

Press Release #14

Clayton Perry is Third Place Finisher

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RE: Race to the Sky 300 Mile Race

DATE: Tuesday, 6:00 a.m. #14

Clayton Perry of Power, Montana, crossed the finish line near Lincoln just minutes ago at 6:31 a.m. Tuesday with 9 dogs. Perry has been mushing his Alaskan huskies for 11 years. He has received Best Cared for Team and Sportsmanship Awards at the Race to the Sky in the past.

Gabe Dunham of Darby, Montana, finished the 2020 Race to the Sky under the Hi-Country Snack Foods archway near Lincoln, Montana at 5:51 a.m. with 10 dogs. She takes home second place in this year's Race to the Sky.

Dunham has been mushing her Alaskan huskies for 20 years. Last year, she finished Race to the Sky in second place as well in one of the coldest races in many years. She received the Jack Beckstrom Best Cared for Team Award in 2019, a coveted award among dog mushers and voted on by the race veterinarians.

Jessie Royer crossed the finish line at Hi-Country Snack Foods near Lincoln at 9:22 p.m. on Monday evening with 11 dogs. This is the fifth time Jessie has won the Race to the Sky

Clayton Perry of Power, Montana is expected in finish under the Hi-Country archway within the hour to finish in third place.

The Minnesotans, Cindy Gallea of Wykoff, Minnesota, Damon Ramaker of Fountain, Minnesota, are on their way to the finish line as well and are more than halfway there and are expected .

Kevin Mathis of Monona, Iowa, arrived at White Tail Ranch at 10:23 and left for the finish line at 5:14 this morning. He is expected to finish early afternoon.

The awards ceremony will be at Hi-Country Snack Foods in Lincoln and is expected to start at 2 p.m. The public is invited.