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R3 AUTEUIL [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX PRIDE OF KILDARE - 3600m (a2 1/4m) - TURF - Condition Race
- Newcomers - Hurdles - EUR € 62.000**

- 1. ABSOLUTE POWER** - Unplaced in both outings on the flat and could improve in this sphere, but is best watched for now. Outsider
- 2. CHANTEUR DU BOURG** - Daniela Mele-trained newcomer to take note of with Johnny Charron engaged to ride. Not taken lightly
- 3. SOLOMON SEAL** - Finished a modest 8th in his only start on the flat. Could improve sent hurdling but is best just to watch for now
- 4. KOTAZO DU MATHAN** - Newcomer, trained by Arnaud Chaillé-Chaillé', from a good family. Wouldn't be a surprise to see him run well on debut
- 5. ZANHOWE** - Hugo Mérienne-trained Ivanhowe gelding debuting with Gabin Meunier engaged to ride. One to take note of
- 6. MAGIC FLIGHT** - Did not go unnoticed on debut, when finishing 6th on the flat, at Guerlesquin. Could have more to offer in this sphere judged on his pedigree
- 7. ALGAJUST** - Finished a well-beaten 7th in his only start on the flat. Could improve over hurdles but is best watched for now
- 8. CLOVIS FOR KING** - Well-related newcomer, being the full brother to Loliwood, representing a formidable training operation. Keep safe
- 9. ROLLINGSTAR HAS** - Doctor Dino newcomer out of four-time Group winner Roll On Has. Of significant interest given his pedigree
- 10. BENVENUTO** - Showed sufficient means on the flat, finishing 3rd on debut at Craon, to warrant respect in his first start over hurdles
- 11. FUNICULI FUNICULA** - Daniela Mele's Storm The Stars gelding to be ridden on debut by Clément Lefebvre. One to note
- 12. SECRET DE GLOIRE** - Olivier Jouin rides this Secret Singer gelding making his debut for trainer Mathias Solier. Watch for now
- 13. FALCO DES PINS** - Muhtathir gelding trained by Carlos & Yann Lerner to be ridden on debut by Bertrand Lestrade. Watch for now
- 14. KUARTZ** - Gabriel Leenders-trained Masterstroke newcomer to note with Felix de Giles engaged to ride. Keep safe
- 15. DREAM SOLITAIRE** - Has shown little in three starts on the flat, two on the turf and one on PSF, to suggest he'll have a role to play here
- 16. CHIMICHURI** - Won on the flat this year and would have gained from that experience. Must be respected going over hurdles now

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17. KIBBOUTZ - François Nicolle-trained Spanish Moon newcomer to note with Kévin Nabet engaged to ride. Not taken lightly

18. MY FIFTY ONE - Harzand gelding trained and owned by Donatien Sourdeau de Beauregard, who has engaged Lucas Zuliani to ride

Summary : This opening event, restricted to beginners over obstacles, is as intriguing as it is to assess and it could pay to side with newcomer ROLLINGSTAR HAS (9), whose dam was a high-class Group performer. CLOVIS FOR KING (8), trained by the formidable Zetterholm-Georges duo, is another to note on debut along with Arnaud Chaillé-Chaillé's charge KOTAZO DU MATHAN (4) as well as SINGER DU BOURG (2). Both CHIMICHURI (16) and BENVENUTO (10) have shown enough on the flat to warrant respect/consideration in this sphere.

SELECTIONS

ROLLINGSTAR HAS (9) - CLOVIS FOR KING (8) - KOTAZO DU MATHAN (4) - CHANTEUR DU BOURG (2)

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C2 - PRIX DE SALERS - 3700m (a2 5/16m) - TURF - Claiming - Steeple Chase - EUR € 26.000

1. INZEO DU GOUET - Won three runs ago at this track over 3700m in April. Unplaced on the last two runs, the most recent in late May. Likes this track and can score again

2. IDEAL DE SIVOLA - Capable on his day, three unplaced runs since winning over 3800m in December 2022 in a handicap chase. Drops in class and can be involved

3. FILOVENT - Not seen since April 2021 when unplaced in a Grade 3 chase at this track over 4700m. Best watched after a long absence

