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SOONER APHC

WINNER OF THE 2007 APHC PRESIDENTS AWARD OF APPRECIATION

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*Especially
for
Sooner News
5-8-'09*

Marian Alton

PLAY TIME BEGINS

President's Corner



First, congratulations to Sharon and Gerry and everyone who helped with our 2008 regional club scrapbook entry. In addition to preserving our 2008 experiences and accomplishments, this entry was selected for our region's Exemplary club award and was in contention for the national award. Yea, Sooner!

Spring is definitely here. With all the rain we've had, Green Country is truly living up to its name—green and lush everywhere. We've had so much rain recently that you're walking on one—two inches of water almost anywhere around the place. Makes me wish we could have a little more moderation in the weather. I know we'll want rain in August! The birds are sitting on their nests; the calves are romping in the fields. And...

The foals are coming! Check out the foal pages in this issue to see photos of some of our new beginnings this year. So many

hopes and dreams in a long legged package! Congratulations to everyone on their babies. Last year's foals are yearlings now and I'm sure we're going to see many of them doing great things. Be sure to share your progress with us. We absolutely love to brag on our own. For the 2008 and 2009 foals, check out our stallion stakes program. We have stakes classes for qualifying foals at the OKC State Fair this year. I'm looking forward to seeing you and your youngsters there to help us launch this innovative program.

This year we are blessed to have Sue Kulp continue as our youth director. I'm really excited about the Youth Ambassador program, a concept worked on and brought into being by Sue, Sharon Marshall and Dedra Tiger. I'm looking forward to seeing our youth participate in speech, photo and journalism programs that the ApHC has in place, in addition to showing and riding their horses in 4-H and breed shows and on trail rides.

Our show season this year is continuing to expand and evolve. We are co-pointing two Kansas shows, one in May and the Fair show in September. As we did last year, we're co-pointing the All American Appaloosa Congress. When exhibiting at any of these co-point shows, be sure to advise the show staff that you are a member of Sooner ApHC and that we're co-pointing the show. Let Dedra and/or I know that you competed and with which horses so we can be sure we get your show points tabulated for our year end awards.

Our club's show centerpiece is again the Appaloosa Celebration at the Reichert in August. Please put August 7, 8, and 9 on your calendar. What a great opportunity to show your horses to both an Appaloosa and non-Appaloosa audience! ***Youth*** Please note and plan to participate in the special youth competition being held on Sunday, August 9. *** Please note that we also need your help with staffing the show with ring stewards, gate personnel and make up arena personnel. We want this show to be one that is a fun experience for all our exhibitors and profitable for us and for the Reichert. Please coordinate with Dedra Tiger on when you can help.

We are checking into participating as a club in this year's Hooves For A Cure ride. Watch for more information on this in future issues. We really like the idea of combining a trail ride together with supporting this cause that affects each of us, whether ourselves, a family member or friend. We're looking forward to this opportunity to support the Appaloosa outside the show venue. I urge our members to join us in this effort.

This promises to be an exciting and challenging year with Sooner. If you haven't renewed your Sooner membership, please fill out the membership form on the last page and send to the address at the bottom of the page. If you have not been active, consider making this your year to join new and returning members in moving the Sooner Club forward. This is a great group of people. Please join us!

Happy Spring, everyone. Keep us posted on your accomplishments and progress.

Carol Johnson, Sooner ApHC President



Another
2009 Foal
Sired by
Obviously Magic



"Casper"

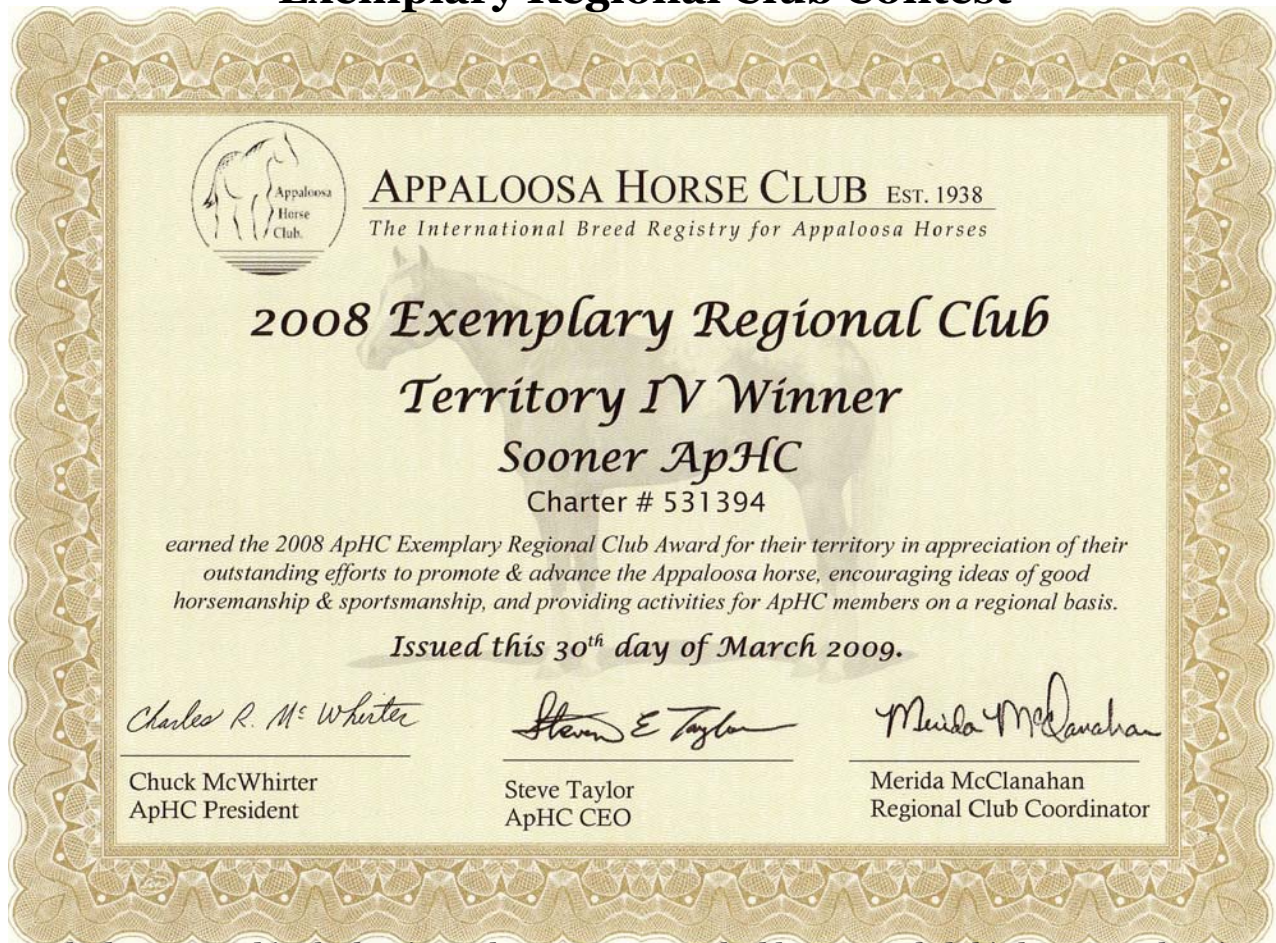
Bay and White fewspot colt foaled on April 19, 2009. Black ears, black and white mane and tail. I count 4 spots on him. He has a cute little head and sweet face, slim neck, and long legs. He will reach 16 hands. He will lead, tie, have his shots and boosters and will be wormed before weaning. Contact Wildwood Appaloosas for price, more information, up-to-date pictures and a DVD will be available soon!



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Visit Our Website: <http://www.wildwoodappaloosas.com>

Sooner ApHC Receives The Certificate From The ApHC For Being The Territory IV Winner Of The 2008 Exemplary Regional Club Contest



We had announced in the last issue that Sooner ApHC had been awarded this honor. At that time, however, the certificate hadn't arrived. Since the certificate is now here, we decided to 'share' it with the membership. Congratulations all! Along with the award came a card with an Orren Mixer painting on the front, and the following note inside:

Dear members of the Sooner ApHC,
Please accept our sincere congratulations
for being the Territory IV Winner of
the exemplary regional club program.
A check for \$200 will follow this letter.
We look forward to following your
adventures in 2009! And hope to see you
all at the National Show in Jackson, MS
from June 22 - July 5.
Congratulations again!

