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All snakes will be chosen for their rarity and/or unique beauty.

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ToDAY's SNAKE of the DAY (Sun, Nov 4, 2012)

#110412

RED Banded Reverse Okeetee

Male

d.o.h. 2011

37" long on October 31, 2012

\$300.00 shipped

*This 2010 male Reverse Okeetee exhibits what is rarely seen in our hobby; banded pattern. He should make a great addition to any breeding product to produce **redder** Reverse Okeetees with banded triads.*

Details:

Most Commonly Used Name: Reverse Okeetee

Mode of Genetic Inheritance: Recessive + Selective Variation

Reverse Okeetee (aka: Amel Okeetee, Albino Okeetee)

Morph Type: Selective variant of single recessive mutation

Eye Color: Red pupils

Reverse Okeetees are variants of the basic Amel Mutation, so their only visual distinction from corns is their polygenetic color and pattern scheme. Genetically speaking, Reverse Okeetees are Amel corns that have been

selectively bred to promote their target look (Highly saturated blotch colors, separated from clean and unspeckled ground coloration by prominent white blotch margins). Red or orange markings are not difficult to reproduce through generational line breeding, but the quality and size of the white blotch margins is often difficult to achieve, and sometimes difficult to maintain through subsequent generations. The degree of color purity in the orange background and red (or orange) markings have been enhanced via polygenetic traits, modified through selective promotion of only the best target phenotypes. Some will exhibit color “clutter” in these zones, but a distinction between Reverse Okeetees and most Amel corns should be a dramatic reduction in color “noise” — rendering richer colors of blotch and ground color zones..