

SOONER APHC NEWSLETTER

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President's Corner

By Carol Johnson

We're coming to the close of 2006 and I'm left wondering - How did it go by so quickly? The Thanksgiving season has caused me to take a moment and consider how very much I have to be grateful for: job, home, family, friends and of course, my wonderful horses. In the context of our club, I'm so grateful to our core group who works so hard to make our events a success. This club could not exist without the efforts of people like Dedra, Gerry, Nadia, Jim, Paul, Jennifer, Pat and the list goes on. Holly and Debbie are great gatekeepers and help us to move our shows along efficiently as we near the end of the day.

One point I'd like to make is that our core group is very small. If you're looking for a club where your efforts can make a difference and will be appreciated, Sooner ApHC is it! There is an old saying, "Many hands make a light load". We are a small enough group that we run the risk of burning out those people we rely on for success. Yes, this is my not so subtle appeal to each of you to look for ways that you can help keep our club active and vital.

It's been a fun, hectic year for us, but there's little time to rest. We've tabulated our October show results with those from June and have identified our year-end award winners. We're already planning clinics and shows for 2007. A new approach is in the works to convert our Stallion Auction to a stakes type futurity. Our annual meeting and elections are scheduled for January 21st. We're even looking forward to 2008 and starting to make tentative plans on how to move the club forward then.

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As we come to the end of this year, I'm taking one last moment to look back over 2006. I owe my officers and board many thanks for their efforts and support this year. Please take a moment and let these people know you appreciate them, too. Dedra Tiger has got to be the best vice president in the ApHC, maintaining our web site, serving as Show Manager for both shows, and selflessly giving her guidance and support. Pat Gent has served as Secretary / Treasurer, keeping our records, schedules and finances straight. Nadia Loden has helped in many ways, but the one that comes immediately to mind is working our show high point calculations so that we have this done by the end of the show. Jennifer has taken over as our youth coordinator and is bringing new life to that portion of our club. Watch for details of a youth clinic that's in the works! Our board members have worked the shows, supported the clinics, and provided support and guidance for the Club. A special thanks goes to our announcer, Jim Chronister, who contributes to the fun and efficiency of each show. Each of you is special to me and to this Club. Thanks to our new members who've brought new energy and ideas into the Club.

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October Show in Pictures



President's Corner Continued...

I hope to see each of you at our annual meeting January 21st. We'll be electing officers and board members. We'll also present our 2006 awards. If you are not able to attend the meeting, please use the enclosed ballot to vote. Also, I ask that each of you explore how you can help and support the Club. Keep in mind that "many hands make a light load". We have good officers and board members, and they've worked hard for the Club. We have a wealth of talent and ideas in our members and I'm hoping to see even more participation as we move into 2007.

Have a safe and happy Christmas. I look forward to seeing you all in January.

Carol

Attention Youth!

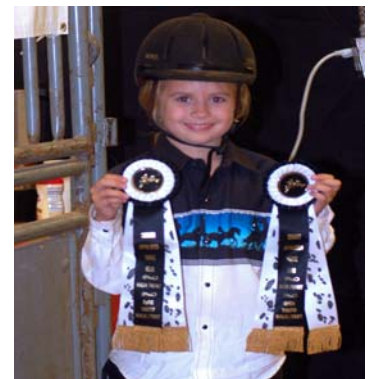
It's time to start thinking about Youth World (Yes! It's that time already!). Entry deadlines for the Photography, Art, and Essay contests are May 1. Entries for the Junior Journalist competition are due April 1st, and Speech Contest entries must be in by June 1st. In 2006, a sooner youth placed in the art and essay competitions and WON the photography contest for her age division. Let's continue that trend this year with lots of entries from our sooner youth! Contact Jennifer at Jennifer@spotofpleasure.com to get more information.

October Show High Points

- ApHC Open – Erica Halterman, Mama's Design
 - ApHC Non-Pro – Martin Halterman, Blazin Hot Sister
 - ApHC Novice Non-Pro – Martin Halterman, Blazin Hot Sister
 - ApHC Youth – Brenna Brawner, In Fashion
 - ApHC Novice Youth – Kayte Beckleheimer
 - ApHC Youth Walk-Trot – Laura Gruntmeir
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- All-Breed Open – Erica Halterman, Mama's Design
 - All-Breed Youth – Brenna Brawner, In Fashion



Erica and Martin Halterman display their multiple show high point awards in ApHC youth, non-pro, & open divisions as well as the all-breed open division.



