Churchill Downs

Race 1 — 11/11/2026

Class: Claiming $16,000

Distance: 6f

Surface: Dirt

Purse: $55,000

Claiming Price: $16,000

Starters: 7

CLAIMING. Purse $55,000 (includes $6,500 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since October 11 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $16,000 (Races Where Entered For $12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances).

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Churchill Downs R1
Wednesday, November 11, 2026 | 6 Furlongs Dirt | Fillies & Mares 3YO & Up | Claiming $16,000

Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

True Front Runners

Vicki Rose (Post 6) — Led throughout to win by a neck on a sloppy track at Churchill on 5/22. **Don't Say It** (Post 7) — Vied for the lead and drew off at Keeneland on 4/22, and pressed and drew clear at Churchill on 6/13.

Stalkers / Pressers

Street Painter (Post 1) and **Best Cupcake** (Post 3) — Stalk in the second flight; Best Cupcake rallied for 2nd at Churchill on 9/25. **Patty Cakes** (Post 5) — Stalks and bids.

Closers

Turf Rocket (Post 4) — A closer, not a gate-to-wire horse; she has raced 5th to 9th early in most of her turf routes and rallied. **Mombayla** (Post 2) — Comes from well back.

Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **MODERATE** early pace—projected :22 2/5 opening quarter, :45 2/5 half-mile. Vicki Rose and Don't Say It should contest the lead, with Street Painter and Best Cupcake just behind.

Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Street Painter	12-1	5%	7.7%	-2.7%
2	Mombayla	20-1	9%	4.8%	**+4.2%**
3	Best Cupcake	3-1	20%	25.0%	-5.0%
4	Turf Rocket	7-2	27%	22.2%	**+4.8%**
5	Patty Cakes	8-1	11%	11.1%	-0.1%
6	Vicki Rose	4-1	14%	20.0%	-6.0%
7	Don't Say It	9-5	14%	35.7%	-21.7%
	TOTAL		**100%**	**126.5%**	

Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion (field total 126.5% in this seven-horse field). The original table showed Don't Say It's 9-5 as 9.8% implied; 9-5 is 35.7%. At raw odds **Turf Rocket +4.8%** and **Mombayla +4.2%** are the overlays. Favorite **Don't Say It –21.7%**.





Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★★★)

Turf Rocket (Post 4) — Model Win %: 27%

PTW Profile: The model's top horse. Five-year-old mare, 3-for-26, almost entirely on turf: won a $40,000 turf claimer at Monmouth on 7/27/25 and a turf claimer at Colonial Downs on 8/21/25; 2nd in a turf sprint at Fair Grounds on 1/30. Only one start on dirt: 4th, beaten 6 1/4 lengths, in a $12,500 claimer at Churchill on 9/13, when Joe Sharp claimed her. First start off the claim, up to $16,000, after 59 days off. Sharp 7-for-26 at the meet, 25% in claiming races and 20% first off the claim; jockey Ortiz Jr. 10-for-27 at the meet. At 7-2 (22.2% implied), +4.8%.

Strengths: ELITE early and late by the model; hot trainer and rider; strong late kick.

Concerns: 0-for-1 on dirt; a turf router cutting back to a dirt sprint.

Trip Projection: Settles off the speed and rallies.

Best Cupcake (Post 3) — Model Win %: 20%

PTW Profile: Five-year-old mare, 3-for-26. Not a graded-stakes horse; her stakes tries were Indiana-bred and restricted races. 2nd in an optional claimer at Indiana Grand on 8/18 and 2nd, beaten 3 lengths, in a $25,000 claimer at 7 furlongs at Churchill on 9/25 (not 5th). Drops from $25,000 to $16,000. Trainer Lauer 8% in claiming races and on dirt; jockey Loveberry 2-for-11 at the meet. At 3-1 (25.0% implied), –5.0%.

Strengths: Two straight 2nds; class drop; STRONG early and late.

Concerns: 1-for-13 on fast dirt; weak trainer numbers.

Trip Projection: Stalks the pace and bids in the stretch.

Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★★★)

Don't Say It (Post 7) — Model Win %: 14%

PTW Profile: Five-year-old mare, 5-for-16, and 2-for-2 on fast dirt. She won a $25,000 claimer at Keeneland on 4/22 by 4 1/2 lengths and a $32,000 claimer at Churchill on 6/13 by 2 1/4 lengths, not $6,500 races, and was claimed both times. Since the 6/13 claim by Chris Hartman: 3rd and 5th in turf sprint optional claimers at Ellis Park. Drops from $32,000 to $16,000 and returns from almost three months off. Hartman 0-for-13 at the meet and 12% off 61–180 day layoffs; jockey Sheehy 0-for-20 at the meet. As the 9-5 morning-line favorite (35.7% implied), –21.7%—the biggest underlay in the race.