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REMINGTON PARK
RACING & CASINO

Onlytreasurecove mine - 2nd
Coronamasfina - 3rd
250 Yards in :13.76

CASH FOR CASEY

Okc2 Skin On The Cash - Kisses For Casey by Bold Episode - Best in OK by Bill J. Cronley, Sr.
Bill J. Cronley, Sr. - Owner

Bonnie L. Wilson - Trainer
Randy R. Wilson - Jockey
Purse \$14,000 March 21, 2009



Cash For Casey Wins His First Time Out!

We received this picture from Ronna Pauley, daughter of Bill Conley, both Sooner members, and the happy results from Remington Park on March 21. This was Cash For Casey's first race. Bill has a remarkable record for getting color on his foals, but this is one of those rare solids of his. When Marian and I (your editor) visited Bill last fall, we got to see this youngster in person. Way to go!



Big Wind!



The overnight hours of May 12/13 saw some high winds roll through parts of Oklahoma. They certainly did a number on one of editor Gerry's lean-to's. This 72 foot lean-to is now missing half of it's roof. Not only was the roof ripped off, but it rolled and bounced a couple of times, then bounced again and ended up in Gerry's north pasture. None of the horses were hurt. However, some shingles on his garage are loose, and his flag pole is bent. This is the lean-to he took pictures of his new filly in when she was less than a day old.

Sooner Youth Stories

As reported by Dedra Tiger;

As members of the Sooner Appaloosa Horse Club, granddaughter, Katelynn Sokolowski and I currently have no horse at our house. Of course, our fellow Sooner members generously "share" their spotted horses with us, but that's not like having spots running in your very own pasture.

Fret not, fellow Sooners. We've been adopted and now have our own spots. Although not a horse, Freckles is a loving, tri-colored leopard dog. He adopted us and, as you can see from the photo,



he loves his little human, Katelynn. We

think Freckles is part blue heeler, but pedigree doesn't matter, he's a wonderful dog.

Katelynn and Freckles are always together. Whether riding a bike or swimming in the pond, Freckles joins in the action. When she sings to her CD player, Freckles strikes a pose like the old RCA dog. He also loves to bark at pond frogs and "herd" the neighbors' cattle and horses, which looks a lot like chasing them. We're working on the chasing behavior, as it translates into chasing cars, as well. Both behaviors can be dangerous for a country dog.

Just in case you're wondering, we're not in a position to have a horse. So, "Thanks, but no thanks", to any potential offers. We'll keep getting our Appaloosa fix by lovin' on your horses, going to shows and maintaining the Sooner site. Katelynn and I wanted to share our new spots with you.



Freckles

A Story/Poem

Cayenne Colley sent us the story/poem that appears to the right. She stated that she wrote it about three years ago when she was nine

A Horse Story
A horse as grand as a medal place of first.

A leopard Appaloosa!

It's black is as coal,
It's white is as snow.

A horse worth the money and the wait.

You LOVE the run it runs.
As you lead it, you notice something magical.

As it walks to you something different, you
can not tell.

It's the LOVE they give!

That is true!!

A Tough Springtime

Sooner member, Martha Swartz, had several weeks of mental and physical stress when husband, Don, fought a serious battle against heart failure. He was in the veteran's hospital in Muskogee two weeks, and Martha kept the highway hot everyday till he came home.

During all of this, the Swartz AQHA mare, "Molly", heavy in foal to Bugs J Man, for his first foal, lost her stud colt. Martha and Marian had a huge disappointment as their hopes and plans ended and remain anxious due to "Molly's" struggle with foal founder.

Earlier in the spring, Don and Martha lost their two old retired champion palomino mares. However, Martha has acquired a young palomino granddaughter of two World Champion reiners and looks forward to having time to continue riding her. Martha, by no means, is giving up on her Appaloosa venture and told Marian, "We'll get an early start next year." That meant a lot to both old friends.

Martha, who won a national trail class years ago on her palomino mare, has said she'd get in Appaloosa trail competition if she had a chance. Anybody out there...?

OAR Meeting in Oklahoma City, May 16th

The Oklahoma Appaloosa Racing Association meeting in Oklahoma City on May 16th included Sooner members Bruce Miller, Jim and Miriam Lovell. Miriam reports one of the main topics discussed was the shortage of colored Appaloosa race bred stallions and their offspring entries to help promote and support the Strike It Rich Futurity in the future.

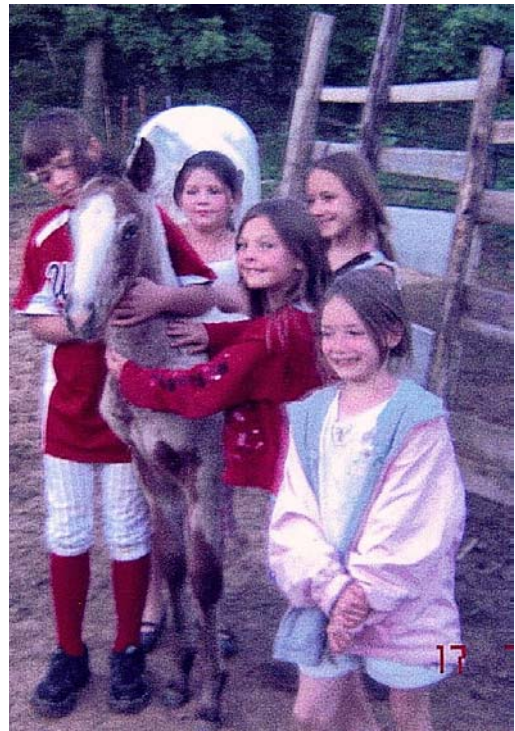
Colleys Many Hands Has Many Friends



One of our newest Sooner members, Randy Wolfe, is pictured at left. He is Larry Colley's cousin.

Pictured on the right with the Colley's 2009 foal, Colleys Many Hands, are Cary Colley in front with Ashley Martindale behind her. Behind Ashley is Cayenne Colley. To the left of Cayenne is Alexis Martindale. To the left of Colleys Many Hands is Kyle Martindale. The Martindale kids are Randy Wolfe's step kids.

When Marian first saw this picture, she said, "Many Hands has to be held back by the group so he won't go hunting Jim Chronister to be in a photo with a Hands Up descendant."



Again—It's A Small World!

ApHC mare, Rite Fine Li'l Horse, has a perfect name for more than one reason. She's Wapiti, Joker B, AQHA Double Bid AAA, is lovable, comical, smart, and loaded with personality. She is owned by the Colorful Colleys of Terlton, Oklahoma and will be bred to ApHC Bugs J Man.

Marian went with Larry to take her to Joleta's, and later they talked over some ancestors way back in the mare's pedigree. To Marian's happy surprise, after asking Larry to check out a Dawson bred, Larry discovered "Li'l Horse" is one of "Marian's relatives!"



Marian Alton and Rite Fine Li'l Horse in front of the barn used for visiting mares at the Ingersoll Ranch.

She traces twice to an early day pre-registration stallion, Little Earl, brought to Claremore, Oklahoma by you-guessed-it, Marian's grandfather, Frank Alton! He went to Missouri to get the son of Missouri Mike and named him Little Earl for the baby son, Walter Earl, that the Altons had lost in 1899.

The stallion, Little Earl, foaled in 1884, appears often in the Dawson Ranch mares and is the ancestor of AQHA Oklahoma Star Jr. The famous rodeo mounts Ol' Baldy and Babydoll were Little Earl bred. Around 1961, Marian and her black Hands Up daughter, Bubba, had the fastest time (18.5) on barrels, in the mud, at Claremore but knocked over a barrel. The winner was the dun World Champion Barrel Horse, AQHA V's Sandy with owner, Jane Mayo, aboard. "Sandy" was by AQHA Oklahoma Star Jr. Grandfather Alton would be proud.

In later years, Frank Alton was assigned the remount stallion, Reno Alec (TB), who appears in the Holden's mare's pedigree. As you can guess, Marian is ecstatic and amazed to have two mares bred to Bugs J Man who are descendants of her grandfather Alton's stallions.

If you have one of the huge fold out AQHA diagrams of pre-registration stallions, etc, look for Little Earl—he's there, and Marian is proud of his contributions to the NE Oklahoma horses, especially AQHA Oklahoma Star Jr. who Frank Holmes included in the Legends Series—Little Earl is there.

A big Thank You to Larry Colley who did some checking on descendants of Little Earl via computer.



Just a note to say that we set a new record, with this issue, for the number of pages in a single issue of Sooner News!