4. PIRIAC - 2nd in a claiming hurdle at Compiègne 19 days ago. Only his second run over fences but is in the mix

5. DERNIER CRI - Fair 3rd last time over 3800m at Moulins in a Class 4 handicap chase in early May. Can make the frame

6. JARRY WELLS - Won a cross-country race last time at Ploermel 17 days ago over 4500m. Will not lack fitness but others are preferred

Summary : INZEO DU GOUET (1) should be too smart for his rivals. He won over course and distance in April and has had a couple of outings since then. He could have most to fear from IDEAL DE SIVOLA (2) who is dropping in class. He won at Cagnes-Sur-Mer over 3800m in December 2022 and is capable on his best form. PIRIAC (4) has to convince over fences, this is only his second attempt at chasing. DERNIER CRI (5) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

INZEO DU GOUET (1) - IDEAL DE SIVOLA (2) - PIRIAC (4) - DERNIER CRI (5)

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C3 - PRIX DE CHAMBLY - 3600m (a2 1/4m) - TURF - Group 3 - Group - Hurdles - EUR € 135.000

1. SISSI DU MESNIL - Scored by 7L in a Listed hurdle last time at this track 22 days ago. Sets the standard

2. KALABOUMBOUM DAB - Ran well when 3rd over 3500m at this track in a Grade 3 hurdle in late May on the latest outing. Might find a few of these too smart

3. MASKAYA - 2nd two runs ago over 3000m at this track in May in a Class 3 race. Others rate higher

4. TERRA BELLA - Good 2nd in a Grade 3 hurdle at this track in late May over 3500m when last seen. Merits consideration

5. KARA DIAMOND - Fair 2nd to SISSI DU MESNIL (1) 22 days ago at this venue over 3600m. On better weight terms today, live chance

6. LA SPEZIA - Nice win over 3400m in a Class 2 race at Compiegne 19 days ago. Progressive and can play a lead role

7. KOUKLAMOU - Moderate form on the flat and one run over hurdles. Looks out of her depth and is avoidable

Summary : SISSI DU MESNIL (1) was a convincing winner at this track 22 days ago by 7L and seems to be improving, she is 4.5kg worse off at the weights today with her biggest threat KARA DIAMOND (5) who is very genuine and the finish should be between the two of them. LA SPEZIA (6) won nicely in a Class 2 race at Compiegne 19 days ago and is worth considering. TERRA BELLA (4) looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

SISSI DU MESNIL (1) - KARA DIAMOND (5) - LA SPEZIA (6) - TERRA BELLA (4)

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**C4 - PRIX DE COYE - 3500m (a2 3/16m) - TURF - Claiming - Hurdles - EUR
€ 26.000**

1. KA FEE INN - Won by 2.5L at this track in a claiming hurdle 26 days ago. Warrants respect in claiming races and is a live player

2. KARMIX - Ran well when 2nd to KA FEE INN (1) at this track 26 days ago. On identical terms weight wise and can play a lead role

3. COEUR EN OR - Ran 4th behind KA FEE INN (1) at this track 26 days ago over 3000m when last seen. Can make the frame

4. KERRY DU RIB - Newcomer by Nicaron, stable runners tend to improve for a run. Any market interest can be informative

5. HESPERIA - Newcomer by Clovis Du Berlais, might be better for this debut run. Any market support should be noted

6. KATELL DES BLINS - Unplaced last time over 3400m 16 days ago in a Class 4 race. Might find this difficult

7. CHEAP MONDAY - Unplaced in both runs so far, the latter when 6th at Moulins 10 days ago over 3500m in a Class 3 race. Down in class and can be considered

8. MANDY - 2nd over 3200m at Jarnac last time in a claiming hurdle 17 days ago. More required to be able to feature

Summary : KA FEE INN (1) won by 2.5L 26 days ago at this track over 3000m. He meets KARMIX (2) on the same terms weight-wise today it should be a race between the two of them at the business end. With an extra 500m, it is difficult to split the two old rivals. COEUR EN OR (3) was back in fourth in the same race and looks destined for a place position again. CHEAP MONDAY (7) drops in class and can be in the shake up at the finish.

