

# TRI STATE BARREL RACE & FUTURITY

Minnesota Equestrian Center – July 8-9, 2016 – Winona, MN



*Futurity Champion*



## NICOLE RATKOWSKI & SR MOONLITES ON FIRE

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### FUTURITY AVERAGE

#### ID

1. Nicole Ratkowski, SR MOONLITES ON FIRE g by Frenchmans Moonlite, 29.653, \$861.00
2. Hilary Van Gerpen, THREE TYMES A LADY, m by Tres Seis, 29.818, \$718.00
3. McKenzie Jendersee, DASHIN TO FEINISH, 30.102, \$574.00
4. Sherry Wyffels, BLAZING U TURN m by Blazin Jetolena, 30.104, \$431.00
5. Rob Blohowiak, GLORY GLORY HALLELUJAH m by Stratospheric, 30.177, \$287.00

## Futurity Average...

### 2D

1. Sue Ahlgren, **AS BAD AS CORONA** g by **More Nachos**, 31.840, \$369.00
2. Jessica Demell, **LIQUORED UP LENA** m by **Justa Blurr Ta Fame**, 31.882, \$308.00
3. Brian Jensen, **FIRE UP FRENCHMAN** g by **Settinemonfire**, 31.905, \$246.00
4. Hilary Van Gerpen, **FANCY PERKS ALIVE** m by **Perks Alive**, 32.105, \$185.00
5. Beth Leabo, **FROST ON MY FANNY** m by **Sadies Frosty Drift**, 32.171, \$121.00

## ABOUT NICOLE RATKOWSKI...

Nicole Ratkowski worked her way up from 4-H and open shows, to little britches and high school rodeo, to college rodeo where she won the Ozark Region Championship her senior year in 2008. She then moved back up north and started her own training business along with her husband. She won money at some pro rodeos before getting into futurity horses which is now her passion. She trains barrel horses for a living; her husband, Russ trains reining horses and is also a farrier. They have one daughter, 2-1/2 yr old Paisley.

**SR MOONLITES ON FIRE** is a 2011 gelding by Frenchmans Moonlite out of a daughter of VF Moonfire.

He won both go rounds and the average at the Tri State Futurity. He ran a 14.85 in the first round to win it, also placing him 3rd in the \$2000 added open race. He won the 2nd go of the futurity with a 14.80, once again placing 3rd in the open race.

## FUTURITY 1<sup>ST</sup> GO

### 1D

1. Nicole Ratkowski, **SR MOONLITES ON FIRE** g by **Frenchmans Moonlite**, 14.851, \$554.00
2. Hilary Swanson, **JUDYS TWISTIN BUG** m by **Judys Lineage**, 14.939, \$461.00
3. Hilary Van Gerpen, **THREE TYMES A LADY** m by **Tres Seis**, 14.982, \$369.00
4. Kiley Dalchow, **DUALERINAS MERANDA**, 15.063, \$277.00
5. Sherry Wyffels, **BLAZING U TURN** m by **Blazin Jetolena**, 15.133, \$185.00

His current year money earnings are over \$5000.00. He has won money almost every time he's been entered; including winning the 2<sup>nd</sup> go of the MN Futurity Breeders incentive and placing 3rd in the average. He recently ran in the MN Challenge Slot Race and brushed a barrel over to win it by 2/10 of a second and would have been the fastest time of the day!

His next stop is JJ Classic and UBRA World race in Verndale, MN. Then we will be heading to Waterloo, IA for the Big J Barrel Blast Futurity and then it's off to Gillette, WY for the 17,000 added Fizz Bomb Classic and Belle Fourche, SD for the Roper Rally Futurity. I may enter him in the Rodeo Rigs Slot Race out there, as well. We will see where we end up toward the end of the season and if we can make a big move up in the WPRO Futurity standings, I'd like to take him to the World Finals in Waco, TX. He is currently 4th. There's a lot more money to be won this season, and we are going to try and win as much as we can!



Futurity 1<sup>st</sup> go

2D

1. Terra Mitzel, **FRENCHMANS CHICI BUG** m by **Frenchmans Mercedes**, 15.893, \$369.00
2. Shelby Janssen, **MP SWEET HAYDAY** m by **PC Frenchmans Hayday**, 15.904, \$308.00
3. Chelsie Pethke, **SCF RUDE BUT FAMOUS** g by **AG Famous Hot Rod**, 15.917, \$246.00
4. Kelly Neisius, **HOLY FAMOUS PIE** g by **Holy Bart**, 15.92, \$185.00
5. Anna Schumacher, **VEGASS SASSY GIRL** m by **Color Prescription**, 15.949, \$123.00

