

R4 TOULOUSE [R-H]

C1 - PRIX DE LA CROIX OCCITANE - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 14,400

- 1. QUEEN LAGERTHA** - Unplaced in a Handicap at Saint-Cloud over 1,600m on 14 October. Clearly capable of better and can bounce back to score
- 2. ORANGETTE** - Returned to form when runner-up in a Claimer over this course and distance on 9 October. Can go one place better
- 3. OLLA** - Unplaced in a Maiden at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,400m on 28 September. Likely to improve dropping to a claimer. Has a chance
- 4. FIFTY SHADES** - Has not shown much in two starts, the latest when 8th in a Claimer at Lyon-La Soie over 1,800m on 2 October. More is needed to score
- 5. PINK PALACE** - Not reliable but was runner-up in a Claimer at Marseille Pont De Vivaux over 1,500m on 7 October. Can get involved with the finish once again
- 6. ROSE DU CHAMP** - Came home 6th on debut in a Claimer at Cazaubon-Barbotan over 1,900m on 4 October. Needs to find a few lengths to beat these rivals
- 7. WOODHAMA** - Has some fair form and finished 5th in a Claimer at Toulouse over 1,600m on 9 October. Can make the frame
- 8. HAVANISTA** - Has only been moderate of late and came home 8th in a Claimer at Deauville over 1,300m on 5 October. Might play a minor role at very best

Summary: ORANGETTE (2) was narrowly beaten at this track in her first appearance in claiming races. She can make amends. OLLA (3) will wear cheekpieces for the first time and is the only runner making her debut in this category. She is the wild card. QUEEN LAGERTHA (1) and WOODHAMA (7) appear to have reached their level but are capable of getting involved with the finish this course and distance.

SELECTIONS

ORANGETTE (2) - OLLA (3) - QUEEN LAGERTHA (1) - WOODHAMA (7)

C2 - PRIX D'ASSEZAT - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - - Flat - EUR € 15,600

1. KING OF POP - Showed some improvement when 5th in a Maiden at Nimes over 1,200m on 4 October. Can play a minor role at very best

2. PALO SANTO - Consistent and finished 4th in a Maiden at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,600m on 28 September. Should be right there at the finish

3. GERMANICUS - Needed the last run when 9th in a Conditions maiden at Compiègne over 1800m on 9 October. Capable of doing better and is not out of it

4. IVAWAI - Finished 10th in a Maiden at Mont De Marsan over 2,000m on 23 July. Returns from a break and needs to find a few lengths to score

5. MADONNA DES PLACES - Came home 7th in a Maiden at La Roche-Posay over 2,200m on 11 October. Did better on debut but others make more appeal

6. VILLA D'ESTE - Finished 8th in a Maiden at Fontainebleau over 1,200m on 31 March. Returns from a break and could improve and make the frame

7. GRITTI - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Maiden at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,600m on 28 September. Big chance in this line-up

8. TYKA - Not reliable and was fifth in a Maiden at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,600m on 28 September. Has a place chance in this line-up

Summary: GRITTI (7) found one too good in a race at Bordeaux on 28 September and is the choice. He should go one better this time. PALO SANTO (2), who finished behind him that day despite starting favourite, is not out of contention. GERMANICUS (3), who should improve from his comeback run, and VILLA D'ESTE (6), who is starting afresh, could both show their true potential in this modest maiden.

SELECTIONS

GRITTI (7) - PALO SANTO (2) - GERMANICUS (3) - VILLA D'ESTE (6)

**C3 - PRIX DU MUSEUM DE TOULOUSE - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 Claiming - Flat - EUR €
15,400**

- 1. SANBER** - Not reliable and finished 7th in a Conditions race at San Sebastian over 2200m on 30 August. Needs to do more score
- 2. UPPERCUT** - Unreliable and finished 5th in a Class 3 Handicap at Toulouse over 2,000m on 30 September. Would not be a surprise winner on best form
- 3. DAMASK BLADE** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 3 Handicap at Marseille-Borely over 2,100m on 12 October. Not reliable but could double up
- 4. DSCHINGIS DREAM** - Not reliable and finished 5th in a Claimer at Tarbes over 2,100m on 29 August. Can win over this track and distance
- 5. MONAMI CROYSSANCE** - Has struggled in both starts, the latest when unplaced in a hurdles claimer at Moulins over 3500m on 21 March. Needs to find a few lengths to score
- 6. DUENDECITO** - Finished 4th on debut in a Class 4 at Montignac-Charente over 2,100m on 20 August. Might need to do a lot more than that to beat these rivals
- 7. ACOTANGO** - Unreliable and finished 15th in a Class 2 Handicap at Deauville over 3,200m on 25 August. Quite capable of bouncing back to score
- 8. TRADE HONOR** - Finished 14th in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 2,400m on 20 October. Successful before that and could be a threat
- 9. NEVADOS** - Has only been modest of late and ran 7th in a Claimer at Saint-Cloud over 2,400m on 14 October. Might play a minor role

