

CATELYN WALKER TAKES TOP HONORS AT NRSHA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

National Ranch and Stock Horse Alliance, Guthrie, Oklahoma – Catelyn Walker of Prairie Grove, Arkansas, captured the All-Around Novice Youth National Championship at the inaugural National Ranch and Stock Horse Alliance (NRSHA) National Championship Show held in conjunction with the Zoetis AQHA Versatility Ranch Horse World Championship Show on June 16 at the Lazy E in Guthrie, Oklahoma.

Walker showed Do It Classy, a 2011 brown American Quarter Horse mare by Cat Man Do and out of High Class Senorita, The W.T. Waggoner Estate of Vernon, Texas, a Zoetis AQHA Ranching Heritage Breeder, bred the mare. The duo also won the national title in novice youth boxing, cutting and reining, and reserve champion in ranch riding.

Nearly 725 entries competed in ranch trail, ranch reining, ranch riding, ranch cutting, ranch boxing and ranch cow work. In total, more than \$62,000 in cash and prizes was



awarded at the event. The All-Around Novice Youth Champion received a prize package that included a sterling-silver buckle by Awards Recognition Concepts and specially designed logoed jacket sponsored by Plan 4 Progress by Carter Ranch Horses.

The newly formed National Ranch and Stock Horse Alliance is comprised of six ranch/stock horse associations – East Coast Stock Horse Association, National Versatility Ranch Horse Association, Oklahoma Stock Horse Association, Stock Horse of Texas, Western States Versatility Ranch Horse Association and the American Quarter Horse Association.

NRSHA classes were held concurrently with the Zoetis AQHA Versatility Ranch Horse World Championship Show classes. More information about NRSHA can be found at www.ranchhorse.net. Full results can be found at www.aqha.com/versatility.

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