C1 - PRIX DE CHAMBELLAY - 3700m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 - Hurdles - EUR € 24,000

- **1. SPECIALS ONE** Two 2nd placed runs so far, the latter over track/trip in a Class 3 hurdle on August 14th. Can be competitive
- **2. NOTHING EYE'S -** Good 2nd on his only run over 3600m in a Class 4 hurdle at Clairefontaine on September 5th. Leading player with improvement expected
- **3. MIND OF LOVE -** Credible 4th on both starts, the most recent over 3400m at Clairefontaine on August 27th on his second start. Merits strong consideration each way
- **4. CADELO -** Fair 4th last time out at Moulins in May, and a win on debut over track and trip on April 6th in a Class 4 hurdle. Ought to be thereabouts
- **5. LOULOU D'ALENE -** Three unplaced efforts so far on the flat, the latter over 2300m at Durtal on January 26th. Unlikely to be a threat
- **6. APERO SECRET -** Two unplaced runs since a 3rd on the flat over 3100m at Corlay on July 14th. Hurdles debut and others preferred
- **7. LOOK AT ME NOW -** 7th on the one run over hurdles this year,3500m in a Class 4 at Pau on January 10th. Flat winner last year over 2450m. Consider
- **8. LILI DE BERSY -** Three promising runs on the flat, a win on debut in mid-March over 2950m at Machecoul, and two placed runs since, the latter when 4th at Nantes on May 5th. Hurdles debut and can be involved
- **9. LOUVE D'AINAY -** 7th on her one run over 3600m in a Class 4 hurdle at Compiegne on April 7th. Has to make good progress to be involved
- **10. LOGUIVY SAPI -** Unraced filly by Kap Rock, the dam never raced. From a respected trainer. Watch the betting patterns for clues
- **11. LATERANORE** 7th last time out over 3550m at Fontainebleau in a Class 4 hurdle on April 16th, 4th on debut over the same track/trip in late March. Can make the top-four
- **12. LYKORLANN -** Two unplaced efforts on the flat, the most recent over 2500m at Molières on July 27th. Hurdling debut and might need this for experience
- **13. LAGGY STAR** She failed to complete the course on her debut at Saint-Malo on August 18th in a Class 3 hurdle. Look elsewhere
- **14. ZAUBA** Several unplaced runs on the flat and over hurdles, the latter over 1800m at Chantilly on the flat on September 5th in a Class 3 handicap. Pass over

Summary: NOTHING EYES (2) could be the best option in this Class 3 hurdle. He ran a promising debut second at Clairefontaine 15 days ago and can improve from that run. SPECIALS ONE (1) has solid placed form, with a second over track and trip in a Class 3 hurdle in mid-August when last seen. MIND OF LOVE (3) was a pleasing fourth at Clairefontaine late last month over hurdles and looks like a good option each way. CADELO (4) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

NOTHING EYE'S (2) - SPECIALS ONE (1) - MIND OF LOVE (3) - CADELO (4)

C2 - PRIX DE SAUTRE - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Claiming - Flat - EUR € 12,000

- **1. ASIF ALI** Five placed runs of late, 3rd on his most recent over 1200m at Mont-De-Marsan on September 10th in a maiden race. Can get a deserved success
- **2. EXTRAVAGANZA** 5th on the latest start over 1800m in a claimer on August 22nd at Clairefontaine. She needs more to have a say in the finish
- **3. RETT LIKE** Two unplaced runs, the latter over 1600m in a maiden race at Clairefontaine on July 2nd. Unlikely to trouble some of these
- **4. BAILEYS HIGHFLYER -** Unplaced on her one run over 1200m in a claimer at Deauville on August 14th. She has to show a good deal of improvement to feature
- **5. BEST SISTER -** Two unplaced runs since a 3rd over 1600m in a claimer at Clairefontaine on July 26th. One to keep onside
- **6. CAPOUCHINE -** Several unplaced runs in claiming races recently, the latter over 1800m on August 22nd. One to avoid
- **7. VANINA RUNAWAY -** Two unplaced efforts of late, the latter in a maiden race at Craon on September 6th over 1650m. 2nd in a claimer at Senonnes on August 2nd over 1350m. In the mix
- **8. LAKE DREAM -** 7th last time 14 days ago at Craon in a maiden race, 3rd previously over 1800m in a claimer on August 22nd. Enters calculations
- **9. NIKITA SMART -** Well beaten on debut in a maiden race at Caron over 1650m on September 6th. Others look better equipped

Summary: ASIF ALI (1) has strong credentials and should be more than good enough to land this claiming race. He has been placed on his last five runs in maiden races. LAKE DREAM (8) could be the one that makes him work hard for the victory. She was a fair third in a claiming race at Clairefontaine late in August on her penultimate start. BEST SISTER (5) has placed form in this class of race and can make the frame. VANINA RUNAWAY (7) is also worth a mention.

