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**C1 - FRENCH ARABIAN BREEDERS' CHALLENGE - POULAINS - 2000m
(a1m1/4) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 50,000**

1. MAHROOS AL SHAHANIA - Trying 5th in a Group III over 1900m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 21st of July 2025. One for the quartet plays

2. ALHAARITH - Pleasing 3rd in a Group III over 1900m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 21st of July 2025. Solid includer in all plays

3. GUINDOL DEI RIBO - Supplemented Guindol Dei Ribo finished 6th in a Conditional over 1400m and won't possess much of a threat to the top choices

4. SAB'AAN AL SHAHANIA - A firm winner on debut over 2100m in a Conditional at Dax on the 31st of July 2025. Can certainly follow up

5. KHADDAH - Admirable debut effort running 2nd in a Group III over 1900m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 21st of July 2025. Could enjoy the step up and make a winning stance

Summary: SAB'AAN AL SHAHANIA (4) was a positive winner on debut and looks to have the right accolades to follow up and snatch a Group II win here. KHADDAH (5) ran a blinder on debut in a Group III when finishing second and will enjoy the extra trip here and will make a threatening appearance to the top choice. ALHAARUTH (2) and MAHROOS AL SHAHANIA (1) are no strangers when running behind each other in their last start and are confidently selected to fill in the third and fourth place position.

SELECTIONS

**SAB'AAN AL SHAHANIA (4) - KHADDAH (5) - ALHAARITH (2) - MAHROOS AL
SHAHANIA (1)**

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C2 - PRIX PAUL DUBOSCQ - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 2 Race - Flat - EUR € 20,100

1. SOLDIER'S GOLD - Good 3rd in a Class 1 Conditional over 1600m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 27th of July 2025. Bold winning chance

2. SOUS LA NEIGE - Finished 10th in a Class 2 Handicap over 1800m at Clairefontaine on the 2nd of August 2025. Erratic overall form and can feature at the backend of quartets

3. MAROON SIX - Trying 5th in a Class 2 Handicap over 2000m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 27th of July 2025. Better to include in larger exotics

4. EUGENE SMITH - Forgivable 7th in a Class 2 Handicap over 2000m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 27th of July 2025. Does Prefer the 1900m and will be running on strongly

5. BAYAMOON - Tough 7th in a Class 3 Handicap over 1600m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 11th of August 2025. One to respectfully pass by

6. CREW DRAGON - A firm winner in a Class 3 Handicap over 1400m at Lion D'Angers on the 3rd of August 2025. Good each way shout

7. NEMESIS DU ROC - Discouraging 9th in a Conditional over 1900m at Madrid on the 7th of August 2025. Others preferred

Summary: SOLDIER'S GOLD (1) has won two of his last three starts over the course and distance and could possess another winning effort as he is fond of the track and trip. EUGENE SMITH (4) can be forgiven for running seventh last time and is an individual who enjoys the 1900m. He does go over the mile here and will be a strong finisher at the line. CREW DRAGON (6) is another who knows how to win a race and should be given some serious consideration in a small field like this. MAROON SIX (3) completes the mix.

SELECTIONS

SOLDIER'S GOLD (1) - EUGENE SMITH (4) - CREW DRAGON (6) - MAROON SIX (3)

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C3 - FRENCH ARABIAN BREEDERS' CHALLENGE - POULICHES - 2000m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 50,000

1. **AMJAAD** - Trying 4th in a Group I over 2000m at Deauville on the 5th of August 2025. Tough challenge at hand
2. **JOUZA** - Finished 5th in a Group III over 1900m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 12th of July 2025. Others preferred
3. **GERMIN** - Improved in her last start when finishing 2nd over 1600m in a Conditional at Mont-De-Marsan on the 16th of July 2025. Include in all exotic plays
4. **AL HAKMAH** - Finished 2nd in a Conditional over 2100m at Toulouse on the 22nd of June 2025. Does meet tougher to make a bold say
5. **ALTAMIRA** - Good debut over 1400m in a Conditional at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 11th of August 2025. Goes over further and can finish much closer
6. **HNOF ATHBAH** - Bold winner on debut in a Conditional over 1900m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 12th of July 2025. Lively winning chance again
7. **KIAORA DU SOLEIL** - Pleasing 4th in a Conditional over 1400m at La teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 11th of August 2025. Returns to a trip that could very well suit her and she can be more effective
8. **KARAMA DEL ROC** - Sweet winner on debut in a Conditional over 2100m at Toulouse on the 22nd of June 2025. Must be involved in the shakeup and can disrupt the podium positions
9. **MOTACILLA** - Supplemented Motacilla was a winner over 2100m in a Conditional at Dax on the 31st of July 2025. Improved in her second run to win and must be included for the larger backend of quartets
10. **DABIDA** - Encouraging 2nd in a Conditional over 2100m at Dax on the 31st of July 2025. Lurker chance of causing chaos at the finishing line

