

CHANTILLY [R-H] - 26 October

Race 1 - PRIX DU CHENE DU COUP DE FOUDRE - 1600m HCP CL2. Purse EUR €50,000.

1. **SHOAL OF TIME** - Ninth beaten 5.75L at Saint Cloud in the same class handicap in September. Went close the time before but might be stretched to win off this mark.
2. **RAJKUMAR** - Resuming after 127 days. Well beaten when last seen but has been dropped 1.5kg.
3. **HOOTTON** - Fifth beaten 3.75L at Longchamp in a higher class 1400m handicap. Two wins and a placing from seven over 1600m. Interesting.
4. **LETTY'S MARVEL** - 3.5L eleventh at Deauville over 1600m in a higher class handicap. Was not beaten far and not discounted.
5. **ROYAUMONT** - 1.25L fifth at Saint Cloud two weeks ago in a Class Three. Only beaten 2L in a handicap the time before and now 0.5kg lower.
6. **DROIT DE PAROLE** - Second beaten 1.5L at Marseille Vivaux (AW) over 1500m in a handicap behind J'aurais Du. Same mark and consistent at present.
7. **GOLD FAMILY** - Beaten 10L on handicap debut at Longchamp in a 1400m handicap. Only dropped 1kg and looks to need more assistance from the handicapper.
8. **STANZO** - Sixth beaten 1.25L in a Deauville (AW) handicap over 1500m two starts ago. Struggled since but could bounce back.
9. **GRIEGOS** - Ninth in a messy handicap at Deauville (AW) over 1500m beaten 1.75L with Drois de Parole in third. Should feature again.
10. **SANDYSSIME** - 3L sixth at Saint Cloud in a Class Three over 1600m. Beaten 4L the time before off a 2kg higher mark.
11. **AMMOBABY** - Won by a head at Deauville (AW) over 1500m in a handicap with J'aurais du in third who has since won. 2kg rise looks lenient and can win again.
12. **J'AURAI DU** - Seventh beaten 4L at Longchamp in a 1700m handicap after being raised 2.5kg for a Marseille Vivaux win.
13. **AGAPI MIA** - Showed little after a break at Longchamp in a 1400m handicap. Better record over 1600m and fitter second up. Expect improvement.
14. **PASSEFONTAINE** - Well beaten over 1850m at Longchamp in a handicap. Will require more.
15. **THE BIG SMOKE** - Failed to find the frame in the last six outings. Only dropped a further 0.5kg. Hard to consider.
16. **AD MERAJJ** - Fifth beaten 2.75L at Longchamp in a handicap over 1400m. Third has won since to frank the form.

Summary: AMMOBABY (11) won by a head at Deauville a handicap with J'aurais du back in third (has won since). Only raised 2kg and looks more than capable. AGAPI MIA (13) found success on final start of previous campaign tackling a 1600m handicap here on the AW. Downfield delivering comeback and will be fitter second up. Brings a win and two placings from four starts here. HOOTTON (3) ran fifth beaten 3.75L at Longchamp in a higher class handicap at the start of the month. Thereabouts. AD MERAJJ (16) was a good 2.75L fifth at Longchamp. That form looks solid and can at least place. LETTY'S MARVEL (4) is not discounted.

Selections

AMMOBABY (11) - AGAPI MIA (13) - HOOTTON (3) - AD MERAJJ (16) - LETTY'S MARVEL (4)

Race 2 - PRIX MIESQUE - 1400m OPEN. Purse EUR €80,000.

1. **FLEUR D'IRIS** - Sent off favourite for the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac and finished seventh beaten 12L. Likes to front run and worth another chance.
2. **WHO KNOWS** - Fifth beaten 5.5L in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac over 1600m at Longchamp 23 days ago. Solid claims.
3. **KESHANA** - Won by 2.5L at Craon in a Class Two over 1300m four weeks ago. This is a big step up.
4. **SATURNE** - Found success on debut in a newcomers race here over 1200m by 0.75L. The second has won since and won with a good bit in hand.
5. **TXOPE** - Won the Listed Ursula Rosendahl-Preis at Cologne (Germany) last month by 1.75L. Well beaten in the Longchamp G3 Prix D'Aumale the time before.
6. **MANGOUSTINE** - Won both career outings to date. Won comfortably in the Listed Criterium de Lyon over 1600m by 1L at Lyon-Parilly. Top chance.
7. **ANTERSELVA** - Beaten in lower classes recently and this looks a big ask.
8. **GRAN SABANA** - Made a winning debut here over 1600m when finishing strong in a newcomers race. Well worth a try at this level.

