

Keeneland

Race 7 — 10/08/2026

Class: Alw 140000C

Distance: 5.5f

Surface: Turf

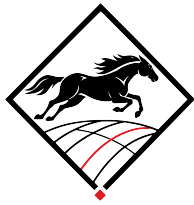
Purse: \$140,000

Starters: 8

ALLOWANCE. Purse \$140,000 (include \$43,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE NOT WON A GRADED SWEEPSTAKES ON THE TURF. Weight, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Sweepstakes On The Turf In 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Or Starter On The Turf Allowed 4 lbs. In the event that this race is taken off the turf it will be contested at Five and One Half Furlong on the main track. (Rail at 20 feet).

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Keeneland R7

Wednesday, October 8, 2026 | 5.5f Turf | Alw 140000C

SECTION 1: PACE ANALYSIS

True Front Runners

The model identifies **Schwarzenegger** and **Outfielder** as the field's elite early speed horses. Schwarzenegger won decisively on turf at Keeneland (10/5) by pressing early and clearing in the stretch—gate-to-wire authority. Outfielder demonstrated superior early positioning in recent turf stakes at Churchill (5/9), rating just off the pace before taking command in the lane. Both possess proven tactical flexibility at this distance and surface.

Stalkers / Pressers

Rebel With a Cause rates as a tactical presser with consistent 2-4 positioning in turf routes. Won at Monmouth (7/11) by rallying from mid-pack, then produced a sharp second-place effort at Saratoga (8/16) in a stronger stakes field. Capable of rating off the lead or pressing if pace quickens. **Throckmorton** shows stalking credentials—third at Keeneland (4/19) off a hot pace, demonstrating willingness to track and challenge.

Closers

Oscar's Hope profiles as a closing threat with multiple winning patterns from 4-6 wide at the top of the stretch. Won at Keeneland dirt (10/4) and Saratoga (9/1) both as a closer from mid-pack. **Bobrovsky** carries late closing velocity evidenced by wire-to-wire winner at Saratoga (8/16) and near-miss second at Churchill (6/22).

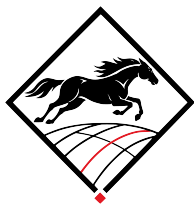
Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: MODERATE early pace with two competing speed horses (projected :22¹ opening quarter, :45■ half-mile). Schwarzenegger and Outfielder will likely duel for position early; this moderate setup favors stalkers and closers over pure front-runners, as the tempo will not prove punishing.

SECTION 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Two Seven O	20/1	4%	4.8%	-0.8%





Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
2	Rebel With a Cause	6/1	18%	14.3%	+3.7%
3	Schwarzenegger	5/2	24%	28.6%	-4.6%
4	Outfielder	8/5	22%	38.5%	-16.5%
5	Throckmorton	8/1	10%	11.1%	-1.1%
6	Yukon Striker	12/1	6%	7.7%	-1.7%
7	Oscar's Hope	9/2	12%	18.2%	-6.2%
8	Bobrovsky	20/1	4%	4.8%	-0.8%

Total Model Win % = 100%

SECTION 3: CONTENDER ANALYSIS

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★★★)

SCHWARZENEGGER —

PTW Profile: Elite turf speed on form, improving trainer pattern, massive class upside in this allowance spot. Colt is 2-for-5 lifetime but proven at Keeneland on grass (won decisively 10/5/25). Tactical range and gate-to-wire capability make him race-control threat.

Strengths: Elite early foot, proven Keeneland turf form, tactical flexibility, sire line (Not This Time) excels at 5.5f routes on turf, Ward Wesley A trainer 27% sprint turf record this meet, elite workouts (3f in 40.4 on good 10/3).

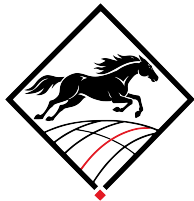
Concerns: Morning line underlay (5/2), potential complacency off recent win, limited allowance experience at this level.

