Churchill Downs

Race 2 — 11/05/2026

Class: Maiden Claiming $50,000

Distance: 6f

Surface: Dirt

Purse: $67,000

Starters: 11

MAIDEN CLAIMING. Purse $67,000 (include $7,800 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. Claiming Price $50,000.

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Churchill Downs R2
Thursday, November 5, 2026 | 6f Dirt | 2YO | Maiden Claiming $50,000

Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

True Front Runners

Joe Joe Dude (Post 1) has led at the first call in all eight starts but tends to fade; he went right to the lead at Keeneland on 10/7. **Clonmacnoise** (Post 6) has led or pressed early in all four starts and was 3rd at Keeneland on 10/7.

Stalkers / Pressers

Cougar Magnet (Post 5) broke 8th in his debut at Keeneland on 10/7 but was never more than half a length off the lead and finished 2nd—ELITE early and late speed. **Coldspring** (Post 11) rallied to 2nd at Churchill on 9/20.

First-Time Starters

Mission Achieved (Post 7), **Unknown Mischief** (Post 4), **Sleeper** (Post 8) and **My Pal Pierce** (Post 9) are unraced; their running styles are projected from works and pedigree only.

Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **HOT** early pace—projected :22 2/5 opening quarter, :45 2/5 half-mile. Joe Joe Dude and Clonmacnoise contest the lead; stalkers and well-placed closers inherit the advantage in the stretch.

Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Joe Joe Dude	30-1	6%	3.2%	**+2.8%**
2	City of Rome	3-1	11%	25.0%	-14.0%
3	Martone	9-2	11%	18.2%	-7.2%
4	Unknown Mischief	8-1	16%	11.1%	**+4.9%**
5	Cougar Magnet	10-1	13%	9.1%	**+3.9%**
6	Clonmacnoise	12-1	10%	7.7%	**+2.3%**
7	Mission Achieved	5-1	18%	16.7%	**+1.3%**
8	Sleeper	6-1	10%	14.3%	-4.3%
9	My Pal Pierce	20-1	2%	4.8%	-2.8%





Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
10	Farrokh	8-1	2%	11.1%	-9.1%
11	Coldspring	12-1	1%	7.7%	-6.7%
	TOTAL		**100%**	**128.9%**	

Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion; the original table used adjusted figures (e.g., City of Rome 19.4%). The original text also used different model figures from its table (Mission Achieved 16%, Unknown Mischief 14%, Cougar Magnet 12%); the table figures are used throughout.

Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★★★)

Mission Achieved (Post 7) — Model Win %: 18%

PTW Profile: The model's top horse. First-time starter for Steve Asmussen (19% with maiden claimers, 1.64 ROI; 10% with first-time starters); Tyler Gaffalione rides. At 5-1 (16.7% implied), +1.3%.

Strengths: Strong barn; steady work pattern.

Concerns: Unraced (UNRATED).

Trip Projection: Projected to sit just off the early pace and make one run.

Unknown Mischief (Post 4) — Model Win %: 16%

PTW Profile: First-time starter for Paulo Lobo; Known Agenda colt with multiple bullet works. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), +4.9%—the best overlay in the race.

Concerns: Unraced (UNRATED); trainer's first-starter record is a one-race sample.

Trip Projection: Projected to break alertly and be close to the pace.

Cougar Magnet (Post 5) — Model Win %: 13%

PTW Profile: One start: 2nd, beaten 4 lengths, in a maiden claimer at Keeneland on 10/7; broke 8th but was never more than half a length off the lead. Trainer Catalano 7% with 2-year-olds. At 10-1 (9.1% implied), +3.9%.

Strengths: ELITE in both speed categories—the only horse in the field that holds its speed through every call.

Trip Projection: Sits right with the speed and outlasts the VULNERABLE leaders in the stretch.

City of Rome (Post 2) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: One start: 11th, beaten 18 1/2 lengths, in a maiden special at Saratoga on 8/7. Trainer Kenneally (22% moving from maiden specials to maiden claimers); Jose Ortiz rides; bullet 3f work. As the 3-1 favorite (25.0% implied) he is the race's biggest underlay (–14.0%).





Concerns: Faded badly in his only start; VULNERABLE late.

Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★★★)

Martone (Post 3) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: 8th, beaten 15 lengths, in a maiden special turf sprint at Indiana Grand on 9/29. Trainer Joe Sharp (22% moving from maiden specials to maiden claimers, 2.20 ROI); Luis Saez rides. Underlay at 9-2 (18.2% implied, –7.2%).

