

# TRANSWEST FUTURITY

Lazy E Arena – April 14-16, 2017 – Guthrie, OK

## FUTURITY AVERAGE

1. Kylie Weast, **HELL ON THE RED** m by **JL Dash Ta Heaven**, 34.939, \$3,184.00
2. Kati Jacobs, **GROOVEE** g by **Famous Bugs**, 35.152, \$2,654.00
3. Aimee Montgomery, **FLORIDA FAME** m by **Streaking Ta Fame**, 35.258, \$2,255.00
4. Ryann Pedone, **TRES DUCKS IN A ROW** m by **Tres Seis**, 35.505, \$1,725.00
5. Ryann Pedone, **LEAP OF FAME** m by **Dash Ta Fame**, 35.583, \$1,327.00
6. Christina Dusendang, **FOR FAME AND BULLION** m by **Eddie Stinson**, 35.655, \$928.00
7. Sequin Brewer, **CAPTAIN HOOK** g by **Famous Bugs**, 35.707, \$663.00
8. Kenna Squires, **MS FLAMIN TRES SEIS** m by **Tres Seis**, 35.743, \$530.00

*Futurity Champion*

## KYLIE WEAST & HELL ON THE RED



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## KYLIE WEAST

My first run of the futurity went really well. We ran a 17.390 and that was the fastest time of the weekend up to that point. Reddy (Hell on the Red) was focused and gave me 100 percent. We won the first round with that time. The second round of the futurity, I just knew I had to get around them to get an average check. I ended up having to lift a leg to get around the second barrel, and Reddy had a little ground trouble on the third barrel causing her to double-hitch to leave the turn. But she kept trying and ended up running a 17.549, which split the round. My expectations were high. I know what kind of horse I have. I never run down the alley not thinking I am going to get part of it.

I also took my ol' faithful, Wolfie (Namgis D 15). He was my first futurity horse and is now 8 years old. He always pulls through for me, and didn't disappoint. We ended up 6<sup>th</sup> in the 1D in the Open on Saturday with a 17.4.

Double B Productions and Renea Boiling never disappoint. Her staff is great, and she puts on a very efficient barrel race. The Lazy E arena is big and the ground can be a little deep sometimes. But the ground crew kept it as even as possible the entire weekend.

***“You work for them while you are on the ground, and they work for you when you are on their back”***

- Renee Ward

**HELL ON THE RED** is home-raised by JL Dash to Heaven out of Designer Ruby (Designer Red). She is a 5-year old, sorrel mare. My family, Youree – Ward Barrel Horses owns her. We decided to hold her until her 5 year old year because, 1) we own her and 2) she was a bit of a handful her 3 year old year. She had an excessive amount of breaking, and I didn't start the barrel pattern until late summer of her 3 year old year. She was a bit spooky and so quick. However, she took right to the barrels and was clocking really decent times within the first 60 days of training. So we turned her out for the winter and got her back up in March of her 4 year old year. I rode her until July, when I couldn't ride her any longer due to being 5 months pregnant. So, my sister, Janae Massey, took over and got her ready for the BFA in December and the Arizona futurities in January. Janae basically finished her and did all of the seasoning. I got back on her in February, and went to Diamonds and Dirt in March and ended up 9<sup>th</sup> in the slot race and 6<sup>th</sup> in the average of the futurity. I always get an exhibition if they are available. I don't know that it is necessary for Reddy, but it makes me feel better knowing that I've done all I can to get ready for competition.

As far as tack and therapies... I ride with a Merrill, 3 piece dog bone and a raw-hide tie-down. I use a 13" rough out, Ammerman (Youree tree), so I can stay in the middle in a turn. I also use Back on Track quick wraps for the hauls and in the stall when I'm at a barrel race. Reddy is on Bluebonnet feeds and Bluebonnet Stride and Formula 707 as daily supplements. But other than that, just good ol' riding and exercise on a daily basis.

## Kylie Weast cont...

**TRAINING TIP...** I went and rode with Doug Schrutka, our horse breaker, and he told me that it didn't matter what discipline, that all of it is about leadership. You have to be a leader to your horse. My granddad, Dale, has always told me that they have to know you are the boss, but your horse and you have to have mutual respect for one another. I think that's what it all boils down to. "You work for them while you are on the ground, and they work for you when you are on their back," Renee Ward.

**GIVING THANKS...** Where do I start? Thank you to my grandparents for trusting me with Hell on the Red and sponsoring our efforts. Thank you

to my mom for keeping my baby when she can't come with us, and always breaking down my runs with me to see where we can improve. Thank you to my sister, Janae for being my hauling partner and the level-headed one, with a different perspective, that usually always has the answer. Thank you to my husband, Jay, for staying at home and working so hard, so that I can be gone for a few weeks of the year to do what I love. Thank you to Stan Sigman, with Namgis Quarter Horses, for trusting my training and allowing me to get a start in the futurity world. Sponsors: Thank you Florence and Dale Youree! Darla Schneider and Schneider Performance Pads – the only saddle pad for my horses. Thank you, Tres Rios Silver for some really cool clothing and beautiful tack.

*Kylie*

### FUTURITY 1ST GO

#### 1D

1. Kylie Weast, **HELL ON THE RED** m by **JL Dash Ta Heaven**, 17.390, \$2,123.00
2. Ryann Pedone, **TRES DUCKS IN A ROW** m by **Tres Seis**, 17.509, \$1,592.00
3. Kay Young, **FAMOUS ILLUSION** c by **Dash Ta Fame**, 17.552, \$1,061.00
4. Kati Jacobs, **GROOVEE** g by **Famous Bugs**, 17.597, \$530.00

#### 2D

1. Monica Mcclung, **IMA CASH GUY** c by **A Smooth Guy**, 18.473, \$530.00
2. Mindy Hallmark, **FREEDOM HAS ITSPERKS** g by **Perks Alive**, 18.519, \$398.00
3. Macee James, **REXX** g by **Famous Bugs**, 18.590, \$265.00
4. Michael Smith, **BETSHEFLITINSPECIAL** m by **Killian Pacific Plus**, 18.592, \$132.00

### FUTURITY 2ND GO

#### 1D

1. Kylie Weast, **HELL ON THE RED** m by **JL Dash Ta Heaven**, 17.549, \$1,857.00
1. Aimee Montgomery, **FLORIDA FAME** m by **Streaking Ta Fame**, 17.549, \$1,857.00
3. Kati Jacobs, **GROOVEE** g by **Famous Bugs**, 17.555, \$1,061.00
4. Katie Loughran, **STREAKIN FLASH GREY** m by **CS Flashlight**, 17.605, \$530.00

#### 2D

1. Kay Young, **FAMOUS ILLUSION** c by **Dash Ta Fame**, 18.648, \$530.00
2. Kylar Terlip, **NIKKIS FAMOUS** m by **Famous Jr**, 18.801, \$398.00
3. Michael Smith, **CHESTERS SOMETHING**, 18.919, \$265.00
4. Colt Tew, **CJ MAJOR RIME ROCKS** c by **Firewaterontherocks**, 18.975, \$132.00

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