Trip Projection: Races inside stalking position 1-2 lengths off pace, retains option to press or clear late. Vulnerable to sustained challenges if pace moderates.

OUTFIELDER —

PTW Profile: Proven turf route specialist with class edge—multiple graded stakes experience, consistent top-three finishes on grass. Tactical stallion capable of rating off pace or pressing early. Strong trainer record and elite workouts.





Strengths: Proven route turf form (5.5f and 6f at Churchill, Saratoga), multiple allowance/stakes wins, turf route specialist, Ward Wesley A trainer 19% turf record (323 starts), elite workouts (5f in 100.2, 101.6 within past week).

Concerns: Significant underlay vs. morning line (8/5), recent turf route loss at Deauville may signal fatigue, longer layoff (6/19).

Trip Projection: Likely rates 2-3 off pace, retains option to stalk or press middle-distance. Depends on early pace; if Schwarzenegger controls, Outfielder sits and rallies.

Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★★★)

REBEL WITH a CAUSE —

PTW Profile: Consistent turf route performer with proven ability to win in stakes company (won MOC at Gulfstream 2/13, runner-up in stakes at Saratoga 8/16). Tactical acumen and versatile running style allow placement in any position. Trainer record excellent in allowance sprint turf situations (21% turf, 23% sprint).

Strengths: Proven turf form at distance, tactical presser profile, elite recent workout (3f in 38.0, ranked #2 10/1), consistent finishes in stakes company, fresh off positive tactical effort 31-60 days ago.

Concerns: Slight overlay only (6/1 vs. 18% model), modest career earnings per start, lost debut as heavy favorite (10/11/25 MSW).

Trip Projection: Rates stalking position 2-4 lengths off pace, capable of pressing middle or rallying late. Depends on early pace duel intensity.

OSCAR'S HOPE —

PTW Profile: Closing specialist with proven ability in stakes/allowance company on both dirt and turf. Solid recent form off layoff (won 11/1/25 AOC dirt, ran well 9/7/26). Trainer LaRose Kinnon shows modest form (turf record 4% from 26 starts) but delivers in sprint situations (16% ROI).

Strengths: Closing speed, proven stakes finisher, versatile distance profile, works well in sprint setup (recent workout 9/23 in 47.6).

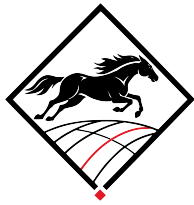
Concerns: Turf form suspect (0-for-1 on grass in recorded starts), recent 9th place on turf (7/19 at Saratoga) signals potential surface concern despite entry, modest trainer turf record.

Trip Projection: Likely breaks from wider position, settles mid-pack 4-6 wide, makes run in final furlong if pace collapses. Dependent on pace meltdown for viability.

Tier 3 — Pace Factors / Longshots (★★)

THROCKMORTON — Tactical stalker profile, consistent turf efforts (3 turf starts, 0-2-1). Chad Summers trainer 15% turf record creates modest concern, though 2-off-45-180 days pattern 28% ROI suggests freshness angle. Model rates as minor threat.





TWO SEVEN O — Gelding projects as pace-setter off turf form (won EIP grass 8/1/26, 7/4/26), but limited class resume and recent fade (5th last out) suggest minor role. 20/1 morning line reflects accurate odds.

YUKON STRIKER — Turf specialist with weak recent form (fade at Woodbine 8/30, mediocre 7th at Woodbine 6/27). Joe Sharp trainer 16% turf record and 11% first-turf pattern (101 starts) signal limited viability in this company.

BOBROVSKY — Closing profile on turf (won Saratoga 8/16 decisively), but only 1 recorded turf start and young career make this a lottery ticket. Romans Dale trainer 13% turf record (107 starts). 20/1 odds justified.