Sooner Youth wins Fashion Revue

Cayenne Colley sent us this picture with the announcement that she won her Fashion Revue. She placed first in Formal Wear, Casual Wear and Athletic Wear. She earned three ribbons and a trophy. She is pictured to the left in her formal wear attire. Congratulations!

Check Out The New Sooner Member Foals On The Following Pages

Congratulations to everyone on the arrival of their new foals!

We hope to see many of these new foals, in person, at the inaugural running of the Sooner Super Stallion Stakes classes at the Oklahoma State Fair in September. We have included the class list for the State Fair Appaloosa Show in this issue. Be sure to check it over. To be eligible for the Sooner Super Stallion Stakes classes, the sire of the foal has to be owned by a Sooner member. The next three pages list all stallions currently enrolled in the program. Best of luck to everyone. This is one of the largest 'herd' of Sooner member foals we've reported in the last few years!

Friday & Saturday
September 25 & 26
Oklahoma City, OK
2009



Mark it on your calendar!

FOALS OF 2009



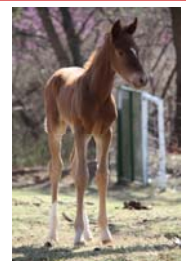
“Gracie” Owned by Don and Karen Marr of Scottsburg, Indiana. Foaled on January 12. Sired by Forty One JJ (ApHC) , and out of Party Miss (TB), she has just enough color in the form of white snowflakes on her hips to qualify for regular papers. She is pictured here at about two and a half months.

“Colleys Many Hands” Owned by the Colley family, this colt was foaled on March 15th. His sire is DW Magic Pony Legend, and he’s out of S-L Eclat Hands. The Colleys own both his sire and dam. The Colley family are from Terlton, Oklahoma.



“Mikey” Joan and Sharon Marshall’s new colt, foaled on March 17, by Winning Touchdown. His dam is Impeccable Notions. His registered name (pending) is Naughty Notions. Joan and Sharon Marshall reside in Lexington, Oklahoma

“Andy” Sooner member Pam Meador of Paoli, Oklahoma is the proud owner of this colt sired by Artfully Designed, and out of Lyns Last Detail (AQHA). He was born on March 12th.



“George” This cute palomino colt belongs to the Halterman family. He was foaled on May 2 at 4 AM. His sire is Shining Co Star, and is out of HM Candy King. His grandsires are Shining Spark and Alias King. The Halterman family have great expectations of him.

“Mocha” Bay filly with characteristics foaled on March 19, 2009. Mocha is a little sweetie and an in-your-pocket kind of foal. We expect her to roan out over her body similar to her dam. Sired by Obviously Magic and out of Puffthemagicdreamer. She is owned by Sheila and Darrell Kobs, Wildwood Appaloosas located in Wright City, Missouri.



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“Gina” or All The Rageous (pending) is member Gerry Lukacik’s first and only foal for 2009. This big filly is pictured at 2 days old, and was foaled on April 22. Her sire is Ziprageous (AQHA) and she’s out of Frost My Asset. This was “Ashley’s” first foal since 2001, and her first colored foal ever.



“Casper” The barn name of this bay few spot colt says it all! He is owned by Sheila and Darrell Kobs of Wright City, Missouri, and is for sale. Check out their ad near the front of this newsletter. He was foaled on April 19, and is sired by Obviously Magic (ApHC), and out of Bar B Knot (ApHC)

“Bold N Bright” Foaled on April 6th. This handsome fellow is owned by Duane and Debbie Sullivan, and is sired by their stallion, Bold Plan, and out of their mare, Eyes Honey Blond.



“Cookies Grand Finale” June Kooker, of Eufaula, owns this filly born on February 1st. She has just a hint of white on her hips that may not show up well in this newsletter picture. She is sired by June’s stallion, Honeys Bit Ole Lark, and out of her good mare, which she lost shortly after this filly was born, Hot Sugar Cookie.

Twins!

Duane and Debbie Sullivan were surprised by the arrival of twin fillies on April 9th. Their sire is the Sullivan’s stallion, Intimidating Jeans, and the lucky mom is Jacksons Satin Star (AQHA) . Debbie says they are both still fragile, so they’ve only given them barn names.



The sorrel filly on the far left of the picture is “Little Bit”, and the loud colored filly under the mare is “Calico Girl.” We’re sure that Duane and Debbie will keep us posted on the progress of these two twin fillies.

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“Blu” This foal belongs to Mike and Karen French, relayed to us by Larry Colley. The sire is DREABluhawkrodeoday, and the dam is Xena Moon Shadow. This filly was born on April 9th, and her registered name (pending) will be Comanche War Hawk, which is based on her lineage.

“Willie” From our Washington state Sooner member, Lynette Thompson, comes this report this photo of their new colt sired by Sucha Perfect Crime, owned by John and Sandy Jones, and out of Valleys Of Chocolate (Kat). Tentative registration name will be ‘Will He Be Perfect.’ This colt was born on May 9th.



“Buddy” Sheila and Darrell Kobs first foal of the season, born on February 21. This black and white leopard colt was sired by Obviously Magic, and out of Finders Keep Her.

“Colleys Eclat Warrior” (pending) The Colley family welcomed the arrival of this colt on May 1st. His sire is DW Magic Pony Legend and is out of the mare SBarL Eclat Bell.



“Apaches Bonded Image” This flashy colt belongs to Sooner member Kimberly Dibble of Meeker, Oklahoma. His sire is Gwens Bonded Heart, and is out of Apaches Chelsea May. He is also for sale. www.pr-ranch.com

“Izzy” Foaled on March 31st out of We Go Soso, and sired by Separate Rainbow AQHA AAA (*see new members article on Jim and Lee Campbell) , this new colt is proudly owned by Jim and Miriam Lovell, Sooner members from Claremore, Oklahoma.



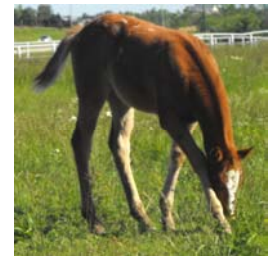
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“Reiny” A loud colored filly sired by Hickory Chick O’Lena AQHA and out of Ima Sweet Report. Her barn name is a double entendre because she was born the night it poured rain, and her sire is a big time QH reiner. Sharon Marshall is the agent for the owner.



“Bailey” This filly is the latest arrival for the Halterman family of Duncan, Oklahoma. Her sire is Lads Strawman, and her dam is Scarlot Moon Dancer.

Bill Conley reports two foals this spring. This first one is a sorrel colt with big white spots on his hips. He is out of Miss Bold Z, who is a daughter of Zevi, and out of the mare, Miss Good Bird. This colt is sired by Apollo (TB). His registered name of *He’ll Smoke* is pending.



Bill Conley’s second foal is a filly. She appears to have a trace of color which should become more evident as she grows and sheds out. She is sired by The Corona (AQHA) and out of Kisses For Casey. Kisses for Casey is a daughter of Bold Episode. Her registered name of *Keegans Corona Kiss* is pending.











We received word that the Boldings of Arkansas had a smokey black stud colt by Bugs J Man, out of the mare, Turf Made. Unfortunately, the pictures didn’t make it in time to be included with this write up. The colt was born in May.

Camera
Shy!



Congratulations to all Sooner members on another fine foal crop!










SOONER SUPER STALLION STAKES

<p>Apaches Eagle Vision (ApHC)</p>		<p>Kimberly Dibble RR 1, Box 79M Meeker, OK 74855 phoenix_ranch@yahoo.com www.pr-ranch.com</p>
<p>Blazin Hot Dream (ApHC)</p>		<p>Letham Stables John and Debby Letham 13420 North Frisco Road Yukon, OK 73099 (405) 373-1133 lethampony@wavelinx.net</p>
<p>Blue Oyster Cult (ApHC)</p>		<p>Hatbrand Reproduction Joleta Ingersoll-Spurlock, Farm Manager 26506 S. Hwy 88 Inola, OK 74036 (918) 543-3877</p>
<p>Bold Plan (ApHC)</p>		<p>Diamond Dot Appaloosas Duanne and Debbie Sullivan 16425 Fulton Road Mounds, OK 74047 (918) 366-3810 horselvr@aol.com</p>
<p>Bugs J Man (ApHC)</p>		<p>Alton Appaloosas and Art Jerry Crouch or Marian Alton P. O. Box 861 Claremore, OK 74018-0861 (918) 341-0284 home / (918) 906-0118 cell</p>
<p>CA Spotted Wonder (ApHC)</p>		<p>John Clements 30229 South Highway 61 Quinton, OK 74561 (918) 490-3010 pastorjohnclements@earthlink.net</p>
<p>CTR Eagles Rainmaker (ApHC)</p>		<p>The Colorful Colleys Larry Colley 41628 Bear Road Terlton, OK 74081 www.freewebs.com/colorfulcolleys/index.htm</p>
<p>DB's Post Shannon (ApHC)</p>		<p>Black Star Ranch Pete and Sue Kulp HC 62, Box 113 Nowata, OK 74048 (918) 273-5515 Blackstarranch@yahoo.com</p>
<p>DW Magic Pony Legend (ApHC)</p>		<p>The Colorful Colleys Larry Colley 41628 Bear Road Terlton, OK 74081 www.freewebs.com/colorfulcolleys/index.htm</p>
<p>Forty One JJ (ApHC)</p>		<p>Marr Racing Stables Don and Karen Marr 11109 E Old 56 Scottsburg, IN 47170 (812) 752-7297</p>