Summary: HNOF ATHBAH (6) has to be given credit for her debut win and is built with the right equipment to make it a second career win in this Group II event. ALTAMIRA (5) was encouraging on debut when finishing third over the 1400m. She steps over the 2000m for the first time which could be the ideal move for her to snatch her first career win. KIAROA DU SOLEIL (7) must be given respect for her penultimate start having run second in a Group III and if she repeats that run, she will be competitive. GERMIN (3) is no slouch and must be given acknowledgement.

SELECTIONS

HNOF ATHBAH (6) - ALTAMIRA (5) - KIAORA DU SOLEIL (7) - GERMIN (3)

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C4 - PRIX MILLKOM - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Listed Race - Flat - EUR € 50,300

1. **KAADI** - Positive winner in a Listed over 1600m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 27th of July 2025. Could be hard to beat
2. **SELENIEN** - Forgivable 11th in a Group III over 1600m at Deauville on the 10th of August 2025. Bounces back to a field where he can have a loud say
3. **ALEM** - Solid winner in a Class 1 Conditional over 1600m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 5th of August 2025. In similar form and is expected to go close
4. **CHARENGO** - Respected winner in a Class 1 Conditional over 1600m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 4th of July 2025. Can disrupt the top four podium position
5. **GRECIAN DESTINY** - Pleasing winner in a Class 2 Conditional over 1400m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 19th of July 2025. Include at the backend of quartets
6. **JENILAT BRIGHT** - Tough run finishing 6th in a Listed over 2400m at Clairefontaine on the 15th of August 2025. Others make more appeal
7. **SKYTREE** - A winner in a Conditional over 1600m at Madrid on the 1st of June 2025. Tough task at hand here
8. **MADERO** - Encouraging try finishing 5th in a Group III over 1600m at Deauville on the 10th of August 2025. Must be included in all exotic plays
9. **BELONG TOGETHER** - Finished 10th in a Listed over 1600m at Chantilly on the 6th of May 2025. One to respectfully pass by
10. **JOKLA** - Finished 6th in a Listed over 1600m at La Teste-Bassin Arcachon on the 27th of July 2025. Hard to recommend with confidence

Summary: KAADI (1) is a model of consistency having won a Listed over the track and trip last time out and from a neat draw, She should have every chance of getting her head in front again. ALEM (3) keeps progressing and his last win suggests that he could have more to offer and make a bold stance in this Listed contest. SELENIEN (2) featured in a Group I and III in his last two starts and bounces back to a field where he can redeem himself and have a loud say. MADERO (8) has a strong quartet chance.

SELECTIONS

KAADI (1) - ALEM (3) - SELENIEN (2) - MADERO (8)

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C5 - PRIX DURALOCK FRANCE - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 14,400