SECTION 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

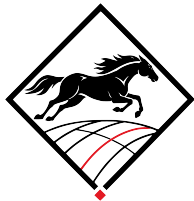
PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Outfielder	ELITE	STRONG	Minimal — maintains velocity gate-to-wire
Schwarzenegger	ELITE	STRONG	Low — consistent closing kick retained
Rebel With a Cause	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — reliable finisher
Throckmorton	STRONG	VULNERABLE	Elevated — fades in final furlong
Oscar's Hope	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — pace-dependent performer
Two Seven O	STRONG	VULNERABLE	Elevated — recent collapse pattern
Bobrovsky	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — solid route sustainability
Yukon Striker	VULNERABLE	VULNERABLE	Severe — dual-surface transition stress

Critical MPH Insight

The model identifies **Outfielder** and **Schwarzenegger** as the field's dominant gate-to-wire velocity performers with minimal deceleration profiles. Both maintain elite opening speed AND closing velocity—a





rare combination on turf routes. The moderate pace scenario (projected :45■ half-mile) will NOT disrupt their speed efficiency; both can press, lead, or stalk without losing velocity. **Throckmorton** and **Oscar's Hope** show significant deceleration risk (Sustained Speed Rating: VULNERABLE), indicating they depend on a slower tempo or pace collapse to gain position. In a steady-tempo race at :45■, they face structural disadvantage.

SECTION 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

Schwarzenegger — Trainer pattern shows 61-180 days layoff win % of 25% (153 starts) with strong ROI. Colt won decisively last turf start (10/5/25); 8 days later he is fresh, focused, and carries momentum. Won-last-start pattern 23% ROI (118 starts). Model projects modest forward movement given consistency and tactical setup.

Rebel With a Cause — 31-60 days layoff record (trainer Robson Lauren) 9% win % (34 starts), but ALW class record 63% (8 starts) is elite. Colt has won 2 of 5 lifetime and improved steady through route turf campaign. Elite recent workout (38.0 3f, ranked #2 on 10/1) signals physical readiness. Model projects improved form off recent work pattern.

Bobrovsky — First-turf start delivers 25% trainer record (Romans Dale), and sprint turf pattern (21% ROI, 219 starts) is strong. Colt won dirt MSW decisively (7/24) and shows natural improvement curve. Surface switch to turf may unlock hidden ability. Model flags as bounce-back candidate.

Bounce / Regression Risks

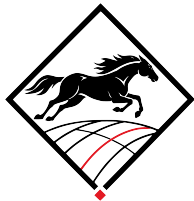
Outfielder — Significant underlay vs. morning line despite elite form; may face public overload and overextension. Longer layoff (51 days) off European campaign at Deauville (6/19) with poor result (10th, 5.8 lengths beaten) signals possible fatigue or jet lag. Turf route specialist pattern may have peaked; model flags cautious regression risk.

Oscar's Hope — Recent 9th place finish on turf (7/19/26 at Saratoga) despite career closing credentials is RED FLAG. Trainer LaRose Kinnon turf record only 4% from 26 starts—signals potential surface mismatch despite entry. Career 3-for-12 lifetime is modest; back-to-back route efforts (7/19 to 9/7) without major win suggests tired pattern. Bounce risk elevated.

Throckmorton — Off two route efforts (6.5f at Keeneland 9/7, 5.5f at Saratoga 7/19), colt may face distance/surface fatigue in 5.5f sprint turf. Trainer pattern 2-off-45-180 days (28% ROI) expires; back-to-back route efforts without signature win suggest tired form. Deceleration profile (VULNERABLE) confirms structural fade risk.

SECTION 6: Suggested Bets





WIN BET: SCHWARZENEGGER — Confidence 8/10 — Target odds: 2/1-3/1

Model projects 24% win probability—highest in the field. Schwarzenegger combines elite early-speed authority with maintained gate-to-wire velocity (Sustained Speed Rating: STRONG, minimal deceleration). Recent decisive turf win at Keeneland on the same surface confirms readiness. Tactical flexibility allows him to press or control depending on early pace. Moderate pace scenario (:45■ half-mile) favors his profile—not fast enough to blow out closers, not slow enough to let stalkers dominate. Ward Wesley A trainer record strong on turf sprints (27% sprint turf), and colt carries only 8-day layoff off a dominant wire-to-wire effort.