SELECTIONS

KA FEE INN (1) - KARMIX (2) - COEUR EN OR (3) - CHEAP MONDAY (7)

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C5 - PRIX GRANDLIEU - 3900m (a2 7/16m) - TURF - Condition Race - Class 3 - Hurdles - EUR € 53.000

1. **CHATAIGNIER** - Unplaced last time over fences in May at this track, won before that in November 2022 in a Listed chase at Compiègne over 3450m. Has work to do
2. **INGENIEUR** - 4th at this track in a 4400m chase in November 2022 on the most recent outing. Others look better equipped
3. **INTREPID SUN** - Ran well when 3rd at this track 26 days ago over 3600m on hurdle debut. Can improve and ought to be thereabouts
4. **ILOT DES MERS** - 4th last time over 3600m in a Class 2 hurdle in June 2022. Fitness is taken on trust but merits consideration
5. **IODA** - Won at Vichy on the flat last time over 2600m in August and won before that over 3700m in a hurdle race in May. Can be competitive
6. **PURPROD BOIZ** - Won over 3500m at this track in a chase in May 2022. That was a Class 3 event. Back over hurdles should not be an issue and he can feature
7. **IRISH VOCATION** - Won on the level last time 24 days ago over 2400m at Craon. Has not been convincing so far in three runs over hurdles
8. **INFRA ROUGE** - Last ran in at this track in March 2022 when winning a Class 2 chase over 3600m. Can not be ruled out
9. **MISTER TIN** - 6th in a Class 3 hurdle in August on the latest outing at Clairefontaine. Might find this too much
10. **ODIAGO** - Won over 3600m in a Listed hurdle when last seen in November 2021. Will be fit and ready to go

Summary : Although having a long absence, ODIAGO (10) is the selection. He won a Listed hurdle at this track when last seen in November 2021 and will be fit enough to get the job done. PURPROD BOIZ (6) has also had some time away from the racecourse since scoring in May 2022 in a chase. He can play a prominent role. INTREPID SUN (3) will improve for a recent run at this track and looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

ODIAGO (10) - PURPROD BOIZ (6) - INTREPID SUN (3) - IODA (5)

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C6 - PRIX KARGAL - 3500m (a2 3/16m) - TURF - Condition Race - Class 1 - Steeple Chase - EUR € 62.000

1. ROYAL SAGA - Decent effort when 2nd over 3500m at this track 26 days ago over fences. looks the likely winner

2. GAME OF STORM - Fair 3rd last time over 3500m in a chase at this track 26 days ago. Not dismissed lightly at this venue

3. ANGEL CARO - 6th last time over hurdles at this track in late May. That was a Grade 3 event. Tries fences for the first time and merits consideration

4. FABULEUX RICO - Won a Class 2 race over 3200m at Compiegne in May on his second run. Looks progressive and is a leading contender on his chase debut

5. KROKODILE DUNDEE -

6. RUE BARBIZON - 6th over 3500m at this track 26 days ago in a chase. Best watched for the time being

7. DSCHINGIS LOVE - 4th last time over 3500m at this venue 26 days ago on her chase debut. Bold show likely

8. SAGA GIRL - 5th over 3500m at this track when last seen 26 days ago over fences. Others make more appeal

Summary : ROYAL SAGA (1) was a good second on his chase debut 26 days ago at this track and he can go one better today and get his first success. FABULEUX RICO (4) looked useful when scoring by 5L at Compiegne in May and can give a good account of himself on his chase debut. DSCHINGIS LOVE (7) jumped well enough on her chase debut earlier this month and ought to be thereabouts. GAME OF STORM (2) can improve from a promising third at this track recently and warrants respect.

SELECTIONS

ROYAL SAGA (1) - FABULEUX RICO (4) - DSCHINGIS LOVE (7) - GAME OF STORM (2)

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C7 - PRIX MARITTIMO - 3600m (a2 1/4m) - TURF - Condition Race - Class 2 - Hurdles - EUR € 55.000