1. **ZOKOA** - On a very long losing run and was 6th in a handicap at this track over 1800m on 5 August. Needs more to win this
2. **BLOOD DIAMOND** - Has struggled all year and was 10th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Needs major improvement to win
3. **SOLAIRE** - Clearly a big runner off this handicap mark and was runner-up for the third time in a row at this track over 1800m on 5 August. Big chance
4. **BALEGRIO** - Has struggled in handicaps and was 8th at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Needs to do more to win this race
5. **LA PORTUGAISE** - Did not show her best when 7th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Won her penultimate start and is has a place chance
6. **MASDREAM** - Has struggled so far and was 8th in a conditions race at Dax over 1400m on 23 July. Makes little appeal
7. **KHAMALGANE** - Broke through with a win in a claimer at Pompadour over 1600m on 10 August. Much tougher task in this line-up
8. **ATLANTA** - Has struggled in handicaps and was 6th at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Needs to find a few lengths to win
9. **GOOD'ID** - Yet to win a race but showed vast improvement when runner-up in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Can make the frame
10. **VICTORY CAT** - Has improved of late and was fourth in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 2000m on 16 July. Can be a threat
11. **ADELA** - Unreliable of late and finished 10th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Capable of better, but others are preferred
12. **BLACK PANTHER** - Has some fair form and was 5th in a handicap at Deauville over 1600m on 19 August. Can be competitive in this line-up
13. **ZASTER FOR ALL** - Unreliable and finished 7th in a handicap over this track and trip on 19 July. Capable of better and is not out of it.
14. **DO IT FOR ME** - Battling to regain best form and finished 7th in a conditions race at Carcassonne over 1600m on 11 May. Could need this run returning from a break
15. **AL RASSOUL** - Has lost his way of late and finished 11th in a handicap over this course and distance on 19 July. Needs to find a few lengths

Summary: SOLAIRE (3) has been unlucky not to win any of her last three starts. This course and distance suit, and she can go one better this time. BLACK PANTHER (12) has not been disgraced of late and ran well at Deauville. He is trainer Benjamin Legros' only runner at this meeting. VICTORY CAT (10) does not win very often but is capable of contesting the finish. GOOD'ID (9) has yet to win a race but cannot be ruled out of winning this particular contest.

SELECTIONS

SOLAIRE (3) - BLACK PANTHER (12) - VICTORY CAT (10) - GOOD'ID (9)

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C6 - PRIX OCCITANIE - 1900m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Listed Race - Flat - EUR € 50,300

1. AL DHABY - Still improving and was victorious last time out in a conditions race at Cholet over 2100m on 30 June. Can be competitive again

2. DUNE - Consistent again this year and was runner-up in a conditions race at Compiègne over 1800m on 21 June. Might earn some more money

3. PAIX DES DAMES - Did not show her best when 6th in a Group 3 at Chantilly over 1800m on 20 July. Has won half of her starts and is not out of it

4. SHE'S A TEASE - Showed improvement and was victorious last time out in a conditions race at Compiègne over 2000m on 29 July. Has a place chance

5. ILDA ROSA - Not disgraced when 5th in a Listed race at this track over 1600m on 27 July. In good shape and can contest the finish

6. ECOLOGY - Consistent and finished third in a Listed race at this track over 1600m on 27 July. Capable of making the frame again

7. PYRAMIDE - Very consistent and was a winner last time out in a conditions race at Clairefontaine-Deauville over 1800m on 15 August. Can get into the mix

8. MISS OF CHANGE - Has some fair form and finished 5th in a Group 3 at Deauville over 2000m on 3 August. Might play a minor role at best

9. DARKAVA - Holding form and finished fourth at San Sebastian over 2200m on 10 August. Needs more to beat these rivals

10. IRON BIRD - In good shape and was runner-up in a Listed race at this track over 1600m on 27 July. Can go one better this time

11. PLACE FONTENOY - Consistent and not disgraced when 5th at Milan over 2100m on 22 June. Capable of getting involved with the finish

Summary: IRON BIRD (10) has been running at a high level all year and gets the opportunity to secure a second win. This longer distance should suit her. ILDA ROSA (5) was behind that rival when they met recently but will prefer this distance, so she should be right there at the finish. ECOLOGY (6) is consistent and was not disgraced when finishing between those two last time out, and she is also a threat. PLACE FONTENOY (11) has been campaigning with promise in Europe and is not out of it in what looks a very open race.

SELECTIONS

IRON BIRD (10) - ILDA ROSA (5) - ECOLOGY (6) - PLACE FONTENOY (11)

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C7 - PRIX GILBERT MOGA - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Class 4 Divided Handicap - Flat - EUR € 16,300

