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APPALOOSA TEXAS ROYAL SNOW CHALLENGES PAINT HORSES AND WINS

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—Being the lone Appaloosa on a track teeming with Paint horses proved to be no difficulty for Texas Royal Snow. The 5-year-old gelding made a strong showing at a 330-yard allowance race May 25 at Remington Park in Oklahoma City, Okla. The offered purse was valued at \$19,600.

Texas Royal Snow (This Snow Is Royal, AQHA x Texas Union) made a strong effort throughout the race and made a driving finish under Stormy Smith to complete the race in 16.714 seconds. The Oklahoma-bred Appaloosa won \$11,730 and brought his lifetime earnings to \$180,370. Texas Royal Snow is proudly owned and was bred by Jimmy Maddux of Weatherford, Texas, and is trained by Brandon Parum.

Other horses that completed the race included Mr Southern Mohawk (APHA), Chicks Lacerta (APHA), Midnight Water (APHA), Cuzimfromthecountry (APHA), High Class Turnpike (APHA), Da Boz (APHA), Mini Melt (APHA), Flashem Betty (APHA) and Johnnycantcatchme (APHA).

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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