

GRACELYN JACOBS WINS BIG AT CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

National Ranch and Stock Horse Alliance, Guthrie, Oklahoma — Gracelyn Jacobs of Montgomery, Texas, captured the All-Around 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 (VRH) World Championship Show at

the Lazy E in Guthrie, Oklahoma.

Gracelyn rode Wildcard Jackson, a palomino gelding bred by L.A. Waters, a Zoetis AQHA Ranching Heritage Breeder. The duo also captured the national championship in youth ranch cutting and a reserve national championship in youth cow work. In addition to her NRSHA honors, she also earned the AQHA Reserve World Championship in the VRH youth division.

Nearly 725 entries competed in ranch

trail, ranch reining, ranch riding, ranch cutting, ranch boxing and ranch cow work at the event. Throughout the week, more than \$62,000 in cash and prizes were awarded.

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.

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