

R2 VITTEL [R-H]

C1 - PRIX GENERAL LYAUTEY (PRIX FRANCE BLEU SUD LORRAINE) - 3600m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Steeple Chase - EUR € 24,000

1. LINER DE GUYE - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 3 Condition Hurdle at Strasbourg over 3,600m on 16 June 2026, won over fences in April at Cluny. Hard to rule out

2. JERUSALEMA - Finished 5th in a Class 3 Condition Chase at Craon over 3,700m on 6 July 2026, and a win previously in May in a Class 4 chase at Haras Du Pin. Others rate higher

3. MONTSERRAT - Blow par over 3800m at Dieppe on July 10 in a handicap hurdle last time, a win before that in late June over hurdles. Second attempt over fences and warrants respect

4. LIMONCELLO MARSAL - Not seen since a 8th over 4600m in a cross-country chase at Cluny on October 11 2025. Can strip fitter after this run

5. LINOTTE D'AUBRELLE - Placed 4th over 2400m at Vittel on the flat on July 14 when last seen, winning hurdler who tries fences for the second time. Merits consideration

6. BRESSLAND - Useful form over hurdles, absent since a win over 3400m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 2 on May 29 2025. Lengthy absence to deal with and tries fences for the first time, but can do well in this code

Summary: BRESSLAND (6) is a useful performer over hurdles, having won twice last year, the latest in a Class 2 in late May 2025. She will be well schooled for her chasing bow and has the scope to do well in this code. MONTSERRAT (3) could be the one that makes life tough for the selection. He has had a run over fences before and won two runs back over hurdle in late June. LINER DE GUYE (1) won over fences in April and looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

BRESSLAND (6) - MONTSERRAT (3) - LINER DE GUYE (1) - LINOTTE D'AUBRELLE (5)

**C2 - PRIX DESTINATION VITTEL OFFICE DE TOURISME - 3300m (a2m1/8) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles -
EUR € 24,000**

1. TIME IS MONEY - Finished 3rd in a Class 3 Condition Hurdle at La Teste De Buch over 3,400m on 1 July 2026 on his second start. Lightly raced and he has more to come with cheek-pieces fitted today

2. NOTRE PERE - Gelding by Cokoriko, the dam was placed over jumps. From a leading stable that can produce first time out winners. The betting can be the best guide

3. NEPTUNE LE DUN - Finished 6th on the flat over 2700m at Chantillon on June 8. Hurdles debut and is one to keep an eye on in the betting exchanges

4. NORTH SEA - Ran well when third in a Class 5 Condition Hurdle at Aix Les Bains over 3,400m on 26 June 2026 on his debut. He will be sharper this time and has live claims

5. NOUBLIPASLESFLEURS - Excellent runner-up in a Class 4 Condition Hurdle at Dieppe over 3,400m on 10 July 2026 on her sole start. Open to improvement and she can feature

6. DOUBLE BE - In good form and finished 3rd in a Class 4 Condition Hurdle at Cholet over 3,400m on 30 June 2026. She looks like the type to keep on improving and enters calculations

Summary: NOUBLIPASLESFLEURS (5) ran with plenty of promise at Dieppe 17 days ago when finishing second and with natural improvement she can look difficult to oppose. DOUBLE BE (6) has shown talent in both starts over hurdles and looks like the main danger to the selection. NORTH SEA (4) is another to take seriously after a creditable run when third on his debut at Aix Les Bains late in June and can step forward from that effort.