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<p>Forty-One Wrangler (ApHC)</p>		<p>The Colorful Colleys Larry Colley 41628 Bear Road Terlton, OK 74081 www.freewebs.com/colorfulcolleys/index.htm</p>
<p>Honeys Bit Ole Lark (AQHA)</p>		<p>AVA Farms LLC June Kooker P. O. Box 803 Eufaula, OK 74432 (918) 618-3770 or (918) 689-7422</p>
<p>Hot Sugar Lark (ApHC)</p>		<p>AVA Farms LLC June Kooker P. O. Box 803 Eufaula, OK 74432 (918) 618-3770 or (918) 689-7422</p>
<p>I Dream Of Champagne (ApHC)</p>		<p>Dream Catcher Ranch Teresa N. Lake Lawton, Oklahoma (580) 284-5653 dream_catcher_ranch@earthlink.net</p>
<p>Im Dashing (AQHA)</p>		<p>Hatbrand Reproduction Joleta Ingersoll-Spurlock, Farm Manager 26506 S. Hwy 88 Inola, OK 74036 (918) 543-3877</p>
<p>Intimidating Jeans (ApHC)</p>		<p>Diamond Dot Appaloosas Duanne and Debbie Sullivan 16425 Fulton Road Mounds, OK 74047 (918) 366-3810 horselvr@aol.com</p>
<p>KDJJ Vision Of Justice (ApHC)</p>		<p>Kevin or Dar Arrowood KDJJ Appaloosas Rapid River, MI 49878 (906) 553-2907 KDJJ_Appaloosas@yahoo.com</p>
<p>Lightnings Legacy (ApHC)</p>		<p>The Colorful Colleys Larry Colley 41628 Bear Road Terlton, OK 74081 www.freewebs.com/colorfulcolleys/index.htm</p>
<p>Mai Kai (AQHA)</p>		<p>Hatbrand Reproduction Joleta Ingersoll-Spurlock, Farm Manager 26506 S. Hwy 88 Inola, OK 74036 (918) 543-3877</p>
<p>Obviously Magic (ApHC)</p>		<p>Wildwood Appaloosas Sheila Knobs 288 Highway WW Wright City, MO 63390 www.wildwoodappaloosas.com</p>

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<p>Playgirls Gigolo (AQHA)</p>		<p>Shady Creek Ranch Dave Beatty Show Horses 27327 E 201st Street S Haskell, OK 74436 (918) 482-2926 Shadycreekrancho3@msn.com</p>
<p>Reimpressed (ApHC)</p>		<p>Shady Creek Ranch Dave Beatty Show Horses 27327 E 201st Street S Haskell, OK 74436 (918) 482-2926 Shadycreekrancho3@msn.com</p>
<p>Relive The Dream (ApHC)</p>		<p>Carol Plybon 2767 Jeep Road Abilene, KS 67410 (785) 598-2368 caryvale@tctelco.net</p>
<p>Shining Co Star (ApHC)</p>		<p>Letham Stables John and Debby Letham 13420 North Frisco Road Yukon, OK 73099 (405) 373-1133 lethampony@wavelinx.net</p>
<p>Silver Bar Pepper (AQHA)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">NO PHOTO AVAILABLE</p>	<p>Dee Keener Keener Racing 18004 E 570 Rd Inola, OK 74036 (918) 543-6033 Wendyingersoll@aol.com</p>
<p>Te's King Of Hearts (ApHC)</p>		<p>Letham Stables John and Debby Letham 13420 North Frisco Road Yukon, OK 73099 (405) 373-1133 lethampony@wavelinx.net</p>
<p>Winning Touchdown (ApHC)</p>		<p>Joan and Sharon Marshall 9551 Moffat Road Lexington, OK 73051 (405) 590-1147 www.marshallappaloosas.com</p>
<p>Zips EZ Question (ApHC)</p>		<p>Judy DeMuth 13457 Ida Center Ida, MI 48140 (734) 269-6604</p>
<p>Zipez Co Native Hand (ApHC)</p>		<p>Alton Appaloosas and Art Jerry Crouch or Marian Alton P. O. Box 861 Claremore, OK 74018-0861 (918) 341-0284 home / (918) 906-0118 cell</p>
<p>Ziprageous (AQHA)</p>		<p>Cathy, John and Katie Stricker Stricker Quarter Horses 2156 US 50 Batavia, OH 45103 (513) 732-1364 www.ziprageous.com</p>

2009 Oklahoma State Fair

HORSE SHOW SCHEDULE

September 17-19
Gypsy & Draft Horse Show

September 17
(starts at approximately 4:00 pm)
Exhibition, AQHA and
Open Jackpot 5-D Barrel Race

September 20
Morning: Cowboy Church Ministry (Pavilion)
Afternoon: Draft Horse Overload Pull

September 21-23
Open Arena/Equine Demonstrations (TBA)

September 24
Ranch Sorting

September 25-26
Appaloosa Horse Show

September 26-27
POA and Miniature Donkey Show

September 27
Morning: Cowboy Church Ministry:
(Pavilion)

State Fair Park
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

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More specific information is available at
www.okstatefair.com

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September 17 - 27





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DIVISION 2126 APPALOOSA HORSE SHOW

Show Details: Friday, September 25, 2009 8:00 AM
and Saturday, September 26, 2009 8:00 AM

Entry Deadline: August 15, 2009 (late entries accepted with penalty but no later than 6:00 pm the day before the scheduled class)

May start arriving: Thursday, Sept. 24 after 12:00 PM

Must vacate: No later than Sunday, Sept. 27, 8:00 AM

Judges: Cindy Chilton Moore, Broken Arrow OK
Andrea Koehn, St Clair MO

Steward: Faith L Bates, Inola OK

Announcer: Bill Addis, Edmond OK

Photographer: Jerry Hymer Photography, Oklahoma City OK



DOUBLE ApHC POINTS FOR EACH JUDGE!!!!

OSF Show Information: "Marc" Pankow, OK State Fair Horse Show Manager (405) 948-6735 (or e-mail mpankow@okstatefair.com)

OAHC Club/Futurity Information: Charlie or Kim Hall (405) 787-9870 (or www.okaphc.com)

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- ✓ **DOUBLE POINTS FOR EACH JUDGE: 4 SETS OF POINTS AT ONE SHOW!!**
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- ✓ Eligibility: all animals must be registered with the Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc., Moscow, Idaho.
- ✓ Horses must be entered in the name of the current RECORDED owner, and a clear, legible copy of the registration papers showing all transfers of ownership and current gender of horse must be submitted with the entry forms (or mailed to OSF immediately following online entry process.)
- ✓ Include clear and legible copies of ApHC membership cards for all owners, trainers and exhibitors.
- ✓ Game classes will be run on a "horse against time" format.
- ✓ Listen for announcements regarding scheduled breaks.