Summary: MANGOUSTINE (6) won the Listed Criterium de Lyon over 1600m with something in hand. Can find success again upped in grade. SATURNE (4) made a big impression winning on debut here in a 1200m newcomers race. The second has franked the form since. GRAN SABANA (8) is another debutante winner. Impressively came from last to win by 1L and holds top claims. WHO KNOWS (2) was fifth in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac. Sets the form standard.

<p>Selections</p> <p>MANGOUSTINE (6) - SATURNE (4) - GRAN SABANA (8) - WHO KNOWS (2)</p>
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Race 3 - PRIX DE LA VOIE DU GARDE - 1900m MDN. Purse EUR €27,000.

1. **SOCIETY BALL** - Well beaten over 1800m here on the turf. Needs significant improvement.
2. **LERMA** - Showed little in a newcomers event on the turf over 1600m here. Should progress and this is weaker.
3. **IRUPE** - Showed little on debut in a turf newcomers race here in September. Needs a lot of improvement.
4. **LORNE** - Second beaten 1L at Evreux in a maiden over 1800m. This was significant improvement from her debut and can progress again.
5. **CRAZYVORES** - Fourth at Saint Cloud over 1400m in a newcomers race beaten 11L. Can improve and not ruled out.
6. **ALBEA** - Second beaten 4L here over 1800m on turf in a maiden. Sets the standard and expected to be tough to beat.

Summary: ALBEA (6) finished second on both career outings to date including most recently beaten 4L in a maiden here over 1800m on the turf. This is significantly easier and will be hard to beat. CRAZYVORES (5) proved unpopular in the market when 11L fourth attempting a Saint Cloud newcomers race and is of interest second up. LORNE (4) ran 1L second at Evreux in a maiden over 1800m. In the mix. LERMA (2) may improve second up.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">ALBEA (6) - CRAZYVORES (5) - LORNE (4) - LERMA (2)</p>
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Race 4 - PRIX DU MONT CESAR - 1900m MDN. Purse EUR €27,000.

1. **VYBORG** - Eighth on debut beaten 7.75L at Fontainebleau over 1600m. Showed some promise and could progress second up.
2. **WATCH IT** - Sixth beaten 5L at Pornichet (AW) on debut over 1700m. Looks Pia Brandt's first string on jockey bookings.
3. **GOLD AND CASH** - Solid debut at Le Mans when third beaten 1.5L over 1950m. Solid claims.
4. **HYPOTENUS** - Third beaten 4.75L in a maiden over 1800m here on the turf. Shown plenty of ability in two starts to date. Looks the one to beat.
5. **VIRTUAL ROCK** - Two-year-old colt first-starter by Fascinating Rock out of Himiko. Not an obvious debut winner.
6. **JOLI PRINCE** - Two-year-old gelding first-starter by American Devil out of One And Only. Likely to find this tough.
7. **DEEP SPACE** - Two-year-old colt (Brametot - Pepples Beach) making his debut. Interesting German trainer elects to run him here. Market check needed.
8. **ELIZAR** - Two-year-old colt first-starter by Dariyan out of Primaprima. Hard to consider.

Summary: HYPOTENUS (4) ran third at this circuit on the turf in a maiden earlier this month beaten 4.75L. Sets the form standard and looks the most likely winner. GOLD AND CASH (3) finished third beaten 1.5L at Le Mans on debut in a 1950m maiden. Expected to progress second up. WATCH IT (2) and VYBORG (1) both showed ability first up and represent the Pia Brandt yard. Improvement expected from both.

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Race 5 - PRIX DE SEINE-ET-OISE - 1200m OPEN. Purse EUR €80,000.

