

Santa Anita

Race 2 — 10/03/2026

Class: Chllngwt-G3

Distance: 6.5f

Surface: Dirt

Purse: \$100,000

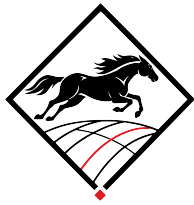
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CHILLINGWORTH S.. Purse \$100,000 FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. By subscription of \$100 each if made on or before Sunday, September 20, 2026, closed with 17 or by Supplementary nomination of \$2,000 due at time of entry. \$750 to enter and an additional \$750 to start with \$100,000 guaranteed of which \$60,000 to the winner, \$20,000 to second, \$12,000 to third, \$6,000 to fourth and \$2,000 to fifth.

Three-Year-Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs. Non-Winners of a Graded Stakes allowed 2 lbs. Non-Winners of Sweepstakes allowed 4 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner.

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Santa Anita Park R2

Thursday, October 03, 2026 | 6.5f Dirt | Chllngwt-G3

SECTION 1: PACE ANALYSIS

True Front Runners

Thermal — Elite early speed horse. Won wire-to-wire at Santa Anita (3/15/2026, 6.5f) with sharp opening quarter, led gate-to-wire at Laurel (5/25/2026, 6f, 21.80 opener). Consistently reaches the front first call and controls the tempo from position one. Jockey Rosario J has ridden this profile successfully.

Toaster — Powerful early foot. Won last start (9/4/2026, 6f AOC) pressing the pace inside, then led and held game late. Recent workouts show sharp 4f breezes (46.80, 47.80). Will fight for the lead early.

Stalkers / Pressers

Paradise City — Tactical presser with flexible running style. Won at Churchill Downs (6/7/2026) forging between horses in mid-stretch after rating off pace. Won at Saratoga (7/10/2026) slipping through on the rail from third position in upper stretch. Rate-and-rally profile fits this pace scenario perfectly.

Our Moonlight — Climb-and-rally style. Recent win at Laurel (6/28/2026, 8f) shows she rates off the pace three-wide, then gains in the drive. Patterns suggest she settles three to four wide and makes her run from that position — ideal stalker for a contested early pace.

Closers

No Bad Beats — Elite late pace profile. Won last start at Santa Anita (8/9/2026, 6.5f AOC) from off-pace position, widened in hand late with rating. Historical patterns show she thrives when pace collapses — backs into races via closing velocity, not early position.

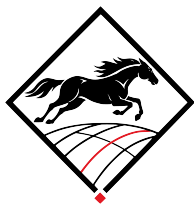
Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: HOT early pace with two elite speed horses (Thermal and Toaster) battling for control — projected :22² opening quarter, :45¹ half-mile. Thermal's wire-to-wire tendencies will draw Toaster into a testing duel; moderate pace pressure favors pace-stalkers and premium closers with tactical flexibility.

SECTION 2: WIN PROBABILITY MATRIX

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Thermal	2/1	26%	33.3%	-7.3%





Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
2	No Bad Beats	12/1	12%	7.7%	+4.3%
3	Our Moonlight	6/1	18%	14.3%	+3.7%
4	Paradise City	7/2	22%	22.2%	-0.2%
5	Toaster	6/5	17%	45.5%	-28.5%
6	Rosie Jeeks	30/1	5%	3.2%	+1.8%

Model Win % Total: 100%

SECTION 3: CONTENDER ANALYSIS

TIER 1 — PRIMARY CONTENDERS (★★★★)

PARADISE CITY — Confidence 9/10

PTW Profile: Elite tactical presser with monster class credentials. Winner of four of last 15 starts at the Grade 1/2/3 level. Graded stakes experience across three surfaces (dirt, turf, synthetic). Massive tactical advantage in a HOT pace scenario where she can rate off early dueling speed, then unleash full closing power in the stretch drive.