FEES: (continued next page)

Stall Fee (required/per horse or tack stall).....	\$30
Entry Fee (all open and non-pro classes) (\$12 per judge per class).....	\$24
Entry Fee (on youth classes) (\$8 per judge per class)	\$16
ApHC Open class fee (\$2.00 per judge per class)	\$4
ApHC Non-Pro/Youth Fee (\$1.00 per judge per class)	\$2
OSF Office Fee (per horse)	\$5
Exhibitor's Ticket (Mandatory and limited to 1 per ownership entity)	\$20
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2009 OK APHC FUTURITIES & STAKES CLASSES

The **Oklahoma Appaloosa Horse Club** will sponsor the futurities/stakes classes listed and noted with OAHC. The owner and handler must be members of the Oklahoma Appaloosa Horse Club, and memberships are due with first payment. All horses must have show papers from the Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc. A copy of these papers (front & back) must be filed with the Oklahoma Appaloosa Horse Club. If a nominated horse is sold, the new owner must also become a member of the O.A.H.C. for the horse to show. All rules and regulations of the O.A.H.C., the Oklahoma State Fair®, and the ApHC must be met. The Oklahoma State Fair® requires all horses to have a current negative Coggins, and health papers, to show at the Fair. The O.A.H.C. reserves the right to cancel any Futurity or Stake class with less than 5 entries. There will be no transfer of fees from horse to horse. The Oklahoma State Fair® will be providing added money. Oklahoma State Fair® will NOT require entry fees paid to the OSF for the Futurity classes **but it is necessary to include the pertinent class numbers on your OSF entry form** and to make sure you do also enter and pay entry fees for the OSF "relative" class. Contact the Oklahoma Appaloosa Horse Club for more information regarding their Futurity/Stakes program. Prize money won in OAHC Futurity/Stakes classes will be paid by OAHC.

SOONER SUPER STALLIONS STAKES

New in 2009! We welcome the involvement and inclusion of the **Sooner Appaloosa Horse Club** through their Sooner Super Stallion Stakes. For more information regarding entry into the SAHC Futurity Classes/Stakes, contact the SAHC as noted on the previous page. You must be duly enrolled in the SAHC Futurity program and the stallion owner a member of the SAHC to participate in the classes indicated "Sooner....." and you must enter the corresponding OSF classes as noted herein. OSF will not require additional class entry fees for the classes titled "Sooner...." But it is necessary to include the pertinent class numbers on your OSF entry form.

Friday, September 24, 2009 8:00 AM Arena #6

(PLEASE DO NOT USE THE APHC CLASS CODES, WHICH FOLLOW THE OSF CLASS #'s IN PARENTHESES, WHEN ENTERING. Use only the first set of numbers in the first column which indicate the OSF Class #.)

001	(22) Hunter In Hand Mares
002	(23) Hunter In Hand Geldings
003	(21) Hunter In Hand Stallions
004	Sooner ApHC Yearling Hunter In Hand Stakes Class. (To be also entered & shown in cl # 001, 002 or 003. Contact Sooner ApHC for entry)
005	(53) Weanling Fillies
006	OAHC Early Weanling Filly Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 005) (Contact OAHC for entry)
007	OAHC Late Weanling Filly Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 005)(Contact OAHC for entry)
008	(54) Yearling Fillies
009	OAHC Yearling Filly Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 008) (Contact OAHC for entry)
010	OAHC Yearling Filly Stallion Service Auction Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 008) (Contact OAHC for entry)
011	(55) 2 Yr Old Mares
012	(56) 3 Yr Old Mares
013	(57) Aged Mares
014	GRAND AND RESERVE CHAMPION MARE
015	(510) Halter Mares, All Ages, Non-Pro, 19 & Over

016	(400) Halter Mares, All Ages, Youth
017	(73) Weanling Geldings
018	OAHC Weanling Gelding Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 017) (Contact OAHC for entry)
019	(74) Yearling Geldings
020	OAHC Yearling Gelding Futurity (To be entered, shown & Judged during cl # 019) (Contact OAHC for entry)
021	OAHC Yearling Gelding Stallion Service Auction Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 019) (Contact OAHC for entry)
022	(75) 2 Yr Old Geldings
023	(76) 3 Yr Old Geldings
024	(77) Aged Geldings
025	GRAND AND RESERVE CHAMPION GELDING
026	(520) Halter Geldings, All Ages, Non-Pro 19 & Over
027	(500) Halter Geldings, All Ages, Youth
028	(30) Weanling Colts
029	OAHC Early Weanling Colt Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 028) (Contact OAHC for entry)
030	OAHC Late Weanling Colt Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 028) (Contact OAHC for entry)
031	Sooner ApHC Weanling Halter Stakes Class. Must have also been entered & shown in OSF cl # 005, 017 or 028. (Contact Sooner ApHC for entry)
032	(31) Yearling Colts
033	OAHC Yearling Colt Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 032) (Contact OAHC for entry)
034	OAHC Yearling Colt Stallion Service Auction Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 032) (Contact OAHC for entry)
035	Sooner ApHC Yearling Halter Stakes Class. Must have also been entered & shown in OSF cl # 008, 019, or 032. (Contact Sooner ApHC for entry.)
036	(32) 2 Yr Old Stallions
037	(33) 3 Yr Old Stallions
038	(34) Aged Stallions
039	GRAND AND RESERVE CHAMPION STALLION
040	(500) Halter Stallions, All Ages, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
041	(310) Western Showmanship, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
042	(315) Western Showmanship, 35 & Over Non-Pro
043	(319) Western Showmanship, Novice Non-Pro, 19 & Over
044	(318) Western Showmanship, Non-Pro Masters, 50 & Over
045	(118) Western Showmanship, Youth 14-18
046	(117) Western Showmanship, Youth 13 & Under
047	(600) Western Showmanship, Novice Youth, 18 & Under
048	(306) Western Showmanship, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
049	(86) Most Colorful
050	OAHC Most Colorful Stakes (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 049) (Contact OAHC for entry)
051	Sooner ApHC Most Colorful Stakes Class for Weanlings & Yearlings. Must also have been entered & shown in OSF cl # 049. (Contact Sooner ApHC for entry.)
052	(428) Yearling Longe Line
053	OAHC Yearling Longe Line Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 052) (Contact OAHC for entry)
054	OAHC Stallion Service Auction Yearling Longe Line Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 052) (Contact OAHC for entry)
055	Sooner ApHC Yearling Longe Line Stakes Class. (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 052) (Contact Sooner ApHC for entry.)

056	(530) Yearling Longe Line, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
057	(120) English Showmanship, Youth 18 & Under
058	(360) Western Riding, Open
059	OAHC Western Riding Stake (Must have entered and shown in cl # 058) (Contact OAHC for entry)
060	(340) Western Riding, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
061	(270) Western Riding, Youth 18 & Under
	<u>(Break to set up trail obstacles)</u>
062	(382) Trail, Senior Horse
063	(381) Trail, Junior Horse
064	OAHC Trail Stakes (Must have entered & shown in either cl # 062 or #063) (Contact OAHC for entry)
065	(350) Trail, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
066	(291) Trail, Youth 13 & Under
067	(292) Trail, Youth 14 - 18
068	(359) Trail, Novice Non-Pro, 19 & Over
069	(309) Trail, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
	<u>SATURDAY, SEPT 26, 2009 8:00 AM, ARENA 6</u>
070	(426) Western Pleasure, 2 Yr Old Snaffle Bit
071	OAHC Western Pleasure 2 Yr Old Snaffle Bit Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 070) (Contact OAHC for entry)
072	OAHC Stallion Service Auction Western Pleasure 2 Yr Old Snaffle Bit Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 070. (Contact OAHC for entry)
073	(330) Western Pleasure, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
074	(335) Western Pleasure, 35 & Over Non-Pro
075	(427) Western Pleasure, 3 Yr Old Snaffle Bit
076	OAHC Western Pleasure 3 Yr Old Snaffle Bit Futurity (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 075) (Contact OAHC for entry)
077	(339) Western Pleasure, Novice Non-Pro, 19 & Over
078	(421) Western Pleasure, Junior Horse
079	(300) Youth Leadline 6 & Under
080	(308) Western Pleasure, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
081	(341) Western Pleasure, Youth 13 & Under
082	(342) Western Pleasure, Youth 14-18
083	(338) Western Pleasure, Masters Non-Pro, 50 & Over
084	(630) Western Pleasure, Novice Youth 18 & Under
085	(422) Western Pleasure, Senior Horse
086	(313) Western Horsemanship, Walk/Trot Youth 10 & Under
087	(141) Western Horsemanship, Youth 13 & Under
088	(142) Western Horsemanship, Youth 14-18
089	(320) Western Horsemanship, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
090	(325) Western Horsemanship, Non-Pro, 35 & Over
091	(328) Western Horsemanship, Masters Non-Pro, 50 & Over
092	(190) Reining, Youth 18 & Under
093	(370) Reining, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
094	(340) Reining, Open

