

# 5-STATE BREEDERS FUTURITY

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*Futurity Champion*

**TAYLOR HILDRETH & TOO CHAINS**

## FUTURITY AVERAGE

1. Taylor Hildreth, **TOO CHAINS** g by **Ima Firefighter**, 51.620, \$2,344.62
2. Taylor Hildreth, **MORNING SUN SHINE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 52.297, \$1,936.86
3. Craig Strizke, **MR SASSY FRENCHMAN** c by **Frenchmans Guy**, 52.748, \$1,529.10
4. Samantha Flannery, **ANY GUY OF MINE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 52.817, \$1,223.28
5. Nathan Holt, **LETZ MAKEA DEAL GUYZ** c by **Frenchmans Guy**, 52.948, \$917.46
6. Jessie Havener, **WHOOWHO SHEZTALENTED** m by **Prime Talent**, 53.095, \$662.61
7. Melena Osborne, **YGW SMOKE N HOT** m by **Smoken French Winner**, 53.108, \$509.70
8. Samantha Flannery, **FL BABY BLUE BUGS** g by **Fire On Bug**, 53.151, \$407.76
9. Amber West, **JJ FOULISH EYES** m by **Jess Eye**, 53.460, \$356.79
10. Ty Hansen, **SPARK N FEATURE** g by **Smoke N Sparks**, 53.664, \$305.82

## FUTURITY FINALS

1. Nathan Holt, **LETZ MAKEA DEAL GUYZ** c by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.401, \$2,344.62
2. Samantha Flannery, **FL BABY BLUE BUGS** g by **Fire On Bug**, 17.484, \$1,936.86
3. Taylor Hildreth, **TOO CHAINS** g by **Ima Firefighter**, 17.503, \$1,529.10
4. Taylor Hildreth, **MORNING SUN SHINE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.570, \$1,223.28
5. Samantha Flannery, **ANY GUY OF MINE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.591, \$917.46
6. Craig Strizke, **MR SASSY FRENCHMAN** c by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.667, \$662.61
7. Melena Osborne, **YGW SMOKE N HOT** m by **Smoken French Winner**, 17.679, \$509.70
8. Jessie Havener, **WHOOWHO SHEZTALENTED** m by **Prime Talent**, 17.684, \$407.76
9. Amber West, **JJ FOULISH EYES** m by **Jess Eye**, 17.706, \$356.79
10. Ty Hansen, **SPARK N FEATURE** g by **Smoke N Sparks**, 18.078, \$305.82

## TAYLOR HILDRETH

### TOO CHAINS

We raised Too Chains; I bought his mom from Kristie Thorstensen, and bred her to Ima Firefighter. I always liked how quick and athletic he was and wanted a colt out of him, and he didn't disappoint! The Ima Firefighter prospects seem to all have fast foot speed and a natural collection to them. They may have a couple quirks, but all good ones do in my opinion! Too Chains was so unbelievably natural on the pattern. He always knew where to put his feet and had excellent timing with his rate and speed control. He has been cinchy all of his life, so that was a big struggle for a while, although he's outgrowing it, I think. He has an excellent mind--extremely smart and as long as he trusts you he will do anything you ask.

### 5-STATE FUTURITY...

I had been really hoping for a win for Too Chains the whole year, we had hit a few barrels to keep us from that this spring so in all honesty that was my goal coming into the event. The 5-State is always my favorite, so I thought that would be the most perfect time for him to get the spotlight! My first run I was the last horse out, and currently held the lead on Morning Sun Shine, so really had little pressure. He just went out and made a really nice smooth run and outran her by a few hundredths of a second. The second round he was first out and my goal was to get him a little further into his second barrel; I knew he could be a 16 if he ran harder all the way into his turn, and he did just that!

Going into the Finals I was sitting 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> on the two horses; and they ran slowest to fastest so I had just one horse and a drag between the two. I had my good friend Cami Bussmus helping me, and before my run we had talked about my game plan on Too Chains, since he had a pretty good lead on the average thus far. Morning Sun Shine ran first and made a really nice smooth run, taking the lead in the average. Again, I was in a pressure free situation since I had already won the futurity on one of them regardless. When I went in to run Too Chains, my "plan" changed about 3 times from the time I left the gate and got to the first barrel. I ended up probably getting in his way more than I should have but I made darn sure we weren't going to tip a barrel.

