Churchill Downs

Race 2 — 11/26/2026

Class: Starter Allowance $30,000

Distance: 7 1/2 Furlongs

Surface: Dirt

Purse: $62,000

Starters: 7

Post Time: 11:58 ET

STARTER ALLOWANCE. Purse $62,000 (include $7,300 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF $30,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since October 26 Allowed 2 lbs.

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COMPREHENSIVE HANDICAPPING REPORT (CHR)

Churchill Downs R2
Thursday, November 26, 2026 | 7 1/2 Furlongs Dirt | F&M 3YO & Up | Starter Allowance | Purse: $62,000

Field note: First start off a claim: Watershed Moment (claimed for $30,000 on 10/29 by Aaron Shorter), Queen of Queens (claimed for $30,000 on 11/7 by Genaro Garcia), Angel Bella (claimed for $50,000 on 11/12 by Steve Asmussen) and Don't Be Salty (claimed for $30,000 on 11/15 by Asmussen). **Equipment: blinkers off** for Don't Be Salty (the report said blinkers on). **Shared barn:** Asmussen trains Angel Bella and Don't Be Salty (not coupled). **Same race 9/6 at Kentucky Downs:** Diablo Shiraz 1st, Queen of Queens 5th. **Same race 10/2 at Keeneland:** Noroomformischief 3rd, Queen of Queens 5th, Modern Sound 9th. **Distance:** Noroomformischief stretches out from sprints. Queen of Queens carries a 5-lb. apprentice allowance.

Report Section 1: Pace Analysis

True Front Runners

Watershed Moment (Post 1) — Led throughout to win her last two, by 2 3/4 on 10/29 and by 8 1/4 on 10/9. She is the lone true front-runner.

Stalkers / Pressers

Queen of Queens (Post 5) — Pressed early at Keeneland on 10/2 and at Fair Grounds in December (not a deep closer). **Diablo Shiraz** (Post 4) — 3rd to 6th early.

Closers

Noroomformischief (Post 2) — 6th early, then 3rd on 10/28 (a closer, not a presser). **Don't Be Salty** (Post 7) — 6th to 7th early, then 2nd on 11/15. **Angel Bella** (Post 6) and **Modern Sound** (Post 3) — back early.

Pace Scenario Projection

MODEL PREDICTS: **MODERATE** early pace—projected :23 2/5 opening quarter, :46 1/5 half-mile. **Watershed Moment** should get an uncontested lead from the rail.

Report Section 2: Win Probability Matrix

Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
1	Watershed Moment	5-2	26%	28.6%	-2.6%
2	Noroomformischief	8-5	13%	38.5%	-25.5%
3	Modern Sound	8-1	9%	11.1%	-2.1%
4	Diablo Shiraz	10-1	7%	9.1%	-2.1%
5	Queen of Queens	12-1	6%	7.7%	-1.7%





Post	Horse	ML Odds	Model Win %	Implied ML %	Edge
6	Angel Bella	9-2	19%	18.2%	**+0.8%**
7	Don't Be Salty	6-1	20%	14.3%	**+5.7%**
	TOTAL		**100%**	**127.5%**	

Implied ML % is the raw morning-line conversion (the report's column was scaled; it showed 8-5 as 30.2% and later as 14.0%). **FADE: Noroomformischief, the 8-5 favorite**—38.5% implied vs 13% model, –**25.5%**. Watershed Moment is –**2.6%**, not +3.6%. Overlays: Don't Be Salty **+5.7%** and Angel Bella **+0.8%**.

Report Section 3: Contender Analysis

Tier 1 — Primary Contenders (★★)

Watershed Moment (Post 1) — Model Win %: 26%

PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 2 for 13. Led throughout to win a 1 1/16-mile $30,000 claimer by 2 3/4 as the 13-5 favorite here on 10/29, where Aaron Shorter claimed her; led throughout to win a $30,000 maiden claimer at Keeneland by 8 1/4 on 10/9. Fernando Arrieta rides.

Concerns: First start off the claim; cuts back from two-turn races. At 5-2 (28.6% implied), –2.6%.

Don't Be Salty (Post 7) — Model Win %: 20%

PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 2 for 9. Rallied from 6th to finish 2nd by 3/4 at 3-1 in a 1 1/16-mile $30,000 claimer here on 11/15 (Song of Songs won), where Steve Asmussen claimed her. 7th, beaten 32 3/4, as the even-money favorite at Saratoga on 7/26; 2nd by a neck in a starter allowance here on 6/24; won a $30,000 claimer by 5 here on 5/31. **Blinkers off.** K.J. Asmussen rides.

