Belmont Park

Race 7 — 11/19/2026

Class: Starter Optional Claiming ($45,000)

Distance: 1 Mile (8f)

Surface: Turf (rail at 36 feet)

Purse: $75,000

Starters: 12 (plus 1 also-eligible)

Post Time: 3:43 ET

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING. Purse $75,000 (UP TO $13,050 NYSBFOA) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF $55,000 OR LESS OR WHICH HAVE STARTED IN A MAIDEN AUCTION RACE AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR CLAIMING $45,000 WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. (If taken off the turf, it will be run at one mile on the Tapeta track.)

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Belmont Park R7
Thursday, November 19, 2026 | 1 Mile Turf | Fillies & Mares 3YO+ | Starter Optional Claiming

Field note: #13 Just Tell Anne is an **also-eligible** and runs only if there is a scratch. The race is a $75,000 starter optional claimer with a $45,000 tag (not a "$75,000 claimer"). If it comes off the turf, this analysis no longer applies.

Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

True Front Runners

Celestial Body (Post 5) — Led or pressed in all six starts (first turf start). **Oscar Bound** (Post 11) — Led into the stretch here on 9/25. **Alma's Law** (Post 9) — Won her last two on the lead on dirt.

Stalkers / Pressers

Spinning Class (Post 10) — Pressed in 3rd on 11/5; her 9/24 win came from 7th with an eight-wide rally (she is not early speed). **Putonahappyface** (Post 1), **Greyjoy** (Post 7).

Closers

River Tay (Post 2) — Broke slowly and gained outside for 3rd on 10/24 (a closer, not speed). **La Ceiba** (Post 4), **Lendalfoot** (Post 6), **Exclusive Champion** (Post 3), **Ilenas Kaz Way** (Post 8), **Mis Brunellas** (Post 12), **Just Tell Anne** (Post 13, AE).

Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **SUICIDAL** early pace—projected :23 2/5 opening quarter, :46 1/5 half-mile, inside the 1-mile turf SUICIDAL band (the report labeled it HOT). Celestial Body and Oscar Bound show the way; the closers get the setup.

Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Putonahappyface	10-1	8%	9.1%	-1.1%
2	River Tay	8-1	15%	11.1%	**+3.9%**
3	Exclusive Champion	20-1	3%	4.8%	-1.8%
4	La Ceiba	9-2	17%	18.2%	-1.2%
5	Celestial Body	20-1	2%	4.8%	-2.8%
6	Lendalfoot	7-2	11%	22.2%	-11.2%
7	Greyjoy	8-1	10%	11.1%	-1.1%





Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
8	Ilenas Kaz Way	20-1	5%	4.8%	**+0.2%**
9	Alma's Law	50-1	2%	2.0%	0.0%
10	Spinning Class	5-2	10%	28.6%	-18.6%
11	Oscar Bound	20-1	4%	4.8%	-0.8%
12	Mis Brunellas	12-1	6%	7.7%	-1.7%
13	Just Tell Anne (AE)	8-1	7%	11.1%	-4.1%
	TOTAL		**100%**	**140.3%**	

Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion (the report's column was scaled). The table's model % is used (the text said 18% for La Ceiba and 16% for River Tay). **FADE: Spinning Class, the 5-2 favorite**—28.6% implied vs 10% model, –**18.6%**. Also overbet: **Lendalfoot** –**11.2%** at 7-2. Overlays: **River Tay +3.9%** and **Ilenas Kaz Way +0.2%**. La Ceiba is –1.2% (not an overlay).

Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★)

La Ceiba (Fr) (Post 4) — Model Win %: 17%

PTW Profile: The model's top horse. 4-year-old filly, 2 wins in 8, both in France: a maiden race at Craon and a **handicap** at Chantilly by 3 1/2 (9/30/2025). She has **no graded-stakes wins**; her Deauville and Longchamp starts were handicaps (3rd and 6th). U.S. debut: 5th, beaten 7 3/4, in a mile turf N2X allowance here on 10/9 after tracking (the "slow, gain outside" note belongs to River Tay). Entered for the $45,000 tag. Miguel Clement is 15 for 88 at the meet; Sonny Marin rides. ROI claims removed.

Concerns: Weakened in her U.S. debut. At 9-2 (18.2% implied), –1.2%.

River Tay (Ire) (Post 2) — Model Win %: 15%

PTW Profile: A 6-year-old **mare**, 5 wins in 20 on turf. Her most recent win was a Laurel turf sprint on 6/8/2026 (not "not since 10/4"); her 11/16 Laurel win and 10/4 claiming win were in **2025** (the 10/4 win was at the Meadowlands). 3rd, beaten 7 1/4, after a slow start in a 6 1/2-furlong turf sprint here on 10/24. 0 for 6 at the Saratoga/Belmont starter optional level. Bruce Brown is 1 for 22 at the meet; Dylan Davis rides.

Concerns: Back up to a mile. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), +3.9%.