I was so excited after I got around that third barrel, I don't think I have ever been in a situation like that where I knew I had it won before I got across the eye. It was so cool for Too Chains and Morning Sun Shine as well; both horses have so much ability and just hadn't really gotten to shine!

Morning Sun Shine is owned by Webb Ranch LLC out of Isabel, SD. I got her in April. Jordan Basset started her on the barrels and took her to some of the early futurities. My first futurity on her was at Copper Springs Ranch where she made a few pretty nice runs. She really stepped up her game for the 5-State and showed us all what she is really capable of. She is a beautiful horse, and she knows it!

Too Chains won roughly \$9500 at the 5-State, including open and Future Fortunes money, and Morning Sun Shine won a little over \$6,000.

### Favorite Bit...

My all-time favorite bit that I do most of my general riding in is a Kerry Kelly 3-piece bit with a medium shank. I run Too Chains in a short shanked smooth mouthed Merrill with leather curb, and Sun Shine in a short shanked Ed Wright.

### Favorite Saddle...

I have two favorite saddles right now. The one I run Too Chains in is an Original Coats--I think on their regular tree, it fits him, and almost every horse, like a glove and is so comfortable. The other is a Sue Smith, made by Three Forks Saddlery. It's a wide fit saddle but I think as far as the way it sits me it's my favorite. Sue has done an outstanding job perfecting the seat on her saddles.

### Favorite Pad...

Pro Ortho Equine is my favorite pad and the only thing I use anymore--they seem to form to a horse's back better than anything else, leaving no gaps between your saddle and your horse.

### Feed / Hay / Supplements...

On the road my horses get free choice grass hay in a slow feed net, and alfalfa morning and night. I feed a ration of beet pulp, oats, barley, and Purina Amplify that my local feed store puts together for me. I also feed Purina Outlast to maintain healthy digestion. ExcelEQ is my lifeline as far as supplements go; it keeps my horses both looking and feeling the best possible. Too Chains gets a Chinese herb called Stomach Happy, and Red Lung. They also all get Equipride by SweetPro; and both run on Triple Threat by Oxygen.

### Favorite Therapies...

My horses live in PHT while on the road and whenever I think they are prone to soreness. I also really like the PEMF therapies as well, and I am a big believer in staying up on chiropractic. My vet, Carol Holland works on mine while I am at home; when traveling up north I have Terri Kissack work on them, and when down south I have Sam Young. I also am a huge believer in ice, so I ice their legs with ice boots whenever possible.

### How do you keep your horses fresh and prepared to win?

I am a big believer in turning them out as much as possible, Too Chains gets turned out on pasture pretty much every night at home, and the rest all get to be turned out at least two days a week.

### Conditioning program...

On the horses I am running, I probably only work the pattern once a week, unless they need more, and mostly just slow work. I ride mostly out in a big pasture; do about 5 minutes walking, 5 trotting and then lope each way for 5 minutes, followed by a walk to cool down. I also lope quite a bit of tighter circles, which I believe strengthens their bodies and hind end, and helps them be strong in their turns. I want them to reach up under themselves and make a fluid and consistent circle. I do this around a barrel, tree, or just in the pasture around nothing. I generally try to ride them 5 days a week.

### Shout out to the producers...

LI Productions is hands down the best, Lana, Kami, Bud, Levi, Peg, Penny and everyone else I'm missing all go above and beyond to produce a fun, efficient, and professional event. They involve the entire family, stallion owners, and always have a fun element. I honestly look forward to this race from the moment I send my first payment each year!

### Giving Thanks...

First off, I have to thank my husband; he is also my farrier and always does the best job keeping these horses sound. He is my support system and usually my driver when we are on the road. My two kids Jett and Blaise who get to go along with me to most of the events--they are such troopers.

Mike and Amy Lowry, and Jake and Jessie Altman--without these amazing people taking care of the horses we leave home, we could never leave. Thank you to both of our families for being so supportive of our sometimes, crazy lifestyle.

Thanks also to my first Sponsor, ExcelEQ and Tabitha Smith--I seriously believe in these supplements and really think they help my program thrive; and Royal D Equine Services and Haley Scheer, for always supplying me with PHT, Pro Ortho Equine, and OxyGen.