Concerns: First start off the claim; cuts back to 7 1/2 furlongs. At 6-1 (14.3% implied), **+5.7%**.

Angel Bella (Post 6) — Model Win %: 19%

PTW Profile: A 4-year-old filly, 1 for 9. 5th, beaten 14 3/4, as the 2-1 favorite in a $50,000 claimer here on 11/12, where Steve Asmussen claimed her. 5th in an allowance on 9/26; 3rd by 2 at Saratoga on 7/26. Her only win was a Kentucky-bred maiden race in September 2025. Jose Ortiz rides.

Concerns: Winless in eight starts since. At 9-2 (18.2% implied), **+0.8%**.

Tier 2 — Secondary Contenders (★)

Noroomformischief (Post 2) — Model Win %: 13% — **FADE**

PTW Profile: **The 8-5 favorite.** A 3-year-old filly, 2 for 10. 3rd by 1 at 11-4 in a 6-furlong starter allowance here on 10/28 after racing 6th early; 3rd at Keeneland on 10/2; 2nd by 1/2 at 16-1 here on 9/10. Her wins came at Ellis Park in July and August. John Ennis trains; Tyler Gaffalione rides.

Concerns: Stretches out from sprints; three straight losses at this level. At 8-5 (38.5% implied), –25.5%.





Modern Sound (8-1) — 5-year-old mare, 2 for 22. 4th by 7 3/4 at 28-1 on 11/11; 9th at Keeneland on 10/2. Claimed for $16,000 on 9/16. –2.1%. **Diablo Shiraz** (10-1) — 2 for 14. Won a turf allowance at Kentucky Downs by a head at 26-1 on 9/6; 3rd by 7 1/2 in a starter allowance here on 9/20; 4th in an allowance moved off the turf on 11/13. –2.1%. **Queen of Queens** (12-1) — 2 for 8. 3rd by 2 1/4 as the 8-5 favorite in a $30,000 claimer here on 11/7 (not 4th), claimed by Genaro Garcia; last win 12/26/25. –1.7%.

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
Watershed Moment	ELITE	ELITE	Low — led, won by 2 3/4 on 10/29
Don't Be Salty	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — rallied, 2nd by 3/4 11/15
Angel Bella	VULNERABLE	VULNERABLE	High — 5th by 14 3/4 on 11/12
Noroomformischief	VULNERABLE	STRONG	Moderate — rallied, 3rd by 1 10/28
Modern Sound	VULNERABLE	VULNERABLE	High — 4th by 7 3/4 on 11/11
Diablo Shiraz	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — 3rd by 7 1/2 on 9/20
Queen of Queens	STRONG	STRONG	Moderate — 3rd by 2 1/4 on 11/7

Critical MPH Insight

Watershed Moment is the field's only true speed and has held on well in both wins. **Noroomformischief** is a closer (opening changed from ELITE to VULNERABLE). **Queen of Queens** is not a deep closer (opening changed to STRONG).

Report Section 5: Improvement & Regression Candidates

Likely to Improve

Don't Be Salty — First start for Asmussen; ran well at this level in June.

Watershed Moment — Should get the lead.

Bounce / Regression Risks

Noroomformischief — Stretches out; overbet at 8-5.

Angel Bella — Badly beaten as the favorite last out.

Report Section 6: Suggested Bets





WIN BET: WATERSHED MOMENT — Confidence 3/10 — Target odds: 3-1 or better

Model projects 26% at 5-2 (28.6% implied): –2.6%, the highest model win % in the field. Needs slightly better than her morning line.

VALUE PLAY: DON'T BE SALTY — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 4-1 or better

Model projects 20% at 6-1 (14.3% implied): +5.7%, the largest overlay.

LONGSHOT PLAY: None. No overlay at 10-1 or higher (the report's Angel Bella is a 9-2 shot).

SECOND PLAY: ANGEL BELLA — Confidence 2/10 — Target odds: 9-2 or better

Model projects 19% at 9-2 (18.2% implied): +0.8%. Next model horse after the Win and Value plays.

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

A: Watershed Moment — 26%
B: Don't Be Salty — 20%
C: Angel Bella — 19%

Combined Projected Probability: 65%

Report Section 7: Confidence Rating

★★ (2 of 5 stars)

Four of the seven come off claims. **Watershed Moment** tops the model and should get a clear lead. **Noroomformischief** is badly overbet at 8-5. **Don't Be Salty** is the value.

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