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APPALOOSA STAKES RACE AT FAIR MEADOWS DURING THE 64TH NATIONAL APPALOOSA CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

MOSCOW, Idaho— July marked the 64th year of the National Appaloosa Championship Show as well as the inaugural National Appaloosa Stakes Race and Spots And Dots Race at Fair Meadows in Tulsa, Okla.

The seventh race of the evening on July 8, 2011 was the inaugural 330-yard, two-year-old Appaloosa stake race with a \$14,000 guaranteed purse. Congratulations to **Big Brown, jockey William Ives, and owner/breeder Jeff Adams** on their fantastic win in race seven! Big Brown finished in 17.048 seconds and won it by a nose bringing home a sizable purse of \$8,292. **Big Brown** is a 2009 gelding by **Ivory James** and out of **R Ms Kitty**.

Seven Appaloosas competed in this exciting race; **Keystone Power** finished the race 17.056 taking home second place and a check for \$2,764, owned by James Limbaugh, jockeyed by Adam Roughly. **Opheucus** owned by C. Brandon and Kent Taylor finished in third with a time of 17.132 earning \$ 1,520 and jockeyed by Jesus Salazar. Fourth place finish went to **Man With The Magic**, jockeyed by Cody Smith and owned by John M. Haid Jr with a time of 17.360. John M. Haid Jr also owns the fifth place appaloosa, **Special Jessie** who was jockeyed by Mike Holmes, running the track in 17.436. **JTS Onefather** finished the race with a time of 17.822 in sixth place, owned by Jeff Tyer and Jacob Pritchett, jockeyed by Berkley Packer. 17.947 track time earned **Up In Time** a seventh place finish, owned by John C. Diediker, jockeyed by Bryan Ernst.

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Appaloosa Racing

Appaloosas have long been an integral part of one of America's most popular spectator sports—horse racing. The Appaloosa Horse Club (ApHC) officially recognized the sport in 1962, beginning Appaloosa racing history with four races and 23 starters competing for \$12,000 in total purses. In 2010, 123 Appaloosas competed in 218 races for \$2.1 million in total purses.

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