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CALLED A DYNASTY WINS \$45,000 JOHN ANDREINI MEMORIAL STAKES AT RUIDOSO DOWNS

Called A Dynasty, a three-year-old quarter horse, took advantage of a bobble out of the gate by heavily-favored Bomb Cyclone and was the upset winner of the \$45,000 John Andreini Memorial Stakes at Ruidoso Downs Race Track Sunday.

With jockey Damian Corral on board, the gelding won a photo-finish for win in front of Valiant Charm and paid \$44.80, \$16.20 and \$8.00 in a running time of 17.370 seconds for 350-yards. Bomb Cyclone finished sixth in the first stakes event of the season.

Called A Dynasty is sired by Fdd Dynasty out of the mare Call as Maybe by Mr Jess Perry. The gelding is owned by Christian Salcido and Alfonso Molina and trained by Lee Gutierrez.

Sunday's stakes event is named after the late John Andreini, one of four partners who purchased Ruidoso Downs Race Track in 2017. Mr. Andreini was a lifelong advocate of higher education and each year the race track awards scholarships to graduating seniors involved in the horse racing industry.

The 2023 Andreini Scholarship recipients include: Brianna Flores, Kaylee Joiner, Itzel Parga, Montana McMinn, Jose Munoz, Dylian Martinez and Ashley Juarez.