Laura Gruntmeir shows off her High Point Ribbons for winning the ApHC Youth Walk-Trot and All-Breed Youth Walk-Trot Divisions at the October Sooner Appaloosa Show.

2007 Officer and Board Member Nominations

The officers and board coordinate and direct Sooner ApHC. Serving in one of these positions involves commitment, lots of work, good camaraderie, the opportunity to move the Sooner ApHC forward, and – did I mention lots of hard work?

Below are the nominations to date for the 2007 officer and board positions to date. Billy Walker and Rodger Scott will complete the second year of their two-year terms. As you can see, we need additional one-year board members. If you are willing to serve as an officer or a board member, please contact Carol Johnson or Dedra Tiger.

Position	Nominee	Write-In Nomination
President	Carol Johnson	_____
Vice President	Dedra Tiger	_____
Secretary	Nadia Loden	_____
Treasurer	Pat Gent	_____

Board Member (2 year position)		_____
	Gerry Lukacik	_____
	Jennifer Marcom	_____

Board Member (1 year position)		_____
	Paul Johnson	_____
	Jamie Boller	_____

Candidate Biographies

Carol Johnson – President

As a child, I was drawn to Appaloosas. As an adult, I was lucky enough to have Babe (JML Barb's Babe) come into my life. She taught me many things and confirmed my childhood attraction to the Appaloosa. My four-year old Shiloh is her first and only colt and is proving to be a joy to work with. Last year, two fillies joined my herd and have filled my life with new experiences and challenges: Maya and Inndigo. My horses and the horse people I've known over the years have added much joy, beauty, and yes, some aggravation, to my life.

I've served as Sooner ApHC President for the last six years. In the mid-1990s, I served as Secretary/Treasurer for the Club. With your help and support, the Club has moved forward, energized by new and old members. I very much want to see the Sooner Appaloosa Club continue to grow and succeed. I want to see us get together more as a Club and offer activities our children and grandchildren can enjoy and learn from. I would be honored to serve as your President again in 2007. The Sooner Club has a long history and I hope has a long future ahead. We've seen several members from earlier years rejoin the Club this year – a wonderful trend I hope continues. Please join me and the rest of the Sooner Club for another fun year in 2007.

Dedra Tiger – Vice President

I have served as Sooner Club Vice President for the last three years. In addition, I've served as Show Manager. We have seen growth in membership and revenue. As your Vice President, I have had the pleasure of getting to know many of you and work, side by side, with you. I am humbled at your praise for the accomplishments with the shows over the last three years, which

Board Nominee Bios Continued...

were a joy and a challenge for me. Yes, we worked our backsides off, but I, personally, had a ball. I'm NOT saying I wasn't dead tired, but the effort was worth it, to me. The positive impression left on each of our exhibitors was gratifying and word of Sooner shows is getting out. Our Youth Fund came into being due to the financial success of these shows. The Youth Fund and financial stability were a big ticket items, for me.

As your 2007 Vice President, I will, again, work as a liaison between all of you and the President. It is my job to assist the President, in any way, and work with the various committees, as well. I intend to keep us focused on the primary goals of our club: to promote the Appaloosa breed and increase our membership. As your fellow club member, I am at your disposal. Whether you would like to bounce an idea off someone or have a gripe to air, I will be there with a listening ear and soft shoulder.

As your candidate for Vice President, I pledge my talents as webmaster and experience as a former Vice President in other organizations, for the promotion and growth of our club. With 15 years as a Compliance Manager in the trucking industry, I pledge my thick skin and ability to cope with fast paced, difficult situations. All I ask of this membership is the willingness to work as a group. Thank you, in advance, for the opportunity and honor to serve you and this club. I would appreciate your vote for the office of 2007 Vice President.

