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APPALOOSA PULLS AHEAD AT POCATELLO DOWNS

Pocatello, Idaho—Appaloosa “Cleopatras Sultan” led the track May 29 as one of only three Appaloosas in the 350-yard Rocky Mountain Classic Derby at Pocatello Downs in Pocatello, Idaho. The race was valued at \$3,000.

Cleopatras Sultan, a 3-year-old gelding, made game winner with Jose Guzman aboard to claim first place in 18.273 seconds. The Idaho-bred Appaloosa won \$1,800 and brought his lifetime earnings to \$5,943. Cleopatras Sultan (Flying T Kingofkings x Antonios Cleopatra) is owned and trained by Don Atwood of Idaho Falls, ID, and was bred by Ralph Hartline of Idaho Falls, ID.

Other horses in the race included: Annas Best Effort (APHA), Two Fuzz One (APHA), Kari Me Home Sam (ApHC), Short Silk (APHA), and Fiftyfive Tbird (ApHC).

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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 2008, 186 Appaloosas competed in 399 races for \$3.1 million in total purses.

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