# Churchill Downs

## Race 10 — 11/22/2026

Class: Allowance (N1X)

Distance: 1 1/8 Miles

Surface: Turf

Purse: $127,000

Starters: 12 (plus 3 also-eligibles)

Post Time: 5:24 ET

ALLOWANCE. Purse $127,000 (include $48,700 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming, Or Starter Over A Mile On The Turf Since September 22 Allowed 2 lbs. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at One and One Eighth mile.) (Rail at 12 feet).

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# COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

**Churchill Downs R10**
**Sunday, November 22, 2026 | 1 1/8 Miles Turf | Fillies & Mares 3YO & Up | Allowance N1X**

**Field note:** The race is on Sunday (the report said Saturday). **Also-eligibles:** Surprise Ending (13), Temple Goddess (14) and Classic Glide (15) run only if horses scratch from the main field of 12; they are left out of the bets and multi. Classic Glide was also **entered on 11/19** (CD race 8). **Layoffs:** Pretty Pertinent has not raced since 10/23/2024; The Palace Girl is off **316 days**; Sunshine Daydream is off **156 days**. **Good Game** makes her first start for Whit Beckman. **Off-turf caveat:** the race would go 1 1/8 miles on the main track. **Stir** and **Sneakily** ran 3rd and 2nd in the same race at this level at Keeneland on 10/24; **Struck At Midnight** and **Charm of Venice** ran 2nd and 3rd in the same race here on 10/29.

## Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

### True Front Runners

**Sunshine Daydream** (Post 5) — Led or pressed early in four of her last five turf starts (a front-runner, not a closer). **Pretty Pertinent** (Post 11) — Led throughout to win her maiden race in 2024. **The Grumpy Rabbit** (Post 3) — Led early on 11/6 and in the Rags to Riches last year.

### Stalkers / Pressers

**Struck At Midnight** (Post 10) — Pressed in 2nd on 9/24 (she finished 3rd; she did not win wire-to-wire). **Ellesmere Island** (Post 8) — 2nd to 3rd early in her win.

### Closers

**Sneakily** (Post 6) — 9th to 11th early in each of her last four starts (a closer, not a speed horse). **Charm of Venice** (Post 7), **Stir** (Post 1), **The Palace Girl** (Post 2), **Rhapsody in Motion** (Post 9) and **Good Game** (Post 12) — well back early.

### Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **SOFT** early pace—projected :24 1/5 opening quarter, :49 4/5 half-mile (the report's half-mile fraction was garbled), inside the SOFT band for 1 1/8 miles on turf (the report labeled it MODERATE). Sunshine Daydream is the likely leader; the favorite is a closer.

## Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

| Post | Horse | ML Odds | Model Win % | Implied ML % | Edge |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Stir | 6-1 | 6% | 14.3% | -8.3% |
| 2 | The Palace Girl | 8-1 | 7% | 11.1% | -4.1% |
| 3 | The Grumpy Rabbit | 12-1 | 5% | 7.7% | -2.7% |





| Post | Horse | ML Odds | Model Win % | Implied ML % | Edge |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | Diablo Shiraz | 30-1 | 1% | 3.2% | -2.2% |
| 5 | Sunshine Daydream | 15-1 | 8% | 6.3% | **+1.7%** |
| 6 | Sneakily | 3-1 | 24% | 25.0% | -1.0% |
| 7 | Charm of Venice | 9-2 | 14% | 18.2% | -4.2% |
| 8 | Ellesmere Island | 6-1 | 10% | 14.3% | -4.3% |
| 9 | Rhapsody in Motion | 20-1 | 4% | 4.8% | -0.8% |
| 10 | Struck At Midnight | 8-1 | 12% | 11.1% | **+0.9%** |
| 11 | Pretty Pertinent | 12-1 | 2% | 7.7% | -5.7% |
| 12 | Good Game | 20-1 | 3% | 4.8% | -1.8% |
| 13 | Surprise Ending (AE) | 12-1 | 2% | 7.7% | -5.7% |
| 14 | Temple Goddess (AE) | 30-1 | 1% | 3.2% | -2.2% |
| 15 | Classic Glide (AE) | 15-1 | 1% | 6.3% | -5.3% |
| | **TOTAL** | | **100%** | **145.7%** | |

Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion (the report's column was scaled). The table's model % is used (the report's text gave Sneakily 25%, Charm of Venice 15%, Struck At Midnight 13%, Ellesmere Island 11% and Sunshine Daydream 9%). **FADE: None.** Sneakily, the 3-1 favorite, is –1.0% (not +6.8%). Charm of Venice is –4.2% (not +1.5%) and Ellesmere Island –4.3%. Overlays: **Sunshine Daydream +1.7%** and **Struck At Midnight +0.9%**.

## Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

### Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★)

**Sneakily** (Post 6) — Model Win %: 24%

PTW Profile: **The 3-1 favorite.** A 3-year-old filly, 1 for 5 with three 2nds. Won a 1 1/8-mile turf maiden race here on 6/7 by 2 from 10th. Since then, beaten as the favorite three straight times at this level: 3rd at 2-5 at Ellis Park on 7/19; 2nd, beaten 1 3/4, here on 9/20; 2nd, beaten 1 1/2, at Keeneland on 10/24 after being last early. A closer with no early speed. Off 29 days. Brad Cox trains; Luis Saez rides.

Concerns: Three straight losses as the favorite. At 3-1 (25.0% implied), –1.0%.

**Charm of Venice** (GB) (Post 7) — Model Win %: 14%

PTW Profile: A 3-year-old filly, 1 for 6; her win was a maiden race in Ireland in June. 6th, beaten 18 3/4, in a Grade 3 at Kentucky Downs on 9/9 (not stakes-placed). Then 4th, beaten 1 3/4, at Keeneland on 10/3 and 3rd, beaten 1, as the 6-5 favorite at this level here on 10/29. Brendan Walsh trains; Tyler Gaffalione rides.

Concerns: Shorter trip than her last two races. At 9-2 (18.2% implied), –4.2%.



**Struck At Midnight** (Post 10) — Model Win %: 12%

PTW Profile: A 3-year-old filly, 2 for 9. Her wins came at Fair Grounds in December and March. She did **not** win here on 9/24 (3rd by a head after pressing). Last out, 2nd, beaten 1/2, at this level here on 10/29. Joe Sharp trains; Yarnier Ortiz Jr. rides with a 7-pound apprentice allowance.

Concerns: No win since March. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), +0.9%.

**Ellesmere Island** (Post 8) — Model Win %: 10%

PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 1 for 3. Won a 1 1/16-mile maiden race at Keeneland on 10/15 by 4 1/4 at 8-5, but it came **off the turf** (not a turf win). One turf start: 4th, beaten 3, at Belmont in October 2025. Off 38 days. Chad Brown trains; Jose Ortiz rides.

Concerns: Only one turf start. At 6-1 (14.3% implied), –4.3%.

**Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★)**

**Sunshine Daydream** (Post 5) — Model Win %: 8%

PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 1 for 11; won a turf maiden race at Fair Grounds by 1/2 on 3/13. Off **156 days** since 7th, beaten 14, at this level here on 6/19 (not a class drop). A front-runner. Joe Sharp trains; Brian Hernandez Jr. rides.

Concerns: Long layoff. At 15-1 (6.3% implied), +1.7%.

**The Palace Girl** (Ger) (Post 2) — Model Win %: 7%

PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 1 for 3. Won a 1 1/16-mile turf maiden race at Tampa Bay Downs on 1/10 by a head after being 11th early (not decisively, not 1 mile). Off **316 days**. William Walden trains.

Concerns: Long layoff. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), –4.1%.

**Tier 3 — Pace Factors / Longshots (★)**

**Stir** (6-1) — 1 for 2. Won a turf maiden race at Kentucky Downs on 9/5 by a head from 12th; 3rd, beaten 1 1/2, at this level at Keeneland on 10/24 (she has run in an allowance). –8.3%. **The Grumpy Rabbit** (12-1) — 1 for 5; 2nd in the Rags to Riches and 3rd in the Grade 1 Alcibiades in 2025. Returned from a year off on 11/6 and was 6th, beaten 40 1/4, after leading on dirt. One turf start. –2.7%. **Rhapsody in Motion** (20-1) — 1 for 11; 9th at 99-1 in the Grade 2 Valley View on 10/23. –0.8%. **Good Game** (20-1) — 1 for 15; first start for Whit Beckman. –1.8%. **Pretty Pertinent** (12-1) — 1 for 3; has not raced since winning a turf maiden race at Keeneland on 10/23/2024. –5.7%. **Diablo Shiraz** (30-1) — 2 for 14; won a 6 1/2-furlong starter allowance on the turf at Kentucky Downs on 9/6. She has been running in allowances (no class drop from claiming). –2.2%.

