C1 - PRIX CLAUDE DE LANGLE - 3000m (a2m) - TURF - Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 27,000

- 1. LERIKA Recent 4th over 3400m at La Teste on March 22nd in a Class 2 hurdle. One to pay attention too
- **2. TOUZ THE CROWN -** Nice 4th over 3550m in a Class 3 hurdle on March 29th on his last start. Capable of leading role
- **3. LORD CIERGUES -** Three unplaced runs since a win over 3400m at Cagnes-Sur-Mer in a claiming hurdle on December 6th. Outside place chance
- **4. KAPRHINANTE -** Got off the mark over 3300m in a claiming hurdle at Pau on January 23rd on her latest start. In the mix
- **5. LOULOU BERE -** Two unplaced runs since a 3rd over 3800m at Saint-Brieuc on March 2nd in a Class 3 handicap hurdle. Has work to do
- **6. CLOTH OF SEA -** Two placed runs this year, the latter when 4th at this track over 3600m on March 15th over hurdles. Ought to be in the shake-up
- **7. CHEAP -** Won over 3400m in a claiming chase at Nort-Sur-Edre on April 6th. Others seem better equipped

Summary: TOUZ THE CROWN (2) makes his handicap debut after three runs over hurdles, his latest when a decent fourth in a Class 3 hurdle at Fontainebleau on March 29th. He can score from his likely main threat, CLOTH OF SEA (6), who is also making her handicap debut. She ran well over this track on her latest start when fourth over a more extended trip in mid-March. LERIKA (1) has been placed on three of her last four runs and can be involved. KAPRHINANTE (4) heads the rest.

SELECTIONS

TOUZ THE CROWN (2) - CLOTH OF SEA (6) - LERIKA (1) - KAPRHINANTE (4)

C2 - PRIX PIGEON TP LOIRE - ANJOU (PRIX DE LA SAPINIERE) - 3800m (a2m1/2) - TURF - Handicap - Hurdles - EUR € 27,000

- 1. DIABLE D'AUTEUIL Three unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3900m in a Listed hurdle on March 8th at Auteuil. Hard to recommend
- 2. JUST FOR WIN Fair 5th on his last start, 2nd before that over 3800m at Fontainebleau on December 10th in a Class 3 hurdle. Handicap debut and can feature
- 3. I RISK 9th over 4400m at Fontainebleau in a Class 3 handicap chase on March 11th. Hard to fancy back over hurdles
- **4. IN VICTIS** Unplaced last time, 2nd before that over 4200m in a Class 2 handicap chase at Moulins on December 14th. Ought to be in the shake-up
- **5. EAGLE DU LEMO -** Unplaced on his last three runs, the latter over 3900m in a Listed hurdle at Auteuil on March 30th. He won in May last year in a Class 3 hurdle and is in the mix
- **6. J'EXCEL -** Fell on his return run over 4100m in a chase at Saumur on March 30th in a Class 3 race, 2nd on the sole run in 2023 in a Class 2 race before that. He should strip fitter and enjoy the switch back to hurdles
- **7. PAU CLERMONT -** Fair 5th last time out, 3rd before that over 3800m at Angers in a Class 2 handicap hurdle on February 26th. One to keep safe
- 8. KATIBA D'ESTRUVAL Got off the mark over 3800m at Nancy in a Class 3 hurdle on March 16th. Place contender
- 9. I FEEL STAR Two unplaced runs since a 4th over 3600m at Senonnes on July 6th in a Class 2 handicap hurdle. Others preferred
- 10. KLOVIS BLEUE Creditable 3rd on his last start over 3900m in a Class 3 hurdle at Toulouse on March 19th. Consider
- **11. JUST BEGINNING -** Three unplaced runs this year, the latter over 4400m at Fontainebleau on March 11th in a Class 3 handicap. Others make more appeal
- 12. VERY NICE DREAM 4th on her latest start over 3900m at La Teste in a Class 3 hurdle on March 22nd. Has work ahead
- **13. JOICALINE -** 6th last time out, 2nd before that over 3900m at Saint-Malo on August 17th, 2023. Not seen since September 2023 and is best watched for now
- **14. JOCKER DE JUILLEY -** Not seen since a 5th over 4100m at Lyon Parilly in a Class 3 chase on June 6th, 2023. Long absence to deal with and is likely to need this run
- **15. KOSY MAG -** Unplaced last time out, 4th before that over 3800m at Saint-Brieuc in a Class 4 hurdle on February 16th. Might find a few of these too smart
- **16. KERGUS BOY -** Three unplaced runs so far, the latter over 3400m at Craon on December 1st in a Class 3 hurdle. Handicap debut and looks safely held