Nadia Loden – Secretary

I'm 23 and have served as a Board member of the Sooner Club for the last three years. Brain and I got into Appaloosas by accident (not a bad one, but a good one) in April of 2001 with Scooby (reg name Dunitforthelasttime). We are now the proud owners of Wild N Cool. His first foal crop for us was this year – and they were amazing. I really enjoy just spending time with all the horses. Since joining the Sooner Club, I've "pitched in" and helped in any way I can. I have served on the Show Committee, the Awards Committee, and the Stallion Auction committee. I look forward to helping the Sooner Club grow over the next year, and would appreciate your vote for secretary.

Pat Gent – Treasurer

Gerry Lukacik – Board Member

I actually joined Sooner a little over a year ago before I moved to Oklahoma. After 31 years with UPS, I took advantage of the early retirement option. Now I can play with the horses full time! I started out with my first Appaloosa gelding in 1974, and the first one lead to another, then another, then another, etc. I'm still making changes to my place here in Oklahoma. This year's project is a new foaling barn – needs to be ready for next year as I have two foals "in the works". I have served as a Sooner board member since relocating and look forward to another year with the Club.

Paul Johnson – Board Member

I have served the Sooner Club for several years as a member, pitching in wherever needed. I particularly enjoy being the Ring Steward at our shows. It's a great opportunity to learn from the judges. Last year was my first year serving as a board member. Being a board member has provided another opportunity for learning as I've become more involved in the Club's operations. I'd be pleased to serve again as a Board member.

Jennifer Marcom – Board Member

I have been involved with Appaloosas for a little over 5 years and I joined the Sooner Club a couple of years ago. I have been on the board for 1 year, after stepping in for a board member who was unable to fulfill her term. I mostly just try to fill where I'm needed. I am currently responsible for the newsletter and attempting to organize events for our youth. We have several activities in the works and I'm excited about what 2007 has in store for our youth and our club as a whole!

Jamie Boller – Board Member

My name is Jamie Boller. I am currently a freshman at Oklahoma State University where I am majoring in Animal Science with a Pre-Vet option. I chose to follow this major because of the horse industry, and I would love to be a strictly equine veterinary. I have been a member of the ApHC and OAHc for 14 years. I am also a member of the Mo-Ark ApHC and I have been a member of the Sooner ApHC for 2 years. I am currently serving as the President of the AYA as well as the President of the OAYHC. I have been the President of the OAYHC for the past 5 years. I would like to see an increased focus on the Sooner Club Youth Program – they are the future of the club! I have many ideas about how we could improve this club, and I would love to help and be a part of shaping its future. Thank You!

October Show Results

(KL = Keith Longacre, JA = John Aipperspaugh)

		KL	JA
Sooner Breeders Futurity			
252 Innigma	Nadia Loden		1
255 Dun Got Rhythm	Donna Chronister		2
256 Inndigawea	Kathy Miller		3
Sooner Open Futurity			
255 Dun Got Rhythm	Donna Chronister		2
252 Innigma	Nadia Loden		1
256 Inndigawea	Kathy Miller		3
All Breed Open Mares			
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman		1
Yearling Fillies			
252 Innigma	Nadia Loden	1	1
255 Dun Got Rhythm	Carol Johnson	2	2
Aged Mares			
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1	1
264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	2	4
246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	3	2
268 Skippitty Zip	Jamie Boller	4	3
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	5	5
267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	6	7
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	7	6
Youth Halter Mares - All Ages			
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2	2
267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	3	3
Non-Pro Halter Mares - All Ages			
264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	1	2
246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	2	1
Yearling Geldings			
247 Shermans Delight	Sandy Smith	1	1
Two Year Old Geldings			
258 Mega Maid	Larry York	1	1
269 Got What It Takes	Jennifer Purvis	2	2
Aged Geldings			
265 Diamond Primo	Robin Levison	1	2
266 Award Me the Money	Robin Levison	2	3
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	3	1
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	4	4
260 Zips Triple Chip	Larry Goolsby	5	8
261 Just Humour Me	Angela Siemer	6	6
257 Babes Something GBar	Nadia Loden	7	7
244 Moonsational	Kathy Miller	8	5
Youth Halter Geldings - All Ages			
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	1	1
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2	2
Non-Pro Halter Geldings - All Ages			
258 Mega Maid	Larry York	1	1
269 Got What It Takes	Jennifer Purvis	2	3
259 Dreamin Dirty	Leslie Goolsby	3	2
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	4	4
260 Zips Triple Chip	Larry Goolsby	5	6
261 Just Humour Me	Angela Siemer	6	5
Non Pro Most Colorful at Halter			
258 Mega Maid	Larry York	1	1
269 Got What It Takes	Jennifer Purvis	2	2
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3	3