095	(445) Hunter Under Saddle, 2 Yr Old Snaffle Bit
096	(129) Hunter Under Saddle, Novice Non-Pro, 19 & Over
097	(120) Hunter Under Saddle, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
098	(125) Hunter Under Saddle, Non-Pro, 35 & Over
099	(128) Hunter Under Saddle, Masters, Non-Pro, 50 & Over
100	(640) Hunter Under Saddle, Novice Youth 18 & Under
101	(444) Hunter Under Saddle, 3 Yr Old Snaffle Bit
102	(307) Hunter Under Saddle, Walk/Trot Youth 10 & Under
103	(321) Hunter Under Saddle, Youth 13 & Under
104	(322) Hunter Under Saddle, Youth 14-18
105	(441) Hunter Under Saddle, Junior Horse
106	OAHC Hunter Under Saddle, Jr Horse Stakes (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 105) (Contact OAHC for entry)
107	(442) Hunter Under Saddle, Senior Horse
108	OAHC Hunter Under Saddle, Sr Horse Stakes (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 107) (Contact OAHC for entry)
109	(311) Hunt Seat Equitation, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
110	(110) Hunt Seat Equitation, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
111	(115) Hunt Seat Equitation, Non-Pro, 35 & Over
112	(151) Hunt Seat Equitation, Youth 13 & Under
113	(152) Hunt Seat Equitation, Youth 14-18
114	(118) Hunt Seat Equitation, Non-Pro, Masters, 50 & Over
115	(281) Camas Prairie Stump Race, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
116	(211) Camas Prairie Stump Race, Youth 13 & Under
117	(212) Camas Prairie Stump Race, Youth 14-18
118	(314) Camas Prairie Stump Race, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
119	(280) Camas Prairie Stump Race, Open
120	OAHC Camas Prairie Stump Race Stakes (To be entered, shown & judged during cl # 119) (Contact OAHC for entry)
121	(301) Nez Perce Stake Race, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
122	(221) Nez Perce Stake Race, Youth 13 & Under
123	(222) Nez Perce Stake Race, Youth 14-18
124	(315) Nez Perce Stake Race, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
125	(300) Nez Perce Stake Race, Open
126	(290) Figure 8 Stake Race, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
127	(371) Figure 8 Stake Race, Youth 13 & Under
128	(372) Figure 8 Stake Race, Youth 14-18
129	(317) Figure 8 Stake Race, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
130	(290) Figure 8 Stake Race, Open
131	(270) Key Hole Race, Non-Pro, 19 & Over
132	(261) Key Hole Race, Youth 13 & Under
133	(262) Key Hole Race, Youth 14-18
134	(316) Key Hole Race, Walk/Trot, Youth 10 & Under
135	(270) Key Hole Race, Open

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Please, see HANDS UP chapter in Frank Holmes' Spotted Pride book

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by HEMPEN TB

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by AFORETHOUGHT TB

Bugs J Man and Jerry "J Man" Crouch celebrated May 1st birthdays as did Sooner member, Bill Cass.

CONGRATULATIONS to the Boldings of Arkansas on their blazed face smokey black foal by "Stelen" and out of the Chronister Champion producer ApHC Turf Made, age 23! We hope this baby will be given the chance to run in the Strike It Rich Futurity. "Stelen" is again one of the colored paid up stallions.

..... say **THANK YOU** to mare owners and **Joleta, Larry, Vandy, of HATBRAND REPRODUCTION.**



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Sooner member, Larry Colley, patiently works with “Stelen” in front of the old Alton family picnic area by legendary Butterfield Overland Stage Trail on bluff overlooking Dog Creek Valley.

Once again, as breeding season ends, Jerry and I want to express our appreciation for all the help, patience, and follow through shown by Joleta Ingersoll—Spurlock, husband Larry and Vandy who handled “Stelen.” No one tries harder to accomplish a goal in top notch fashion than Joleta whether it concerns mare owners or us.

The Holdens of Purcell, OK reported their ApHC Alias King daughter is in foal as is the AQHA Te’N’Te, Impressive, Hygro Leo bred mare owned by Dale and Kim Bates of Big Cabin, OK. Editor Gerry has bred two fine ApHC mares and we’re all waiting for those reports. Rolland Guild’s ApHC mare is vet check in foal. Larry Colley’s mare has been bred, but not yet vet checked.

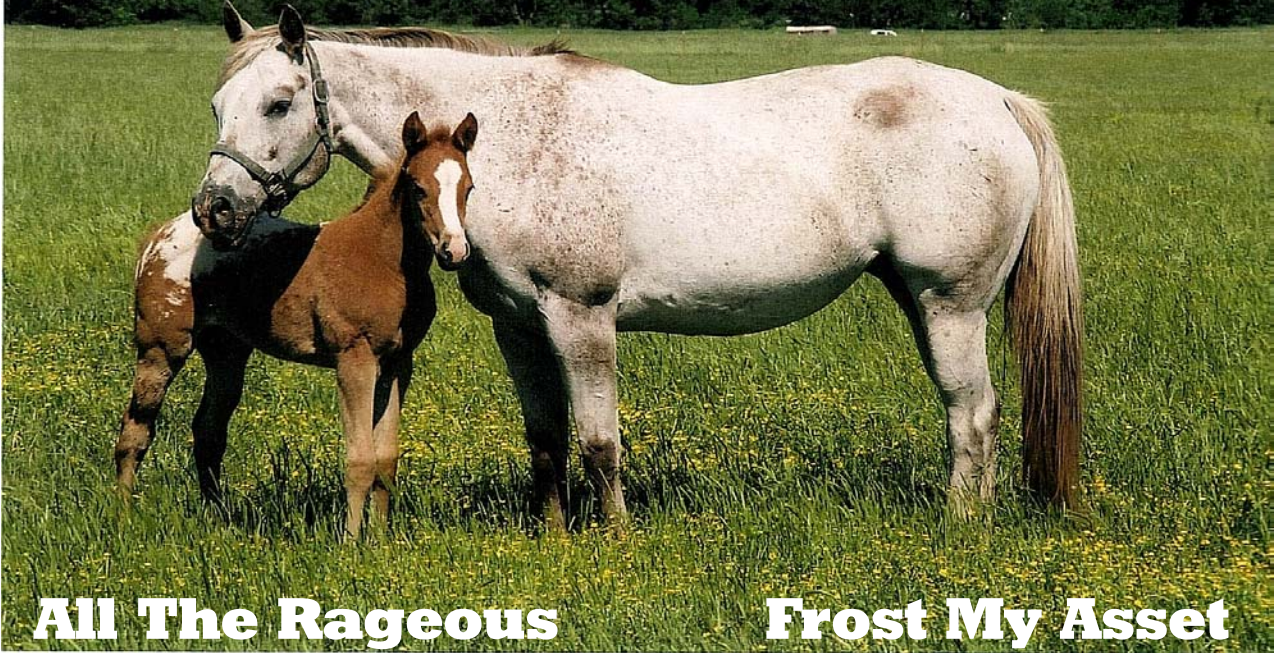
We have more of our mares to breed but have bred ApHC Zevis Patti Dance and ApHC Hands Macha Reyna. Our Lightning Bug B daughter is bred to Joleta’s AQHA Mai Kai, and is vet checked in foal.

We are thrilled and grateful for the beautiful, highly bred mares that mare owners bred to Bugs J Man this season. We share your excitement for 2010...Thank you—Jerry, Marian and Stelen.



After photo session, Larry and Stelen head back along old trail.

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Just-A-Chip



Our condolences to Ann Jentz on the loss of her mare, Just-A-Chip, dam and granddam of a few of our good ones.



Chip Happens

2001 Mare

Hot Chocolate Chip

Frost My Asset

Chips Hot Chocolate

(AQHA)

The Passing Lane

Investment Asset (AQHA)

Just-A-Chip

A fair portion of my breeding program would not exist had it not been for one of Just-A-Chip's earliest foals. We know it will be hard for Ann to replace Just-A-Chip, but her legacy will continue through the many foals she has produced over the years, and the get/produce they will have in the future. For me, I will be breeding "Chelsea" (Chip Happens) this year, and breeding "Ashley" (Frost My Asset) next year. I'd be willing to bet that the foals produced by these descendants of Just-A-Chip will be nothing but the best.

Gerry

Looking Back

A 50 Years Old Photo Surprise...