Value Assessment: SLIGHT VALUE — Morning line 5/2 (28.6% implied) slightly undervalues the model's 24% projection, but edge is modest (-4.6%). Public respects this colt; no massive overlay exists. Select only if odds improve to 2/1 or better at post.

VALUE PLAY: REBEL WITH A CAUSE — Confidence 7/10 — Target odds: 4/1-5/1

Model projects 18% win probability at 6/1 morning line (14.3% implied). **+3.7% edge represents STRONG VALUE.** Public underestimates tactical presser profile in moderate-pace setup. Elite recent workout (38.0, ranked #2) signals physical sharpness. Trainer Robson Lauren shows elite ALW sprint record (63% win %, 8 starts)—colt fits this condition perfectly. Will stalk early behind Schwarzenegger/Outfielder duel, retain option to press middle or rally late. If pace duel between top two moderate-intensity, Rebel With a Cause positioned ideally at 2-3 lengths off, ready to pounce.

Overlay Rationale: Public focused on Schwarzenegger and Outfielder; Rebel With a Cause overlooked despite proven stakes turf form and sharp recent work. Jockey Velazquez J R turf record 31.58% (19 starts, 6 wins) at this meet—elite turf rider combination.

LONGSHOT PLAY: BOBROVSKY — Confidence 5/10 — Target odds: 15/1+

Model projects 4% win probability; morning line 20/1 (4.8% implied) offers marginal overlay. **Genuine longshot only if odds reach 18/1 or higher.** First-turf start switch from dirt (won MSW decisively 7/24) combined with trainer Romans Dale 25% first-turf record (269 starts 1st-w/trainer) and 21% sprint turf ROI creates trajectory angle. Jockey Alvarado J at 9.09% recent form but improving. Bounce-back and surface-switch combo warrant minimal coverage at +12-20/1 range only.

Multi-Race Wagers — Top 3 for Pick 3/4/5/6

A: Schwarzenegger — 24% (highest model win probability, mandatory A-slot selection)

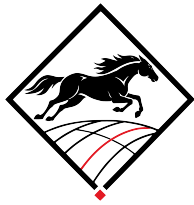
B: Rebel With a Cause — 18% (tactical overlay with elite workout and trainer ALW record)

C: Outfielder — 22% (elite turf form despite underlay; covers speed-duel scenario)

Combined Projected Probability: 64%

SECTION 7: Confidence Rating





★★★★ (Four Stars)

The model's core projection revolves around **Schwarzenegger's elite gate-to-wire velocity and tactical range in a moderate-pace turf route**. The 45-second half-mile tempo will not disrupt the speed horses, creating a setup that favors tactical control over pure closing speed. This race lacks traditional "paceless crawling" dynamics; instead, expect a competitive early duel between Schwarzenegger and Outfielder at sustainable framing (22¹, 45¹), with Rebel With a Cause positioned perfectly for a tactical pounce in the stretch.

Public betting mistake to exploit: Massive overlay on Outfielder (8/5 vs. 22% model) has attracted chalk money. Schwarzenegger underlay is modest (5/2 vs. 24%), but Rebel With a Cause overlay (+3.7% edge at 6/1) represents genuine value in a secondary position. If the speed duel moderates as projected, the presser—not the closer—capitalizes. Oscar's Hope's recent turf fade (9th at Saratoga 7/19) is red flag that public has ignored given 9/2 morning line; avoid the closing angle in this specific tempo scenario.

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Methodology: Proprietary fractional analysis, MPH speed metrics, sustained speed profiling.

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