Most Colorful			
258 Mega Maid	Larry York	1	1
269 Got What It Takes	Jennifer Purvis	2	4
250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	3	2
266 Award Me the Money	Robin Levison	4	3
257 Babes Something GBar	Nadia Loden	5	6
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	6	7
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	7	5
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	8	8
244 Moonsational	Kathy Miller	9	9
All Breeds Most Colorful at Halter			
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1	
244 Moonsational	Kathy Miller	2	
Open Youth at Halter			
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1	
Youth Most Colorful at Halter			
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1	
All Breeds Youth Showmanship			
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2	
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3	
267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	4	
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1	
All Breeds Showmanship			
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	3	
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2	
259 Dreamin Dirty	Leslie Goolsby	1	
Showmanship Walk/Trot 10 & Under			
267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1	1
Novice Showmanship - 18 & Under			
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	1	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2	2
267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	3	3
Western Showmanship 18 & Under			
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1	1
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	2	2
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3	4
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	4	3
Novice Non-Pro Western Showmanship @ Halter			
265 Diamond Primo	Robin Levison	1	2
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	2	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3	3
Non-Pro Western Showmanship At Halter			
259 Dreamin Dirty	Leslie Goolsby	1	1
264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	2	4
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3	3
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	4	2
Limited Non-Pro Western Showmanship @ Halter			
259 Dreamin Dirty	Leslie Goolsby	1	2
246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	2	1
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	3	4
264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	4	3
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	5	5
Masters Non-Pro Western Showmanship @ Halter			
246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	1	3
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	2	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3	2
A-B Youth Bareback			
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1	
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2	

Bareback Equitation - 18 & Under

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1 1
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	2 2
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	3 3

Youth Hunter in Hand - Mares

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1 1
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Non-Pro Hunter in Hand - Mares

246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	1 1
248 Mama's Design	Martin Halterman	2 2
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3 3

Hunter In Hand - Mares

246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	1 1
248 Mama's Design	Martin Halterman	2 2
252 Innigma	Nadia Loden	3 3

Non-Pro Hunter in Hand Geldings

258 Mega Maid	Larry York	1 5
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	2 2
261 Just Humour Me	Elaine Siemer	3 3
257 Babes Something GBar	Carol Johnson	4 6
259 Dreamin Dirty	Larry Goolsby	5 1
245 Haza Chance	Donna Chronister	6 4
260 Zips Triple Chip	Larry Goolsby	7 7
269 Got What It Takes	Jennifer Purvis	8 8

Hunter In Hand - Geldings

259 Dreamin Dirty	Larry Goolsby	1 1
269 Got What It Takes	Jennifer Purvis	2 2
262 In My Steps	Elaine Siemer	3 3
261 Just Humour Me	Elaine Siemer	4 5
245 Haza Chance	Donna Chronister	5 4
257 Babes Something GBar	Nadia Loden	6 6
272 Snoopys Gold Bar	Nadia Loden	7 7

English Showmanship 18 & Under

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1 1
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	2 3
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	3 2

All Breeds Youth Hunter Under Saddle

253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1

Novice Hunter Under Saddle - 18 & Under

253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
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Hunter Under Saddle - 18 & Under

253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	2
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	3

Hunter Under Saddle - All Ages

246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	1
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	3

All Breeds Youth Hunt Seat Equitation

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2

Novice Hunt Seat Equitation 18 & Under

253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
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Hunt Seat Equitation - 18 & Under

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	2
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	3

Limited Non-Pro Hunt Seat Equitation

246 Hunting For Love	Lori Conger	1
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Saddle Seat Pleasure - 18 & Under

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	2
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	3
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	1

Saddle Seat Equitation - 18 & Under

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	3
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	2