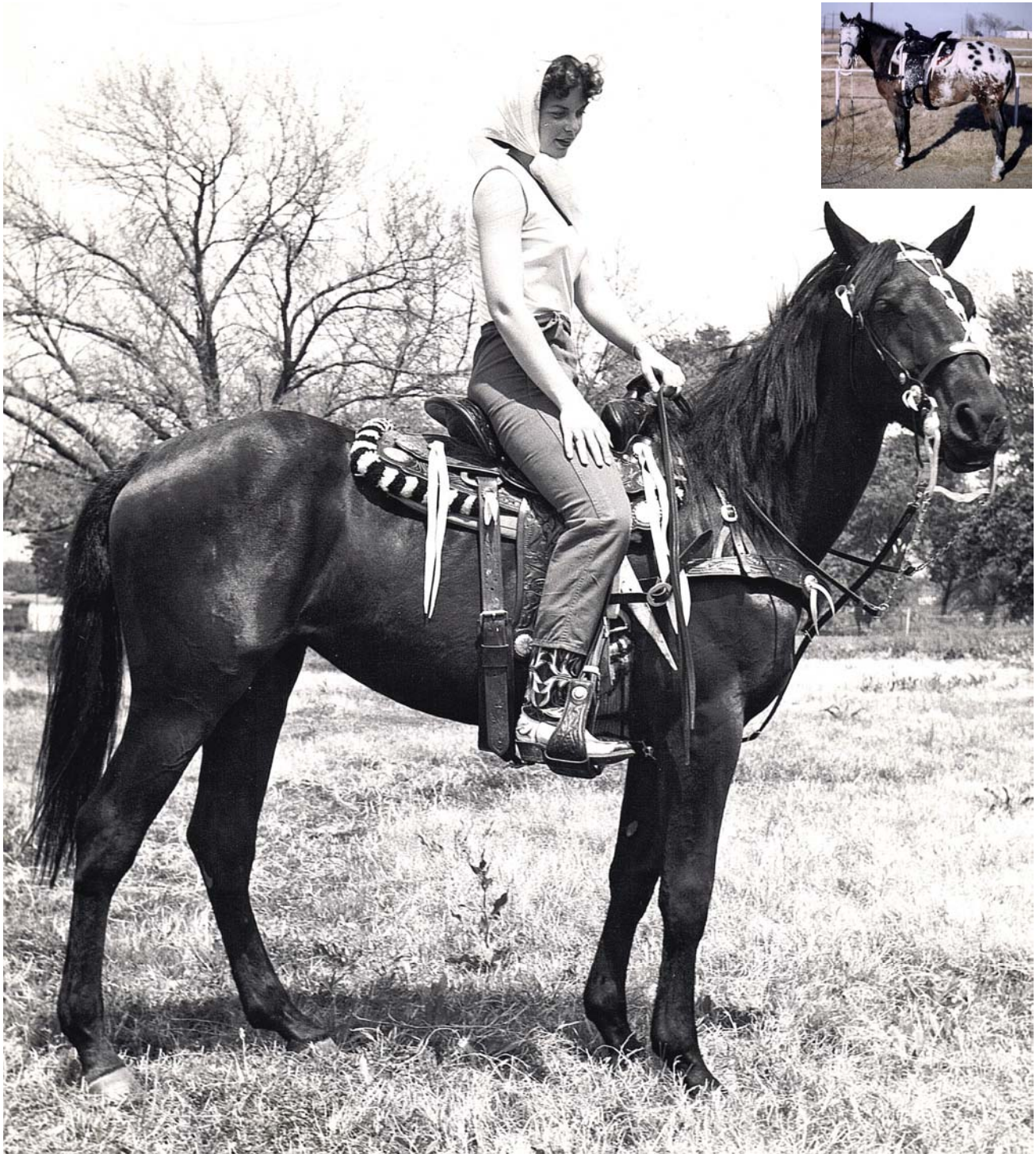


Photo by Martha Swartz, May 1959, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Marian Alton, age 21, on her first ApHC Hands Up offspring, Bubba, age 2, in May 1959. Bubba matured to 17 hands, 1350 lbs! They 100 mile raced, chuck wagon raced, etc.

Sooner members, Martha Swartz and Marian Alton, met at Chili's in Claremore for a belated birthday lunch on May 25. Both lifelong friends are 71 as of May 14 (Marian) and May 18 (Martha) and remain active with their horses everyday.

Martha presented Marian with one of the original photos developed in the Alton "darkroom" at home in Tulsa 50 years ago. The saddle, bridle, etc, were made to order after the Alton home burned in October 1958, and the rig was given to Marian by her aunt Alma. Marian hadn't seen one of these photos in many years! Thank you, Martha, for sharing!

Of all the horses Marian has bred, raised, owned in her life, Bubba remains her favorite since Bubba was a daughter of Storm, the big black Standardbred trotting mare Marian's parents bought for her when she was eleven; then in 1957, Storm had Bubba by Hands Up.

Marian had been given a choice before high school graduation in 1956—raise a foal by Hands Up or get a new red Olds to start college with. Marian chose to raise a Hands Up foal, and—the rest is horse history. Marian's dad gave \$36.00 and a flatbed trailer load of pipe for Storm who had belonged to a soldier who let Marian keep and ride the spirited mare while he was gone. When he returned and planned to come get Storm, Marian couldn't eat, sleep, study, and cried till she ended up sick and in bed and was sure her world was ending! The night before Storm was to leave, Marian's dad came home from delivering the pipe and \$36.00 and told his daughter the mare belonged to her for keeps. Storm was never sold, lived a long life, and in May 2009, her great great granddaughter, ApHC Hands Macha Reyna was bred to Bugs J Man!

Yes , it was a special birthday lunch hour for Martha and Marian on May 25th. Martha didn't know how special the photo would be—May 24th was Hands Up's 62nd birthday...

Marian made certain Jim Chronister got his own Bubba copy to add to his "Rogue's Gallery" concerning history on that ol' bald faced horse, you-know-who.

ApHC Black Annie Hands Celebrated 36th Birthday 4/26/09



Photo by Larry Colley 5-23-09



Black Annie Hands (left) sired by Hands Up (above) turned 36 years young on April 26. "Annie" is pictured with Marian Alton.

Yes, the last living ApHC Hands Up daughter is still lookin' and feelin' good! Marian feels truly blessed to have this Appaloosa treasure in her life and feels it is something very unique to have a black half sister to her first Hands Up foal, Bubba, a black 1957 daughter!



2009 Rules and Fees

Fees

Blanket Fee - \$200 per horse

Class Fee - \$48 per class (plus national point fees)

National Point Fees - \$4 per youth/non-pro class, \$8 per open class

National Point Fees apply to individual class entries and blanket fee entries

Office Charge - \$10 per horse

NSBA Entry Fee - \$25 per class (includes all 4 judges)

Stalls - \$30 per night or \$120 for the entire show

Exhibitors and horses can arrive as early as Wednesday, June 10 and can stay through Thursday, June 18)

Tie Out - \$30 per day RV Spaces - \$20 per night (paid directly to Hardy Murphy Coliseum)

Cattle Fees - \$20 for roping, \$80 for cutting, \$60 for working cow horse

All major credit cards accepted as well as checks, money orders, and cash

(3% convenience charge will be added to total for credit card payments)

Other Entry Information

All horses must have a current (within 1 year) negative coggins and current health papers (within 30 days)

All horses being shown must present both sides of their registration papers.

Exhibitors must present both sides of their membership cards.

All entries must be made one class prior to the class running.

Reasonable holds will be made as long as management is notified of the conflict in a timely manner.

Mail Pre-Entries to: 362 Crossroads Rd.
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All checks must be payable in US funds

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ALL-AMERICAN Appaloosa Congress

Saturday, June 13, 2009

1. Breakaway Roping, Youth 18 and Under
2. Breakaway Roping, Non-Pro
3. Senior Judged Calf Roping
4. Junior Judged Calf Roping
5. Judged Calf Roping, Non-Pro
6. Judged Calf Roping, Youth 18 and Under
7. Senior Timed Calf Roping
8. Junior Timed Calf Roping
9. Timed Calf Roping, Non-Pro
10. Senior Heading
11. Junior Heading
12. Heading, Non-Pro
13. Heading, Youth 18 and Under
14. Senior Heeling
15. Junior Heeling
16. Heeling, Non-Pro
17. Heeling, Youth 18 and Under
18. Senior Heading & Heeling
19. Junior Heading & Heeling
20. Heading & Heeling, Non-Pro
21. Steer Daubing, Youth 18 and Under
22. Steer Daubing, Non-Pro
23. Steer Daubing
24. Senior Cutting
Sponsored by Jimmie Miller Smith
25. Junior Cutting
Sponsored by Jimmie Miller Smith
26. Cutting, Non-Pro
Sponsored by Jimmie Miller Smith
27. Cutting, Youth
28. Cutting, Masters Non-Pro
29. ApHCA Bonanza **
30. ApHCA Sweepstakes ##
31. Working Cow Horses ##
32. Working Cow Horse, Non-Pro