Strengths: Perfect on fast dirt; big class drop; early speed.

Concerns: VULNERABLE late by the model; cold trainer and rider; massively overbet.

Trip Projection: Presses the pace from the outside post.

Vicki Rose (Post 6) — Model Win %: 14%





PTW Profile: Six-year-old mare, 4-for-21. She won her last start: an N1X allowance on a sloppy track at Mountaineer on 9/21 by 2 1/4 lengths (not caught late). Also won a $30,000 claimer on a sloppy track at Churchill on 5/22 and a $15,000 N2L claimer on Turfway's synthetic on 1/7. 3-for-4 on wet tracks but 0-for-9 on fast dirt. Returns after 51 days, not 10. Trainer Matejka 17% in claiming races and off 31–60 day breaks; jockey Machado 1-for-19 at the meet. At 4-1 (20.0% implied), –6.0%.

Strengths: Early speed; won last out; 1-for-4 with two 2nds at Churchill.

Concerns: VULNERABLE late; winless on fast dirt.

Trip Projection: Goes for the lead.

Patty Cakes (Post 5) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: Seven-year-old mare, 9-for-46. This is a class drop, not a rise: her last two starts were in a $32,000 claimer (6th behind Don't Say It on 6/13) and a $20,000 claimer (8th on a sloppy track on 6/26). 0-for-7 in 2026; last win was a $25,000 claimer at Parx in November 2025. Returns from 4 1/2 months off. Trainer Jacobson 16% off 61–180 day layoffs; jockey Bejarano 4-for-23 at the meet. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), –0.1%.

Strengths: STRONG early and late; drops to a lower level than her recent races.

Concerns: 0-for-7 this year; long layoff.

Trip Projection: Stalks and bids.

Tier 3 — Pace Factors / Longshots (★★)

Mombayla (Post 2, 9%): Five-year-old mare, 3-for-23. Won a $15,000 N2L claimer on Turfway's synthetic on 2/7 and a $14,000 N3L allowance at Belterra on 5/14 by 6 1/2 lengths; 2nd in a $20,000 claimer at Keeneland on 4/15. Out of form since: five straight poor efforts, including 7th, beaten 13 3/4 lengths, in a $25,000 claimer at Churchill on 9/25 and 4th via disqualification, beaten 10 3/4 lengths, at Indiana Grand on 10/20. Trainer Bahena 12% in claiming races. +4.2%.

Street Painter (Post 1, 5%): Six-year-old mare, 3-for-28. Last win: an Arkansas-bred optional claimer at Oaklawn on 12/28/25; 0-for-8 since, including 6th in a $12,500 claimer at Churchill on 9/13. Trainer Shorter 3% in claiming races (115 starts). –2.7%.

Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Turf Rocket	ELITE	ELITE	Low — maintains speed
Best Cupcake	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — competitive
Mombayla	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — competitive





Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Patty Cakes	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — competitive
Vicki Rose	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — pace collapse risk
Don't Say It	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — pace collapse risk
Street Painter	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — pace collapse risk

Critical MPH Insight

Turf Rocket is the only horse rated ELITE early and late, though her ratings come mostly from turf routes. **Vicki Rose** and **Don't Say It**, the two likely leaders, are VULNERABLE late.

Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

Turf Rocket — First start off the claim for a trainer who wins 25% in claiming races.

Best Cupcake — Two straight 2nds and drops in class.

Don't Say It — Back on fast dirt, where she is 2-for-2, and drops from $32,000.

Bounce / Regression Risks

Mombayla — Five straight poor races.

Patty Cakes — 0-for-7 in 2026 and off 4 1/2 months.

Street Painter — Trainer 3% in claiming races.

Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

WIN BET: TURF ROCKET — Confidence 8/10 — Target odds: 11-4 or better

Model projects 27% win probability, the highest in the field, at 7-2 (22.2% implied): +4.8%. Hot connections and a closing kick into a contested pace; the dirt question is the main risk. Fair price is about 11-4.

Value Assessment: **OVERLAY** (+4.8%).

LONGSHOT PLAY: MOMBAYLA — Confidence 4/10 — Target odds: 11-1 or better

Model projects 9% at 20-1 (4.8% implied): +4.2%. A speculative overlay on price alone; she is badly out of form.

Value Assessment: **OVERLAY** (+4.2%).

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





A: Turf Rocket — 27%
B: Best Cupcake — 20%
C: Vicki Rose — 14% (tied with Don't Say It)

Combined Projected Probability: 61%

Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★★★ (4 of 5 stars)

Turf Rocket is the model's top horse and an overlay, but she has to handle the switch to dirt. Favorite **Don't Say It** (9-5, –21.7%) is 2-for-2 on fast dirt and drops sharply, but she is badly overbet for a mare off almost three months with cold connections.

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