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EXPERT TRAINING FOR REINERS AND RIDERS OF ALL AGES

Oklahoma City, OK – March 2, 2010 – The 2010 National Reining Horse Association (NRHA) Regional Clinics are coming to the Mountain Region. On July 24th & 25th NRHA Professional Casey Hinton will be holding a clinic to benefit reiners of all ages and experience levels at Skyline Ranch in Carbondale, CO.

Casey Hinton from Whitesboro, TX, is coming off an impressive 2009 season. Hinton was the 2009 NRHA Futurity Open Reserve Champion and the American Quarter Horse Association World Champion in Senior Reining, a title he has earned several times. He is also no stranger to the Mountain Region as he won the Rocky Mountain Reining Horse Association (RMRHA) Futurity and Stallion Stakes in 2009 as well. Hinton has over \$488,000 in NRHA Lifetime Earnings.

This is the fifth year the NRHA has organized the clinics to help raise funds for the National Reining Horse Youth Association (NRHyA). The clinics are designed to help anyone who is interested in learning more about reining horses, the Reining business and the NRHA. The one-on-one training that participants receive is tailored to each individual's needs. Every clinic consists of two one-day clinics giving participants the opportunity to attend either or both days as they prefer.

Participants from all disciplines learn by doing and also by watching other reiners during the hands-on sessions. "The amount of advice and knowledge that's passed along is phenomenal. I'll learn more here in one afternoon than I would in a week with a book or a video," said Rick Finkler, NRHyA Regional Clinic participant. Another participant, Ashley Bosack, commented, "I love learning new things and having different trainers teach you. It's been really fun."

Space is limited so sign up as soon as possible. All the proceeds go to support the NRHyA scholarships, programs and youth activities. The cost is \$250 for youth riders participating in both days or \$150 for one day. Adults are encouraged to participate with an entry of \$450 for both days or \$250 for one day. Auditors are welcome to attend for \$25 per day. For more information or to register for a clinic, please contact Manager of the Reining Horse Sports Foundation and Youth Programs Brian Bendele at (405) 946-7400 ext. 130 or bbendele@nrha.com

If you would like more information about the NRHyA, go to www.nrhya.com or contact Manager of the RHSF and Youth Programs, Brian Bendele at bbendele@nrha.com (405) 946-7400, ext. 130.

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