Churchill Downs

Race 4 — 11/25/2026

Class: Claiming $50,000

Distance: 1 1/16 Miles

Surface: Turf (rail at 24 feet)

Purse: $86,000

Claiming Price: $50,000

Starters: 9

Post Time: 2:28 ET

CLAIMING. Purse $86,000 (include $10,200 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 On The Turf Since October 25 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $50,000 (Races Where Entered For $40,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (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 Sixteenth mile.) (Rail at 24 feet).

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Churchill Downs R4
Wednesday, November 25, 2026 | 1 1/16 Miles Turf | F&M 3YO & Up | Claiming $50,000 | Purse: $86,000

Field note: Layoffs: Bread to Run off 266 days (last raced 3/4); Yellow Sun Dress off 81 days; Poema 59; Raconteuse 42. **Dirt-to-turf:** Coquito (one prior turf start), Dozen Diamonds and Song of Songs come off dirt races. **First start off a claim:** Song of Songs (claimed for $30,000 on 11/15 by Kinnon LaRose) and Dozen Diamonds (claimed back for $25,000 on 11/15 by Chris Hartman). **New trainers:** Yellow Sun Dress (first start for Joe Sharp); Poema (second start for Kent Knudsen). **Shared barn:** Joe Sharp trains Coquito and Yellow Sun Dress for the same owner; they are not coupled. **Class rises:** Poema from $15,000; Song of Songs from $30,000; Dozen Diamonds from $25,000; Jack's Summer from an Indiana-bred allowance. Coquito carries a 7-lb. apprentice allowance (114 lbs.). If the race comes off the turf, it goes 1 1/16 miles on dirt.

Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

True Front Runners

Coquito (Post 7) — Pressed or led early in her last three, all on dirt. **Dozen Diamonds** (Post 3) — Led in the stretch on 11/15 and pressed, then won on 9/25, both on dirt.

Stalkers / Pressers

Jack's Summer (Post 8) — Pressed in 2nd, then won on 11/10 (not a closer). **Raconteuse** (Post 4) — 4th to 6th early. **Song of Songs** (Post 1) — 3rd early, then won on 11/15.

Closers

Yellow Sun Dress (Post 9) — 9th early in her 5/2 win; 10th early on 9/5 (not early pace). **Poema** (Post 5) — 7th early on 9/27. **Bread to Run** (Post 6) and **Take My Picture** (Post 2).

Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **MODERATE** early pace—projected :23 4/5 opening quarter, :48 1/5 half-mile. The report's :46 2/5 half would be SUICIDAL on turf at 1 1/16 miles and does not fit a field with one main speed horse. **Coquito** should control it with Dozen Diamonds and Jack's Summer closest.

Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Song of Songs	15-1	4%	6.3%	-2.3%
2	Take My Picture	20-1	2%	4.8%	-2.8%
3	Dozen Diamonds	10-1	6%	9.1%	-3.1%





Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
4	Raconteuse	5-2	20%	28.6%	-8.6%
5	Poema	20-1	7%	4.8%	**+2.2%**
6	Bread to Run	8-1	11%	11.1%	-0.1%
7	Coquito	9-5	33%	35.7%	-2.7%
8	Jack's Summer	15-1	9%	6.3%	**+2.7%**
9	Yellow Sun Dress	4-1	8%	20.0%	-12.0%
	TOTAL		**100%**	**126.7%**	

Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion (the report's column was scaled). Coquito is –**2.7%** (not +4.8%). Real overlays: Jack's Summer **+2.7%** and Poema **+2.2%**. **No fade:** the 9-5 favorite, Coquito, is above the –10% line. **Yellow Sun Dress** (4-1) is –**12.0%**.

Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★)

Coquito (Post 7) — Model Win %: 33%

PTW Profile: A 5-year-old mare, 9 for 29—almost all on dirt. **One career turf start** (the report's "9 turf starts, 9 wins" is false). 2nd by 3 as the 4-5 favorite after leading in a one-mile allowance here on 11/14; 2nd by 1/2 as the 3-10 favorite on 10/18; won a $50,000 handicap at Colonial by 3 1/2 on 8/22. Joe Sharp trains; Y. Ortiz Jr. rides (7-lb. apprentice allowance).

Concerns: Dirt-to-turf; beaten as a heavy favorite in her last two. At 9-5 (35.7% implied), –2.7%.

Raconteuse (Post 4) — Model Win %: 20%

PTW Profile: A 5-year-old mare, 2 for 23. 6th, beaten 8 3/4, at 14-1 in an allowance moved off the turf at Keeneland on 10/14; 5th by 4 1/4 at 12-1 in a turf allowance here on 9/20. Won a one-mile turf allowance at Ellis Park by a neck on 8/8; 2nd by 1/2 as the 3-2 favorite in an $80,000 turf claimer here on 6/21 (not a win off a claim—she has not been claimed). Ian Wilkes trains.

Concerns: Off 42 days. At 5-2 (28.6% implied), –8.6%.

Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★)

Jack's Summer (Post 8) — Model Win %: 9%

PTW Profile: A 7-year-old mare, 5 for 42. Pressed in 2nd, then won a 1 1/16-mile Indiana-bred turf allowance by 1 1/2 at 17-5 on 11/10; 2nd by 1 1/4 at Indiana Grand on 10/26. Robert Sturgeon trains.