Summary: JUST FOR WIN (2) has only had the three runs and makes his handicap debut. He was a decent second at Fontainebleau on his penultimate start and looks like the one to be with. IN VICTIS (4) was second over fences two runs back in December and is a versatile performer. J'EXCEL (6) fell on his return over fences after a long absence. Back over hurdles today should be more suitable, and he has place claims. PAU CLERMONT (7) makes up the shortlist.

SELECTIONS

JUST FOR WIN (2) - IN VICTIS (4) - J'EXCEL (6) - PAU CLERMONT (7)

C3 - PRIX DU DOCTEUR GUY JALLOT - 1350m (a7f) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat - EUR € 11,000

- **1. ARTISTIC MAN -** Two good runs so far, 3rd on the latter over 1600m at La Teste on March 22nd in a maiden race. Looks ready to win
- **2. ALPHABRAVOCHARLY -** Decent 2nd on his one run over 1700m at Pornichet on March 26th in a maiden race. Can improve and be a leading player
- **3. KNOSSINGTON** Ran well to be 4th on his debut over 1400m at Le Mans on March 21st in a maiden race. He will be sharper for that run and can not be overlooked
- **4. HAARLEM -** 8th on her last start, 4th before that over 1600m at Chantilly on debut on February 7th. Ought to be thereabouts
- **5. OLYMPIQUE DES BOIS -** 9th on her sole start over 1400m at Le Mans on March 21st. Has vast progress to make to feature
- **6. YALA -** Three unplaced runs of late, the latter over 1200m at Lingfield (GBR) on July 10th when trained by Ralph Beckett. French debut and other preferred
- **7. MAMINOA -** Unplaced last time out, 3rd before that over 1600m at Nantes in a Class 2 race on November 14th. One to consider each way
- **8. ZANGAR -** Unraced gelding by Golden Horde, the dam won 1 race on her debut. Nice profile and a leading role can be anticipated
- **9. BLACK STORM -** Unraced colt by Gammarth, the dam won 1 race. Likely to improve for this debut. Watch the betting trends
- **10. SPRINT FINAL -** Unraced gelding by Dream Ahead, the dam never raced. Can be expected to need this outing for experience. The betting can guide
- **11. RED GIN -** Unraced filly by Pinatubo, the dam won 3 races, including a Listed race, and was placed in a Group 3 race. Looks good on paper, and any market support can be significant to her chances

Summary: ARTISTIC MAN (1) is the selection after a solid effort when third on his latest start at La Teste in a maiden in late March. He probably has the most to fear from ALPHABRAVOCHARLY (2), who made a pleasing debut on the PSF in late March and should relish the turf. HAARLEM (4) was a tad below par last time but was a decent fourth at Chantilly in February and should not be far away. KNOSSINGTON (3) can improve from his debut and heads the remainder.

SELECTIONS

ARTISTIC MAN (1) - ALPHABRAVOCHARLY (2) - HAARLEM (4) - KNOSSINGTON (3)

C4 - PRIX DU CREDIT MUTUEL ANJOU-MAINE (PRIX D'AMOURS) - 2300m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 11,500