Workout, pedigree, trainer-ROI and earnings claims removed throughout.

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## Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

**PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings**





| Horse | Opening Speed | Sustained Speed | Deceleration Profile |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sneakily | VULNERABLE | STRONG | Moderate — from last, 2nd by 1 1/2 10/24 |
| Charm of Venice | VULNERABLE | STRONG | Moderate — 3rd by 1 on 10/29 |
| Struck At Midnight | STRONG | STRONG | Moderate — 2nd by 1/2 on 10/29 |
| Ellesmere Island | STRONG | STRONG | Moderate — pressed, won by 4 1/4 10/15 |
| Sunshine Daydream | ELITE | VULNERABLE | High — 7th by 14 on 6/19 |
| The Palace Girl | VULNERABLE | STRONG | Moderate — from 11th, won 1/10 |
| Stir | VULNERABLE | STRONG | Moderate — 3rd by 1 1/2 on 10/24 |
| The Grumpy Rabbit | ELITE | VULNERABLE | High — led, 6th by 40 1/4 11/6 |
| Rhapsody in Motion | VULNERABLE | STRONG | Moderate — 5th by 1 1/4 on 10/5 |
| Good Game | VULNERABLE | STRONG | Moderate — 3rd by 1 3/4 on 9/14 |
| Pretty Pertinent | ELITE | STRONG | Moderate — led, won 10/23/2024 |
| Diablo Shiraz | STRONG | VULNERABLE | High — 4th on 11/13 |

### Critical MPH Insight

**Sneakily** is changed from ELITE/ELITE to VULNERABLE/STRONG: she has been 9th to 11th early in her last four starts and has lost three straight as the favorite. **Struck At Midnight** is changed from ELITE sustained to STRONG. **Sunshine Daydream** is a front-runner (opening changed to ELITE). **Stir**, **The Palace Girl** and **Pretty Pertinent** have all raced (rated, not UNRATED).

## Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

### Likely to Improve

**Struck At Midnight** — 2nd by 1/2 at this level last out; 7-pound apprentice allowance.

**Stir** — Second start against winners after a close 3rd.

**Good Game** — First start for a new trainer.

### Bounce / Regression Risks

**Sneakily** — A closer facing a SOFT pace; three straight losses as the favorite.

**Sunshine Daydream**, **The Palace Girl** and **Pretty Pertinent** — Long layoffs.

## Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

**WIN BET: SNEAKILY** — Confidence 3/10 — Target odds: 7-2 or better





Model projects 24% at 3-1 (25.0% implied): –1.0%, the highest model win % in the field. Bet her only at 7-2 or more.

**VALUE PLAY: STRUCK AT MIDNIGHT** — Confidence 3/10 — Target odds: 8-1 or better

Model projects 12% at 8-1 (11.1% implied): +0.9%, the only overlay under 10-1.

**SECOND PLAY: CHARM OF VENICE** — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 13-2 or better

Model projects 14% at 9-2 (18.2% implied): –4.2%.

**LONGSHOT PLAY: SUNSHINE DAYDREAM** — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 12-1 or better

Model projects 8% at 15-1 (6.3% implied): +1.7%. Off 156 days; the likely leader in a SOFT pace.

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

**A: Sneakily** — 24%
**B: Charm of Venice** — 14%
**C: Struck At Midnight** — 12%

**Combined Projected Probability: 50%**

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## Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★ (2 of 5 stars)

A big, evenly matched turf field with three layoff runners and three also-eligibles. **Sneakily** tops the model at 24% but is a closer who keeps finding one better, and a SOFT pace does not help her. **Struck At Midnight** is the best-priced contender at 8-1. The report's 8/10 confidence and four-star rating are not supported.

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