Summary: DSCHINGIS DREAM (4) should be forgiven his latest failure and retains the strongest chance in this claiming race. However, returning from a break, he will need to run well to beat ACOTANGO (7), who has been faultless in this category, and recent winner DAMASK BLADE (3). cannot be ignored. Like our selection, NEVADOS (9) also has something to prove but is capable of winning a race of this nature.

SELECTIONS

DSCHINGIS DREAM (4) - ACOTANGO (7) - DAMASK BLADE (3) - NEVADOS (9)

C4 - PRIX DE LA CITE DE L'ESPACE - 1200m (a6f) - TURF - Class 4 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 17,300

1. **MEHMIST** - Has struggled of late and finished 12th in a Class 4 Handicap at La Teste De Buch over 1,100m on 24 September. Might play a minor role at very best
2. **SOUVENIR D'ECAJEUL** - Finished 2nd in a Class 3 Handicap at this course over 1,400m on 16 October. Looks likely to fight out the finish once again
3. **THE BEST GLORY** - Has only been moderat eof late and came home 8th in a Claimer at Marseille-Borely over 1,200m on 12 October. Needs to find a few lengths to win
4. **MARYZIA** - Unreliable and finished 8th in a Conditions race at San Sebastian over 1400m on 26 July. Needs to do more to score
5. **GARRIS** - Came home 6th in a Class 3 Handicap at Chantilly over 1,200m on 19 September. In good form before that and can contest the finish
6. **GIORGIANA** - Unreliable and finished 7th in a Claimer at Argentan over 1,300m on 1 October. Distance suited and is not out of it
7. **THE BLACK STONE** - Not reliable but came home 4th in a Handicap at La Teste De Buch over 1,400m on 24 September. Capable of making the frame
8. **OXALIS** - Disqualified last time out in a Claimer at this course over 2000m on 16 October. Successful before that but should find the distance too short
9. **EAGLE GATE** - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Class 3 Handicap at Fontainebleau over this distance on 16 October. Can go one place better
10. **OTOMAI** - On a long losing run and came home 5th in a Class 3 Handicap at this course over 1,400m on 16 October. Needs to find a few lengths to score
11. **PERLI CHOPE** - Showed improvement when third in a handicap at this course over 1400m on 16 October. Might play a minor role at very best
12. **MARY JAYNE** - not reliable and finished fifth in a Class 4 Conditions race at Cazaubon-Barbotan over 1,900m on 4 October. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
13. **SALSA ROSE** - Knocking hard at the door and finished 2nd in a Class 4 Handicap at this course over 1,400m on 9 October. Deserves a winning turn but is clearly not easy to win with

Summary: EAGLE GATE (9) is improving, has plenty of speed and gets on well with Lorette Gallo, making him the pick. Nevertheless, this handicap remains wide open. SOUVENIR D'ECAJEUL (2) is in excellent form and must also be taken seriously as a contender. Given some welcome relief at the weights, SALSA ROSE (13) and THE BLACK STONE (7), one of two three-year-olds in the line-up, could both bounce back to winning ways.

SELECTIONS

EAGLE GATE (9) - SOUVENIR D'ECAJEUL (2) - SALSA ROSE (13) - THE BLACK STONE (7)

C5 - PRIX DU MUSEE DE L'AEROSCOPIA - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