All Breeds Leadline 8 & Under

265 Diamond Primo	Kylee Madison Butts	1
264 Chocolate Elegance	Tana Rose Butts	2

Leadline Equitation. - 6 & Under

265 Diamond Primo	Kylee Madison Butts	1
264 Chocolate Elegance	Tana Rose Butts	2

All Breeds Youth Western Trail

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	1
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2

All Breeds Western Trail

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2
265 Diamond Primo	Robin Levison	3

Trail Walk/Trot 10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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Trail - 18 & Under

263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	3
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	4

Novice Non-Pro Trail

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	1
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Novice Non-Pro Trail

265 Diamond Primo	Robin Levison	2
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Non-Pro Trail

264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2

Trail Class - All Ages

274 Zippos Misty Lad	Brenna Brawner	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3

All Breeds Walk/Trot Western Pleasure 10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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All Breeds Western Pleasure 11-18

273 Sheza Blazing Hot	Kayte Beckelheimer	2
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	3
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1

All Breeds Walk/Trot Western Pleasure

266 Award Me the Money	Robin Levison	2
244 Moonsational	Kathy Miller	1

All Breeds Western Pleasure

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1
273 Sheza Blazing Hot	Kayte Beckelheimer	2

Western Pleasure Walk/Trot 10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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Novice Western Pleasure - 18 & Under

253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1

Western Pleasure - 18 & Under

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	3
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	4
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2

Novice Non-Pro Western Pleasure

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	1
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Non-Pro Western Pleasure

264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2

Limited Non-Pro Western Pleasure

264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2

Western Pleasure-THREE YR OLD SNAFLE BIT

273 Sheza Blazing Hot	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
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Western Pleasure - All Ages

274 Zippos Misty Lad	Brenna Brawner	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	3

All Breeds Youth Walk/Trot Western Equitation 10-U

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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All Breeds Youth Western Equitation

251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	2
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3

All Breeds Western Equitation

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1

Walk/Trot Western Equitation. 10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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Novice Western Equitation - 18 & Under

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1
253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	2

Western Equitation - 18 & Under

253 Mighty Intimidating	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
263 DZ Cruise Clearance	Jamie Boller	2
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3
251 In Fashion	Brenna Brawner	4

Novice Non-Pro Western Equitation

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	1
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Non-Pro Western Equitation

264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2

Limited Non-Pro Western Equitation

264 Chocolate Elegance	Cheryl Stockham	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2

All Breed Walk/Trot Keyhole 10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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All Breeds Youth Keyhole Race

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3
254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	2

All Breed Open Keyhole Race

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3
250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	2
254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	1

Walk/Trot Keyhole Race - 10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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Keyhole Race - 18 & Under

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	1
254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	2
250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	3

Non-Pro Keyhole Race

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	1
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Keyhole Race

254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	2

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3
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All Breeds Youth Barrels Walk/Trot

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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All Breeds Youth Barrel Race

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3
254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	2
250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	1

Walk/Trot Camas Prairie Stump Race-10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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Camas Prairie Stump Race - 18 & Under

250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	1
254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	2
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3

All Breed Youth Pole Bending Walk/Trot

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1
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All Breed Youth Pole Bending

248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3
254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	1
250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	2

Walk/Trot Nez Perce Stake Race 10 & Under

267 Sweet Prescription	Sarah Gruntmeir	1	1
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Nez Perce Stake Race - 18 & Under

250 EZ To ID	Brenna Brawner	1	1
254 Alias Her Way King	Kayte Beckelheimer	2	2
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	3	3

Non-Pro Nez Perce Stake Race

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	1	1
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Nez Perce Stake Race

249 Blazin Hot Sister	Martin Halterman	1	1
248 Mama's Design	Erica Halterman	2	2

Special Thanks to Vi and Charley Bottger for handling the concession stands for our shows. Also, thanks to the Sundance Pony Club for all of their assistance with set up, take down, and other odds and ends.