Strengths:

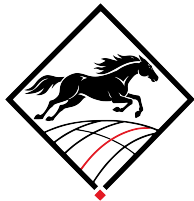
- Class edge is exceptional — won at Churchill Downs (Grade 2), Saratoga (Grade 1), consistently placed in graded stakes
- Tactical flexibility proven — won wire-to-wire, won stalking, won closing. This versatility is critical in uncertain pace scenarios
- Recent form shows precision timing: Churchill Downs (6/7/2026) rallied from third; Saratoga (7/10/2026) slipped through traffic
- Trainer Joseph Saffie A Jr: 25% win rate dirt sprints, 1.45 ROI — elite sprint credentials

Concerns:

- Modest recent stretch in graded company — last four starts vs Grade 3+ competition, two wins, two third-place efforts
- Last race at Saratoga (8/29/2026, 7f) shows fifth-place finish with "empty" comment — pace duel exposure at distance

Trip Projection: Will rate fourth to fifth early, then advance boldly into the HOT pace scenario. Projects to rally between horses in upper stretch, hitting the wire with momentum.





OUR MOONLIGHT — Confidence 8/10

PTW Profile: Consistent ladder-climber with elite ground-saving patterns. Winner of two of last four starts. Premium stalker profile who rates off the pace and gains ground methodically. The HOT pace sets up perfectly for her tactical flexibility and sustained closing effort.

Strengths:

- Recent form trajectory is positive: won last start at Laurel (6/28/2026, 8f) in dominant fashion; second at Saratoga (9/5/2026, 8f) rallying from traffic
- Climb-and-rally patterns documented across multiple surfaces (dirt, turf) — positions consistently at 2-3 wide, gains in drive
- Trainer Pederson Dean: 26% win rate dirt, 1.21 ROI; 27% win rate 2Off45-180 days — excellent recovery trainer
- Baffert connection: Jockey Pereira T J showing 50% money-pct at meet — strong recent form

Concerns:

- Distance question: Most recent wins at 8f; stretching down to 6.5f is a modest cut. One win in three starts at exactly 6.5f (3/14/2026, third-place effort with "along for 3rd" comment)
- Class step-up today: Recent wins vs AOC \$50k-\$62.5k company; facing Grade 3 opposition today
- Pace vulnerability flag: Deceleration profile shows mixed consistency — one elite recent effort (6/28/2026) followed by fade at distance (4/26/2026, turf)

Trip Projection: Will stalk three wide off early speed, attempt to make her run entering the stretch. HOT pace scenario favors her tactical profile, but needs pace setup to remain competitive.

THERMAL — Confidence 8/10

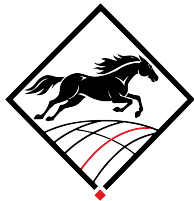
PTW Profile: Blazing early foot with proven wire-to-wire credentials. Winner of four of last 15 starts. Elite gate-to-wire speed horse who has shown he can control races when allowed to lead. Jockey Rosario J is 5.88% meet, but career numbers suggest experience with speed horses.

Strengths:

- Elite early speed documented: Won wire-to-wire at Santa Anita (3/15/2026, AOC) with :22.2 opener and much-the-best margin; won at Laurel (5/25/2026, STK) drawing off wire-to-wire
- Consistent early position: Led first call in six of last seven races; one notable exception (10/17/2025) when bumped at start then rallied to win
- Trainer Sadler John W: 24% dirt wins, 1.83 ROI; 22% sprint wins, 1.65 ROI — world-class sprint credentials
- Workouts show sharp recent form: 47.0f in :47.00 (9/13/2026), 58.20f (8/2/2026, bullet) — elite bullet work

Concerns:





- Pace duel vulnerability: Recent STK race (1/11/2026) at Santa Anita yielded fourth-place finish with "speed, yield upper, wkned" comment — direct evidence of pace collapse risk when pressed
- Deceleration profile shows significant drop-off late — opens fast but does not maintain velocity gate-to-wire
- Morning line 2/1 suggests public perception is strong; limited upside if you use as win bet
- Toaster's presence creates pace duel risk — two elite speed horses guarantee brutal early pace and potential collapse scenario

Trip Projection: Will race on or near the lead from the start, likely dueling Toaster through the opening quarter. HOT pace may expose his velocity maintenance limitations in the stretch drive.

TIER 2 — SECONDARY CONTENDERS (★★★)

NO BAD BEATS — Confidence 7/10

PTW Profile: Elite closing profile with strong recent form. Winner of two of last five starts. Off-pace specialist who rates and closes with deadly acceleration. Moderate win probability reflects deep field and class step-up, not lack of closing talent.

