



**3<sup>rd</sup> stage of the UET Elite Circuit 2026**  
**Prix de France**  
**Paris-Vincennes Racetrack, France – February 8, 2026**

**IROISE DE LA NOE joins HOKKAIDO JIEL**  
**at the top of the UET Elite Circuit**

After being disqualified at the end of January in the Prix d'Amérique, **IROISE DE LA NOE** and **GO ON BOY** quickly made up for this setback by taking the top two places in the Prix de France raced this Sunday at Vincennes. Despite starting from the second row, Thomas LEVESQUE's partner won in style. The only shod competitor in the field, defending champion **GO ON BOY** was unable to catch up with his rival in the final stages, but did not disappoint. Thanks to this victory, **IDOLE DE LA NOE** joins **HOKKAIDO JIEL** at the top of the 2026 UET Elite Circuit rankings with 17 points, but must give up first place in accordance with Article 5.4 of the rules.

The relentless battle between the main contenders in the recent Prix d'Amérique took its toll on the horses. Only Sweden's **EPIC KRONOS** repeated his performance, albeit finishing one place lower than on January 25. Still in contention for second place over the distance, he was unable to resist the final sprint of his stablemate, **FRANCESCO ZET**, who had been positioned on the inside for much of the race before producing an excellent final effort.

**UET Elite Circuit 2026 standings after the third stage**  
Updated on Monday, February 9, 2026

<i>Rank</i>	<i>Horse</i>	<i>Points Points</i>	<i>Points on 2/8/26</i>	<i>TOTAL</i>
1 <sup>st</sup>	HOKKAIDO JIEL	15	2	17
2 <sup>e</sup>	IROISE DE LA NOÉ	1	16	17
3 <sup>e</sup>	EPIC KRONOS	8	7	15
4 <sup>e</sup>	JABALPUR	15	0	15
5 <sup>e</sup>	INMAROSA	8	5	13
6 <sup>e</sup>	GO ON BOY	1	11	12
7 <sup>e</sup>	JOSH POWER	10	2	12
8 <sup>e</sup>	FRANCESCO ZET	1	9	10
9 <sup>e</sup>	INEXESS BLUE	10	0	10
10 <sup>e</sup>	DUBHE PRAV	8	0	8

*If the total points are the same, see Article 5.4 of the rules for determining the ranking.*

**Next stage:** Sunday, March 8, 2026, in Cagnes-sur-Mer with the Grand Critérium de Vitesse.

Link to follow the overall rankings for this edition, to download the rules and regulations, and the details of the final, which will take place in Italy at the **Turin racetrack on Sunday, October 11, 2026, alongside the UET Grand Prix:** [www.uet-trot.eu/uet-elite-circuit/](http://www.uet-trot.eu/uet-elite-circuit/)

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