Concerns: Weak debut; first dirt start; VULNERABLE late.

Clonmacnoise (Post 6) — Model Win %: 10%

PTW Profile: 0-for-4 with one 3rd for Ennis; led or pressed early in every start. At 12-1 (7.7% implied), +2.3%.

Concerns: VULNERABLE late; will be pressed by Joe Joe Dude.

Sleeper (Post 8) — Model Win %: 10%

PTW Profile: First-time starter for Chris Hartman (3% with first-time starters); 12+ published works. Underlay at 6-1 (14.3% implied, –4.3%).

Concerns: Unraced (UNRATED); weak barn record with debut runners.

Tier 3 — Pace Factors / Longshots (★★)

Joe Joe Dude (Post 1, 6%): 0-for-8 with two 2nds for Radosevich (33% with maiden claimers, small sample). Beaten 13 3/4 lengths, then 2nd by 1 1/4 at Churchill on 9/11, then beaten 8 1/4 at Keeneland on 10/7. VULNERABLE late. At 30-1, +2.8%.

Farrokh (Post 10, 2%): 7th and 12th in two starts; blinkers on for Kenneally. Big underlay at 8-1 (11.1% implied, –9.1%).

My Pal Pierce (Post 9, 2%): First-time starter for Ennis (5% with first-time starters). –2.8%.

Coldspring (Post 11, 1%): 2nd and 5th in two starts; trainer Tomlinson 9% with maiden claimers; slow recent works. –6.7%.

Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Cougar Magnet	ELITE	ELITE	Low — maintains velocity
Clonmacnoise	ELITE	VULNERABLE	High — speed collapse risk
Joe Joe Dude	ELITE	VULNERABLE	High — pace collapse





Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
City of Rome	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — pace compromise
Martone	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — late fade
Coldspring	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — fade pattern
Mission Achieved	UNRATED	UNRATED	First-time starter
Unknown Mischief	UNRATED	UNRATED	First-time starter
Sleeper	UNRATED	UNRATED	First-time starter
My Pal Pierce	UNRATED	UNRATED	First-time starter
Farrokh	UNRATED	UNRATED	Insufficient race data

The original table rated first-time starters Mission Achieved, Unknown Mischief (STRONG/STRONG) and Sleeper (STRONG/VULNERABLE); all are UNRATED here.

Critical MPH Insight

Cougar Magnet is the only rated horse ELITE in sustained speed. The main speed, **Joe Joe Dude** and **Clonmacnoise**, rate VULNERABLE late, as do **City of Rome** and **Martone**; a HOT pace should expose them.

Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

Cougar Magnet — Second start after a strong debut 2nd; ELITE early and late speed.

Martone — Drops from a maiden special to a maiden claimer and switches from turf to dirt.

Bounce / Regression Risks

City of Rome — Beaten 18 1/2 lengths in his only start; 3-1 favorite at 25.0% implied vs. 11%.

Joe Joe Dude and **Clonmacnoise** — Speed that fades, facing each other in a HOT pace.

Farrokh — Two weak starts.

Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

WIN BET: MISSION ACHIEVED — Confidence 8/10 — Target odds: 5-1 or better

Model projects 18% win probability, the highest in the field, at 5-1 (16.7% implied): +1.3%. First-time starter from a strong maiden claiming barn. Fair price is about 9-2.

Value Assessment: **SLIGHT VALUE** (+1.3%).

VALUE PLAY: UNKNOWN MISCHIEF — Confidence 8/10 — Target odds: 8-1 or better





Model projects 16% at 8-1 (11.1% implied): +4.9%, the race's best overlay. Multiple bullet works. Fair price is about 5-1.

Value Assessment: **STRONG VALUE** (+4.9%).

LONGSHOT PLAY: COUGAR MAGNET — Confidence 8/10 — Target odds: 9-1 or better

Model projects 13% at 10-1 (9.1% implied): +3.9%. ELITE early and late speed; the only speed in the race that holds it. Fair price is about 13-2.

Value Assessment: **STRONG VALUE** (+3.9%).

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

A: Mission Achieved — 18%
B: Unknown Mischief — 16%
C: Cougar Magnet — 13%

Combined Projected Probability: 47%

Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★★★ (4 of 5 stars)

A HOT pace should expose the field's VULNERABLE speed. **Mission Achieved** tops the model; the best values are **Unknown Mischief** (+4.9%) and **Cougar Magnet** (+3.9%). The public's mistake is the 3-1 favorite **City of Rome** (25.0% implied vs. 11%), beaten 18 1/2 lengths in his only start.

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





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