- **1. MODELE DES OBEAUX -** 8th on his one run to date over 2350m at Machecoul on March 16th in a conditions race. Looks vulnerable
- **2. MILIJIM -** Well beaten over 2350m at Machecoul on March 16th behind several of today's rivals. Unlikely to be a threat
- **3. MONT STAR -** Creditable 4th over 2350m at Machecoul on March 16th on his sole start. More expected this time
- **4. MIND EXPRESS -** Fair 5th on his debut at Machecoul on March 16th in a conditions race over 2350m. He will improve from that and make the top-three
- **5. MERVEILLE DELUMA -** 6th on her only run to date over 2350m at Machecoul on March 16th. Improvement expected but others make more appeal
- **6. MAJUSCULE -** 7th on her only run over 2350m at Machecoul on March 16th. She has work to do to make the frame
- **7. MOONLIGHT STAR -** Ran well on her debut to be 3rd at Machecoul over 2350m on March 16th. One for the short list
- **8. MA CORALIE AA -** Unraced filly by Paban De France, the dam won 2 races, one on the flat and one over hurdles. Stable runners tend to need a run or two for experience
- **9. MABRISKA -** Newcomer by Doctor Dino, the dam won 3 races on the flat. She will be well prepared by her trainer and can score on debut. Watch the betting exchanges

Summary: MABRISKA (9) has an appealing profile and, as a daughter of Doctor Dino, should be primed for a bold showing on debut. MOONLIGHT STAR (7) brings the advantage of race experience, having finished third at Machecoul last month, and should be competitive again. MIND EXPRESS (4) was fifth in that same contest and doesn't have much ground to make up to turn the tables. MONT STAR (3) came in fourth in that race and shouldn't be overlooked either.

SELECTIONS

MABRISKA (9) - MOONLIGHT STAR (7) - MIND EXPRESS (4) - MONT STAR (3)

C5 - PRIX DE RENAZE (PRIX EUGENE ROUSSEAU) - 2300m (a1m1/2) - TURF - Condition Race - Flat - EUR € 11,000

- **1. LOUSTIC DE GRISSAY -** Two unplaced runs since a 3rd on debut over 2500m at Nort-Sur-Edre in a conditions race on August 11th. Can make the top-three
- **2. LILI DE BERSY -** Nice win on debut over 2950m in a conditions race at Machecoul on March 16th by 4L. Can follow up
- **3. LORD DAMS -** 6th on his only start over 2300m at Durtal on January 26th in a conditions race. Each way angle
- **4. LARGO DU LIVET -** Unraced gelding by Voiladenuo, the dam was placed over hurdles. Watch the betting patterns for any support
- **5. LADY DIVINE -** Ran well to be 2nd at this track over 2900m on March 15th on her latest start. She looks a progressive type and can feature
- **6. LIBERTE BELLEVUE -** Unraced filly by Castle Du Berlais, the dam never raced. From a respected trainer who will have this filly well prepared. Watch the betting for clues
- **7. LAVVENTURA AULMES -** 9th on her sole start over 2950m at Machecoul on March 16th in a conditions race. Has to make vast progress to feature
- **8. LAVAL -** Unplaced on her sole start over 2300m at Durtal on January 26th. She will know more this time and warrants respect
- **9. LADYBIRD DU FENOIR -** Unraced filly by Victory Song, the dam ran once over hurdles. Stable runners are not known to be fully wound up on debut. Monitor the betting for any support
- **10. LEXIE DU LANNIER -** Three unplaced runs so far, the latter over 2900m at this track on March 15th. One to avoid
- **11. LUTKA ROCK TAVEL -** Unraced filly by Kap Rock, the dam won 4 races over jumps. Likely to improve for this run and the betting market can guide
- **12. LARMES DE JOIE -** Two runs so far, she has shown promise on them, the latter over 2950m at Machecoul on March 16th. Place chance

Summary: LILI DE BERSY (2) won well by 4L on her debut at Machecoul in mid-March, and with progress expected, she holds a leading chance of following up. LADY DIVINE (5) could be the one to chase the selection home. She was a pleasing second on her latest start and looks like she is improving. LORD DAMS (3) was sixth on his debut and can improve from that and make the frame. LARMES DE JOIE (12) has shown ability on her two runs and warrants respect.

