

# Champions of 2011 Are Crowned

## 2011 Barrel Racing Report Barrel Horses of the Year

After tallying thousands of votes, they are here, the 2011 Barrel Racing Report Barrel Horses of the Year. It was another amazing year for Barrel Racing, spectacular runs, arena records set and broken, and big checks written at barrel races throughout the country all done with the help our equine partners. The Barrel Racing Report wanted to honor those who made the year so great.

We'd like to thank you all for your participation in our third year of voting. We also would like to say thank you to the committee for their skillful help. The voting was based 50% on popular and 50% on committee. Through the combined efforts of the barrel racing community we have brought you a select group of barrel horses, their jockeys and owners.

We would like to thank all the owners and riders of barrel horses across the country for their contribution to the industry we all love and enjoy. We salute the 2011 Champions, they are a select group of horses that have earned their honors by competing at the toughest barrel races in the country. Congratulations to the 2011 Champions and all those who were nominated!

### Four Year Old Mare

CHAMPION: **SEIS SO SWEET**

07 buck. f. Tres Seis-Stella D Oro, Takin On The Cash owner Bruce & Connie Vansickle, Nashport, OH rider Lance Graves

Seis So Sweet was definitely a sweet ride for rider Lance Graves and owners Bruce & Connie Vansickle in 2011. Seis So Sweet was like a dairy farm in 2011 pulling in a check about every couple weeks! Her biggest accomplishments of the year however; was win-

ning the Old Fort Days Futurity and cashing the \$55,909 paycheck, she also won the 2011 All American Congress Junior Barrels and the Hawki Futurity to just name a few of her wins. She was the Reserve World Champion at the AQHA World Show in Junior Barrels as well. Interestingly enough, her sire, Tres Seis, also sired the AQHA Racing World Champion 2 Year Old Ochoa in 2011. Seis So Sweet's consistent brilliance netted her owners well over \$80k in earnings for 2011.

RESERVE CHAMPION: **GUYS FAMOUS GIRL**, Angela Gilliam, Macy Quintanilla

07 g. f. Frenchmans Guy-Disarray, Dash Ta Fame

### Four Year Old Gelding

CHAMPION: **KISS THIS GUY**

07 ch. g. BHR Frenchies Socks-Kiss Kiss This, Chain of Events trainer/rider/owner: Ryann Pedone, TX

Champion Kiss This Guy is no stranger to the winners circle. His year included some big wins including the Cornhusker Futurity and the JB Quarter Horses Futurity. Trainer, rider and owner Ryann Pedone rode Kiss This Guy to numerous other wins including a reserve Championship at the WPRA Futurity. Pedone and Kiss This Guy earned an amazing \$85,000+ including a 4th place finish at the BFA Futurity earning \$11,313. Kiss This Guy gave impressive performances in Open races as well. He ran the fastest time at the Jud Little Barrel Bash and won the UWinmore Anniversary race in Glen Rose, TX. Kiss This Guy is now owned by Carlee Pierce of Stephenville, TX who is currently leading the World Standings.

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Sire: Streakin Six si 104  
Dam: Moon Fling si 102  
**2012 FEE: \$2000**

*Congratulations!*

**FAME FLING N BLING & Sarah McDonald**  
owned by Larry Ammons & Steve McDonald  
Earning **\$6,308** at the Southern States Triple Crown!  
**A STREAK OF RITA & Trula Churchill**  
earning \$4,812 over the 4<sup>th</sup> of July run!




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Dash si 101  
Dam: Easanon si 95  
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RESERVE CHAMPION: **HM CORNERSTONE**, Kebo Almond, Johnny Light  
07 bay g. Docs Gettin Reckless-Bashful Dash, Royal Quick Dash

**Four Year Old Stallion**

CHAMPION: **SLICK BY DESIGN**

07 bl. s. Designer Red-Dreams of Blue, Dream On Dancer rider: Kim Ulbricht, owner: Allene Tatom  
The jet black Slick By Design consistently cruised to fast times and big winnings throughout 2011 with rider Kim Ulbricht for owner Allene Tatom. In April of 2011, he started out by winning the BFA Spring Classic Slot Race and throughout the year he kept winning and placing against the best. He placed at BBR Formula 707 Futurity Consolation (2nd), Old Fort Days Futurity (7th), Jud Little Ranch Bar Nothin Barrel Bash Futurity (1st in 2nd Go) and the WPRF Finals Futurity Slot Race (3rd) to name a few. Along with this he placed and won at the big 4Ds and rodeos as well. Slick By Design by Designer Red is destined to carry on the legacy of grandsire On The Money Red showing his patented toughness and consistency.

