Churchill Downs

Race 1 — 11/15/2026

Class: Clm 12500

Distance: 1 Mile

Surface: Dirt

Purse: $45,000

Claiming Price: $12,500

Starters: 8

CLAIMING. Purse $45,000 (includes $5,200 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since October 15 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $12,500 (Races Where Entered For $8,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances).

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Churchill Downs R1
Sunday, November 15, 2026 | 1 Mile Dirt | F&M 3YO+ | Claiming $12,500

Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

True Front Runners

Beach Dancer (Post 8) — A pure front-runner: on or near the lead at the first call in every start in her PPs, and won her last start at Indiana Grand on 7/28 after dueling. **Crushed Ice** (Post 2) — Pressed in 2nd early in her last three and won on 7/7 from the lead.

Stalkers / Pressers

Cora's Legacy (Post 3) — Led or pressed early in her last two. **Nilo's Rose** (Post 1) — Stalks 2nd–3rd; she is not a closer. **Sunset Harbour** (Post 7) — A sprinter with early speed, stretching out.

Closers

Pens Street (Post 5) — Won on 10/21 from 3rd–4th early; usually 5th–6th early. **Acousticat** (Post 6) — Rallies from 5th. **Ce La Vi Charli** (Post 4) — Often off slowly.

Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **MODERATE** early pace—projected :23 1/5 opening quarter, :46 2/5 half-mile. Beach Dancer goes to the front with Crushed Ice and Cora's Legacy pressing.

Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Nilo's Rose	9-5	14%	35.7%	-21.7%
2	Crushed Ice	6-1	22%	14.3%	**+7.7%**
3	Cora's Legacy	8-1	10%	11.1%	-1.1%
4	Ce La Vi Charli	6-1	9%	14.3%	-5.3%
5	Pens Street	5-2	15%	28.6%	-13.6%
6	Acousticat	15-1	6%	6.3%	-0.3%
7	Sunset Harbour	30-1	3%	3.2%	-0.2%
8	Beach Dancer	8-1	21%	11.1%	**+9.9%**
	TOTAL		**100%**	**124.6%**	

Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion (the report's column was scaled). **Nilo's Rose is the 9-5 favorite** at 35.7% implied, so her edge is –**21.7%**—the favorite to fade. Pens Street (5-2) is –**13.6%**. Overlays: Beach Dancer +9.9% (not +12.1%) and Crushed Ice +7.7% (not





+10.5%). Cora's Legacy is –1.1% (not +1.1%).

Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★★★)

Crushed Ice (Post 2) — Model Win %: 22%

PTW Profile: The model's top horse. 6-year-old Connect mare, 7 wins in 34, with 4 wins in 2026 (two Oaklawn claimers in the spring, then optional claimers at Hawthorne on 6/14 and Fairmount on 7/7). Since then: 4th and 2nd in Fairmount optional claimers—**not** consecutive wins. The "class drop" is from Fairmount optional claimers, not a massive edge.

Strengths: Pressing speed. Scott Becker is 23% off 31–60 days (she returns from 40 days, not 16) and 18% with route runners. Apprentice M. Fernandez takes 5 pounds. At 6-1 (14.3% implied), **+7.7%**.

Concerns: Fernandez is 0-for-24 at the meet. Faces Beach Dancer for early position.

Trip Projection: Presses Beach Dancer from the rail side.

Beach Dancer (Post 8) — Model Win %: 21%

PTW Profile: 5-year-old Indiana-bred Cloud Computing mare, **6 wins in 14** (not "3 in 10"). Won a $12,500 claimer at Indiana Grand on 7/28 by a head after dueling, beating Acousticat. Her wins include Indiana allowances and a $12,500 claimer—not $5,500–$8,500 claimers. There is no 6/26/25 claim in her PPs.

Strengths: Clear speed. Tim Eggleston is 24% off 61–180 days and 27% with Edgar Esquivel. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), **+9.9%**.

Concerns: Off 110 days. Post 8 is the outside post, not "the rail." First start at Churchill; Esquivel is 7% at the meet.

Trip Projection: Clears from the outside and sets the pace.

Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★★★)

Pens Street (Post 5) — Model Win %: 15%

PTW Profile: 8-year-old Street Sense mare, 10 wins in 48. Won a **$16,000** claimer at Belmont on 10/21 by a head, rallying from 3rd–4th—not a $12,500 "match race" or gate-to-wire win. Drops to $12,500.

Strengths: Luis Saez is 24% at the meet. Kinnon LaRose is 17% with claimers and 17% with last-out winners.

