Belmont Park

Race 2 — 11/08/2026

Class: Claiming $40,000 (N2L)

Distance: 9f (1 1/8 miles)

Surface: Inner Turf

Purse: $53,000

Claiming Price: $40,000

Starters: 8

CLAIMING. Purse $53,000 INNER TURF (UP TO $9,222 NYSBFOA) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 123 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price $40,000 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). New York Bred Claiming Price $50,000. (Rail at 24 feet).

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Belmont Park R2
Sunday, November 8, 2026 | 1 1/8 Miles Inner Turf | F&M 3YO & Up | Claiming $40,000 (N2L)

Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

True Front Runners

Heaven's Bolt (Post 4) — The most early speed in the field; has pressed and dueled in route tries. **Raging Bloom** (Post 8) — Sat 2nd early, then led and won her 8.5f turf maiden claimer on 10/14.

Stalkers / Pressers

On a Summer Day (Post 1) — Tracks two-path, but has weakened late recently. **Twirly** (Post 6) — Rallies from mid-pack; went five wide and led in the upper stretch before being caught on 10/16.

Closers

Livin the Breeze (Post 5) — Rallied three wide to get up in the final 40 yards in her turf maiden win. **Intothewilderness** (Post 7) — Came from last of 12 to win on 8/6. **Smokin Hot Blonde** (Post 3) and **Lil' Hottie** (Post 2) — Late runners with little turf success.

Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **MODERATE** early pace—projected :23 2/5 opening quarter, :47 1/5 half-mile. Heaven's Bolt and Raging Bloom are the likely leaders without much pressure. Stalkers and closers need the leaders to come back to them at 1 1/8 miles.

Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	On a Summer Day	15-1	5%	6.3%	-1.3%
2	Lil' Hottie	20-1	2%	4.8%	-2.8%
3	Smokin Hot Blonde	8-1	8%	11.1%	-3.1%
4	Heaven's Bolt	5-1	13%	16.7%	-3.7%
5	Livin the Breeze	7-2	15%	22.2%	-7.2%
6	Twirly	3-1	35%	25.0%	**+10.0%**
7	Intothewilderness	6-1	11%	14.3%	-3.3%
8	Raging Bloom	5-2	11%	28.6%	-17.6%
	TOTAL		**100%**	**129.0%**	





Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion (field total 129.0% in this eight-horse field). The original table used rescaled figures, and the text quoted other implied figures (24.3%, 21.6%, 16.3%, 27.8%). At raw odds **Twirly +10.0%** is the only overlay. Favorite **Raging Bloom** –**17.6%**; Livin the Breeze –7.2%.

Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★★★)

Twirly (Post 6) — Model Win %: 35%

PTW Profile: The model's top horse by a wide margin. Four-year-old filly, 1-for-12; her only win came in a maiden race on a sloppy track at Belmont at Aqueduct on 5/15/25. 0-for-6 on turf, with a 2nd in a turf allowance optional claimer on 6/22/25. Claimed by Mertkan Kantarmaci from Bill Mott for $25,000 on 9/2 (3rd that day). Since then 3rd in a 8.5f turf claimer on 9/24 (chased two-path, kept on) and 2nd in a 8.5f claimer moved from the turf to the Tapeta on 10/16 (five wide in the upper stretch, led, battled on). Trainer 17% on turf and 16% in routes; jockey Franco 21% at the meet. At 3-1 (25.0% implied), +10.0%—the only overlay in the race.

Strengths: Three straight top-three finishes at this level; sustains her run; strong jockey.

Concerns: Only one win in 12 starts and none on turf; needs a clean trip from post 6.

Trip Projection: Settles in mid-pack, moves three or four wide on the far turn and drives into the lane.

Livin the Breeze (Post 5) — Model Win %: 15%

PTW Profile: New York-bred three-year-old filly, 1-for-6, all on turf. Won a state-bred maiden special weight at 8.5f at Aqueduct on 11/13/25, rallying three wide to get up in the final 40 yards. 3rd in a state-bred allowance at Saratoga on 7/26, then 8th on 9/3 and 9th on 10/4. First start in a claiming race. Trainer Abreu 16% with claimers and 13% in routes; jockey Marin 13% at the meet. At 7-2 (22.2% implied), –7.2%.

Strengths: ELITE sustained speed; drops from allowance company into a claimer.

Concerns: Well beaten in her last two starts; overbet.

Trip Projection: Breaks mid-pack, rates in the back half of the field and rallies in the final furlong.

Heaven's Bolt (Post 4) — Model Win %: 13%

PTW Profile: Three-year-old filly, 1-for-8. Won a 6f maiden special weight at Del Mar on 8/30/25; 6th in the Oak Leaf (G2) that fall. 2026: 2nd in claimers at Churchill on 5/15 and 6/12 (claimed for $50,000 on 6/12); 6th as the favorite at Saratoga on 9/4, where Michael Maker claimed her for $20,000; 7th in a 6f turf claimer at Belmont on 10/25. 0-for-2 on turf and stretches out to 1 1/8 miles for the first time. Trainer Maker 23% with claimers and 16% on turf, but 1-for-41 at the meet; jockey Prat 24% at the meet. At 5-1 (16.7% implied), –3.7%.

Strengths: The most early speed in the field; ELITE sustained speed rating; top jockey.

Concerns: Has never raced this far; winless on turf; stretching out from a 6f sprint.

Trip Projection: Breaks alertly and presses or leads, then has to carry her speed a long way.





Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★★★)

Intothewilderness (Post 7) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: New York-bred three-year-old filly, 1-for-8, all on turf. Won a state-bred maiden claimer at 8.5f at Saratoga on 8/6 from last of 12. Since then 10th in a state-bred allowance at Saratoga on 9/4 and 4th in a 8.5f turf claimer at Belmont on 9/24 after being checked at the start. Trainer Charlton Baker 24% with claimers and 20% in routes. At 6-1 (14.3% implied), –3.3%.

Strengths: Strong late kick; turf-only record.

Concerns: First try at 1 1/8 miles; deep closer who needs pace.

Trip Projection: Drops back early and rallies late; needs the leaders to tire.

Raging Bloom (Post 8) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: Three-year-old filly, 1-for-6, all on turf. Broke her maiden in a $30,000 maiden claimer at 8.5f on turf at Belmont on 10/14 (2nd early, cleared, safe). Before that 6th on 9/25 and 3rd on 8/22 in maiden claimers. Trainer McPeek 19% with last-out winners; jockey Elliott. As the 5-2 morning-line favorite (28.6% implied), –17.6%—the biggest underlay in the race.

Strengths: Coming off a win; tactical speed.

Concerns: VULNERABLE sustained speed; steps up from a maiden claimer to face winners; first try at 1 1/8 miles; heavily overbet.

Trip Projection: Breaks prominently and sits just off or on the lead, then must hold off the closers.

Smokin Hot Blonde (Post 3) — Model Win %: 8%

PTW Profile: Five-year-old mare, 1-for-15; her only win came by 10 lengths in a maiden special weight on the synthetic at Turfway on 3/6. 0-for-10 on turf. 3rd in a 8.5f claimer moved from the turf to the Tapeta at Belmont on 10/16 (Twirly 2nd). Trainer Kelley 8% in routes. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), –3.1%.

Strengths: Has route experience; finished in front of most of this field's form on 10/16.

Concerns: Winless on turf; well beaten in allowance and claiming turf starts this year.

Trip Projection: Sits mid-pack and needs a lot of help to win.

Tier 3 — Pace Factors / Longshots (★★)

On a Summer Day (Post 1, 5%): Four-year-old filly, 1-for-24. Won a state-bred maiden claimer at 8.5f on turf at Aqueduct on 4/24 and has lost eight straight since, including 6th in a turf claimer on 9/24 (tracked two-path, weakened). Trainer Pregman 0-for-15 at the meet and 5% on turf; jockey Rivera 4% at the meet. VULNERABLE late. –1.3%.

Lil' Hottie (Post 2, 2%): Four-year-old filly, 1-for-12; her only win came in a $7,500 maiden claimer on the synthetic at Turfway on 3/5. 0-for-5 on turf. Gave way after dueling in a 1 1/16-mile dirt claimer at Indiana Grand on 10/12. Trainer Kelley 0-for-10 with claimers and 2% on turf. VULNERABLE late. –2.8%.





Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Livin the Breeze	STRONG	ELITE	Low — maintains speed
Heaven's Bolt	STRONG	ELITE	Low — strong finisher
Twirly	ELITE	STRONG	Moderate — reliable
Smokin Hot Blonde	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — balanced
Intothewilderness	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — consistent
On a Summer Day	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — pace collapse risk
Lil' Hottie	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — deceleration concern
Raging Bloom	ELITE	VULNERABLE	High — bounce risk

Critical MPH Insight

Livin the Breeze and **Heaven's Bolt** are rated ELITE for sustained speed. **Twirly** is STRONG late. **Raging Bloom**, **On a Summer Day** and **Lil' Hottie** are VULNERABLE late, a problem at 1 1/8 miles.

Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

Twirly — Three straight top-three finishes since the claim; back on turf.

Livin the Breeze — Drops from allowance company into a claimer for the first time.

Intothewilderness — Checked at the start last out and still finished 4th.

Bounce / Regression Risks

Raging Bloom — Steps up off a maiden-claiming win; VULNERABLE late; overbet at 5-2.

Heaven's Bolt — Big stretch-out from 6f to 1 1/8 miles; winless on turf.

On a Summer Day — Eight straight losses; weakens late.

Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

WIN BET: TWIRLY — Confidence 9/10 — Target odds: 2-1 or better

Model projects 35% win probability, the highest in the field, at 3-1 (25.0% implied): +10.0%. Three straight top-three finishes at this level, a stalking style that suits the pace, and a 21% jockey. Fair price is about 9-5.





Value Assessment: **STRONG VALUE** (+10.0%).

SECOND PLAY: LIVIN THE BREEZE — Confidence 7/10 — Target odds: 6-1 or better

Model projects 15% at 7-2 (22.2% implied): –7.2%. ELITE sustained speed and drops into a claimer, but overbet at the morning line. Fair price is about 11-2. Use in multi-race tickets; win bet only at a big price.

Value Assessment: **UNDERLAY** (–7.2%).

THIRD PLAY: HEAVEN'S BOLT — Confidence 6/10 — Target odds: 7-1 or better

Model projects 13% at 5-1 (16.7% implied): –3.7%. The speed of the race with a top jockey, but stretching out a long way. Fair price is about 13-2.

Value Assessment: **UNDERLAY** (–3.7%).

Multi-Race Sequences: Pick 3 / Pick 4 / Pick 5 / Pick 6 — Top 3

A: Twirly — 35%
B: Livin the Breeze — 15%
C: Heaven's Bolt — 13%

Combined Projected Probability: 63%

Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★★★★ (5 of 5 stars)

A MODERATE pace at 1 1/8 miles on the inner turf. **Twirly** is the model's clear top horse at 35% and the only overlay (+10.0% at 3-1), despite being 0-for-6 on turf. Favorite **Raging Bloom** (5-2, –17.6%) steps up off a maiden-claiming win and is the worst value in the race.

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





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