

Slide Street Journal

Monday, April 18

2022 NRBC KICKS OFF TODAY WITH NON PRO PRELIMINARIES

The National Reining Breeders Classic is back in Katy, Texas, and officially begins today.

The Non Pro Classic preliminaries boast a record-breaking 212 entries contending for a spot in the Finals on Friday. The Open Classic competition gets underway on Wednesday with the first section of the preliminary round, and the Open Finals will be Saturday.

There are numerous parties scattered throughout the week that are open to everyone, and

include the Hygain Welcome Party (Tuesday), the Markel Insurance Non Pro Draw Party (Wednesday), and the Matt Mills Reining Horses Open Draw Party (Thursday).

While the Classic is the marquis event of the show, opportunities to compete in the world-class setting abound. There are two complete slates of horse show classes, and riders can win not only the daily championships, prizes, and money, but also beautiful Skyline Silversmiths highpoint buckles if they choose to compete in both slates.

One of the highlights of the horse show classes is always the Yellowstone Rookie Shootout, held Friday evening in the Coliseum Arena. Rookie riders who compete in both slates of Rookie classes can compete for even more prizes



 including a custom trophy bench from MyTCoat – if they have one of the top five composite scores from the two slates.

Thanks to increased support from NRBC Platinum Sponsor Toyon Ranch, all Rookie entry fees and judges fees are paid in 2022 with the Toyon Ranch Rookie Free For All. NRBC Gold Sponsor Adh Mor Ranch/PS Mega Shine Chic does the same with Crushing the Youth Fees for all Youth ancillary classes.

For those not in Katy or who just want more behind-thescenes content, the Million Dollar Show has several social media channels that are updated multiple times daily. Follow along on Facebook @NationalReiningBreedersClassic, on Instagram @NRBC2022, Twitter @NRBC2022, and SnapChat @NRBC2022.

"This is an exciting year for the NRBC, and we look forward to sharing what is happening down here in Katy with reining fans around the world," noted NRBC Secretary-Treasurer Cheryl Cody.

Draws and results are posted daily at www.NRBC.com, and the Equine Promotions live webcast of all three arenas can also be accessed from the NRBC home page.

ATTENTION

Every arena on the grounds, including competition and warm up, of the GSEC closes at midnight and opens at 6 a.m. if there are no classes scheduled in an arena for that day.

If an arena has a class that day, that arena will remain closed from midnight until the first horse goes in the class, and will reopen after completion of class. The Coliseum Arena will be open to Next Day Horses Only after the class until closing.

The exceptions to the above apply only to the Coliseum, and are:

Thursday, April 21 & Friday, April 22 - Coliseum will be open to Non Pro and Open finalists and Open/Open Classic Challenge horses from end of awards presentation until arena is closed for dirt work at 6:30 a.m. the next morning.

Saturday, April 23 – Coliseum will be open for Non Pro/Non Pro Classic Challenge and Sunday ancillary Open horses following Open Finals awards presentation until 6:30 a.m. on Sunday.



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NRBC Open Champions

2021 Jason Vanlandingham A Vintage Smoke (A Sparkling Vintage) Diane Mesmer

2021 Dany Tremblay Tinker With Dreams (Tinker With Guns) Diamond Dub Quarter Horses

2020 Casey Deary Americasnexttopgun (Walla Walla Whiz) Puno Performance Horses LLC

2019 Nathan Piper Patriot (Smart Spook) Diane Mesmer

2019 Jason Vanlandingham A Vintage Smoke (A Sparkling Vintage) Shannon & Hershel Reid

2018 Duane Latimer Modern Gun (Gunners Special Nite) MS Stables

2017 Andrea Fappani Chic Dreamin (Magnum Chic Dream) Silver Spurs Equine

2016 Jason Vanlandingham Not Ruf At All (A Sparkling Vintage) Vaughn Zimmerman

<u>2015</u> Andrea Fappani Frozen Enterprize (Frozen Sailor) Silver Spurs Equine <u>2014</u> Martin Muehlstaetter Blue Collar Tag (Whiz N Tag Chex) Shaunda Ruckman