SELECTIONS

NOUBLIPASLESFLEURS (5) - DOUBLE BE (6) - NORTH SEA (4) - TIME IS MONEY (1)

C3 - PRIX M. COESTLOSQUET - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 - Hurdles - EUR € 21,000

1. ALGAJUST - He has not trouble the judge in three recent efforts, the most recent at Auteuil in a claiming hurdle over 3600m on May 26. Hard to recommend

2. LAIKA TEK - Only modest and finished 7th in a Class 3 Condition Hurdle at Dieppe over 3,800m on 27 June 2026, 2nd at Fonatainebleau in April in a Class 3 hurdle. Hard to overlook

3. KATHLEEN - Two unplaced runs of late, 2nd before that over 3800m in a handicap hurdle at this track on July 25. Each-way claims

4. MAGUELON - Excellent runner-up in a Class 3 Condition Hurdle at Strasbourg over 3,600m on 16 June 2026 when narrowly beaten. Can go one place better

5. MANCHEGO - Two tame efforts of late, failed to complete the course at Dieppe in a Class 4 chase over 3900m when last seen over 3900m. Faces a tough task

6. SACRED UNION - Failed to feature over 4400m in a Class 2 chase at Auteuil on February 23. He won two chases last year. One to keep onside

7. DJEMBE DAVIS - He failed to complete the course last time over 3900m in a Class 4 claiming chase on July 15 at Clairefontaine. Look elsewhere

8. KABRIOLE DE SIVOLA - Placed 3rd on her last start over 3800m in a Class 3 hurdle on July 14 at Aix Les Bains. Outside place claims

Summary: MAGUELON (4) was a close second on his latest start at Strasbourg in a Class 3 hurdle in mid-June and has strong credentials and can go one place better. He should be too smart for LAIKA TEK (2), who can bounce back to form after a couple of unplaced efforts and be a threat. SACRED UNION (6) is capable of a good performance, despite only having had one run hurdles, having raced over fences for most of his career. KATHLEEN (3) heads the rest.

SELECTIONS

MAGUELON (4) - LAIKA TEK (2) - SACRED UNION (6) - KATHLEEN (3)

C4 - PRIX JEANNE D'ARC - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. BUDOKAN - Finished 5th in a Maiden at Nantes over 1,600m on 1 July 2026 when last seen. Second try in a handicap and warrants close attention

2. OCEAN STAR - Finished 5th in a Class 3 at Vittel over 1,600m on 19 July 2026. Reasonably well handicapped and can be competitive

3. LIVERPOOL - Unplaced last time in a maiden on June 22, 4th previously at Baden-Baden (DEU) on June 4 in a conditions race. Hard to trust

4. DAKOTA GRACE - Three unplaced efforts this year, the most recent over 1800m at Longchamp on June 15 in a handicap. Place contender

5. ST KILDA - Unplaced last time in a handicap on June 15, a win before that over 1700m in a claimer at La-Roche-Sur-Yon on June 6.

6. ASPRILA - Finished 5th last time over 1600m at Compiègne in a handicap on July 16. Lacks consistency and can be opposed

7. ZENATA - Showed promise and was third in a Maiden at Aix Les Bains over 1,800m on 7 July 2026. More needed in a better race

8. MARANELLO - Creditable 5th last time over 1800m at Clairefontaine in a handicap on July 3. Among the leading chances

9. CAPOUCHINE - Numerous unplaced runs recently, well held at Clairefontaine in a handicap on July 3 over 1800m when last seen. Hard to fancy

Summary: In a race lacking depth it may pay to side with OCEAN STAR (2), who was a creditable fifth over this track a week ago. He is preferred ahead of BUDOKAN (1), who was fifth in a maiden at Nantes at the start of this month. MARANELLO (8) is another to pay attention to and makes the trip from Germany having been a close fifth in a handicap 24 days ago at Clairefontaine. DAKOTA GRACE (4) is also worth a mention.

SELECTIONS

OCEAN STAR (2) - BUDOKAN (1) - MARANELLO (8) - DAKOTA GRACE (4)

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Horse of the day
HANSOTTOGRUBER (801)

Outsider of the day
BLOOM (609)

Reverse forecast
NOUBLIPASLESFLEURS (205) - DOUBLE BE (206)

Three pick of the day
BRESSLAND (106) - OCEAN STAR (402) - HANSOTTOGRUBER (801)