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AYA ANNOUNCES 2015 ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS

Moscow, Idaho—The Appaloosa Youth Association (AYA) in conjunction with *Appaloosa Journal*—the official publication of the Appaloosa Horse Club (ApHC), has concluded the judging of the 2015 Youth Essay Contest. Youth compete in two divisions (13 & under and 14-18) to showcase their writing talents. Cash prizes are awarded to the top three winners in each age division and the 1st place winner of each division will receive a one year subscription to the *Appaloosa Journal* along with having their essay published in the magazine. The AYA is pleased to announce the following youth as this year's AYA Essay Contest winners:

13 & Under

- 1st Place- Jacqueline Frimodt, age 13, of Redmond, WA
- 2nd Place- Abigail Ryun, age 8, Woodworth, ND
- 3rd Place- Sierra Wilson, age 10, Galatia, IL

14-18

- 1st Place- Morgan Rich, age 17, of Mackinaw, IL
- 2nd Place- Audrey Worthing, age 14, of Elm Creek, NE
- 3rd Place- Kiersten Pratt, age 16, Arlington, IL

To find out more about this contest or the many other exciting activities offered by the AYA visit www.appaloosayouth.com.

The Appaloosa Youth Association (AYA) is the youth affiliate of the Appaloosa Horse Club. Officially approved in 1981, the AYA was the first youth program developed to complement an equine breed association.