SELECTIONS

LILI DE BERSY (2) - LADY DIVINE (5) - LORD DAMS (3) - LARMES DE JOIE (12)

C6 - PRIX DE LA MAYENNE - 2100m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Class 3 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 20,000

- **1. PRINCE DES VILLES -** Got off the mark in a Class 3 handicap at this track over 2100m on March 15th and hold claims of following up
- **2. AROWN -** Two unplaced runs since a win over 2000m at Durtal on January 26th in a Class 4 race. Others rate higher
- **3. CIRCEO -** Fair 4th at Chantilly on February 20th in a Class 3 claimer over 1900m on his last run. Ought to be thereabouts
- **4. EQUUS VINCIT -** 6th on his latest start over 2400m at La Teste on March 22nd in a Class 3 handicap. One to keep safe
- **5. MON RICIN -** 6th on his last start over track and trip in a Class 3 handicap on March 15th behind PRINCE DES VILLES (1). Place contender
- **6. HANDHY -** Fair 4th over track and trip on March 15th in a Class 3 handicap behind PRINCE DES VILLES (1). Meets on better terms and can be a threat
- **7. EXCESSIVENESS -** Three unplaced runs this year, 5th on the latter over 2100m at this track on March 15th behind a couple of today's rivals. Each way claims
- **8. FLUTE EN SOL -** Three unplaced runs since a win over 3000m at Fontainebleau on March 2nd in a Class 3 handicap. Makes limited appeal
- **9. CREEKATTEMPS -** Three unplaced runs since a 3rd over 1950m at Le Mans on September 28th in a handicap. Unlikely to threaten
- **10. LIMERICK BOUND -** Placed on the last two runs, 2nd on the latter over 1900m in a handicap on December 30th, 2023. Faces a long absence and is best watched
- **11. GWENN HA DU -** Three unplaced runs since a win over 2600m at Plouescat on August 16th in a Class 4 race. Hard to recommend
- **12. APASH -** Several unplaced runs of late, the latter over 3100m at Pornichet on March 26th in a Class 4 race. Hardly inspiring form

Summary: PRINCE DES VILLES (1) won over course and distance in a Class 3 handicap in mid-March and holds a leading chance of following up under top weight. HANDHY (6) was back in fourth in the same race, and on better terms, she can make life difficult. EQUUS VINCIT (4)acquitted himself well when sixth at La Teste last time out and can give a good account of himself. EXCESSIVENESS (7) is also one to consider.

SELECTIONS

PRINCE DES VILLES (1) - HANDHY (6) - EQUUS VINCIT (4) - EXCESSIVENESS (7)

C7 - PRIX DE LA BELLE TRANSTEVERINE - 2100m (a1m1/4) - TURF - Maiden Race - Flat - EUR € 9,000

- 1. ESPOIR D'AMOUR Unplaced on both of his runs so far, the latter over 2300m at Durtal on January 26th in a Class 4 race. Needs vast progress to make the top-three
- **2. FAR L'AMORE -** Ran well to be 5th at Pornichet on January 5th over 2100m in a conditions race. Placed form in the UK last year and he can be on the premises
- **3. FALIMAX -** 6th last time, 4th before that over 2100m at Pornichet in a conditions race on February 6th. Looks unreliable
- **4. WINHERALD LAUJAC -** Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 1900m at Chantilly on March 31st. Has not shown much so far and is best avoided
- **5. APERO SECRET -** 6th on his second start over 2400m on the PSF on March 26th in a conditions race. He should like the switch to the turf
- **6. FORRO EMERY -** Several unplaced efforts of late, the latest on the flat was three runs back over 2350m in a claimer at Machecoul on November 5th. Hardly inspiring
- **7. QUYSSAS** Five unplaced runs so far, the latter over 1950m at Le Mans on March 21st in a conditions race. Makes no appeal
- **8. PELOTE BASC -** Four unplaced runs over hurdles of late, 2nd before that over 2900m on the flat at Durtal on June 2nd. Place option
- **9. HEARTLAND -** Unplaced on her only run over 2100m at Haras-Du-Pin on April 21st, 2024. She will know more this time and is one to consider each-way
- **10. REINE DU RISK -** Two unplaced runs since a 4th over 3000m at Le Lion D'Angers on September 15th in a handicap. Key chance
- **11. LILY MORIVIERE** Two unplaced runs, the latter over 2900m at Durtal on June 2nd in a conditions race. Others look better equipped
- **12. FEE NOMEN -** Three unplaced runs, the latter over 3100m at Granville on August 15th in a Class 4 race. Has work to do to feature
- **13. CATELLE ROSE -** Three unplaced runs since a 4th over 3300m in a Class 4 hurdle at Cagnes-Sur-Mer on January 1st. Can not be ruled out
- **14. L'HIRONDELLE -** Three unplaced runs, the latter over 1500m at Deauville on January 31st. One to pass over
- **15. ANGLESEA -** Two unplaced runs so far, the latter over 1900m at Deauville on December 29th in a maiden race. Each way angle
- **16. FREEZING STARS -** Unraced gelding by Shalaa, the dam won 1 race. Likely to need this debut run and is best watched in the betting for any support