*Taylor*

## FUTURITY 1ST GO

### 1D

1. Taylor Hildreth, **TOO CHAINS** g by **Ima Firefighter**, 17.133, \$2,344.62
2. Taylor Hildreth, **MORNING SUN SHINE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.179, \$1,936.86
3. Adrian Bolin, **FAMOUS LADY PISTOL** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.220, \$1,529.10
4. Hallie Hanssen, **FRENCHMANS DANCE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.262, \$1,223.28
5. Cheryl Wallace, **NOT JESS ANY GUY** g by **Frostman San Peppy**, 17.287, \$917.46
6. Laine Sampson, **MOONS PISTOL ANNIE** m by **Brays Moon Bug**, 17.360, \$662.61
7. Luke Dunning, **TS FAMOUSLY SHAKEN** m by **Frenchmans Shake Em**, 17.451, \$509.70
8. Rose Hildebrandt, **SL DASHING DORCEY** g by **Dashing With Cash**, 17.561, \$407.76
9. Melena Osborne, **YGW SMOKE N HOT** m by **Smoken French Winner**, 17.564, \$356.79
10. Rodney Grote, **PIE N SKY FEATURE (APHA)** m by **Guys Piece Ofthe Pie**, 17.575, \$305.82

### 2D

1. Rose Hildebrandt, **DHR OH BOY OKIE** g by **Oh Whatta Boy**, 18.150, \$390.00
2. Jill Lane, **JL ROCN ROVER** g by **JL Sirocco**, 18.220, \$300.00
3. Maggie Poloncic, **PRIME TIME TA STREAK** g by **Prime Talent**, 18.231, \$225.00
4. Jill Lane, **JL TIME FOR A CHANGE** m by **JL Sirocco**, 18.235, \$180.00
5. Jill Ferdina, **DAPHNE DE GUY** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 18.274, \$150.00
6. Lacey Harmon, **KISS ME FRENCHMAN** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 18.278, \$135.00
7. DeAnn McNamee, **MEAN GUYS PIE** g by **Guys Piece Ofthe Pie**, 18.343, \$120.00

## FUTURITY 2ND GO

### 1D

1. Taylor Hildreth, **TOO CHAINS** g by **Ima Firefighter**, 16.984, \$2,344.62
2. Hallie Hanssen, **FRENCHMANS DISCOROSE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.351, \$1,936.86
3. Craig Strizke, **MR SASSY FRENCHMAN** c by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.390, \$1,529.10
4. Adrian Bolin, **FAMOUS LADY PISTOL** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.410, \$1,223.28
5. Luke Dunning, **TS FAMOUSLY SHAKEN** m by **Frenchmans Shake Em**, 17.508, \$917.46
6. Samantha Flannery, **FL BABY BLUE BUGS** g by **Fire On Bug**, 17.543, \$662.61
7. Taylor Hildreth, **MORNING SUN SHINE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.548, \$509.70
8. Jessie Havener, **WHOOWHO SHEZTALENTED** m by **Prime Talent**, 17.577, \$407.76
9. Margaret Jones, **MISS RUN ON FAME** m by **Dashing Move Fame**, 17.627, \$356.79
10. Samantha Flannery, **ANY GUY OF MINE** m by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.644, \$305.82

### 2D

1. Sonya Walz, **I LOVE FIREFIGHTERS** m by **Ima Firefighter**, 18.035, \$390.00
2. Jade Crago, **SOPHIE SO SWEET** m by **Fire On Bug**, 18.055, \$300.00
3. Laine Sampson, **PAID TO HOT ROD** g by **Irish Pay**, 18.130, \$202.50
3. Amy Schimke, **TOO COMPLICATED** m by **Frostman San Peppy**, 18.130, \$202.50
5. Laine Sampson, **PAYS TO BE BLUE** g by **Irish Pay**, 18.157, \$150.00
6. Wendy Greenough, **CASEYS GOLDEN CHARM** m by **Fabulous Golden Jet**, 18.184, \$127.50
6. Cami Bussmus, **NO SHAME TA KICK** m by **Kick It in the Nic**, 18.184, \$127.50