SELECTIONS

ASIF ALI (1) - LAKE DREAM (8) - BEST SISTER (5) - VANINA RUNAWAY (7)

C3 - PRIX DU SALON DU CHEVAL D'ANGERS (PRIX E. ET L. DE TREDERN) - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 15,600

- **1. TALAKAN -** Two 3rd placed runs this year, the latter over 1800m at Saint-Malo in a maiden race on August 29th. Leading contender
- **2. BEST OF -** Placed 3rd on his two runs, the most recent over 2400m at Moulins on August 25th in a maiden event. Player each way
- **3. TRIOMPHE DES BOIS -** Fair 3rd on debut at Beaupreau on August 23rd in a maiden race. Might find a few of these too smart for him
- **4. TORREADOR** Showed promise when 8th on his only run over 2400m at Clairefontaine on July 2nd in a conditions race. Ought to be in the shake-up
- **5. HERMETIC** 5th on debut at Compiegne on June 27th over 2800m in a maiden race. He can improve from that effort and make the top-three
- **6. LA FRENAYE -** Placed on both of his runs, the latter when 4th over 2000m at Deauville in a maiden race on August 28th. She can not be ruled out
- **7. BELLE FLEUR -** Two 3rd placed runs, the most recent at Redon over 2300m in a maiden race on September 7th. Others seem better equipped
- **8. BELLA D'ANJOU -** Credible 3rd on her second start over 2500m at Saint-Malo on August 29th in a maiden race on August 29th. Opposable
- **9. LADY ACHILLIA -** 4th on her last run over 2200m in a maiden race on August 18th at Clairefontaine. Can make her presence felt
- **10. ZEPHYR SONG** Unraced filly by Al Wukair, the dam won 3 races. Likely to improve for this debut run and is best watched in the betting for clues

Summary: TALAKAN (1) has shown more than enough ability to win a race of this kind. He looked in need of the run when finishing third at Saint-Malo in late August and should strip fitter this time. He may prove too sharp for LA FRENAYE (6), who has placed in both starts, most recently at Deauville late last month. HERMETIC (5) caught the eye on debut when fifth at Compiègne and is open to progress. TORREADOR (4) looks best of the remainder.

SELECTIONS

TALAKAN (1) - LA FRENAYE (6) - HERMETIC (5) - TORREADOR (4)

C4 - PRIX CLAUDE ROUGET - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Class 3 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 19,200

- **1. ZVALIKOVA -** Recent winner over 1650m in a Class 4 race at Sable-Sur-Sarthe on August 31st. Among the leading chances
- **2. CHIRICCO -** Unplaced last time out over 1200m at Deauville on August 16th in a Class 1 handicap. Unlikely to feature
- **3. STORMYGO** Ran well to be 2nd at this track over 1400m in a Class 3 handicap on August 3rd when last seen. One to pay attention to
- **4. WHITE PLATIN -** Unplaced on the last two runs, a win before that over 1400m at Vichy on July 15th in a Class 3 handicap. Player
- **5. STELLANIA** Two unplaced runs since a 4th at this track in a Class 3 handicap on July 18th, when not beaten far. Each way contender
- **6. LIGHT WAKEUP** Placed on his last two runs, 3rd on the most recent over 1400m at Parislongchamp on September 7th in a Class 3 handicap. Live contender
- **7. COOLMEEN ROYAL -** A win two runs back over 1300m at Vittel on August 12th in a Class 4 handicap. Outside place contender
- **8. WONDER BOY -** Three unplaced runs since a 3rd in a Class 4 race over 1400m at Vichy on July 18th. Can make the top four
- **9. MRS HOLIDAY -** Won on the last run over 1400m at this track on July 28th in a Class 4 handicap. Can make the frame at attractive odds
- **10. MASTER PAT -** 7th on the last run at Parislongchamp on September 4th in a Class 3 handicap over 1400m. He needs to be more reliable
- **11. MARA WOOD -** Three unplaced runs of late, the latter over 1800m at Saint-Malo on August 29th in a Class 3 handicap. Needs to get back on track
- **12. MIA BELLA -** Several unplaced runs recently, well beaten over 1800m at Saint-Malo on August 29th in a Class 3 handicap when last seen. Out of form and hard to recommend