- 1. DOURIANN** - Off form and was unplaced in a Class 2 Handicap at Chantilly over 1,900m on 29 September. Capable of doing better and is not out of it
- 2. ROI DE L'AIR** - Not disgraced when 5th in a Class 3 Handicap at Angers Eventard over 2,100m on 21 September. Might play a minor role
- 3. SHARP RISE** - Usually very competitive and was fourth in a Class 2 at this course over 2,400m on 8 June. Returns from a break but can earn some more money
- 4. VIVRE LIBRE** - Victorious twice in last three starts, including last time out in a Class 3 Handicap at Strasbourg over 2,000m on 4 October. Can follow up carrying a penalty
- 5. SAINT AQUILIN** - Has some fair form and finished fourth in a Class 3 Handicap at Angers Eventard over 2,100m on 21 September. Can earn some more money
- 6. OUT OF AFRICA** - Returned to form and came home 4th in a Class 3 Handicap at Vichy over 2,000m on 21 September. Can get involved with the finish once again
- 7. XILOFONO** - Has shown improvement of late and was runner-up in a Class 3 Handicap over this course and distance on 30 September. Can go one place better
- 8. HAUSSEZ** - In good shape and came home 4th in a Class 3 Handicap over this course and distance on 30 September. Has a place chance
- 9. LOREEN** - Victorious twice in a row, the latest in a Class 3 Handicap over this track and trip on 30 September. Can complete the hat-trick
- 10. ESCAPE GAME** - Unplaced in a Class 3 Handicap at this track over 2,000m on 30 September. Capable of doing better and could play a minor role
- 11. AZOV** - Unreliable and finished 12th in a Class 3 Handicap at Longchamp over 1,600m on 13 October. Successful before that and is capable of an upset
- 12. SAINT HELLIER** - Has struggled of late and finished 10th in a Class 4 at Deauville over 1,900m on 5 October. Others make more appeal
- 13. ETATIQUE** - Battling to find best form and came home 7th in a Class 3 Handicap over this track and trip on 30 September. Others are preferred
- 14. BLUFF** - Has only been modest of late and finished 7th in a Class 4 Handicap at Lyon-La Soie over 1,800m on 11 October. Needs to do a bit more to score

Summary: VIVRE LIBRE (4), who has rediscovered the winning formula, and XILOFONO (7), still seeking his first victory of the year, are difficult to separate. Both have strong claims in this competitive handicap. DOURIANN (1) and SAINT AQUILIN (5) have each won a Quinté+ and remain capable of making their presence felt against this less demanding opposition, despite shouldering high weights.

SELECTIONS

VIVRE LIBRE (4) - XILOFONO (7) - DOURIANN (1) - LOREEN (9)

C6 - PRIX DE LA COTE PAVEE - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

1. **NEW RUN** - Has only been modest of late and was unplaced in a Class 2 over this course and distance on 23 September. Needs to find a few lengths to score
2. **GRASWANG** - Outclassed the opposition in a Maiden at Salon-De-Provence over 2,000m on 25 September. Picked up a confidence-boosting win and could double up
3. **VALTRADA** - Very consistent and came home 4th in a Claimer at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,600m on 28 September. Can earn some more money
4. **BLEU NUIT** - Victorious in a Maiden at La Teste De Buch over 1,900m on 24 September. Has run well in a handicap before and could double up
5. **MUHAARIA** - Has some fair form and finished fifth in a Class 3 at Marseille Pont De Vivaux over 2,000m on 7 October. Can be competitive in this line-up
6. **BLACK THUNDER** - Came home 7th in a Handicap at Longchamp over 2,000m on 3 September. Unreliable but does have a place chance on best form
7. **LA CHARMETTE** - Holding form and finished 4th in a Handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2,000m on 8 October. Can be competitive once again
8. **KINGSTRIDE** - Yet to win a race but has some fair form and finished 5th in a Class 3 at Clairefontaine over 1,600m on 21 August. Can make the frame
9. **SHERA** - Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a Handicap at Saint-Cloud over 2,000m on 8 October. Needs to find a few lengths to score
10. **MOUSTIQUE** - Victorious in a Maiden at Cazaubon-Barbotan over 2,200m on 4 October. Tougher task this time and others make more appeal

Summary: This three-year-old handicap is particularly difficult to assess. GRASWANG (2) gets the vote after opening his account in commanding fashion and now tackles this category for the first time. However, MUHAARIA (5), who makes a long journey, and KINGSTRIDE (8), stepping up in distance, are serious contenders. Experienced BLEU NUIT (4) also has the credentials to make his presence felt in this competitive contest.