2013 Thiago Boechat Wimpyneedsacocktail (Wimpys Little Step) Xtra Quarter Horses LLC.

2012 Shawn Flarida Spooks Gotta Whiz (Spooks Gotta Gun) Michell Anne Kimball

2011 Shawn Flarida Shine Chic Shine (Smart Chic Olena) Àmabile & Strusiner

2010 Craig Schmersal Boom Shernic (Boomernic) Boom Shernic Syndacate

2009 Andrea Fappani Cromed Out Mercedes (Custom Crome) Rancho El Fortin

<u>2008</u> Shawn Flarida Wimpys Little Chic (Wimpys Little Step) Arcese Quarter Horses

<u>2007</u> Andrea Fappani Custom Legend (Custom Crome) Steve Simon

2006 Shawn Flarida Einsteins Revolution (Great Resolve) Wagner & Vandorp

<u>2005</u> Dell Hendricks Hit The Lights (Grays Starlight) Adair Reiners

<u>**2004</u>** Dell Hendricks</u> Reminic N Dunit (Hollywood Dunit) McQuay/Silva

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2002 Dell Hendricks Starlights Wrangler (Grays Starlight) Sally Broten

<u>**2001**</u> Tom McCutcheon Smartest Chic Olena (Smart Chic Olena) Terry Owens

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1999 Tim McQuay Miss Tinseltown (Great Red Pine) Dave Silva

1998 Dell Hendricks Mr Boomerjac (Boomernic) Rancho Oso Rio

NRBC Non Pro Champions

2021 Mandy McCutcheon JLosa (Arlosa Whiz)

2020 Indy Roper Spooks Show Time (Spooks Gotta Whiz) 2019 Mandy McCutcheon Party Nite (Gunners Special Nite)

2018 Jose Vazquez Like Shiner (Smart Like Juice) 2017 Jack Medows Chicsdreamofdiamonds (Magnum Chic Dream)

2016 Sarah Lynn Locker Heavy Duty Chex (Nu Chex To Cash)

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2014 Mandy McCutcheon Ms Whiz Dunit

Ron Thompson Taris Dreamer (Magnum Chic Dream) (Colonels Smoking Gun)

2011 Shaunda Rai Ruckman Rufanicki (Lil Ruf Peppy)

2010 Kim Dooley Country Custom (Custom Crome)

<u>2009</u> Jose Vazquez Wound By Juice (Smart Like Juice)

2008 Mandy McCutcheon I Spin For Chics (Tangys Classy Peppy) **2007** Mandy McCutcheon Rawhides Banjo (Dunit Rawhide)

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2005 Wendy Latimer Diamonds For Chics (Hickory Chic Olena) 2004 Lance Griffin Whiz N Tag Chex (Topsail Whiz)

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2002 Mandy McCutcheon Don't Miss This (Missin James)

<u>2001</u> Josh Hattig Steadys Dude (Steady Tradition) 2000 Marc Wagman Tougher Than The Rest (Custom Crome)

