

# Josey Junior World

# 2010

## Madison Montchal Wins The World



“When the going gets tough, the tough get going.” No truer words could have been spoken by R.E. and Martha Josey as the 2010 Josey Jr. World 4D Championship Barrel Race unfolded; “This was the toughest Jr. World we’ve had in over twenty nine years, and that’s exactly how a world class barrel race should be. “Beautiful weather, perfect Josey ground thanks to the wonderful ground crew, great crowd support, top professionals with the very best in equipment and merchandise and the best Rodeo Announcer, Randy Adams, made this year’s event a huge success.

Twelve-year old Madison Montchal of Atalissa, Iowa and her horse “Famous Ed” stopped the clock with a winning time of 16.118, running third from the bottom of the 117 qualifiers. This was a nail biter to say the least. Martha proudly escorted Madison around the arena and asked her about her winning strategy. Madison excitedly replied, “Run him fast but not too fast to miss the first barrel”. Martha quickly agreed, “It certainly took you to the pay window!” Her champion, Famous Ed, is a 7 year old Dash To Fame gelding. Madison took home a beautiful BIG TEC/CM 3 horse slant aluminum trailer, a Martha Josey/Circle Y Trophy Saddle, a Bob Berg Custom Belt Buckle, a medallion, a cash prize of \$3,138.08 and many more prizes.

Blaise Berceaeay and Emily Efurd split the Reserve World Championship with a time of 16.158. Past Josey Jr. World Champion, Blaise was riding her 4 year old mare, BR

Instant Cash, to her first major win. Past Josey Reunion World Champion Emily, was riding her 9 year old mare, Doras Special Dream, no new comer to this competition as she has gone to the pay window many times in this arena.

A tough, tough, tough, tough 2D, 3D and 4D followed and here’s how the championships fell. Oklahoma cowgirl, Cierra Chapman on Little Runnerlark captured the 2D Championship with a 13.629 winning a beautiful Jerry Beagley Trophy Saddle, Bob Berg Belt Buckle and many prizes. The 2D Reserve Championship went to Texas cowgirl, Laramie Null aboard Muffinator with a time of 16.656. Our 3D Champion was Texas cowgirl, Heather Humphries aboard Sheza Mean Dash with a time of 17.122, winning a legendary Billy Cook Trophy Saddle, Bob Berg Belt Buckle and many more prizes. The 3D Reserve honors went Mississippi cowboy Shelton Headley riding Rockets Rumors with at time of 17.132. Cowboy, Wade Salter of Louisiana on his horse Bailey won the 4D Championship with a time of 18.188, winning a HR Trophy Saddle,

Bob Berg Belt Buckle and many prizes with Texas cowgirl, Caitlyn Carroll riding Double Bandito with a time of 18.294 capturing the 4D Reserve Championship.

82 different riders took home cash prizes. The TOP TEN MONEY EARNERS were Emily Efurd \$4,302.97, Ashley Snedegar \$4,017.70, Sassie Jae Thompson \$3,851.28, Madison Montchal \$3,138.08, Cierra Chapman \$2,947.89, Brian Wheeler \$2,282.24, Laramie Null \$2,115.83, Raelee Self \$1,973.19, Mesa Leavitt \$1,664.13 and Victoria Williams \$1,521.50.

When the dust settled on Friday after a tough First Go Round, Emily Efurd riding Doras Special Dream with a time of 16.138 captured the 1D setting the pace. The Josey crowd enjoyed a southern catfish dinner afterwards and was entertained by Ernie Rodina’s Purina Better Horse Radio Show and singer Rusty Rierson.

Sunday morning began with a Cowboy Church Service, with special guests Susie McEntire and Russ Weaver, RFDTV was on hand taping the service for a future episode.

Immediately after the Church Service, legendary awards were given out as they have been for the past 28 years. The Bobby Arthur Scholarship was awarded to Morgan Wood, the Riley Key Scholarship to Lindsey Kay Hill and the Joyce Barney Scholarship to Josi Cole Soape. Another very special award,



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The Mom Arthur, was presented in memory of Martha's mother. This award goes to the mother of the contestant writing the winning essay about their mother and her commitment to them, family and the sport of barrel racing. The winner of the 2010 award went to the mother of contestant Kayci Russo, daughter of Kayla Russo.

The future of barrel racing lies within its youth. Sunday afternoon, Josey contestants ranging from four-years old and younger were battling it out around the twenty-four inch plastic barrels to win the top prize of a Bob Berg Custom Belt Bucikle and the title of 2010 Josey/NBHA Stick Horse Barrel Racing Champion, and the champion was Roper Smith.

To honor Martha's great NFR horse, Cebe Reed, winner of 52 consecutive barrel races in a row and seven horse trailers, a very special award was given to the Horse With The Most Hear. This year's honors went to 16 year old, Juniors Genuine Doc, owned and ridden by Mesa Leavitt, helping her to win 7 World Championships in the past five years. The Fastest Time Award, sponsored by Don Wasson Custom Bits, went to SaSsi Jae Thompson on Little Dash Priest with a time of 16.115. The Fastest Paint Horse Award sponsored by James Henderson, donating a free breeding to 'Treasured' went to Cierra Chapman with a time of 16.582 on All By My Lonesome.

Many corporate and national sponsors were on hand for the competition, including Nancy

Shearer and Christi Shaffer with Purina, Dale Steege with United Vet, Stanley Saunders with Circle Y of Yoakum, Texas, Randy Domino and Mitzi Long with BIGTEX/CM Trailers, David and Jodi Fillebrown with Priefert Ranch Equipment, Bennie Emmons with Supreme Western Products and Kris and Neal Suard of Black Star Ranch. A large turn out was on hand to support the finest youth barrel racers and their horses in the world at the Josey Ranch. Be watching on RFDTV for the Josey Cowboy Church Service and the Finals, co-sanctioned by the WPRA. If you would like to be part of the 2011 Josey Jr. World Championship Barrel Race, May 2011, or need information on future Josey Clinics and events please visit us at [www.barrelracers.com](http://www.barrelracers.com) or call 903-935-5358.