

# APPALOOSA RACING NEWS

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## DOUXRAYMELILY SINGS A WINNING TUNE

**MOSCOW, Idaho**— Appaloosa **Douxraymelily** wins in Race 1, on May 23, 2015. The 400-yard claiming race for three-year-olds and up was held at Remington Park in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma with a field of seven, of which two were Appaloosa. The purse was valued at \$11,650. The claiming price was \$10,000.

**Douxraymelily** (Easy Doux, AQHA x Oh Lily Win by Will Win, JC) a 5-year-old mare, won handily under jockey Cody Smith to cross the finish line in 20.145 seconds earning an 81 speed index. She has had 23 career starts earning \$31,065. The Oklahoma-bred Appaloosa is currently owned by Rose Niehues of Oklahoma and was bred by Gary Walker and is trained by Beth Dooly.

**Eye Blush** (Eye To Eye x Bashful Blush, AQHA by Rare Form, AQHA) a 6-year-old mare, finished second under jockey Tony Bennett to cross the finish line in 20.328 seconds, earning a 77 speed index. She has had 26 career starts earning \$39,076. The Oklahoma-bred Appaloosa is currently owned and was also bred by Shirley Kelly of South Carolina and trained by Gary Walker.

For more information about Appaloosa Racing, please call the ApHC Racing Coordinator at (208) 882-5578 ext. 244 and visit [www.appaloosa.com](http://www.appaloosa.com) .

## 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, Montana, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, and Wyoming.*

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