RESERVE CHAMPION: **WANTA BE FAMOUS**, Sharin Hall, Carole Lampron

07 bay. s. Dash Ta Fame-Sheza Go For Sure, Heza Go For Three

**Five Year Old Mare**

CHAMPION: **FAME FLING N BLING**

06 bay. rn. m. A Streak of Fling-Short Penny, Dash Ta Fame rider: Sarah McDonald  
owners: Larry Ammons & Steve McDonald

Fame Fling N Bling earned her Championship title in 2011 traveling all across the Southeast. With rider Sarah McDonald, she has won major events including the All-American Youth Barrel Race in Jackson, MS. There the duo earned a whopping \$8,000. They've also won and placed at numerous NBHA shows. The bay roan mare, owned by Larry Ammons & Steve McDonald, was also part of Team East at the World Barrel Racing Challenge in Perry, GA winning \$5,000 for her performance. Fame Fling N Bling has lifetime earnings in excess of \$60,000 and continues to find herself in the winners circle. Together, with her 20 year old jockey Sarah McDonald, this young team has a long barrel racing career in front of them.

RESERVE CHAMPION: **GUYS CHAMPAGNE GIRL**, Cami Bauer, Bill & Debbie Myers

06 pal m. Frenchmans Guy-Hot Brandi N Wine, Hot Colours

**Five Year Old Gelding**

CHAMPION: **DOCS STREAKIN OAK**

06 s. g. A Streak of Fling-Miss Geminy Oak, Docs Oak owner/rider/trainer: Samantha Flannery, Flannery Barrel Horses  
Docs Streakin Oak has been a standout for owner, rider and trainer Samantha Flannery of Mission, SD. In 2011, he had earnings over \$20,000 including placings at the Dash and Dance Futurity, Cornhusker Breeders Futurity, Fizz Bomb Futurity, Roper Rally, Hawki & Roper Apparel Futurity. Flannery purchased the gelding on sentimental value. His dam, Miss Geminy Oak, won \$35,000 with Flannery. His biggest win of the year came in September at the Roper Rally Futurity & Slot Race. Docs Streakin Oak won the Rodeorigs Slot Race banking \$1,870 for his efforts. Doc wears multiple hats on the Flannery Ranch, son Jacob won the 5-State Pole Futurity and placed 2nd at the Roper Pole Futurity in 2011.

RESERVE CHAMPION: **HPQ SMOKIN RASCAL**, Hayden Segelke, Vickie Segelke  
06 pal. g. Una Frio Cerveza-Miss Smokin Annie, Fols Smoke

**Five Year Old Stallion**

CHAMPION: **STREAKING TA FAME**

06 ch. s. Dash Ta Fame-Streaking Bunny, Streaking Six rider: Sharin Hall; owner: Joleen Hales, Madill, OK  
After becoming a race winner at the race track, Streaking Ta Fame became a barrel winner as well for rider Sharin Hall and owner Joleen Hales. Streaking Ta Fame is a son of all time leading barrel sire Dash Ta Fame and looks to carry one the combination of racing and barrel brilliance that his sire throws to his foals. Streaking Ta Fame won the PacWest Barrel Futurity Championship, placed 3rd at the 9th Annual Beth Cooper Memorial, and placed 6th in the Old Fort Days Consolation. He now stands at Texoma Quarter Horses and is looking to produce winners of his own now.

**Open/4D Mare**

CHAMPION: **SX DR PEACHARITA**

04 pal. m. Dr Nick Bar x SX Frenchmans Peach, Frenchmans Guy rider: Brian Wheeler; owner: Stephanie Wheeler

Over the last few years, it seems like every other week Sx Dr Peacharita and jockey Brian Wheeler came across the results. Owned by Stephanie Wheeler, Peach (as she is better known) has taken Brian to the winner's circle at many of the biggest Open 4Ds and Derbies in the country. In 2011, she was on Team East for the World Barrel Racing Challenge pulling in \$5k for helping the winning team, placed 4th in the Senior Barrel Racing at the AQHA World Show, won the Youth at the BFA World Championships, placed 4th in the 1st Go and 3rd in the 2nd Go of the NBHA World Championships, and placed at many other shows along the way. This her second year in a row for winning the Open 4D Mare Champion, as she was the 2010 Open 4D Mare. Her lifetime earnings are well in excess of \$150,000. Wheeler and Peach actually just won the All American Youth race just last weekend, so this pair is still on their winning streak!

RESERVE CHAMPION: **FAME FLING N BLING**

06 b.rn. m. A Streak of Fling-Short Penny, Dash Ta Fame

**Open/4D Gelding**

CHAMPION: **IMAFRENCHMANSPISTOL**

05 g. g. A Sharp Frenchman-Royalled Out, Lowell D Royal rider: Troy Crumrine; owner: Matt & Bendi Dunn

The 2011 Champion Open Gelding honors go to the well deserving A Sharp Frenchman son, Imafrenchmanspistol. With top ranking jockey Troy Crumrine on board, Imafrenchmanspistol was able to capture an 8th place finish at the esteemed Old Fort Days Derby earning a \$8,393. They also placed at other prestigious events including the BFA World Championship Derby & the All-American Quarter Horse Congress. Imafrenchmanspistol has lifetime earnings in excess of \$50,000 for owners Matt & Bendi Dunn of Bismarck, Missouri.

