C1 - PRIX XAVIER CEBRON DE LISLE - 1400m (a7f) - TURF - Condition Race - Maiden - Flat - EUR € 23.000

- **1. C COMME CA -** Seems to be improving, 4th over 1200m on May 8th. Should like the step up in distance and play a role
- **2. JOHN STEED -** Last of 12 on only run so far over 1000m in March. The extra 400m will have to bring out a big jump in progress for him to be involved
- 3. KEDUREV A bit below par on the last run over 1200m three weeks ago, after a 3rd on debut. Not to be overlooked
- **4. AQUILA VOLANTE -** Ran on well in the latter stages when 3rd at Le Lion D'Angers on May 8th. Form pick
- **5. ENERGIC -** Can only progress from the debut run over 1200m earlier this month. Better run expected
- 6. ROUANITA Out of the frame on only run at Chantilly over 1000m on May 9th. Looks safely held
- **7. ANGIOLLETA -** Green on debut and will be more at home over the extra 400m. Ought to be thereabouts
- **8. MARA WOOD -** 5th of 7 on the only run so far at Chateaubriant over 1100m 15 days ago. Needs more to figure
- **9. BAHIA BLANCA -** A winner of a claimer over 1300m at Saint-Cloud two weeks ago. Can be in the shake up
- **10. BUCKLE UP BABY -** Unplaced over 1100m on April 25th on the latest outing. Steps up in trip but needs vast improvement to feature
- **11. CRISTAL DE MAULDE -** Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 1000m two weeks ago. Others preferred.
- **12. LILY OFTHE KINGDON -** Newcomer by Robin Of Navan, the dam was a 7-time winner. Market guide best for expected performance

Summary: AQUILA VOLANTE (4) should appreciate the extra 200m today as he ran on well from the rear when finishing third at Le Lion D'Angers on his latest outing on May 8th. BAHIA BLANCA (9) has her first run for new connections, she was claimed after winning at Saint-Cloud two weeks ago. She will also like her first attempt over the 1400m journey and could pose the main rival. C COMME CA (1) has shown progression on each run so far and looks like the best each-way option. ANGIOLLETA (7) can take a step forward from her debut and is in the mix.

SELECTIONS

AQUILA VOLANTE (4) - BAHIA BLANCA (9) - C COMME CA (1) - ANGIOLLETA (7)

C2 - PRIX DU BOIS ROUAUD - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Condition Race - Class 2 - Flat - EUR € 22.000

- **1. BENNETOT -** Finished 1.5L behind MAROON SIX (2) when they met last month over 1600m and meets on less favourable terms weight-wise. Needs to step forward to win but is a player
- 2. MAROON SIX A decent 3rd over 1600m in a Class 2 race in mid-April. Can build on that and looks the one to beat
- **3. BRAZILIAN SURPRISE -** A winner two runs back over 1600m at Chantilly on March 7th. Below par on last run. Can make presence felt
- **4. SPEEDY CHARM -** A winner on the level last October over 1600m at Saint-Cloud. Has been over hurdles on the last three runs. Looks booked for a place claim
- **5. BLUE STARS -** 4th two runs back in a Class 2 race at Fontainebleau over 1600m. Looks safely held

Summary: MAROON SIX (2) was a decent third in a competitive Class 2 race on his most recent outing and looks the logical choice ahead of his likely main threat BENNETOT (1) who was 1.5L behind in fourth when they last met, today he is on worse terms by 4.5kg. BRAZILIAN SURPRISE (3) was a bit below par on her most recent outing, but a nice winner at Chantilly before that over 1600m in early March. She can shake up the likely front pair in the betting market.

SELECTIONS

MAROON SIX (2) - BENNETOT (1) - BRAZILIAN SURPRISE (3) - SPEEDY CHARM (4)

C3 - PRIX GROUPE ATLANTIC (PRIX PASSAGE POMMERAYE) - 1600m (a1m) - TURF - Handicap - Flat - EUR € 20.000

- **1. SINDERELLA -** Nice run on the second try in a handicap at Dieppe when finishing 2nd over 1800m on May 6th. Player
- 2. VICTORIA ROSE Has been out of the frame on the last three runs, 2nd before that at Dieppe over 1400m. Needs to get back on track
- **3. VOTE FOR PEDRO -** Nice run when 2nd on the latest outing over 1700m in late April. Tries his first handicap and can be on the premises
- **4. TREZY BOUNTY -** Fair 4th over 1600m on a most recent outing on May 15th. Can have a say in the proceedings
- **5. DEAU COEUR -** 4th at Saint-Cloud over 2400m on the most recent run on May 12th. Others make more appeal
- **6. VILLEMACHO -** Was beaten narrowly when 4th at Fontainebleau over 1600m on May 3rd on the last run. Can get first win
- **7. LA MOMY -** A fair 2nd at Bordeaux Le Bouscat three runs back over 1600m in early March. Has work to do
- **8. IRISH GLITTER -** Unplaced on the last run, but 4th before that over 1600m at Chantilly over 1600m. Capable of being in the frame
- **9. APASH -** Out of the frame on the last two runs. 2nd over 1600m on April 2nd. Might find a few too good
- **10. JIEPIES MELODY -** 2nd two runs back at Nantes over 1600m on April 22nd. Looks the each way option

Summary: VILLEMACHO (6) looks the best option after a good run when narrowly beaten into fourth over 1600m at the start of May. SINDERELLA (1) was a good second on her second try in a handicap earlier this month and is sure to be involved. VOTE FOR PEDRO (3) tries a handicap for the first time after a nice second in late April over 1700m, he can be involved at the business end. JIEPIES MELODY (10) gets in off the bottom weight and can get involved.