A diverse group of horses and exhibitors line up for judging in the ApHC Most Colorful class

Sooner Classifieds

Kid Coolest -- 2006 Sorrel Colt/Stallion

Wild N Cool x Rub A Dub Kid Clue



2006 ApHC weanling sorrel stallion by Wild N Cool and out of Rub A Dub Kid Clue Outstanding halter colt and stallion prospect! Fantastic disposition and has been handled since birth. Already has won his first weanling halter class! \$1,900. See more info at www.klshowhorses.com. Contact Laurie at 405-640-9962 or e-mail at Lauriedzj@aol.com

Rub A Dub Kid Clue – 1999 Sorrel mare

Show Me Pro x Bright Hubba Bubba



Outstanding 1999 sorrel Kid Clu bred Appaloosa halter mare in foal to MAID'S DREAM, sire of multiple ApHC World Champions, for a 2007 foal. This mare was Top Ten at the ApHC Youth World Show in Halter and Showmanship and rides great too. 15.1H. Fantastic youth horse! HYPN N/N. \$7,500 See more info at www.klshowhorses.com. Contact Laurie at 405-640-9962 or e-mail at Lauriedzj@aol.com
 Coolest Hustler x Miss Kitty West



Cool is a snowcap stallion that has produced 100% color and should be a guaranteed color and/or characteristic producer. He has his ROM in halter, is a futurity winner, and is broke to ride (although he has not been ridden lately). He is easy to breed and live covers or collects off a phantom. We would be open to offers, trades, leases, etc. He is only for sale due to owner's pregnancy. \$6,500. Contact Nadia at 918-770-1584 or e-mail at nadiak@freedom-farms.com. See more at www.freedom-farms.com

Jazz (ApHC Registration Pending) – 2006 Bay Characteristic Filly
Blazin Hot Tip x Quick Statement



SOLD

Jazz is an extremely nice filly that should be a world caliber longe liner and eventual western pleasure prospect. She is pretty, elegant, and a joy to be around. Her movement is to die for – soft, flat kneed, and SLOW. She is characteristic and will have regular papers. She is already developing snowflakes and some roaning as she sheds her baby hair. She has also shed out extremely dark. See more at www.circlefstables.net \$1,500, Contact Carolyn at 405-377-9186 or e-mail at circlefstables@sbcglobal.net.

Splash (ApHC Registration Pending) – 2006 Paint
Blazin Hot Tip x Just In M' Thoughts



SALE

PENDING

"Splash" carries the up close handling from the best of the breed. A fine ApHC including Dreamfinder, Go to Impress, King Place and Blazin Hot. He is ready for the show with a naturally set. He is extremely friendly and easy to handle. He is an excellent prospect to go far in western pleasure/western all-around horse. See more at www.circlefstables.net \$1,500, Contact Carolyn at 405-377-9186 or e-mail at circlefstables@sbcglobal.net.

Zippin Thru Moolah – 2006 Leopard Filly
Dial Bright Too x Zipp O Rhythm



This filly is now offered for sale. We'd love to see her put into a good show home where her breeding and talent can be showcased. Holiday's sire is unshown due to injury, but he is extremely sporty in type. Holiday's dam, Zipp O'Rhythm, earned a superior event in ApHC Hunter-In-Hand and was shown to a top five placing at ApHC Nationals. Priced at \$1500, negotiable to right situation. Contact Pat Gent at GentlewoodFarms@aol.com or call 405-454-1028.

The following are reprinted from the Dec. 2006 ApHC Regional Club Newsletter.

The Performance Permit

The Performance Permit becomes effective on January 1, 2007 putting an end to the CPO program. The Permit Proposal differs from the original CPO program in three critical ways. First of all, it is a show rule change instead of a registration rule change; second, it offers incentives for the production of colored foals; and third, it places a higher valuation on Appaloosa-to-Appaloosa breeding than it does on approved Appaloosa-to-crossbreeding.

The PERFORMANCE PERMIT spelled out

To begin with, Permit is *not* a registration rule change. Under Permit, the registration rules that are currently in effect will remain in effect. There will continue to be only two types of registered horses: those with characteristics (regular) and those without (non-characteristic). Non-characteristic horses will continue to be required to breed back to a regularly registered Appaloosas. Furthermore, the registration fees schedule will remain unchanged.

What *will* change is the way that Appaloosa-bred, non-characteristic horses will be granted access to ApHC-sponsored events.

To begin with, the entire CPO program will be eliminated. In order to compete in ApHC-approved events, all non-characteristic horses will have to be DNA parentage-verified. Under Permit, the owner of any non-characteristic horse that wishes to compete in any ApHC-approved event will have to purchase a "performance permit." There will be a one-time fee assessed that will remain in effect throughout the horse's life, unaffected by ownership changes.