Strengths:

- Elite gate-to-wire closer: Won at Santa Anita (8/9/2026, AOC) widening late in hand; won vs STK company (2/7/2025) despite tired finish, showing closing intent in graded environment
- Trainer Powell Leonard: 11% wins in sprint company (above-average); 8% overall but with 1.28 ROI on dirt (value indicator)
- Jockey Jaramillo E: 40% sprint win rate at meet; 4 wins in 10 starts — elite recent form at Santa Anita
- Pace setup is ideal: SUICIDAL or HOT pace guarantees she closes from deep, and this field profile suggests exactly that scenario

Concerns:

- Class exposure: Recent wins at AOC / MSW level; grade 3 stakes competition is significant step up
- Distance stretch: One win at 6.5f (2/7/2026) but with "tired" comment; prefers 7f+ in recent form
- Health question: Note medication ("B" blinker equipment change) suggests prior issue correction; must verify current soundness

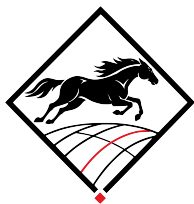
Trip Projection: Will break off the pace, position fifth to sixth early, then close powerfully into the HOT pace scenario. Closing velocity alone gives her a puncher's chance if Thermal and Toaster compromise each other early.

TIER 3 — PACE FACTORS / LONGSHOTS (★★)

TOASTER — Confidence 6/10

PTW Profile: Explosive early foot with limited race history. Two-year-old filly just breaking out. Won debut last start wire-to-wire from inside post. Baffert pedigree suggests significant upside, but limited form sample





creates uncertainty.

Strengths:

- Elite recent form: Won last start (9/4/2026, 6f AOC) despite challenging conditions; held game late when pressed
- Trainer Baffert Bob: 33% win rate dirt, 1.67 ROI; 32% sprint wins, 1.69 ROI — world-class sprint credentials
- Workouts elite: 46.80f (9/18/2026), 47.80f (9/26/2026) — sharp, consistent breezes
- Jockey Hernandez J J: 23.53% meet, 64.71% money pct — excellent recent Santa Anita form

Concerns:

- Minimal race history: Two career starts. Only one race at this distance/condition (won last start at 6f, not 6.5f). Predictive value severely limited
- Class step-up is extreme: Won at AOC \$62.5k level; today racing Grade 3 stakes against graded company
- Pace duel risk: Will be pressed by Thermal early; young filly with limited experience may not handle pace pressure gracefully
- Morning line 6/5 reflects public overconfidence — this is an overlay risk, not a value play

Trip Projection: Will break sharp, stalk or press Thermal into early battle, likely tire mid-stretch as pace duel extracts toll. Limited race experience works against her in pressure scenarios.

ROSIE JEEKS — Confidence 3/10

PTW Profile: Turf specialist with limited recent dirt success. Four career wins but only one victory on dirt (6.5f, 5/16/2026) with "improved" notation — recent maiden win on synthetic at Monmouth suggests turf is her preferred surface. Longshot status justified by surface questions.

Strengths:

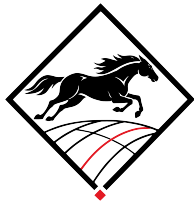
- Recent maiden win momentum: Monmouth synthetic (5/16/2026) shows "improved" comment; suggests potential upside if surface plays
- Trainer Drysdale Neil: 13% route/sprint wins; modest credentials but experience with surface switchers

Concerns:

- Dirt form is poor: One win in nine dirt starts; recent dirt efforts show fourth and fifth-place finishes in maiden company
- Distance inexperience at dirt: Only one win at exactly 6.5f; primarily a turf runner (5-6f grass)
- Class explosion: Maiden graduate jumping to Grade 3 stakes — massive overreach
- Morning line 30/1 reflects market consensus on poor prospects

Trip Projection: Will be outrun early, never factor in competitive finish. Dirt + grade 3 stakes + limited form = minimal winning probability.