1. **MANA MAHA** - Unreliable and finished 8th in a handicap at Vichy over 1600m on 4 August. Did better in a claimer before that, but others make more appeal
2. **BAILEYS TOPAZE** - Disappointing form of late and was 8th in a handicap at Le Lion-d'Angers over 1400m on 3 August. Capable of better, but others are preferred
3. **HAUTE GAMME** - Disappointing last run when 10th in a handicap at this track over 1800m on 5 August. Capable of better and can be a threat
4. **EL TORERO** - Only modest of late and finished 5th in a handicap over this track and trip on 11 August. Could be competitive in this line-up
5. **ENTRE NOUS** - Yet to win a race and finished 12th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Needs major improvement to win
6. **WATHAB** - Did not show his best when 7th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Capable of better and is not out of it
7. **HONG KONG STAR** - Unreliable this year and finished 6th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Might play a minor role at best
8. **VIRIMOON ETOILE** - In good shape and was third in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Can contest the finish once again.
9. **DRACO** - Has improved of late and was runner-up in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Can go one better this time
10. **PIC DU MIDI** - Has really struggled of late and finished 13th in a handicap over this course and distance on 19 July. Others are preferred
11. **JORDAN BAKER** - Not disgraced when 5th in a handicap at Deauville over 1600m on 17 August. Can be competitive off this mark and is one to consider
12. **RUSHDY** - Showed some improvement when 4th at Madrid over 1700m on 7 August. Needs to do more to beat these rivals
13. **MADIGAN** - Holding form and was runner-up in a handicap at Vichy over 1400m on 30 July. Can go one better this time
14. **POLIVATE** - Has struggled of late and was 8th in a handicap at Vichy over 1400m on 30 July. Needs more to feature
15. **OLIVA** - Has really struggled of late and was 13th in a handicap at Mont-de-Marsan over 1400m on 1 August. Makes little appeal

Summary: DRACO (9) has shown improvement of late and found only one better on the day in a handicap at Dax. He gets a narrow vote to score. VIRIMOON ETOILE (8) has been in good form this year and is threatening to win another race, so must be respected in this line-up. HAUTE GAMME (3) is not the most reliable but has run well over this course and distance. EL TORERO (4) has been fair of late and can make the frame.

SELECTIONS

DRACO (9) - VIRIMOON ETOILE (8) - HAUTE GAMME (3) - EL TORERO (4)

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C8 - PRIX JEAN-CLAUDE GUERIN - 1900m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

1. ESCAPE GAME - Knocking loudly on the door and was runner-up in a handicap at this track over 1800m on 5 August. Can go one better and break the ice

2. CHATEAU ESQUIULE - Has improved of late and was victorious last time out in a conditions race at Dax over 2100m on 23 July. Can be a threat

3. BIG DREAM CEN - Only modest in first handicap when 6th at Dax over 2300m on 31 July. Better at this distance and could earn some money

4. LADY COOL - Very consistent and was third in a handicap at Vichy over 1600m on 30 July. Should be right there at the finish again

5. ELFENN - Not disgraced when 5th in a handicap at Vichy over 2000m on 4 August. Has already won twice this year and can win again

6. KING OF EYLAU - Yet to win a race but is threatening to do so and was runner-up in a conditions race at Senonnes-Pouancé over 2100m on 2 August. Can contest the finish

7. HANMER SPRINGS - Has not shown much so far and finished 10th in a handicap at Dax over 2300m on 31 July. Needs to find a few lengths to win

8. LUCKY D'ID - Disappointing form this year and was 8th in a handicap at this track over 1800m on 5 August. Needs to improve

9. LA FERRETCAPIENNE - In good form and finished fourth in a conditions race at this course over 2200m on 11 August. Can be competitive again

10. GYP SEA - Has some fair form of late and was 5th in a claimer at Mont-de-Marsan over 1600m on 1 August. Needs to do more

11. AMITY - Not disgraced in first handicap when 5th at this track over 1800m on 5 August. Can do even better this time

12. OCEAN KINGDOM - Has struggled in four starts so far and finished 10th in a handicap at this course over 1800m on 5 August. Others make more appeal

Summary: ESCAPE GAME (1) has yet to win a race but has finished runner-up a couple of times off his current handicap mark. He could go one better over a course and distance that clearly suits. LADY COOL (4) is very consistent and should be right there at the finish in this lucky last race. KING OF EYLAU (6) is in good form but was only modest in his most recent handicap. ELFENN (5) is also capable of contesting the finish.

SELECTIONS

ESCAPE GAME (1) - LADY COOL (4) - KING OF EYLAU (6) - ELFENN (5)