Concerns: Jumps from state-bred company to a $50,000 open claimer. At 15-1 (6.3% implied), **+2.7%**.

Poema (Post 5) — Model Win %: 7%





PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 3 for 17. Won a one-mile $15,000 turf claimer at Mountaineer by 3 3/4 as the 7-5 favorite on 9/27, her first start for Kent Knudsen; won a $30,000 turf claimer at Indiana Grand by 1 3/4 on 11/6/25. Off 59 days.

Concerns: Big jump from $15,000. Her wins are not "three in a row" as the report said. At 20-1 (4.8% implied), **+2.2%**.

Bread to Run (Post 6) — Model Win %: 11%

PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 2 for 16. **Off 266 days**: 5th by 4 at 5-1 in a $50,000 claimer on Turfway's synthetic track on 3/4 (her last two starts were not turf routes). Last turf start: 3rd by 4 1/4 in an $80,000 claimer here on 11/16/25. Michelle Lovell trains.

Concerns: Long layoff. At 8-1 (11.1% implied), –0.1%.

Yellow Sun Dress (Post 9) — Model Win %: 8%

PTW Profile: A 5-year-old mare, 4 for 15. 7th at nearly 10-1 in a 7-furlong turf optional claimer at Kentucky Downs on 9/5. 3rd by 1/2 as the 7-10 favorite in a $40,000 turf claimer here on 6/6 after leading (not a win); won a one-mile turf allowance at Indiana Grand by 2 1/4 on 5/2. **First start for Joe Sharp**; off 81 days.

Concerns: Layoff and new barn. At 4-1 (20.0% implied), –**12.0%**.

Dozen Diamonds (10-1) — 4 for 21. 3rd after leading in a 6 1/2-furlong $25,000 dirt claimer on 11/15, where Chris Hartman claimed her back; dirt-to-turf and up in class. –3.1%. **Song of Songs** (15-1) — 5 for 9, and **2 for 2 on turf** (the report said one turf win). Won a 1 1/16-mile $30,000 dirt claimer by 3/4 as the 9-4 favorite on 11/15 and was claimed by Kinnon LaRose. –2.3%. **Take My Picture** (20-1) — 3 for 25. 8th by 13 1/2 at Indiana Grand on 10/27; 2nd by a head at Mountaineer on 9/29 (not "8th, 9th, 7th, 7th, 7th"). –2.8%.

Speed-figure, workout, trainer-ROI and jockey-percentage claims removed throughout.

Report Section 4: MPH Analysis + Sustained Speed Ratings

PTW Proprietary Speed Rankings

Horse	Opening Speed	Sustained Speed	Deceleration Profile
Coquito	ELITE	STRONG	Moderate — led, 2nd by 3 on 11/14
Raconteuse	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — won by a neck on 8/8
Bread to Run	STRONG	VULNERABLE	High — 5th by 4 on 3/4
Jack's Summer	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — pressed, won by 1 1/2 11/10
Yellow Sun Dress	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — 7th of 10 on 9/5
Poema	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — won by 3 3/4 on 9/27
Dozen Diamonds	ELITE	VULNERABLE	High — led, 3rd on 11/15





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Song of Songs	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — won by 3/4 on 11/15
Take My Picture	VULNERABLE	VULNERABLE	High — 8th by 13 1/2 on 10/27

Critical MPH Insight

Coquito has the early speed but has been caught late in her last two (sustained changed from ELITE to STRONG). **Yellow Sun Dress** is a closer, not early pace (opening changed to VULNERABLE). **Dozen Diamonds** is the second speed (opening changed to ELITE).

Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

Raconteuse — Drops from allowance company back to the turf.

Song of Songs — Unbeaten on turf; first start off the claim.

Jack's Summer — Comes off a win.

Bounce / Regression Risks

Bread to Run — Off 266 days.

Yellow Sun Dress — Off 81 days for a new barn; overbet at 4-1.

Coquito — Switches to turf after two losses as a heavy favorite.

Report Section 6: Suggested Bets

WIN BET: COQUITO — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 9-4 or better

Model projects 33% at 9-5 (35.7% implied): –2.7%, the highest model win % in the field. Needs better than her morning line.

VALUE PLAY: None. No overlay under 10-1.

LONGSHOT PLAY: JACK'S SUMMER — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 12-1 or better

Model projects 9% at 15-1 (6.3% implied): +2.7%, the largest overlay at 10-1 or higher (Poema +2.2%).

SECOND PLAY: RACONTEUSE — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 4-1 or better

Model projects 20% at 5-2 (28.6% implied): –8.6%. Second-highest model win %.

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

A: Coquito — 33%
B: Raconteuse — 20%





C: Bread to Run — 11%

Combined Projected Probability: 64%

Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★ (1 of 5 stars)

A turf claimer full of question marks: the favorite has run once on grass, the fourth choice is off 266 days, and five horses come off dirt, synthetic or state-bred races. **Coquito** tops the model but is not an overlay. **Yellow Sun Dress** is overbet at 4-1.

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