1. **COLLINSBAY** - Capable maiden who was second beaten 3.5L at Longchamp in the G3 Prix Du Petit Couvert over 1000m. Not ruled out.
2. **BRAD THE BRIEF** - Well beaten in the Ayr Gold Cup handicap (UK) over 1207m five weeks ago. This looks a big ask.
3. **COEUR DE PIERRE** - Won the Listed Prix de Bonneval by 2L over 1100m here three weeks ago. Consistent and could go well.
4. **LE BRONN** - Found success at Fontainebleau in a handicap over 1200m after making all. Stepping up in class but could take them along.
5. **KING GOLD** - Sixth beaten 5.5L at this track in the Listed Prix de Bonneval behind Cour de Pierre. More needed.
6. **KILOECHO** - Wracked up a hat-trick before struggling in the Listed Prix De Bonneval. Passed over.
7. **GO ATHLETICO** - Second beaten 0.75L in the 1400m Listed Prix Matchem. Has a win and two placings over 1200m so interesting down in trip.
8. **O TRASNO** - Creditable seventh in the G1 Prix De L'Abbaye De Longchamp 23 days back over 1000m at Longchamp. Beaten by Coeur de Pierre the time before. Place hope.
9. **PRINCE LANCELOT** - Well beaten in the 1400m Listed Prix Matchem at Saint Cloud. Has three wins and two placings from seven starts over this trip.
10. **ALPEN ROSE** - Won the G3 Grosser Preis der Landeshauptstadt Dresden at Dresden (Germany) a month ago over 1400m. Down in trip for the first time but good effort latest.
11. **EGOT** - Beaten a number of these in the Listed Prix Matchem over 1400m when winning by 0.75L at Saint-Cloud. Lightly raced and the drop in trip should not be an issue.
12. **AIR DE VALSE** - Second beaten a nose in the 1000m G1 Prix De L'Abbaye De Longchamp with first time blinkers. These are retained and big claims if holding form up in trip.
13. **MO CELITA** - Fourth beaten 5L in the 1000m G1 Prix De L'Abbaye De Longchamp at Longchamp. Five from eight over 1200m. Interesting.
14. **VENTURA DIAMOND** - Seventh beaten 3.25L at Ascot (UK) in the G1 Champions Sprint over 1207m ten days ago. Big claims on that form.

Summary: EGOT (11) won at Saint-Cloud in the Listed Prix Matchem over 1400m by 0.75L. Lightly raced and open to more progress than his rivals. COEUR DE PIERRE (3) proved an easy winner of the 1100m Listed Prix de Bonneval here earlier this month. Interesting once more. AIE DE VALSE (12) missed by a nose tackling the 1000m G1 Prix l'Abbaye. Holds top claims if staying the journey now up in trip. VENTURA DIAMOND (14) was not beaten far in the 1200m G1 Champions Sprint at Ascot (UK). More than capable. ALPEN ROSE (10) is not dismissed.

<p style="text-align: center;">Selections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">EGOT (11) - COEUR DE PIERRE (3) - AIR DE VALSE (12) - VENTURA DIAMOND (14) - ALPEN ROSE (10)</p>

Race 6 - PRIX DU CHENE DE LA BASSE POMMERAIE - 1600m HCP CL2. Purse EUR €20,000.