Summary: LIGHT WAKEUP (6) is seeking win number eleven. He has shaped well on his last two runs, the most recent when third in a competitive Class 3 handicap at Parislongchamp 13 days ago. He is preferred ahead of STORMYGO (3), who was a decent second over the course and distance in a Class 3 handicap in early August on his last start. STELLANIA (5) ran well when fourth over track and trip three runs back in mid-July and can make the frame. ZVALIKOVA (1) won recently in August and can not be ignored.

SELECTIONS

LIGHT WAKEUP (6) - STORMYGO (3) - STELLANIA (5) - ZVALIKOVA (1)

C5 - PRIX LABEL EQUURES - 3000m (a2m) - TURF - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 11,900

- **1. AIMANT -** He is a 4-time winner over jumps. 7th on the last run over 2300m at Angers on the flat on September 11th on his flat debut. Can improve and make the top-four
- **2. STYLE FLIGHT -** Placed 2nd on his last two runs, the latter over 2300m at Redon on September 7th in a Class 4 race. One to keep onside
- **3. GOT HAWK -** Credible effort to be 2nd on his sole run in 2024 at Deauville in January on the PSF. He is talented, and if fit to go after an absence, he can make his presence felt
- **4. HILODELAFONTAINE -** Two 4th-place efforts of late. the most recent over 2300m at Redon in a Class 4 race on September 7th. In the mix
- **5. ARION COCO TRIP -** Unplaced on the one run this year over 2300m on September 11th at Angers in a conditions race. Placed in 2023 on both starts. Hard to fancy
- **6. MINNATA -** Fair effort to be 2nd over 3400m at Les Sables on August 7th in a conditions race. Leading chance of getting off the mark
- **7. SOTCHI** 5th on her last run at Saint-Malo on August 29th in a Class 4 hurdle race. Poor form previously on the flat. Opposable
- **8. ROSIMIX -** Decent 2nd two runs back on May 3rd at Le Mans in a conditions race over 3200m. Can amend her below-par effort last time out and be involved
- **9. LITTLE HEART -** Five unplaced runs of late, 8th at Guingamp over 2700m in a Class 4 race on September 14th on her last start. Others rate higher
- **10. RED IRIS** Has been out of form, unplaced at Angers on September 11th in a Class 4 handicap over 3150m when last seen. Avoidable
- **11. PLUIE D'ARAIZE** Unplaced on the one run this year over 2300m at Angers on September 11th. She makes limited appeal as she only beat one rival last time out
- **12. YAMAMAH** Four unplaced runs of late, the latter over 2000m at Lingfield (UK) on November 13th. French debut, and is best watched
- **13. DAFFODIL** Unplaced last time out, 4th previously over 3550m in a national hunt flat race at Fontwell Park (UK) on January 26th. Unlikely to be a threat
- **14. INSIDE MONTLIOUX -** Three runs over fences of late, 2nd two runs back over 4700m at Pau on January 29th in a handicap chase. 7-time winner over jumps. Tries the flat and is best watched
- **15. KATANA SEI -** Unraced gelding by Doctor Dino, the dam won 7 times over jumps. He has more of a jumping profile and is best watched unless the betting speaks volumes
- **16. KASSEL ALLEN -** Two unplaced runs over jumps recently, the latter over 4400m in a Listed chase at Auteuil on May 17th. Flat debut and a 3-time winner over jumps. One to consider each way

Summary: MINNATA (6) ran a good race when second at Les Sables in early August in a conditions race. He is marginally preferred ahead of ROSIMIX (8), who was a tad below par last time, but is better judged on her penultimate start when second at Le Mans in early May. GOT HAWK (3) has been lightly raced, with only two runs in his life, both on the PSF at Deauville. His second in January 2024, when last seen, was promising. If he is fit to go, he can be a live threat. HILODELAFONTAINE (4) heads the rest.

