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Appaloosa, Rodeo Road, Wins Maiden Race in Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—Appaloosa stallion, Rodeo Road, made an impressive finish May 8 in a 300-yard maiden race at Remington Park in Oklahoma City, Okla. The maiden race offered a \$13,700 purse.

Rodeo Road, a 2-year-old Appaloosa stallion, fought for first place and crossed the finish line in 16.371 seconds for the win. The Oklahoma-bred stallion won \$7,870, bringing his lifetime earnings to \$7,930. Rodeo Road is by Okey Dokey Dale (AQHA) out of Perfect Intention (ApHC), by Easily Smashed (AQHA). Rodeo Road is proudly owned and was bred by Jeff Adams of Durant, Okla., trained by Tina Seely and was ridden by Adam Roughley.

Turnpike Express, a 2-year-old Paint Horse gelding, followed in second place. Turnpike Express, with Cody Smith aboard, completed the race in 16.396 and won \$2,850. The Paint Horse is owned by Nolan D. Pevehouse and is trained by Matt Whitekiller.

Sheissugarintheraw, a 2-year-old Paint Horse filly, completed the race in 16.489 seconds for a third place win. The filly won \$1,627. Sheissugarintheraw is owned by Sheila K. Mills, trained by John Purcell and was ridden by Pedro Martinez.

Other horses who completed the race include Alajet Too (APHA), JL Marquie Rose (APHA), Notchsonthebedpost (ApHC), Yes Shez Fast (APHA), Anns Elan (ApHC), Imaharefasternfire (APHA) and I Love Opal (ApHC).

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 2007, 197 starters competed in 441 races for \$2,725,151 in total purses.

Racing fans can find Appaloosas crossing the finish line in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Montana, Nevada, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, Washington and Wyoming.

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