1. **RAGGIO BIANCO** - Second over 1600m at Fontainebleau in a handicap beaten a long neck. Still a maiden after 22 attempts. Could place.
2. **REBELLE BAILLY** - Well beaten on last five outings in handicaps. Has dropped 3.5kg during this time but looks to need more assistance.
3. **DREAM FOR ALL** - Eighth beaten 3.75L at Compiegne in a handicap over 1400m after a break. A win and placing from three course and distance outings. Top claims down 1.5kg.
4. **REPONSE EXACTE** - Eleventh beaten 9.25L at Compiegne in a 1400m handicap. Won sole outing over course and distance. Could re-find form.
5. **JACQUES COEUR** - Second beaten a head at Angers in a handicap over 1600m. Consistent and in the mix.
6. **UZEL** - Fifth beaten 3.5L at Saint Cloud in a handicap over 1600m. The third has since won.
7. **AMETHYST** - Fifth twelve days ago in a handicap over 1400m. Had been in good form prior and returning to a trip she has two wins and four placings from eleven runs.
8. **PUTUMAYO** - Eleventh beaten 6.25L at Longchamp nine days ago over 1700m. Dropped 0.5kg and needs more.
9. **UCEL** - Struggled for form in last five outings. Dropped 6.5kg but needs the 71 day break to have freshened him up.
10. **FIGHTING DON** - Third beaten 1.25L here over 1800m in a handicap. Not ruled out once more.
11. **TWO THANK YOUS** - Sixth beaten 5L here over 1300m in a handicap. Returning from a break and needs to prove she is as effective tackling this trip.
12. **LUCKY YOU** - Sixth beaten 3.25L at Longchamp in a handicap over 1700m. Can front run and going well without placing in last three starts.
13. **HANDCHOP** - Won by 0.5L two starts back at Fontainebleau in a 1600m handicap. Struggled since over shorter but interesting back up in trip.
14. **ELIEDEN** - Eighth beaten 3L at Saint Cloud over 1600m in a handicap. Place claims.
15. **NOBLE ANGEL** - Fifth beaten 3.75L at Saint Cloud in a claimer over 1600m. Needs more back handicapping.
16. **SHOWMETHEGIN** - Made all to win a Pornichet (AW) claimer by a head over 1700m. Mark has reduced significantly since last handicap outing.
17. **DIRTY DOZEN** - Sixth beaten 1.75L at Lyon la Soie (AW) over 1800m. Better than bare result and one for the placings.

Summary: DREAM FOR ALL (3) managed a solid effort after a nine month break when eighth beaten 3.75L in a Compiegne handicap. Drops 1.5kg and brings a win and a placing from three starts over course and distance. The one to beat. AMETHYST (7) ran 3.75L fifth at Longchamp in a 1400m handicap. Holds a better record over 1600m and looks positive back up in trip. HANDCHOP (13) struggled attempting 1400m however won by 0.5L in a handicap the time before. Worth another try. SHOWMETHEGIN (16) made all to win a Pornichet claimer. Rating has dropped since previous handicap outing and may take advantage of this.

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DREAM FOR ALL (3) - AMETHYST (7) - HANDCHOP (13) - SHOWMETHEGIN (16)

Race 7 - PRIX DU CHENE DES TROIS FRERES - 1600m HCP CL2. Purse EUR €16,000.

1. **SENEPARK** - Tenth beaten 4.5L in a handicap at Longchamp nine days ago. Going well enough and can place.
2. **TIPTOP** - Fifth beaten 1.75L at Pornichet (AW) in a claimer over 1700m. Still 2.5kg higher than last winning mark.
3. **MITARC** - Sixth beaten 1.75L at Amiens on handicap debut over 2200m. Back down in distance and unexposed.
4. **RIBOT DREAM** - Third two weeks ago at Marseille Vivaux (AW) over 1500m in a handicap. Won two starts back and should go close.
5. **POLDINA** - Well beaten at Nancy in a 1400m handicap. Interesting Vincent Cheminaud has placed on three of four starts on him.
6. **WOOTTON GREY** - Ninth beaten 4.75L at Compiègne after a seven month break over 1400m. Has a 66% place strike rate over this trip. Should be fitter second up.
7. **ULTIMATUM** - Second beaten a neck in a handicap here over 1800m. The first and third have won since and can be considered.
8. **SAMWELL** - Eighth beaten 4.25L at Compiègne in a handicap over 1400m. This was better and can place second up.
9. **AVENUE MOZART** - Last at Longchamp in a handicap over 1400m but only beaten 8.5L. Down a further 2kg but still needs more.
10. **SIGLO DE ORO** - Well beaten in a Vittel claimer and this looks a big ask.
11. **PALIMERO** - Shown little on last two outings and may need more than the 2kg drop.
12. **NORTHERN FOX** - Fourteenth beaten 5.5L at Lyon la Soie (AW) in a handicap over 1800m. Down 1.5kg but still needs more.
13. **HACKLE SETTER** - Tenth beaten 5.25L at Nancy in a handicap over 2000m. Interesting down in trip.
14. **MANTEGA** - Third beaten 2.25L at Fontainebleau in a handicap over 1600m. Can place.
15. **KILLING ZOE** - Fifth beaten 2.75L at Compiègne in a 1400m handicap. Place at best.
16. **FEE HISTORIQUE** - Shown nothing in last six outings and best watched despite a plummeting handicap mark.
17. **ABADIE** - Well beaten latest and passed over.