Concerns: LaRose is 0-for-8 at the meet and 10% with route runners. At 5-2 (28.6% implied), –**13.6%**.

Nilo's Rose (Post 1) — Model Win %: 14%

PTW Profile: **The 9-5 favorite.** Promises Fulfilled filly, 4 wins in 14. Her 6/26 race at Churchill was a **3rd**, not a win; her last win was a $30,000 claimer at Aqueduct on 2/27. 6th and 4th in her last two.

Strengths: Drops from $20,000. Steve Asmussen is 16% on dirt; Kevin Asmussen rides.





Concerns: Winless in five since February. At 9-5 (35.7% implied), –**21.7%**—the favorite to fade.

Cora's Legacy (Post 3) — Model Win %: 10%

PTW Profile: Street Sense mare, **4** wins in 34. Her 11/4 race at Churchill was a **4th**, not a win; she is 0-for-9 in 2026 (three 2nds, three 3rds). Leandro Moreno-Barban is 24% on dirt but 13% with route runners. Back in 11 days. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), –1.1%.

Tier 3 — Pace Factors / Longshots (★★)

Ce La Vi Charli (Post 4) — Model Win %: 9%

PTW Profile: Classic Empire filly, 4 wins in 24 (3 on turf). Won a turf optional claimer at Indiana on 7/9, but was **pulled up** on 8/19 and 10th on turf on 10/26. Switches to dirt; Genaro Garcia is 7% going from turf to dirt. At 6-1 (14.3% implied), –5.3%.

Acousticat (Post 6) — Model Win %: 6%

PTW Profile: Maclean's Music filly, 3 wins in 23—all on dirt (0-for-10 on turf, not 3-for-13). Not winless lately: won claimers on 5/7 and 6/10 (beating Beach Dancer) and was 2nd to Beach Dancer on 7/28. Off 79 days; Joe Roberts is 0-for-12 off 61–180 days and 4% with route runners. At 15-1 (6.3% implied), –0.3%.

Sunset Harbour (Post 7) — Model Win %: 3%

PTW Profile: American Freedom filly, 4 wins in 16, mostly in sprints; her last win was a $16,000 claimer at Tampa on 1/24 (not Gulfstream in 2025). Stretches out from 5 1/2f off three straight 4ths. James Watkins is 17% going from a sprint to a route. At 30-1 (3.2% implied), –0.2%.

Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Beach Dancer	ELITE	ELITE	Low — carries speed
Crushed Ice	ELITE	STRONG	Moderate — velocity maintained well
Pens Street	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — balanced
Nilo's Rose	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — respectable
Cora's Legacy	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — yields late
Ce La Vi Charli	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — inconsistent
Acousticat	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — deceleration pattern
Sunset Harbour	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — sprinter stretching out

Critical MPH Insight





The model rates **Beach Dancer** ELITE early and late, with **Crushed Ice** close behind—the two separate from the field. Sunset Harbour's opening speed (listed as "MODERATE," not a valid rating) is set to STRONG.

Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

Beach Dancer — Eggleston is 24% off 61–180 days.

Crushed Ice — Becker is 23% off 31–60 days.

Nilo's Rose — Drops from $20,000 to $12,500.

Bounce / Regression Risks

Ce La Vi Charli — Pulled up two starts back; dull since.

Sunset Harbour — Sprinter stretching to a mile.

Pens Street — 8 years old, coming off a head win; overbet at 5-2.

Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

WIN BET: CRUSHED ICE — Confidence 5/10 — Target odds: 4-1 or better

Model projects 22% win probability, the highest in the field. At 6-1 (14.3% implied), +7.7%: STRONG VALUE. (The report made Beach Dancer the Win Bet; the Win Bet is always the top-model horse.)

VALUE PLAY: BEACH DANCER — Confidence 5/10 — Target odds: 4-1 or better

Model projects 21% at 8-1 (11.1% implied): **+9.9%**, the race's biggest overlay. Off 110 days.

LONGSHOT PLAY: None—no horse at 10-1 or higher is an overlay.

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

A: Crushed Ice — 22%
B: Beach Dancer — 21%
C: Pens Street — 15%

Combined Projected Probability: 58%

Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★★ (3 of 5 stars)

Crushed Ice and **Beach Dancer** are nearly even on the model and both are overlays. **Nilo's Rose**, the 9-5 favorite, is the fade at –21.7%, and **Pens Street** (–13.6%) is also overbet.





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