1999 James Morgan Hesa Smart Chic (Smart Chic Olena)

1998 Keith Crawford Rowdy Yankee (Smart Chic Olena) 18014 Park Row Dr, Houston, TX 77084

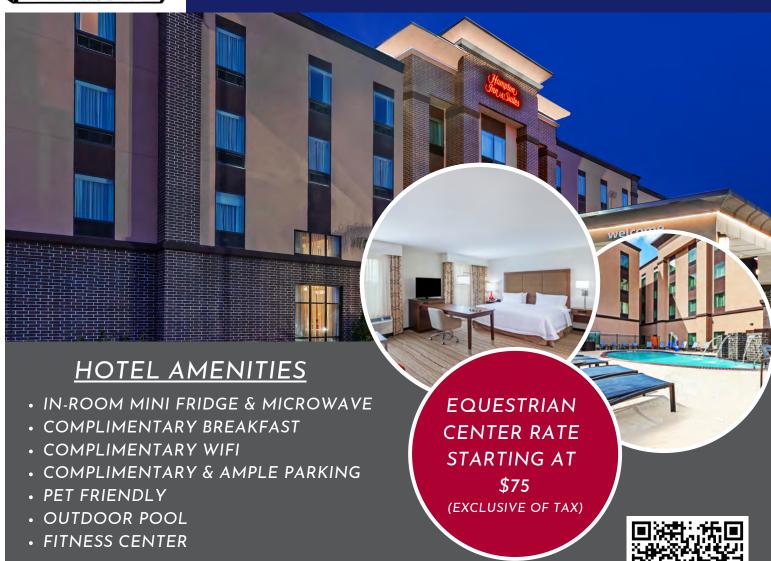


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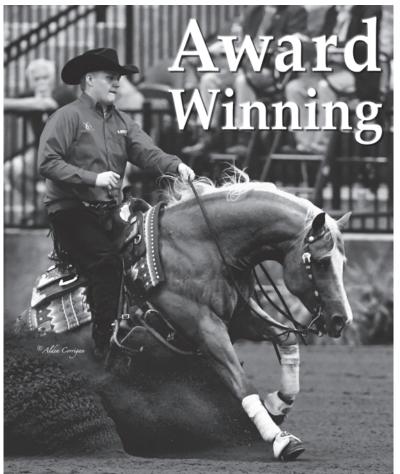
CONGRATULATIONS EASTER EGG HUNT GRAND PRIZE WINNERS!

There were two Grand Prize Eggs in yesterday's Easter Egg Hunt, and the winners received some awesome inflatable Easter bunnies.

Congratulations to Grand Prize Winners Prescott Jackson (left) and Julian Gauthier (right).





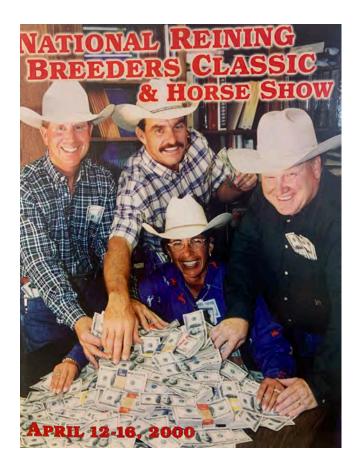


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FLASHBACK!

NRBC Staff were going through the archives and found these gems. On the left is the NRBC Show Program from 2000, and the right is the program from the very first NRBC in 1998!



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Coliseum Arena

8 a.m. – Non Pro Classic Preliminaries (1st Section) – Pattern 8

30-minute lunch break following draw #42

15-minute extended drag following draw #78

 $Following \ the \ section, \ the \ Coliseum \ will \ be \ open \ to \ Tuesday \ Coliseum \ horses \ only \ until \ midnight.$

Tellepsen Arena

6 a.m. – Paid Warm Ups

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CHURCH AT NRBC PRESENTED BY ED HARRISON

Being at a horse show doesn't mean missing out on Church, thanks to Pastor Ed Harrison. Church services were held Sunday morning in the Crystal Tent, located outside the Tellepsen Arena.

If you missed the service, you can catch Ed again next Sunday, April 24, at 7 a.m.

Thank you to Ed for leading the service.





EASTER PHOTOS POSTED ONLINE

All photos from yesterday's Easter Bunny shoot and Easter Egg Hunt have been posted on

Facebook com/National Reining Breeders Classic

Face book. com/National Reining Breeders Classic

If you don't see your photo, stop by and let us know in the Sponsor/Media Office.

DON'T FORGET TO ENTER!

Entries for Tuesday's Int. Open, Ltd. Open, Rookie Pro., Ltd. Non Pro, and Prime Time Non Pro will close at noon today. Entries can be taken after the noon deadline for a \$200 late fee.

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