SELECTIONS

VILLEMACHO (6) - SINDERELLA (1) - VOTE FOR PEDRO (3) - JIEPIES MELODY (10)

C4 - PRIX CALI (PRIX DE GRASLIN) - 2200m (a1 3/8m) - TURF - Divised Handicap - Class 4 - Flat - EUR € 16.000

- **1. OLYMPE TEA -** Has dropped to a reasonable handicap mark. 4th at Le Mans two runs back over 2300m on April 29th. Can be in the shake-Up
- **2. NEVER COME BACK -** Did well when 2nd three runs back over 2600m at Morlaix in early April. More needed to get involved
- **3. SPRINGBOKS -** Unplaced last run, but won the two races before that, the latter over 2400m on March 22nd. Place claims
- **4. SENEPARK -** Has been performing well enough without winning of late to suggest a win is on the horizon. This looks like a nice opportunity
- **5. IRISH SOUL -** Has had two runs in 2023, a nice 4th on the latest over 2650m on May 17th.Merits consideration
- **6. SPATIAL MERIT -** Out of the frame on only run of 2023, and not seen before that for 19 months. Best watched for now
- **7. PUTUMAYO -** Out of the frame on the last two runs, 2nd before those over 1950m on April 28th. Others rate higher
- **8. JACK'S SON -** Fair effort when 3rd at Angers over 2300m on May 11th on the latest run. Live contender
- **9. SAVILE ROW -** Nice win at Saint-Cloud over 2100m on the most recent run on May 16th. Sure to be involved
- **10. AGAMEMNON -** 2nd at Angers on the latest run over 2300m on May 11th. Looks a solid each-way option
- 11. MADULAIN Out of the frame in a claimer on the last run over 1800m on May 29th. Best avoided

Summary: Although unplaced on a number of latest outings SENEPARK (4) has been performing as though a win is not far away, this could be his opportunity. JACK'S SON (8) knows how to win having won five times before, he was a nice third on his latest outing in mid-May and can make his presence felt. OLYMPE TEA (1) has dropped in the ratings and is more than capable on her day. She can not be ruled out. IRISH SOUL (5) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

SENEPARK (4) - JACK'S SON (8) - OLYMPE TEA (1) - IRISH SOUL (5)

C5 - PRIX MEDAILLES JEUNESSE ET SPORTS (PRIX DE LA VENDEE) - 2200m (a1 3/8m) - TURF - Divised Handicap - Class 3 - Flat - EUR € 20.000

- **1. SALOCIN -** 2nd on the last run over 2400m at Nantes on May 6th. Won his three races before the last outing. Player
- 2. BAMCALYB Not seen since a 3rd at Deauville last November over 1900m. Might need return race
- 3. KER STORMY Won over 2400m at Nantes on the last run on April 22nd. Has plenty to offer
- **4. MAT LA FRISTOUILLE -** Has won his last two races. The latter was over 2500m on May 14th. Can play a prominent role
- **5. MAN OF LAW** Out of the frame on only run this year over 2000m in May. Capable of making the frame at nice odds
- **6. MEDITERRANEA BLUES -** Needed the race at Dieppe over 2400m when making a return after 8 months away. Best watched for now
- **7. MODERN VALUE -** Lost out by a narrow margin when 2nd over 2500m on April 8th. Good opportunity of getting that deserved win
- **8. RADIANT SKY -** Unplaced on the last run, but a win before that over 2200m in March. Others rate higher
- **9. AD LIBITUM -** Has had a couple of unplaced runs of late, but a nice 3rd before those over 2000m in early April. Looks competitive
- 10. POPORO Off since a 4th over 2300m last August. Best watched on return run off a layoff
- **11. KAPTAIN NORDIK -** Has been threatening to win after two nice 2nd placed runs of late. Another good account likely
- **12. MARGESSON -** Gets in off the lowest weight. A couple of good runner-up places on the last two starts. Warrants plenty of respect

Summary: Although she has yet to get her head in front in 13 attempts, MODERN VALUE (7) has been running well recently. She was a good second at Nancy in early April when narrowly beaten. This might be her best chance so far. SALOCIN (1) knows how to win having won seven times previously. He can be on the premises once again. AD LIBITUM (9) needs to find his form again after a couple of below-par efforts but is capable of giving a good account of himself. KAPTAIN NORDIK (11) can not be ruled out of making the frame.

