlisted on return.
- 4. **CLEOD'OR** Sixth beaten 7L in a Listed race over this trip at Marseille Borely in November. Each way.
- 5. **GOYA SENORA** 2L winner on return over 1900m at Deauville AW 45 days ago. Bold bid expected.
- 6. **ALLEZ HENRI** 6L sixth in a C2 handicap over 2500m at Deauville AW last month. Each way claims on best figures.
- 7. **DIAMOND VENDOME** 3L third in a C3 event over this trip at Marseille Vivaux 10 days ago. Shortlisted.

# **Summary**

FANTASTIC SPIRIT (1) produced a 2L fifth in the G3 Prix Du Prince D'Orange over this trip at Longchamp in September. Leading player down in grade following a break. RICHEMONT (3) finished 4L fourth in a Listed race over this journey at Marseille Borely seventy two days ago. Makes the shortlist on return. DIAMOND VENDOME (7) was beaten 3L third in a C3 event over this trip at Marseille Vivaux. Consider. GOYA SENORA (5) cannot be ruled out following a 2L success over 1900m at Deauville AW.

## **Selections**

FANTASTIC SPIRIT (1) - RICHEMONT (3) - DIAMOND VENDOME (7) - GOYA
SENORA (5)

- 1. MY CHARMING PRINCE Narrow-margin success in a C2 handicap over 1600m at Chantilly AW. Strong-contender.
- 2. **MOON DREAM** Broke his maiden tag when running out a 1L winner of a 1900m C3 event at Deauville AW 23 days ago. Considered.
- 3. **BOSIOH** 3L sixth in a C2 handicap over 2000m here a week ago. Each way player.
- 4. SI SENORITA Below-par latest but her 1L second in a handicap over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux is worthy of consideration.
- 5. **MONSIEUR XOO** 2L runner-up in a handicap over 2500m at Deauville AW last month. Notable contender.
- 6. KINGSTOWN 1L third in a C2 handicap over 1900m at Deauville AW 17 days ago. Shortlisted.
- 7. YOU ROCK 4L fourth over 1900m in a C2 handicap at Deauville AW last month. Place claims.
- 8. **POET'S BLACK** Arrives on a hat-trick following a pair of C3 victories. Respected upped in grade.
- 9. **LE PRESIDENT** Sixth beaten 9L in a C1 event over 1900m at Deauville AW 29 days ago. Outside frame contender.
- 10. **KATAFONIC** Completed the double when running out a 1L winner in a C3 handicap over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux. Strong player.
- 11. **BAYEUX** Well-held in a C3 handicap over 1900m at Deauville AW recently and progress required upped in class.
- 12. GO WITH THE WIND 2L fourth in a competitive handicap at at Deauville AW over 1900m. Shortlisted.
- 13. COEUR MACEN Fourth beaten 4L in an 1800m C2 event at Salon-De-Provence 60 days ago. Place claims.
- 14. BY THE WAY Narrowly-denied in a handicap over 1900m at Deauville AW last month. Considered.
- 15. **KING OF MY HEART** 2L fourth in a maiden at Deauville AW over 1900m. More required returning to handicap company.
- 16. **LIONEL** 17 start maiden who holds each way claims from a good draw.

#### Summary

MY CHARMING PRINCE (1) produced a narrow-margin success in a C2 handicap over 1600m at Chantilly AW. Bold bid looks likely and may follow-up. KATAFONIC (10) completed a double when winning by 1L a C3 handicap over this journey at Marseille Vivaux. Strong-contender. MONSIEUR XOO (5) was 2L runner-up in a handicap over 2500m at Deauville AW and cannot be ruled out. POET'S BLACK (8) arrives on a hat-trick and warrants thought upped in class.

#### Selections

MY CHARMING PRINCE (1) - KATAFONIC (10) - MONSIEUR XOO (5) - POET'S BLACK (8)

- 1. **TARCENAY** Below-par latest but his 1L second over this trip in a C4 handicap at Lyon-La-Soie prior gives him each way claims.
- 2. **MEJAEN** Safely-held in a claimer at Marseille Vivaux recently. Best watched.
- 3. **SPRITZ ORANGE** 5L ninth in a C4 handicap over 2500m at Deauville AW three weeks ago. Each way.
- 4. **FAVROS** Fair 8L sixth in a C2 handicap over 2500m at Deauville AW. Place claims down in class.
- 5. **TORNALDO** 3L fourth over 2500m in a C4 handicap at Deauville AW earlier this month. Considered.
- 6. **IGGY CHOP** Scored by 2L in a C3 handicap over 2600m at Marseille Vivaux 10 days ago. Include.
- 7. **MONFRERE** Best watched on his return from a break.
- 8. **DHANGADHI** Well-held on latest outings. Others preferred.
- 9. **UNDER ATTACK** Safely-accounted for when midfield over this trip at Lyon-La-Soie. More required.
- 10. **CATS IN THE CITY** Well-held over 2600m at Marseille Vivaux recently and 1-23 career record tempers enthusiasm.
- 11. **PANTOMIME** Recent form requires progress. Best watched.
- 12. **DIABOLO DANCER** 4L seventh in a claimer over 1800m at Lyon-La-Soie. Others preferred.
- 13. **MONTAIGNE** Out of form at present. Look elsewhere.