**FUTURITY 2<sup>ND</sup> GO**

1D

1. Nicole Ratkowski, **SR MOONLITES ON FIRE** g by **Frenchmans Moonlite**, 14.802, \$554.00
2. Hilary Van Gerpen, **THREE TYMES A LADY** m by **Tres Seis**, 14.836, \$461.00
3. Shelby Janssen, **STREAKING FRENCH GOLD** g by **A Streak Of Fling**, 14.849, \$369.00
4. McKenzie Jendersee, **DASHIN TO FEINISH**, 14.901, \$277.00
5. Kassie Green, **LENAS FAMOUS BLONDIE** m by **Born Ta Be Famous**, 14.943, \$185.00

2D

1. Jessica Demell, **LIQUORED UP LENA** m by **Justa Blurr Ta Fame**, 15.826, \$369.00
2. Kassie Green, **PERKS GOT LUCKY** m by **Dash For Perks**, 15.839, \$308.00
3. Julie Fritch, **MAYHEM N MADNESS** m by **Bubas Short Stroke**, 15.943, \$246.00
4. Riley Schmitt, **RANGO REMEDY** g by **Aces Cowboy Cadillac**, 15.959, \$185.00
5. Lacy Dunsmore, **AGOIN FRENCHMAN** g by **Frenchmans Moonlite**, 16.006, \$123.00

**SLOT RACE**

1D

1. Ellie Johanson, **LB BOON** g by **Peeka Pep**, 14.842, \$1,680.00
2. Cricket Gintner, **DIAL A LITTLE FAME**, g by **Dash Ta Fame**, 14.848, \$1,260.00
3. McKenzie Alders, **JUS WAITIN ON LUCK**, 14.896, \$840.00
4. Carina Morris, **TJO PERKS OF SHAWNE**, 14.902, \$420.00

2D

1. Ben McDonnell, **TJO FIREWATER OKIE**, 15.357, \$720.00
2. Amy Kelley, **THE SPECIAL STUFF**, 15.417, \$540.00
3. Jennifer Slabaugh, **ROBIN NOSED HOLLYWOOD**, 15.519, \$360.00
4. Kari DeMarais, **GO MERCY GO**, 15.979, \$180.00



*Slot Race Champion*

**ELLIE JOHANSON &  
LB BOON**

*Derby Champion*  
**MAREN LUEDEMANN &  
PAINT KANES WAGON**



Continue Tri State...

**DERBY AVERAGE**

**ID**

1. Maren Luedemann, PAINT KANES WAGON g by **PYC Paint Your Wagon**, 29.924, \$517.00
2. Maddie Lijewski, RIDICULICIOUS, 30.119, \$388.00
3. Patti Hovland, NICKS DASHIN DIAMOND, 30.153, \$259.00
4. Molly Otto, SFW WONDER WOMAN, 30.198, \$129.00

**2D**

1. Cheyenne Check, LUCKY DAY, 30.975, \$345.00
2. Christine Kram, MAC A TAC, 30.991, \$259.00
3. Stephaine Schmitz, SHAWNE FAME, 31.002, \$172.00
4. Jessica Demell, SO OH SO SPECIAL, 31.097, \$86.00

**DERBY 1<sup>ST</sup> GO**

**ID**

1. Molly Otto, SFW WONDER WOMAN, 14.989, \$388.00
2. Patti Hovland, NICKS DASHIN DIAMOND, 15.001, \$291.00
3. Maren Luedemann, PAINT KANES WAGON, 15.032, \$194.00
4. Lon Kuschel, FAMOUS THEEBUGS, 15.050, \$97.00

**2D**

1. Jenny Alders, STRAIGHT MONEY HONEY, 15.508, \$259.00
2. Stacy Kraabel, LITTLE JOHN ROOSTER, 15.509, \$194.00
3. Sidney Eibes, KIRKS FRENCH HOPE, 15.517, \$129.00
4. Lacy Dunsmore, WATCH STREAK GO, 15.589, \$65.00

**DERBY 2<sup>ND</sup> GO**

**ID**

1. Maren Luedemann, PAINT KANES WAGON, 14.892, \$388.00
2. Patti Hovland, SHEZA FAMOUS BUGS, 14.916, \$291.00
3. Maddie Lijewski, RIDICULICIOUS, 14.941, \$194.00
4. Fonda Galbreath, SPOTLITE TA FAME, 15.050, \$97.00

**2D**

1. Natalie Zuccone, MAMBO PORUNO, 15.503, \$259.00
2. Casandra Kleinjan, FIREN WITH NO BRAKES, 15.520, \$194.00
3. Christine Kram, MAC A TAC, 15.529, \$129.00
4. Kathy Kaping, THE WANTED, 15.579, \$65.00

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