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BR PLEASURE VICTORIOUS IN ROCKY MOUNTAIN FUTURITY

MOSCOW, Idaho— Appaloosa BR Pleasure wins in Race 10, on May 31, 2015. The 330-yard Rocky Mountain Paint & Appaloosa Futurity race for two-year-olds was held at Pocatello Downs in Pocatello, Idaho with a field of nine, of which six were Appaloosa. The purse was valued at \$7,300.

BR Pleasure (Lotta Loot, JC x Beautiful Pleasure by O.A. Taylor) a 2-year-old filly, earned the win under jockey Justin Vanderwoude to cross the finish line in 17.568 seconds, earning an 81 speed index. The Idaho-bred filly won \$2,920 for the top spot boosting her lifetime earnings to \$4,545. She was bred by Rex Lewis of Idaho and is owned by Becky Grant of Idaho and trained by Darric Grant

Red Knight (Flying T Kingofkings x Cleopatras Image by Go Kinda Easy) a 2-year-old gelding, had a second place finish under jockey Nakia Ramirez to cross the finish line in 17.694 seconds earning a 77 speed index. This gelding is currently owned by Shane and Tavia McVey of Idaho and was bred by Ralph Hartline and is trained by Don Wheeler.

BG Spider Monkey (The Royal Jester x Fling T Black Widow by O.A. Taylor) a 2-year-old gelding, had the third fastest time under jockey Jose Guzman to cross the finish line in 17.823 seconds, earning a 73 speed index. The Idaho-bred Appaloosa was bred by Rex Lewis of Idaho and is owned by Becky Grant of Idaho and trained by Darric Grant.

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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 officially recognized the sport in 1962, beginning Appaloosa racing history with four races and 23 starters competing for \$12,000 in total purses. In 2014, 98 starters competed in races for over \$1.7M in total purses. Racing fans can find Appaloosas crossing the finish line in Arizona, California, Idaho, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, and Wyoming.

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