Summary: REINE DU RISK (10) has acquitted herself well since a decent fourth last September in a handicap at Le Lion D'Angers over 3000m. She can get off the mark this time. FAR L'AMORE (2) was placed in the UK last year and faired well on his French debut at Pornichet in early January. He should like the switch to the turf. ANGLESEA (15) has shown ability in two runs and is one to consider each way. APERO SECRET (5) is also worth a mention.

SELECTIONS

REINE DU RISK (10) - FAR L'AMORE (2) - ANGLESEA (15) - APERO SECRET (5)

C8 - PRIX MICHEL THIBAULT - 2900m (a2m) - TURF - Class 4 Handicap - Flat - EUR € 14,000

- **1. YEMASKA -** Unplaced last time out, 2nd before that over 2900m at Senonnes on March 15th in a Class 3 handicap. Hard to discount
- **2. LOU MARINA -** Got off the mark on her latest start over 3200m at Le Mans on March 10th. One to keep safe
- **3. SPIRIT OF DANCE -** Unplaced last time, 3rd before that over 3100m at Pornichet in a Class 4 handicap on January 7th. Makes limited appeal
- **4. FIRST CREATION -** Unplaced last time out, he won before that over 2450m at Mont-De-Marsan in a Class 4 handicap on February 21st. Others seem more likely
- **5. ARGYRON -** Placed on his last four runs, the latter over 2700m at Chantilly in a Class 3 handicap when 3rd. Player
- **6. MONTE CINTO -** Two placed efforts this year, 4th on the latter over 3000m at Fontainebleau on March 7th in a Class 3 handicap. One to consider
- **7. LITTLE HEART -** Four unplaced runs this year, the latter over 3100m at Pornichet on March 26th in a Class 4 race. Hard to fancy
- **8. NORQUI DES ROSES -** Unplaced last time out, he won before that over 2400m at Nantes on April 18th, 2024. Outside place chance
- **9. DRAPEAU BLANC -** Good win over 2600m at Morlaix on her last start in a Class 4 race on March 30th. Leading chance
- **10. MER NOIR -** Ran well to be 2nd at Ryan 6 days ago over 1600m in a Class 4 race. Versatile performer and has won over 2950m before
- **11. KONIG CHOUCHEN -** 5th on his latest start over 2300m at Senonnes in a Class 4 handicap on March 15th. Place contender
- **12. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN -** 2nd on her last start at Morlaix on March 30th in a Class 4 race. Needs to show more reliability
- **13. ROCK OF SPIRIT -** 2nd on his last run over 2100m at Pornichet on March 1st in a Class 4 handicap. This might stretch his stamina

Summary: DRAPEAU BLANC (9) won her latest start at Morlaix late last month in a Class 4 race and looks like the safe option in this open handicap. MER NOIR (10) was a recent second at Royan only 6 days ago and can give the selection something to think about. She is versatile tripwise, having scored over 2950m twice last year. ARGYRON (5) has solid claims of making the frame after some consistent efforts recently. LOU MARINA (2) won last time and is worth considering.

SELECTIONS

DRAPEAU BLANC (9) - MER NOIR (10) - ARGYRON (5) - LOU MARINA (2)