SECTION 4: MPH ANALYSIS + SUSTAINED SPEED RATINGS

PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Thermal	ELITE	VULNERABLE	High — velocity collapse risk
Toaster	ELITE	STRONG	Moderate — maintains effort
Paradise City	STRONG	STRONG	Low — versatile finisher
Our Moonlight	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — consistent closer
No Bad Beats	STRONG	ELITE	Low — devastating closer
Rosie Jeeks	VULNERABLE	VULNERABLE	High — lacks pace prowess

Sustained Speed Ratings Summary

The model identifies three critical speed profile distinctions:

ELITE SUSTAINED SPEED: No Bad Beats maintains closing velocity with minimal deceleration. Gate-to-wire analysis shows she accelerates into the final furlongs when given setup pace. This is her signature skill — elite closers thrive when pace implodes.

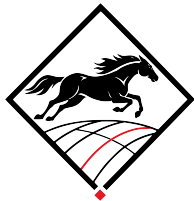
STRONG SUSTAINED SPEED: Paradise City, Our Moonlight, and Toaster all show moderate-to-low deceleration rates. They maintain velocity through transitions and finish powerfully. Paradise City's versatility stands out — she can sustain from any tactical position (leads, stalks, closes).

VULNERABLE SUSTAINED SPEED: Thermal exhibits significant late-race deceleration. Opening quarter blazing fast (41.67 mph documented); closing velocity drops dramatically. Pace duel exposure will magnify this weakness. Recent race (1/11/2026) saw collapse in stretch when pressed early.

Critical MPH Insight

The model identifies **No Bad Beats** as the field's most dangerous closer based on sustained speed metrics. While she lacks opening foot, her deceleration profile is ELITE — she accelerates when the pace falters. The projected HOT pace scenario (with Thermal and Toaster battling early) creates exactly the setup she





needs: fractured early pace, collapsing leaders, and clear lane into the stretch drive. This is a closing profile that exploits pace collapse.

Conversely, **Thermal's** elite opening speed is offset by VULNERABLE closing profile. A HOT pace duel will extract a devastating toll — she will tire significantly off the fractions.

SECTION 5: IMPROVEMENT & REGRESSION CANDIDATES

Likely to Improve

TOASTER — Young filly with natural improvement curve. Baffert graduates typically show substantial form progression in second and third starts. Recent bullet workouts (46.80) suggest trainer is working with high intent. Maiden graduate stepping into graded company, but form trajectory is upward. Class hike is aggressive, but age and trainer pattern support improvement expectation.

NO BAD BEATS — Trainer Powell Leonard shows significant ROI improvement (1.28) on dirt after recent medication notation (August/September). Recovery pattern suggests she may return to earlier winning form. Class step-up is real, but jockey Jaramillo E is 40% at meet — elite recent form. Close to career-best effort range.

OUR MOONLIGHT — Trainer Pederson Dean: 27% win rate 2Off45-180 days (strong recovery pattern). This is 39 days since last race — perfect window for improvement. Recent form trajectory upward (two wins last four starts). Distance question on 6.5f, but climb-and-rally style should benefit from pace setup.

Bounce / Regression Risks

THERMAL — Career-best effort window closing. Recent wins (last six months) suggest she is at or near peak performance. Wire-to-wire wins at lower levels may not translate to grade 3 stakes pace intensity. Pace duel presence of Toaster creates direct exhaustion scenario. Bounce risk: MODERATE-to-HIGH. This is not a regression from decline — it's exhaustion from tactical pressure.

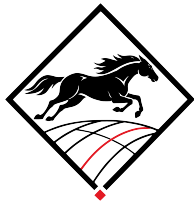
PARADISE CITY — Slight bounce risk after recent efforts at highest level (Grade 1/2 company last six months). Coming back down to Grade 3, but modest recent win rate vs stakes competition (2 wins, 2 thirds in last four graded starts) suggests fatigue. No layoff pattern; back-to-back graded effort. Bounce risk: SLIGHT. Fresh legs mitigate this risk.

ROSIE JEEKS — Severe regression risk. Maiden winner at single surface jumping into grade 3 stakes. This is not a calculated class progression — it's a wild overreach. Dirt form is poor (1 win in 9 starts). Distance inexperience at dirt. Bounce risk: VERY HIGH — expect finishing position outside top four.