SELECTIONS

GRASWANG (2) - MUHAARIA (5) - KINGSTRIDE (8) - BLEU NUIT (4)

C7 - PRIX DE DAX - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 15,400

- 1. DORIANELLO** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 4 at Fontainebleau over 1,600m on 16 October. In good form and could follow up
- 2. KIRBY** - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 3 Handicap over this track and trip on 30 September. Should fight out the finish
- 3. DRUIDE** - Did not show his best when 8th in a Class 4 at Dax over 2,100m on 17 October. Capable of doing better but others are preferred
- 4. MORANDI FIRST** - Battling to regain best form and came home 8th in a Class 3 Handicap at this course over 1,400m on 16 October. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 5. DSCHINGIS HEIGHTS** - Unplaced in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 2,400m on 20 October. Not reliable but is capable of an upset on best form
- 6. PIANINO** - Off form and finished 11th in a Class 4 Handicap at this track over 2,400m on 30 September. Needs to do more to score
- 7. VIOLIN** - Has struggled of late and was unplaced in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Needs to do more to score
- 8. KRUNGTHEPMAHANAKON** - Continues to struggle and was unplaced in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Others are much preferred
- 9. SEABISCUIT DU RHEU** - Finished 8th in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Clearly capable of doing better and is not out of it
- 10. GYP SEA** - Has only been modest of late and finished fifth in a Class 4 Handicap at Nantes over 1,600m on 14 October. Needs to do a bit more to score
- 11. GRECIAN RULER** - Not reliable and finished 7th in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Has a place chance on best form
- 12. GWENN HA DU** - Threatening to win and was runner-up in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Can go one place better
- 13. BEAUTIFUL MESS** - Not reliable and finished 10th in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Capable of doing better and could earn some money

Summary: DORIANELLO (1) overcame a very unfavourable draw to win a conditions race at Fontainebleau and should have no trouble stepping up from 1,600 to 2,000 metres. However, he faces strong opposition from Philippe Sogorb's pair. KIRBY (2) has developed an excellent partnership with Shana Topin, and GWENN HA DU (12) arrives in peak form. SEABISCUIT DU RHEU (9) is worth another chance after his latest effort.

SELECTIONS

DORIANELLO (1) - KIRBY (2) - GWENN HA DU (12) - SEABISCUIT DU RHEU (9)

C8 - PRIX KETCH - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 13,400

- 1. JUBILE** - Has some fair form and finished 4th in a Class 4 at Cazaubon-Barbotan over 1,900m on 4 October. Might play a minor role at very best
- 2. SWEET NEBULA** - Has some fair form and finished 4th in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Can make the frame yet again
- 3. NOTRE HISTOIRE** - Came home 4th in a Class 4 Handicap at Pau over 2,400m on 28 November 2025. Returns from a lengthy break and could need this run
- 4. PAS DE VELOURS** - Came home 8th in a Class 4 at Hyeres over 1,850m on 5 June. Did better before that but could need this run returning from a break and could need this run
- 5. DAZZLE AT DAWN** - Not reliable and came home 6th in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. On a long losing run but has a place chance
- 6. UGATZAI** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 4 conditions race at Dax over 2,100m on 17 October. Capable of following up
- 7. COCOA** - Unplaced in a Class 4 Handicap at this course over 2,400m on 30 September. In good form before that and could get into the mix of things
- 8. MA TORNADO** - Not disgraced when third in a Maiden at Cazaubon-Barbotan over 1,900m on 4 October. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
- 9. MOON OF THE NIGHT** - Not disgraced when third in a Class 4 Handicap at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat over 1,900m on 8 October. Showed a return to form and could be a lively danger
- 10. PRINCE LOS** - Outclassed the opposition in a Class 4 Handicap at Salon-De-Provence over 1,800m on 25 September. Carries a penalty but may well double up
- 11. LA FILLE DE BERLIN** - ff form and finished 10th in a Class 4 Handicap at Pau over 1,600m on 21 October. Needs major improvement to score
- 12. AMORETTI** - Has improved of late and finished 4th in a Class 4 at Dax over 2,100m on 17 October. Not out of it this track and trip
- 13. RISKY LIGHT** - In good shape and was runner-up in a Class 4 at Aurillac over 2,400m on 13 September. Might play a minor role at very best

Summary: UGATZAI (6) demolished his rivals at Dax and looks capable of following up, despite that success coming in an amateur riders' event. The key form to consider is the Bordeaux race on 8 October, in which MOON OF THE NIGHT (9), SWEET NEBULA (2) and AMORETTI (12) finished virtually inseparable. All three have claims, and the outcome could depend on which one progresses most from that recent performance.

SELECTIONS

UGATZAI (6) - MOON OF THE NIGHT (9) - SWEET NEBULA (2) - AMORETTI (12)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
ORANGETTE (102)

Outsider of the day
MUHAARIA (605)

Reverse forecast
DORIANELLO (701) - KIRBY (702)

Three pick of the day
ORANGETTE (102) - GRITTI (207) - UGATZAI (806)