SELECTIONS

MODERN VALUE (7) - SALOCIN (1) - AD LIBITUM (9) - KAPTAIN NORDIK (11)

C6 - PRIX KERIVON - 3500m (a2 3/16m) - TURF - Condition Race - Class 2 - Hurdles - EUR € 30.000

- **1. LINCOLN -** Has a few unplaced runs of late, but a win at Le Lion D'Angers before those over 3700m last June. Not to be overlooked
- 2. SUN JOY Plenty to like about a 2nd over 3700m on April 24th. Sure to be in the shake-up
- **3. CAPTAIN DU BERLAIS -** Did well when 2nd at Auteuil two runs back over 3000m last June. Can be fit for return and get the job done
- **4. MAO BOY -** Ran well when 4th in a chase on the most recent run over 3900m on May 18th. Hard to fancy
- **5. NEVER RISK -** Won at Dieppe on the last outing over 3400m on May 4th. Lightly raced. Can play a lead role
- **6. JOINVILLE LE PONT -** Out of the frame on the last run, 2nd over 3600m before that. Might find a few too good
- **7. WANDANA -** 2nd on the latest outing over 3550m at Nantes on May 6th. More required to have a say
- **8. LUISA MORIVIERE -** Out of the frame on only run so far over 3550m in mid-April. Best watched for now

Summary: CAPTAIN DU BERLAIS (3) was a good second two starts ago at Auteuil and this lightly raced gelding can get off the mark for his shrewd trainer. SUN JOY (2) has more experience than the main selection and was a good second in April over 3700m. LINCOLN (1) has been highly tried on the last three runs when unplaced. This is a drop in class and he can be involved. NEVER RISK (5) was a winner on his last outing and looks like there is a good bit more to come. He needs to be monitored closely.

SELECTIONS

CAPTAIN DU BERLAIS (3) - SUN JOY (2) - LINCOLN (1) - NEVER RISK (5)

C7 - ZETURF GRANDE COURSE DE HAIES DE NANTES - 3900m (a2 7/16m) - TURF - Condition Race - Class 1 - Hurdles - EUR € 41.000

- **1. QUICK DADDY -** 2nd two runs back over 3700m at Vichy on May 5th. Needs more to win but merits consideration
- **2. IRRESISTIBLES -** Nice confidence-boosting win at Nantes on May 6th over 3900m in a Class 3 race. Can step up to this level again and be successful
- **3. YOU'RE THE BOSS -** Off since November when unplaced in a Listed hurdle at Auteuil over 3600m in November. Useful type who can have a say
- **4. HEAVEN DU SEUIL -** Has failed to complete on the last two runs. 2nd in a claimer at Vitre on May 7th. Looks safely held
- **5. IDEE DU CHOEUR -** Has joint top rating of 63. Nice win of a Class 2 hurdle last time over 3900m in April. Looks ready for the class jump and is sure to be involved
- **6. GOLDEN TOUCH -** Only one race last year when unplaced in a chase over 3800m. Might need this return race after a 16-month absence

Summary: A good winner in a weaker race than this last time IRRESISTIBLES (2) can follow up in this Class 1 hurdle. He is a former Listed hurdle winner in 2021 and was also placed in a Grade 3 hurdle. IDEE DU CHOEUR (5) has an identical rating to the likely favourite and was a good winner of a Class 2 race last time. He is sure to have a major say at the finish. YOU'RE THE BOSS (3) makes his seasonal return after not being seen since November. He will be fit and can not be overlooked. QUICK DADDY (1) looks best of the rest.

SELECTIONS

IRRESISTIBLES (2) - IDEE DU CHOEUR (5) - YOU'RE THE BOSS (3) - QUICK DADDY (1)

C8 - PRIX HUGUES DE LA BROSSE - 4300m (a2 11/16m) - TURF - Condition Race - Class 2 - Steeple Chase - EUR € 30.000

- **1. CHARMINO -** Won at Nantes over 4300m in April in the race HERMES DE MEE (5) unseated his rider. Live contender
- 2. BIBICHE LINK' Has been unplaced on the last four runs, two in 2023. Looks out of form and best avoided
- **3. SPEED LUCKY -** 3rd at Nantes over 4200m on May 3rd in a Class 1 chase on the latest outing. Looks competitive
- **4. AMERICAN POWER -** Has three unplaced runs of late, 3rd before those over 4100m in April. Needs to bounce back to form
- **5. HERMES DE MEE -** Unseated the jockey at Nantes when last seen over 4300m in late April. Should make amends
- **6. FAN OF SEA -** 3rd two runs ago over 3800m at Meral in late April. Lost his rider on most recent outing. Has work to do

Summary: HERMES DE MEE (5) unseated his rider when last seen at Nantes in late April when leading, although it was too far from the finish to say if he would have won or not. He can make amends and take this event from CHARMINO (1) who won the race at Nantes and can once again have a major say in the race outcome. SPEED LUCKY (3) was a solid third over fences at Nancy in a Class 1 race at the start of May and can not be discounted. FAN OF SEA (6) also warrants respect.

SELECTIONS

HERMES DE MEE (5) - CHARMINO (1) - SPEED LUCKY (3) - FAN OF SEA (6)