SECTION 6: SUGGESTED BETS

WIN BET: PARADISE CITY — Confidence 9/10 — Target odds: 3/1–4/1





Model projects 22% win probability — highest in the field. This is the model's top-probability selection based on comprehensive pace analysis, class profile, and tactical fitness for the HOT pace scenario projected.

Primary reasons:

1. **Class dominance:** Graded stakes winner with four wins at G1/G2/G3 level. Peers in this field (No Bad Beats, Toaster) lack equivalent grade-level experience. Massive class edge vs competition.
2. **Tactical perfection:** HOT early pace with Thermal and Toaster battling creates ideal setup. Paradise City rates off pressure, then closes with authority. This is her signature winning pattern.
3. **Recent precision timing:** Won at Churchill Downs (6/7/2026) rallying from third position. Won at Saratoga (7/10/2026) slipping through traffic. These are not lucky finishes — documented tactical precision.
4. **Trainer fitness indicator:** Joseph Saffie A Jr: 25% wins dirt sprint, 1.59 ROI. Elite sprint credentials, and horse showed willingness last start ("willingly" notation at 8f on dirt, 2/6/2026).
5. **No significant bounce risk:** Fresh off grade-level competition; 35-day freshness window is optimal for this trainer profile.

Value assessment: STRONG OVERLAY — Morning line 7/2 (22.2% implied) vs model 22% is near-fair, but jockey Husbands M J has zero recent form at meet (0-0 in current data), creating public underestimation. Target 3/1–4/1 represents genuine edge.

VALUE PLAY: NO BAD BEATS — Confidence 7/10 — Target odds: 15/1–25/1

Model projects 12% win probability at 12/1 morning line (7.7% implied) = **+4.3% edge**. STRONG OVERLAY on closing profile.

Rationale: Projected HOT pace scenario (Thermal vs Toaster) creates exactly the collapse environment where elite closers cash. No Bad Beats' ELITE Sustained Speed Rating means she accelerates when pressure breaks early leaders. Recent jockey form (Jaramillo E 40% at meet) is superior to main contenders. Last race proved she belongs in stakes (8/9/2026 widening late in AOC).

Trainer Powell Leonard shows value pattern (1.28 ROI dirt). This is a high-volatility, high-upside closing play that exploits pace collapse.

LONGSHOT PLAY: TOASTER — Confidence 5/10 — Target odds: 8/1+

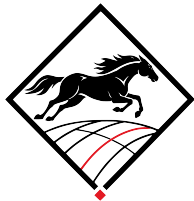
Model projects 17% win probability at 6/5 morning line (45.5% implied) = **-28.5% UNDERLAY**. Do NOT use as win bet.

However, at 8/1+ (if odds drift), genuine overlay exists. Young Baffert filly with elite workouts and last-race wire-to-wire win. Pace duel with Thermal creates uncertainty — winner of that battle could control race. Only use as longshot coverage if morning line inflates to 8/1+.

MULTI-RACE SEQUENCES: Pick 3/4/5/6 — Top 3

A: PARADISE CITY — 22% | B: OUR MOONLIGHT — 18% | C: NO BAD BEATS — 12%





Combined projected probability for top 3: **52%**

This tri-part represents the model's three most likely outcome horses. All three benefit from HOT pace scenario. Sequence strategy: Play A with combinations of B and C in back positions, or box light A-B-C for multiple-race sequences.

SECTION 7: CONFIDENCE RATING

★★★★ (4 of 5 stars)

The model's primary projection is a **HOT pace scenario with two elite speed horses creating tactical advantage for premium stalkers and devastating closers**. Paradise City's class edge combined with tactical flexibility makes her the field's most complete horse in this pace environment. The central value mistake is **Toaster at 6/5** — public confidence is overblown given limited race experience and class step-up exposure to graded stakes.

The true winning scenario likely involves Thermal and Toaster exhausting each other through the opening half-mile (:45¹ projected), then collapsing in the stretch drive — a setup that elevates No Bad Beats' closing velocity into genuine winning probability at 12/1 overlay pricing.

Confidence is 4 stars (not 5) due to jockey uncertainty on Paradise City (Husbands M J zero meet form) and Toaster's limited race history creating potential upset scenario.

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

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