Lendalfoot (Post 6) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: 3-year-old Maryland-bred filly, 2 wins in 8 on turf: a $35,000 maiden claimer at Laurel (6/21) and a state-bred allowance at **Colonial Downs** (7/26). She has not raced at Fair Grounds or "Canarsie." 4th, beaten 3 3/4, in the Maryland Million Ladies on 10/24. No Lasix is listed. Keri Brion is 1 for 9 at the meet. Workout claims removed.

Concerns: Overbet at 7-2 (22.2% implied): –11.2%.





Spinning Class (Post 10) — Model Win %: 10% — **FADE**

PTW Profile: **The 5-2 favorite.** 5-year-old mare, 2 wins in 12 on turf: a $30,000 maiden claimer at Aqueduct (6/27) and a $35,000 N2L claimer here by **5 1/4** (not 5 3/4) on 9/24 after an eight-wide rally. Then **4th** (not 6th), beaten 1 1/4, as the 13-10 favorite at this level on 11/5, 42 days later (not 12). Shug McGaughey is 10 for 35 at the meet; Javier Lezcano rides. Workout claims removed.

Concerns: Beaten as the favorite last out. At 5-2 (28.6% implied), –18.6%.

Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★)

Greyjoy (8-1) — Won a NY-bred stakes on the Saratoga turf by 2 1/4 on 8/19; 7th, beaten 10 1/2, at 9-1 (not as the favorite) here on 9/25. John Terranova is 2 for 22. –1.1%. **Putonahappyface** (10-1) — 2nd to Spinning Class on 9/24, then won a $35,000 N2L claimer by a neck on 10/16. –1.1%. **Exclusive Champion** (20-1) — 6-year-old mare; won a NJ-bred allowance at Monmouth on 8/28 (the report says she has not won in 11 starts). 3rd, beaten 1 1/4, at the Meadowlands on 10/3. No graded-stakes starts; she has worn blinkers throughout. Rachael Keithan is 0 for 36 this year. –1.8%. **Ilenas Kaz Way** (20-1) — Won a $55,000 maiden claimer at 6 furlongs on the inner turf at 30-1 on 10/29; first try beyond 6 furlongs. Apprentice P. Pena. Workout claim removed. +0.2%. **Mis Brunellas** (12-1) — Won a $50,000 maiden claimer on the Gulfstream turf on 1/31; **off 277 days**. –1.7%. **Oscar Bound** (20-1) — Her turf win was at Gulfstream in March (not a 10/2 maiden claimer); 6th in a $12,500 dirt claimer on 10/14 and claimed. –0.8%. **Celestial Body** (20-1) — First turf start. –2.8%. **Alma's Law** (50-1) — Won her last two on dirt at Finger Lakes. 0.0%. **Just Tell Anne** (8-1, AE) — Won a $55,000 **maiden claimer** here on 10/22; she is not stakes-placed. –4.1%.

Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
La Ceiba	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — weakened 10/9
River Tay	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — slow, gained 10/24
Spinning Class	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — 4th by 1 1/4 as favorite
Lendalfoot	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — 4th in stakes
Greyjoy	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — beaten 10 1/2 on 9/25
Putonahappyface	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — won 10/16
Exclusive Champion	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — late rally 10/3
Ilenas Kaz Way	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — rallied, won at 30-1
Celestial Body	ELITE	VULNERABLE	High — headed, tired 9/24
Oscar Bound	ELITE	VULNERABLE	High — led, weakened





Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Mis Brunellas	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — rallied to win 1/31
Alma's Law	ELITE	STRONG	Moderate — won on the lead (dirt)
Just Tell Anne (AE)	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — sustained bid, won

Critical MPH Insight

River Tay is a closer and her wins came at lower levels (changed from STRONG/ELITE to VULNERABLE/STRONG). **Spinning Class** is not early speed (opening changed from ELITE to STRONG). **La Ceiba** weakened in her U.S. debut (sustained changed to VULNERABLE). **Celestial Body** and **Alma's Law** have race data and are now rated.

Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

La Ceiba — Second U.S. start.

River Tay — Closer in a fast-pace race.

Bounce / Regression Risks

Spinning Class — Beaten as the favorite last out; overbet at 5-2.

Lendalfoot — Overbet at 7-2.

Mis Brunellas — Off 277 days.

Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

WIN BET: LA CEIBA — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 5-1 or better

Model projects 17% win probability, the highest in the field. At 9-2 (18.2% implied), –1.2%: bet her only at 5-1 or more.

VALUE PLAY: RIVER TAY — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 6-1 or better

Model projects 15% at 8-1 (11.1% implied): +3.9%, the biggest edge in the race.

LONGSHOT PLAY: ILENAS KAZ WAY — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 20-1 or better

Model projects 5% at 20-1 (4.8% implied): +0.2%.

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

A: La Ceiba — 17%
B: River Tay — 15%
C: Lendalfoot — 11% (replaces Spinning Class, the fade)





Combined Projected Probability: 43%

Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★ (2 of 5 stars)

The clear angle is against the 5-2 favorite **Spinning Class** (–18.6%) and 7-2 **Lendalfoot** (–11.2%). The model's top horse, **La Ceiba**, is a slight underlay; the value is **River Tay** at 8-1 with a fast pace to close into.

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