SELECTIONS

MINNATA (6) - ROSIMIX (8) - GOT HAWK (3) - HILODELAFONTAINE (4)

C6 - PRIX DU MONDIAL DU LION (PRIX JEHAN-YVES JALLOT) - 3700m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 26,000

- **1. JUST FOR WIN -** 9th in a Listed hurdle at Auteuil on May 31st over 3600m in a Listed hurdle on his latest start. Placed 3rd in a Class 2 hurdle before that in May at Auteuil. Live chance off top-weight
- **2. PAU CLERMONT -** Unplaced last time out, 2nd previously over 3600m at Senonnes on April 12th in a Class 3 handicap hurdle. Ought to be in the shake-up
- **3. WORTH A TEAM -** He has eased in the handicap, unplaced over 3600m in a Class 4 hurdle on September 5th at Clairefontaine last time out. Can make the frame if back on song
- **4. ARTABAN SLATE -** Two wins and a 2nd from three runs in 2024. He won over 3800m at Angers in a Class 3 hurdle on November 25th on his most recent run. Fitness to prove
- **5. IGOR DES ONGRAIS -** 8th last time out in late March, a win before that at Auteuil in a Class 2 handicap hurdle on March 8th over 3900m. Hard to ignore
- **6. NIL DE BALLON -** Nice run when 3rd at Clairefontaine on September 5th in a Class 4 chase over 3900m on his last start. Capable of being involved
- **7. VERY NICE DREAM -** Two wins of late, the latter over 3700m in a claiming hurdle at Sable-Sur-Sarthe on August 31st. One to pay attention to
- **8. SIRLIGHT** 4th over 3600m at Waregem (BEL) in a hurdle race on September 2nd on his last start. Others make more appeal
- **9. TRIOMPHE DE MAINE -** Recent success over 3500m in a claiming chase at Mauron on August 24th. This looks a stiffer test
- **10. ASTON D'ENOCQ -** Fair 2nd over 3800m in a claiming hurdle at Dieppe on August 31st on his last start. He can make the top four at nice odds
- **11. ELIITE** He fell over 4000m in a claiming chase at Le Touquet on September 7th on his last outing. Hard to recommend
- **12. TRESOR DE BALLON -** Not seen since an unplaced run in June 2024 at Orleans in a Class 5 chase over 4000m. Likely to need this run after an absence
- **13. JOXANA** 4th on her last run over 3900m at Saint-Malo on August 1st in a handicap hurdle. Merits consideration each way
- **14. FUEGO DE SOMOZA -** Unplaced over 3800m at Dieppe on August 8th in a Class 4 hurdle on his last run. Hardly inspiring form
- **15. JOKER CAUVELLIERE -** Unplaced last time, 3rd previously over 4200m in a claiming chase at Questembert on May 25th. Can be opposed
- **16. CELTIC JABAAR -** Several unplaced runs of late, 6th at Ploermel in a Class 4 chase over 4000m on August 30th when last seen. Look elsewhere

Summary: JUST FOR WIN (1) has to deal with top-weight, but has been racing in stronger company recently. His third in a Class 2 hurdle at Auteuil two runs back was encouraging. He can get off the mark. NIL DE BALLON (6) could be the main danger. He ran a solid race when third over fences in a Class 4 race 15 days ago at Clairefontaine and can build on that. PAU CLERMONT (2) ran well when second two runs back at Senonnes and warrants respect. IGOR DES ONGRAIS (5) heads the remainder.

SELECTIONS

JUST FOR WIN (1) - NIL DE BALLON (6) - PAU CLERMONT (2) - IGOR DES ONGRAIS (5)

C7 - PRIX DE LA REGION DES PAYS DE LA LOIRE (PRIX RAYMOND MARSAULT) - 3700m (a2m1/4) - TURF - Class 2 - Hurdles - EUR € 28,000