Summary: RIBOT DREAM (4) ran third beaten 1.5L at Marseille Vivaux (AW) in a 1500m handicap. Won the time before and is in good form. POLDINA (5) holds a better record over 1600m and Vincent Cheminaud maintains a 75% place strike rate on him. Can take advantage of a 2kg lower mark. WOOTTON GREY (6) managed a solid comeback when ninth beaten 4.75L at Compiègne in a handicap. Big improvement expected. SENE PARK (1) was not beaten far in a strong handicap at Longchamp. Interesting.

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Race 8 - PRIX DU CHENE DES GRES - 1600m HCP CL2. Purse EUR €25,000.

1. **SHYAMALA** - Well beaten after a three month break at Nancy in a Class Three. Hard to have.
2. **BOCCIATORE** - Fifth beaten 2L at Longchamp over 1400m in a handicap. Winner has won again and not ruled out.
3. **MISTER CHARLIE** - Resuming after a 104 day break. Ended last campaign out of form and needs the break to have freshened him up.
4. **MIARKA** - Second beaten 0.5L at Deauville over 1400m in a handicap. Back to back placings and can go well again.
5. **TIME TO FLY** - Third three starts back at Deauville over 1200m in a handicap. Struggled in two outings since.
6. **OUTRAGUSANDANGERUS** - Won two starts back at Deauville (AW) in a handicap by 1.25L. Went well enough off revised mark since. Can go close.
7. **INDYCO** - Well beaten on last two outings and needs to improve.
8. **ARTISAN DE PAIX** - Eighth beaten 9.25L at this track in a handicap over 1300m. Down 0.5kg and fitter second up.
9. **JACK O'BOY** - Better effort at Longchamp when fifth beaten 3.75L in a handicap over 1700m. Interesting if building on that.
10. **ON THE SEA** - Second beaten 1L at Compiègne in a handicap over 1400m. Cannot be ruled out.
11. **LADYBUG** - Ninth beaten 4.5L at Longchamp in a handicap over 1700m. Inconsistent but capable on her day.
12. **ART PREMIER** - Struggled over 1100m at Le Croise-Laroche. Previous course/distance winner and this extra trip can help.
13. **LEEROY GOLD** - Well beaten at Fontainebleau in a handicap over 1600m. Needs more.
14. **KING HARTWOOD** - Tenth beaten 5L at Longchamp in a handicap. Going well without finding the frame.
15. **L'ENISSEI** - Fourth beaten 4L at Longchamp in a handicap over 1600m. Solid effort latest and can go well.
16. **CHARNOCK RICHARD** - Eighth beaten 4.75L at Nancy in handicap over 1400m. Dropped 0.5kg and goes well at this venue.
17. **THE CHOSEN ONE** - Sixth beaten 1.5L at Lyon-Parilly in a handicap over 1600m. First time tongue tie and this looks winnable.

Summary: THE CHOSEN ONE (17) was beaten 1.5L in a handicap at Lyon-Parilly over 1600m. This looks a winnable contest and could improve with first time tongue tie. CHARNOK RICHARD (16) finished 4.75L eighth at Nancy and goes well at this venue. Can be considered. L'ENISSEI (15) ran well last start at Longchamp in a 1600m handicap. In the mix. ART PREMIER (12) is a former course and distance winner and could bounce back.

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<p style="text-align: center;">THE CHOSEN ONE (17) - CHARNOK RICHARD (16) - L'ENISSEI (15) - ART PREMIER (12)</p>
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