RESERVE CHAMPION: **NO SOCKS FROST**, Jordon Talbot

09 s. g. Jakki Ax-Irvins Brickin Girl, Breckinridge

**Open/4D Stallion**

CHAMPION: **JL DASH TA HEAVEN**

05 s. s. Dash Ta Fame-Dynas Plain Special, Special Feelins

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# Huge Payouts at Southern States Triple Crown

Southern States Triple Crown  
July 4-8, 2012, Perry, GA

## Friday Open

- 1D 1 Lil Miss Runaway, Dana Haas, 14.693, \$3,968.28  
 01 s. m. JA Runaway-Miss Two By Two, Daxs Tama Bar  
 2 It's Gods Call, Nicole Ferrell, 14.714, \$3,267.99  
 99 brn. g. Whirling Fastball-Easter Boonie, Johnny Boone  
 3 Bug Ya For Moolah, Christina Dusendang, 14.728, \$2,917.85  
 4 Jet-O-Red, Nicole Love, 14.757, \$2,217.57  
 5 Run N With Ease, Darlene DeVine, 14.761, \$1,867.42  
 6 RLJ High Intedsity, Brett Monroe, 14.786, \$1,634.00  
 7 Turn Three For Money, Taylor Hooks,

## TOP 4

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|----------------------|------------|
| 1 RLJ High Intedsity | \$7,477.44 |
| 2 Fame Fling N Bling | \$6,308.68 |
| 3 Lil Miss Runaway   | \$6,287.81 |
| 4 Bully By Design    | \$4,515.26 |

- 14.833, \$1,400.57  
 8 LS Wonder Boy, Lacy Childress, 14.862, \$1,167.14  
 9 Playnwithafourtyfive, Casey Oliver, 14.867, \$1,050.43  
 10 Hummin With Image, Alexis Skiles, 14.885, \$933.71  
 11 Red Oak Money, Katie Manley, 14.898, \$817.00  
 12 Miss Gay Bar Abby, Summer Huff, 14.901, \$700.28  
 13 Coal Thunder, Kaitlyn Prentice, 14.909, \$583.57

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riders: Benette Barrington-Little & Ashley Nelson  
 owner: Jud Little Ranch

It's no surprise to see JL Dash Ta Heaven in Championship standing as a Barrel Horse of the Year. The 2005 sorrel stallion owned by the Jud Little Ranch has won honors in 2009 as Champion 4-Year-Old Stallion and in 2010 as Champion 5-Year-Old Stallion. In 2011, JL Dash Ta Heaven pulled double duty in the arena. He competed with jockey Benette Barrington-Little all across the nation at Pro Rodeos and also with jockey Ashley Nelson at the BBR World Finals and the Old Fort Days Derby. With Nelson, he set an arena record at the BBR World Finals running a blazing 14.881 in the State Fair Coliseum against a tough group of contenders. This was one of many arena records JL Dash Ta Heaven owns throughout the country. His rodeo career was just as impressive. With Barrington-Little aboard the team won the NILE, American Royal, Old Fort Days and Springdale Pro Rodeos along with numerous other placings. Currently, Barrington-Little and JL Dash Ta Heaven sit 4th in the World Standings.

**RESERVE CHAMPION:** Chasin Firewater, Kassie Mowry, JB Quarter Horses

01 pal. s. Fire Water Flit-Has The Touch, Bugs Alive in 75

HUTT SIX SI 90	EASY SIX SI 97
STREAKIN AGAIN	HUTT SUTT SI 89
CODYS STREAKIN AGAIN	SIX FORTUNES SI 107
<b>RLJ HIGH INTEDSITY</b>	RANAMORA SI 84
2008 SORREL GELDING	BUCKAROO
LITE THE FUSE	ANNIE'S DREAM
LITE ME UP TB	PUKKA GENT
PEERS TO ME	ANJELITA
RIDER: BRETT MONROE, OWNER: HOMER BEASLEY, BREEDER: RANDY JARVIS	

- 14 VF Red N Peppy, Brett Monroe, 14.914, \$466.86  
 15 Bully By Design, Clint Sherlin, 14.915, \$350.14

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## Overall Rodeo Horse

CHAMPION: **SUGAR MOON EXPRESS**

00 s. m. Dr Nick Bar-Babys Blue Jeans, Six Fols  
 rider/owner: Lindsay Sears

In the Rodeo Horse division, it came down to a very familiar name, Sugar Moon Express, better known as Martha and owner/rider Lindsay Sears. This famous team cruised to their 2nd World Championship in 2011 using a super consistent NFR to win the Average and bag the World Title. The pair has also been the Reserve World Champion twice in the past. There aren't many rodeos the pair hasn't won on their way to over \$1.6 million in lifetime earnings. After overcoming a potentially career ending injury from the 2010 NFR, the team showed up at Reno in the early summer of 2011, pulled a check and from there on it was Martha being Martha. The team placed at rodeos like Ponoka, Cody, Livingston, Cheyenne, Spanish Fork, and Puyallup throughout the year. Sears and Martha ended up with earnings of \$238,864 for 2011 along with winnings at Calgary. This year Sears and Martha sit #3 in the World with earnings of \$72,418.

RESERVE CHAMPION: **RARE DILLION**, Carlee Pierce

00 buck. g. Firecracker Fire-Rare Class, Rare Jet

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