- **1. METRONOMY -** Two pleasing runs, a win on debut at Royan on August 3rd in a Class 4 hurdle, and a 2nd at the same track over 3500m on August 17th in a Class 3 hurdle. Player
- **2. OPERA LIGHT -** Credible 4th on June 19th at Dieppe over 3400m in a Class 3 hurdle. Capable of being on the premises
- **3. VISTA OF DOVER -** Placed on the last two runs over hurdles, the most recent when he was 4th at Saint-Malo on August 29th in a Class 3 hurdle. Has work to do
- **4. CASTLE DE VEGUY -** 9th on the last run over 3200m at Compiegne on April 22nd in a Class 3 hurdle. Faces a stiff task. Opposable
- **5. BASCA -** Recent win at Les Sables on August 7th over 3450m in a Class 4 hurdle. Improving, and is hard to rule out
- **6. KELLY ANN SAGA -** Nice win on debut at Saint-Malo over 3200m in a Class 4 hurdle and a fifth at Dieppe on August 31st over hurdles. Can keep improving and be involved
- **7. MON VIEUX JEAN -** Unraced gelding by Arrigo, the dam won 3 races on the flat. Nice profile, and he can be expected to play a leading role. The betting can guide
- **8. OPTIMUS -** 4th on his debut over hurdles on August 31st at Dieppe in a Class 3 hurdle last time out. A win on the flat at Durtal on June 9th, before that over 2900m. Respect and keep safe
- **9. RAFFLES PRINCE -** Credible 4th on his debut at Sable-Sur-Sarthe on August 31st in a Class 5 hurdle over 3700m. He will know more this time and merits consideration
- **10. CYBELLE DE L'AUNAY -** 4th on her second run over hurdles in a Class 4 hurdle at Chateaubriant over 3550m on May 12th. Avoidable for the time being
- **11. DINADAME -** 6th on the one run over 3400m at Dieppe on June 31st in a Class 3 hurdle. She needs to step forward from her debut to make the frame

Summary: METRONOMY (1) has run two good races, a win on debut in early August at Royan, and he followed up with a second over the same track and trip in a better race on August 17th. He is given the nod ahead of KELLY ANN SAGA (6), who was fifth in a Class 3 hurdle at Dieppe 20 days ago, which came after a debut win at Saint-Malo on August 1st. OPTIMUS (8) is a flat winner and can be sharper from that experience. BASCA (5) heads the rest.

SELECTIONS

METRONOMY (1) - KELLY ANN SAGA (6) - OPTIMUS (8) - BASCA (5)

C8 - PRIX DU PONT AUX FILLES - CHALLENGE FRANCE SIRE (PX PAS ROBIN) - 2400m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Class 4 - Flat - EUR € 12,800

- **1. LHOMMAIZE -** Two good wins of late, the most recent over 2400m at this track in a Class 4 race by 3.5L. Can make it a hat-trick
- **2. LA TORNADE** 5th on her last run at Vertou on September 1st in a Class 5 hurdle over 3700m. She won twice before that on the flat, the latter of them at Redon in a Class 4 race on August 15th over 2300m. Key chance
- **3. KHAMEPHIS GAME -** Fair 3rd last time over 2300m at Redon on September 7th in a Class 4 race. Capable of a prominent role
- **4. FELIPPO -** Several unplaced runs of late, 6th at this track on August 14th in a Class 4 handicap last time out. Hard to recommend
- **5. WHAT A FAIR FOOT -** 5th last time out, 2nd previously over 2150m at St-Jean De Mont in a Class 4 race on August 17th. Among the top chances
- **6. STELLO TALLY -** Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 2600m at Montignac in a Class 4 race on August 21st. Look elsewhere
- **7. SCAT LADY** 4th on the one run this year over 2400m in a Class 4 handicap at Pornichet on January 5th. Unlikely to threaten some of these
- **8. SAMOA -** Unplaced last time, 4th at Josselin in a Class 4 race on August 10th previously over 2600m. Makes limited appeal

Summary: LHOMMAIZE (1) looks like the one to beat after two wins recently. His most recent over course and distance by 3.5L in early August. A hat-trick of wins is on the cards. LA TORNADE (2) won twice on the flat in August and ran over hurdles 19 days ago. KHAMEPHIS GAME (3) has been placed on two of his last three starts and was a decent third at Redon when last seen 13 days ago. WHAT A FAIR FOOT (5) is another worth considering.

SELECTIONS

LHOMMAIZE (1) - LA TORNADE (2) - KHAMEPHIS GAME (3) - WHAT A FAIR FOOT (5)