The basic essence of the Performance Permit is as follows:

1. There are no changes to current registration rules.
2. Those horses receiving non-characteristic (N) certificates of registration are eligible to purchase a show/performance permit in order to compete in their chosen discipline. This does not change their N registration status thereby mandating adherence to current registration rules that require N horses to be bred to regularly (#) registered

horse.

3. This does not change current rules regarding horses that race. If horses are crossbred and receive N papers, they can currently race. However, if those horses want to be eligible to earn medallions, they would have to purchase the performance permit prior to running in races that count toward medallion earnings.
4. The permit is valid for the lifetime of the horse and is retained with the horse regardless of ownership changes. It is non-transferrable.
5. In order to receive a performance permit, the horse must be DNA'd along with both the sire and dam of that horse.
6. This program eliminates the current CPO program.
7. This program eliminates the process of "double-DNA-ing" transported semen foals - once when they're registered and once when they're CPO'd.
8. A portion of the permit fee would be retained by ApHC to cover office/staff/administrative costs and to replace CPO revenue. The rest would be placed in an incentive fund that would be paid back to regularly registered (#) horses in an as-yet-to-be-determined manner.
9. This program is less expensive to breeders who get a solid foal from an App x App breeding and then must CPO the foals. It is more expensive for those who crossbreed and get a solid foal.
10. This program would allow horses that are currently N registered to be shown upon issuance of a permit, as long as they meet DNA requirements.
11. This program is solidly in line with our mission to provide programs that support the Appaloosa breed; a breed we've defined by bloodlines but with preferred characteristics. It allows crossbreeding in order for horses to be more competitive in disciplines open to all breeds, but rewards breeders and horses that tailor their programs to breed for colored offspring.

Appaloosa Horse Club Offers Aged Horse Special

The Appaloosa Horse Club is offering members an opportunity to register eligible **Appaloosas over two years of age for the reduced rate of only \$150!**

Eligibility Requirements:

- ApHC members only (you may purchase a membership at the time of registration)
- Applicant horse may be eligible for Regular (#) or Non-characteristic (N) classification
- Applicant horse must be two years old or older
- Applicant horse must meet all registration requirements
- Applicant horse must meet ApHC bloodline requirement: at least one parent must be ApHC-registered with Regular (#) classification; non-Appaloosa parents must be registered with an approved breed association (AQHA, JC, or AHA)

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

**Sunday, January 21, 2007
Goldie's @ 21st & Garnett, Tulsa, OK**

We will be discussing 2007 plans, looking ahead to new proposals for 2008, holding board of director elections, and presenting the 2006 year end high point awards. Hope to see everyone there!

**Sooner Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc.
Membership Application**

NAME _____ ApHC# _____
 SPOUSE _____ ApHC# _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
 HOME PHONE () _____ WORK PHONE () _____
 EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Type of Membership

Individual - \$10

Family - \$20

Youth Members

Name	Age	Date of Birth	ApHC#

Areas of Interest, Expertise

Filling in this section is optional, but will allow us to focus on our membership's interests.

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		Barrel Racing			Trail Rides
		Roping			Team Penning
		Endurance Events			Horse Shows
		Dressage			Drill Team
		Three Day Events			Cross Country
		Fox Hunts			Hunter Pace
		Pony Club			Play Days
		<i>Other Please fill in:</i>			

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Sooner Club on the Web

Join Us on the Yahoo! Sooner-Appaloosa Group!

Keep up to date on the latest news and happenings on the Yahoo! Sooner-Appaloosa Group. This group is one of the main ways we all keep in touch, but it is also a great venue for discussing ideas for the club and getting input from the members. The more people we have participating, the better this club will be! To join, just type in <http://groups.yahoo.com> on your Internet browser. Either sign in or create a Yahoo! account, then search for "sooner appaloosa".

Web-addresses for Sooner Members

I would like to provide a listing of web-site addresses for Sooner Club members in a future newsletter. If you have a stallion to promote, horses to sell, or just want to show off your spots, send your web-site addresses to jennifer@spotofpleasure.com!

We're on the Web!

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