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### MATURITY AVERAGE

1. DeAnn McNamee, **COLOUR ME FAST** g by **Hot Colours**, 34.208, \$1,629
2. Lacey Harmon, **JUST THE WAY YOU ARE** g by **Roosters Fame**, 34.321, \$1,303.20
3. Lacey Harmon, **GUYS BIGTIME STREKER** g by **Frenchmans Guy**, 34.814, \$1,122.20
4. Skye Ogilvie, **MR KICKER** g by **Missin Freckle**, 34.838, \$905.00
5. Jill Lane, **JL ROC PAPERSCISSORS** g by **JL Sirocco**, 34.924, \$724
6. Cami Bussmus, **DARE TO BE FRENCH** g by **Frenchmans Falcon**, 35.049, \$579.20
7. Carisa Shearer, **SX SMOOTH DRAMBOUIE** g by **A Smooth Guy**, 35.094, \$434.40
8. Teal Stoll-Larson, **POSITIVELY A BULLY** g by **Bully for Casey**, 35.147, \$289.60
9. Cally Goyins, **DASH TA FRISCO** g by **JL Sirocco**, 35.182, \$253.40

### MATURITY 1ST GO

#### **1D**

1. Lacey Harmon, **JUST THE WAY YOU ARE** g by **Roosters Fame**, 17.116, \$814.50
2. DeAnn McNamee, **COLOUR ME FAST** g by **Hot Colours**, 17.119, \$651.60
3. Lacey Harmon, **GUYS BIGTIME STREKER** g by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.401, \$561.10
4. Carisa Shearer, **SX SMOOTH DRAMBOUIE** g by **A Smooth Guy**, 17.417, \$452.50
5. Cally Goyins, **DASH TA FRISCO** g by **JL Sirocco**, 17.421, \$362.00
6. Erin King, **TURN AGAIN FRENCHMAN** g by **Streakin Four Sixes**, 17.448, \$289.60
7. Cami Bussmus, **DARE TO BE FRENCH** g by **Frenchmans Falcon**, 17.454, \$217.20
8. Skye Ogilvie, **MR KICKER** g by **Missin Freckle**, 17.475, \$144.80
9. Jill Lane, **JL ROC PAPERSCISSORS** g by **JL Sirocco**, 17.509, \$126.70

#### **2D**

1. Shyann Russell, **BI HEXAGON** g by **Streakin Four Sixes**, 17.872, \$300.00
2. Amanda Hieb, **PA FRENCHNICKERBARS** m by **Frenchmans Elvis**, 17.887, \$250.00
3. Cally Goyins, **JL ROCTHESPANIARD** g by **JL Sirocco**, 17.888, \$200.00
4. Rose Hildebrandt, **FLASHLIGHTS STREKER** m by **CS Flashlight**, 17.889, \$150.00
5. Libby Diedrichs, **FRECKLES FRENCHMANS** g by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.897, \$100.00

### MATURITY 2ND GO

#### **1D**

1. DeAnn McNamee, **COLOUR ME FAST** g by **Hot Colours**, 17.089, \$814.50
2. Lacey Harmon, **JUST THE WAY YOU ARE** g by **Roosters Fame**, 17.205, \$651.60
3. Cami Bussmus, **GUYS DASH A LATTE** c by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.223, \$561.10
4. Skye Ogilvie, **MR KICKER** g by **Missin Freckle**, 17.363, \$452.50
5. Lacey Harmon, **GUYS BIGTIME STREKER** g by **Frenchmans Guy**, 17.413, \$362.00
6. Jill Lane, **JL ROC PAPERSCISSORS** g by **JL Sirocco**, 17.415, \$289.60
7. Teal Stoll-Larson, **POSITIVELY A BULLY** g by **Bully for Casey**, 17.462, \$217.20
8. Shyann Russell, **BI HEXAGON** g by **Streakin Four Sixes**, 17.547, \$144.80
9. Cally Goyins, **JL ROCTHESPANIARD** g by **JL Sirocco**, 17.593, \$126.70

#### **2D**

1. Margaret Jones, **CLASSY AND I KNOW IT** g by **CM Dynamite Frost**, 17.907, \$300.00
2. Vicki Fogerty, **IMA DASHN FRENCHGIRL** m by **First Down Frenchman**, 17.956, \$250.00
3. Kielely Walz, **FIREFIGHTERS LINEAGE** (APHA) m by **Ima Firefighter**, 17.970, \$200.00
4. Kelle Moore, **FC PEACHYSLILCOWGIRL** m by **Cowboys Cartel**, 17.982, \$150.00
5. Sonya Walz, **FAME FOR FIREFIGHTER** g by **Ima Firefighter**, 17.988, \$100.00