# Summary

IGGY CHOP (6) ran out a ready 2L winner in a C3 handicap over 2600m at Marseille Vivaux 10 days ago. Bold bid to follow-up can be expected. TORNALDO (5) produced a 3L fourth in a 2500m handicap at Deauville AW. Respect. TARCENAY (1) was belowpar in latest however his 1L second tackling this trip in a C4 handicap at Lyon-La-Soie prior gives him each way claims. SPRITZ ORANGE (3) completes the shortlist.

# **Selections**

**IGGY CHOP** (6) - **TORNALDO** (5) - **TARCENAY** (1) - **SPRITZ ORANGE** (3)

- 1. **MAKENZO** Narrowly denied over 1900m in a C3 handicap at Deauville AW 17 days ago. Considered.
- 2. **REBEL D'ANS** 5L seventh in a C3 event at Pornichet over this journey a fortnight ago. Each way.
- 3. **BISCAYA STORM** Returned to the flat when well-held over 2500m at Deauville after hurdling prior. Best watched.
- 4. **DANDY PLACE** Recent form requires progress. Others preferred.
- 5. **A SPECIAL LINE** 1L third under this rider in a C3 handicap over 2000m at Marseille Vivaux. Respected.
- 6. RAJ DE BOISTRON In good form of late at C3 level and a bold bid looks likely.
- 7. PARADISE BOY 3L fourth in a C3 handicap over this journey at Pornichet 41 days ago. Each way.
- 8. PERFECT ROSE Fourth beaten 2L in a 2600m C3 handicap at Marseille Vivaux. Place contender.
- 9. **BODUON** Good overall profile and should strip fitter from his 3L fourth over 2100m at Pornichet last month. Interesting.
- 10. HOLBOX Below-par latest but in good form prior to that including at this level. Not discounted.
- 11. EL VISO 6L third in a C3 handicap over 2100m at Chantilly AW 35 days ago. Keep safe.
- 12. **BREVILLE** Bombed out latest but his 1L second over 2500m at Chantilly AW two back gives each way claims.
- 13. **KAYZEN** 2L success in a C3 course and distance handicap 344 days ago. Market may prove telling.
- 14. **HONGBAO** 1L runner-up in a similar handicap over this trip at Lyon-La-Soie last month. Interesting if putting his best foot forward.

#### **Summary**

BODUON (9) maintains a good overall profile and can strip fitter from a 3L fourth over 2100m at Pornichet. Leading player with further progress expected. A SPECIAL LINE (5) is respected following a 1L third under this rider in a 2000m C3 handicap at Marseille Vivaux. RAJ DE BOISTRON (6) has been in good form of late at C3 level. Bold bid looks likely. MAKENZO (1) cannot be ruled out.

#### **Selections**

**BODUON** (9) - A SPECIAL LINE (5) - RAJ DE BOISTRON (6) - MAKENZO (1)

- 1. BENE BENE Well-held in handicaps of late and progress required following a break.
- 2. **WILLY BOY** Lightly raced gelding who was caught close home when a 1L runner-up over 2400m at Lyon-La-Soie 52 days ago. Leading player down in trip.
- 3. LEXINGTON REBEL 1L second over this journey in a C3 handicap at Marseille Vivaux. Considered.
- 4. BOKEN Runner-up beaten 1L over 2400m in a C3 handicap at Lyon-La-Soie 11 days ago. Respected.
- 5. **KONGASTET** 0-26 and holds outside place claims returning from a break.
- 6. LAMALINK 7L fifth in a C2 handicap over 1500m here 5 days ago. Interesting down in grade and upped in trip.
- 7. BERETS VERTS 1L winner of a 2100m C3 handicap at Chantilly AW a fortnight ago. Notable runner.
- 8. **PRODIGIOUS** More required on recent efforts and place claims at best in this grade.
- 9. **PERISTERA** 0-14 in her career but each way contender on best figures.
- 10. MATTINA FORZA Stayed on late when a 4L fifth over 2100m at Pornichet 11 days ago.
- 11. MISSTARO 0-8 and well-held on latest outings. Others preferred.
- 12. **AFTER RAIN SUN** Shaped better than the bare result over 1800m at Lyon-La-Soie 20 days ago. Outside frame candidate.
- 13. MY SWEET BOY 2L fifth over 1900m in a handicap at Deauville AW last month. Place contender.
- 14. BADR Narrowly-denied in a C3 handicap over 2600m at Marseille Vivaux 18 days ago. Keep safe.
- 15. **COME ON LOTTI** Well-beaten in three career starts to date. Others preferred.
- 16. TABASCO FORTE Small sign of a return to form over 1900m at Deauville last month but remains best watched.

### Summary

The unexposed WILLY BOY (2) was only caught close to home when a 1L runner-up over 2400m at Lyon-La-Soie. Leading player down in trip. LEXINGTON REBEL (3) is considered following a 1L second tackling this journey in a C3 handicap at Marseille Vivaux. BOKEN (4) finished runner-up beaten 1L in a 2400m handicap at Lyon-La-Soie. Respect. BERETS VERTS (7) ran out a 1L winner of a 2100m C3 handicap at Chantilly AW a fortnight ago. Shortlist.

#### Selections

WILLY BOY (2) - LEXINGTON REBEL (3) - BOKEN (4) - BERETS VERTS (7)