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RF FAST DASH N BLOOD QUALIFIES FASTEST FOR LADDIE FUTURITY AT DELTA DOWNS

THE \$268,895 FINAL TAKES PLACE ON SATURDAY, MAY 24

VINTON, LA. – Delta Downs hosted 11 trials for this year's Louisiana Laddie Futurity on Saturday night. After the dust had settled it was Jaime Cardenas' Rf Fast Dash N Blood (\$4.20) who came away with the fastest clocking while winning the ninth race on the program.

Under jockey Victor Urieta, Jr., Rf Fast Dash N Blood burst from the gate in the 330-yard race and reported home in front while stopping the timer in 16.898 seconds. That time earned him a speed index of 89.

The win by Rf Fast Dash N Blood was the first of his three-race career for trainer Miguel Castillo. He previously finished second in his trial for the \$399,000 Mardi Gras Futurity (G2) at Louisiana Downs on March 8. He eventually finished fifth in the rich final on March 29.

Bred in Louisiana by Rogers Farm/Tim/Jennie Rogers, Rf Fast Dash N Blood is a 2-year-old bay gelding by Apollitical Blood, out of the Heza Fast Dash mare Fast Dash N Deb. He was purchased for \$80,000 at the 2024 LQHBA Yearling Sale.

Each trial carried a purse of \$10,000 on Saturday night and the winners took home \$6,000 each. The winner of the \$268,895 final will bank a \$134,447.

Listed below are the 10 qualifiers for this year's Laddie Futurity from the fastest time down.

	Horse	Jockey	Trainer	Time_
1	Rf Fast Dash N Blood	Victor Urieta, Jr.	Miguel Castillo	16.898
2	Joncades Fly By	Ricardo Hernandez, Jr.	Leonel Hernandez	17.042
3	Gold Hearted Policy	Victor Urieta, Jr.	Adrian Huitron	17.104
4	Luziana Man	Noe Castaneda	Jose Espinosa	17.109
5	Mjs Heart	Juan Garcia, Jr.	Phillip Calais	17.172
6	Carlos Sainz	Noe Castaneda	Dustin Rhodes	17.175
7	Our Runaway Train	David Alvarez	Kenneth Roberts, Sr.	17.190
8	Bd Macho Man	Ricardo Hernanez, Jr.	Leonel Hernandez	17.194
9	Atta Boy Slim	Federico Vargas	Van Haywood	17.200
10	Rogue Candy	Cesar Segura	Gilberto Gonzalez	17.211



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