1. **GET VINGT SEPT** - 2nd at Pau over 3500m in January 2021 on the latest run. Has fitness to overcome, but can place
2. **DUCADO** - Unplaced last time over 3500m in September 2022 in a Class 3 hurdle. Vulnerable
3. **BAMCALYB** - 4th on the level on the last run over 2400m in a claimer. Has won 7 times on the flat. Best watched for now
4. **MANDINKO** - Nice run when 2nd over 3600m 26 days ago at this track. Can progress from that and is the one to beat
5. **JUMPER DETE** - Nice 3rd over 3500m at this track when last seen 22 days ago in a Class 2 race. Ought to be involved
6. **FAUDA** - Fair 4th at this track in November 2022 in a Class 1 hurdle on the only run so far. Likely more to come
7. **KING DINO** - Won over 3100m at Granville on the level in August. Makes hurdle race debut and can make presence felt
8. **ROYAL RIO** - Newcomer by Martaline, stable runners need to be respected. Any market support should be noted
9. **LE GARDE ROYAL** - Fair 3rd over 3500m at Pau in December on the only run so far. Bold show can be expected
10. **PIERRE LE GRAND** - 6th on only run over hurdles 26 days ago at this track over 3600m. Has won on the flat 3 times before. Opposable
11. **DIXAN SENORA** - Hurdle race debut, 6th on the flat when last seen in March in a Class 3 race. Others more likely

Summary : MANDINKO (4) ran a good hurdle race debut at this track 26 days ago over 3600m. He can improve and looks the one to beat. KING DINO (7) is one that could make the selection work hard for victory. He won over 3100m in August on the flat, so has the ability. LE GARDE ROYAL (9) could be the best each-way angle and can be expected to improve from his only run when third at Pau in December 2022. JUMPER DETE (5) looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

MANDINKO (4) - KING DINO (7) - LE GARDE ROYAL (9) - JUMPER DETE (5)

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C8 - PRIX JULIEN DECRION - 4400m (a2 3/4m) - TURF - Handicap - Steeple Chase - EUR € 63.000

1. **FRAGA HAS** - Was often at fault on his reappearance at Compiègne last time (5th) but ought to do better with improved fitness on his side
2. **JUS DE CAROTTE** - Finished an excellent 2nd on his return to action and has already proven his competitiveness in handicaps at this value. One to beat
3. **VILLA RICA** - Won a Group III last year and, although unconvincing on her reappearance, remains the type to do better. Keep safe
4. **JUBILEZ** - Consistent hurdler who was 2nd in a steeplechase race recently. Must be respected on handicap debut
5. **SLICE AND DICE** - Consistent/versatile performer over obstacles. Acquitted herself well to finish 4th last time, so is not taken lightly on that form
6. **YOU FOR ME** - Has not gone unnoticed in steeplechase races recently but has shown his best form over hurdles. Outsider
7. **JANGO D'AIRY** - Unreliable but has the means to get into the picture judged on her best references. Hard to trust but is best watched for now
8. **JAGUAR DES OBEAUX** - Consistent and versatile performer with sound references. Undeniably capable of playing a role in a race of this nature
9. **FICTION DU BERLAIS** - Versatile mare, consistent for the most part and seldom far off the mark. Could play a minor role here
10. **IT'S IN THE RAIN** - Runner-up on his stable debut last time, found only LADY COEUR (11) too good, but is weighted to turn the tables. High on the shortlist
11. **LADY COEUR** - Last-start winner when getting the better of IT'S IN THE RAIN (10). Should remain competitive despite the weight turnaround
12. **QUEL BONBON** - Registered her career victory in a 4100m chase, the furthest she's been. Could have more to offer going further in this sphere
13. **BONHEUR DU SUD** - Seldom finishes far off the mark and could get into the picture here but has no more than a place chance
14. **FRASSATI** - Unreliable but not incapable of getting into the picture judged on her best references. Hard to trust but is as hard to rule out

Summary : JUS DE CAROTTE (2) has been irreproachable in steeplechase races at Auteuil and wouldn't be winning out of turn, so gets the nod to reconnect with success here at Auteuil. IT'S IN THE RAIN (10) and LADY COEUR (11), who recently finished 2nd and 1st respectively, are also serious contenders and likely to fight for victory. Both the Lageneste-Macaire stable's runners, VILLA RICA (3) and FRAGA HAS (1), have the means to stake a claim in a race of this nature on handicap debut.

SELECTIONS

JUS DE CAROTTE (2) - IT'S IN THE RAIN (10) - LADY COEUR (11) - VILLA RICA (3)

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