Sunday, June 14, 2009

33. English Showmanship, Youth 13 and Under
34. English Showmanship, Youth 14 – 18
35. Hunter Hack, Non-Pro <<
36. Hunter Hack, Youth 18 and Under <<
37. Hunter Hack <<
38. Pre-Green Hunter
Sponsored by Valentine Ranch
39. Green Working Hunter
40. Equitation Over Fences, Non-Pro

41. Equitation Over Fences, Youth 18 and Under
42. Working Hunter, Non-Pro <<
43. Working Hunter, Youth 18 & Under <<
44. Working Hunter <<
Sponsored by Hopes Creek Ranch
45. Pleasure Driving, Non-Pro
46. Pleasure Driving
47. Saddle Seat Pleasure, Youth 13 and Under
48. Saddle Seat Equitation, Youth 13 and Under
49. Saddle Seat Pleasure, Youth 14 – 18
50. Saddle Seat Equitation, Youth 14 – 18
51. Saddle Seat Pleasure, Non-Pro
52. Saddle Seat Equitation, Non-Pro
53. Saddle Seat Pleasure
54. Challenged Rider Leadline Equitation **
55. Heritage
Sponsored by Diane McLeod
56. Western Riding <<
Sponsored by Captain Zip Ahoy
57. Western Riding, Youth 13 and Under <<
58. Western Riding, Youth 14 – 18 <<
59. Western Riding, Non-Pro <<
60. Western Riding, Masters Non-Pro <<
61. Ladies' Sidesaddle
62. Reining, Youth 18 and Under
63. Reining, Non-Pro
Sponsored by Jimmie Miller Smith
64. Reining
Sponsored by Jimmie Miller Smith
65. Reining, Masters Non-Pro

Monday, June 15, 2009

66. Camas Prairie Stump Race, Non-Pro
67. Camas Prairie Stump Race, Youth 14 – 18
68. Camas Prairie Stump Race, Youth 13 and Under
69. Camas Prairie Stump Race, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
70. Camas Prairie Stump Race
71. Hunter In Hand Stallions
72. Hunter In Hand Stallions, Non-Pro
73. Hunter In Hand Geldings
Sponsored by Hopes Creek Ranch
74. Hunter In Hand Geldings, Non-Pro
Sponsored by Lesla Andrews
75. Hunter In Hand Geldings, Youth 18 and Under

76. Hunter In Hand Mares
Sponsored by Mr. Opportunity
77. Hunter In Hand Mares, Non-Pro
78. Hunter In Hand Mares, Youth 18 and Under
Sponsored by Heather Runyon Show Horses
79. Senior Hunter Under Saddle <<
Sponsored by Free State Appaloosa Club
80. Hunter Under Saddle, Masters Non-Pro <<
81. Hunter Under Saddle, Novice Youth 18 and Under <<
82. Hunter Under Saddle, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
83. Three Year Old Hunter Under Saddle
84. Hunter Under Saddle, Youth 14 – 18
85. Hunter Under Saddle, Youth 13 and Under <<
86. Hunter Under Saddle, 35 and Over Non-Pro <<
87. Junior Hunter Under Saddle <<
88. Hunter Under Saddle, Novice Non-Pro <<
89. Hunter Under Saddle, Non-Pro <<
90. Two Year Old Hunter Under Saddle <<
91. Hunt Seat Equitation, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
92. Hunt Seat Equitation, Novice Youth 18 and Under
93. Hunt Seat Equitation, Novice Non-Pro
94. Hunt Seat Equitation, Masters Non-Pro
95. Hunt Seat Equitation, Youth 13 and Under
96. Hunt Seat Equitation, Youth 14 to 18
97. Hunt Seat Equitation, 35 and Over Non-Pro
98. Hunt Seat Equitation, Non-Pro

Tuesday, June 16, 2009

99. Nez Perce Stake Race, Non-Pro
100. Nez Perce Stake Race, Youth 14 – 18
101. Nez Perce Stake Race, Youth 13 and Under
102. Nez Perce Stake Race, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
103. Nez Perce Stake Race
104. Weanling Colts
105. Yearling Colts
106. Two Year Old Stallions
107. Three Year Old Stallions
108. Aged Stallions
Sponsored by Valentine Ranch
109. Performance Halter, Stallions **

110. FPD Stallions
 111. Stallions, Non-Pro
 112. Weanling Geldings
 113. Yearling Geldings
 114. Two Year Old Geldings
 115. Three Year Old Geldings
 116. Aged Geldings
 117. Performance Halter, Geldings **
 118. FPD Geldings
 119. Geldings, Non-Pro
 120. Geldings, Youth 18 and Under
 121. Weanling Fillies
 122. Yearling Fillies
 123. Two Year Old Mares
 124. Three Year Old Mares
Sponsored by Mr. Opportunity
 125. Aged Mares
 126. Performance Halter, Mares **
 127. Broodmares
 128. FPD Mares
 129. Mares, Non-Pro
Sponsored by Mr. Opportunity
 130. Mares, Youth 18 and Under
 131. Most Colorful, Non-Pro
Sponsored by Bolt Custom Trucks and Manufacturing
 132. Most Colorful, Youth 18 and Under
 133. Most Colorful
Sponsored by Mr. Opportunity
 134. Showmanship, Novice Non-Pro
 135. Showmanship, Novice Youth 18 and Under
 136. Showmanship, Masters Non-Pro
 137. Showmanship, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
 138. Showmanship, Youth 13 and Under
 139. Showmanship, Youth 14 – 18
 140. Showmanship, 35 and Over Non-Pro
 141. Showmanship, Non-Pro
Sponsored by Lesla Andrews
 142. Leadline Equitation 8 and Under
Sponsored by Lesla Andrews
 143. Yearling Longeline <<
 144. Yearling Longeline, Non-Pro <<
 145. Bareback Equitation, Youth 13 and Under
 146. Bareback Equitation, Youth 14 – 18
 147. Bareback Equitation, Non-Pro
- Wednesday, June 17, 2009**
148. Figure 8 Stake Race, Non-Pro
 149. Figure 8 Stake Race, Youth 13 and Under
 150. Figure 8 Stake Race, Youth 14 – 18
 151. Figure 8 Stake Race, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
 152. Figure 8 Stake Race
Sponsored by Free State Appaloosa Club
 153. Keyhole Race, Non-Pro
154. Keyhole Race, Youth 13 and Under
 155. Keyhole Race, Youth 14 – 18
 156. Keyhole Race, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
 157. Keyhole Race
 158. Rope Race, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot **
 159. Rope Race, Youth 18 and Under **
 160. Rope Race
Sponsored by Captain Zip Ahoy
 161. Trail, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
Sponsored by Alpha Russell
 162. Trail, Novice youth 18 and Under << **
 163. Trail, Novice Non-Pro << **
 164. Junior Trail <<
Sponsored by Valentine Ranch
 165. Trail, Youth 13 and Under <<
 166. Trail, Youth 14 – 18 <<
Sponsored by Tshilis Family
 167. Trail, Masters Non-Pro <<
 168. Trail, 35 and Over Non-Pro
 169. Trail, Non-Pro <<
Sponsored by Bolt Custom Trucks and Manufacturing
 170. Senior Trail <<
Sponsored by Captain Zip Ahoy
 171. Three Year Old Western Pleasure
 172. Western Pleasure, Novice Youth 18 and Under <<
Sponsored by Mark Shaffer Show Horses
 173. Western Pleasure, Novice Non-Pro <<
Sponsored by Mark Shaffer Show Horses
 174. Junior Western Pleasure <<
Sponsored by Mark Shaffer Show Horses
 175. Western Pleasure, Youth 13 and Under <<
Sponsored by Mauney Family
 176. Western Pleasure, Youth 14 – 18 <<
Sponsored by Mark Shaffer Show Horses
 177. Western Pleasure, Masters Non-Pro <<
Sponsored by Free State Appaloosa Club
 178. Two Year Old Western Pleasure
 179. Western Pleasure, 35 and Over Non-Pro
 180. Western Pleasure, Non-Pro <<
Sponsored by Mr. Opportunity
 181. Senior Western Pleasure <<
Sponsored by Sue Gameway
 182. Western Pleasure, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
 183. Western Horsemanship, Youth 10 and Under Walk/Trot
 184. Western Horsemanship, Novice Youth 18 and Under
 185. Western Horsemanship, Novice Non-Pro
 186. Western Horsemanship, Youth 13 and Under
 187. Western Horsemanship, Youth 14 – 18
 188. Western Horsemanship, Masters Non-Pro
189. Western Horsemanship, 35 and Over Non-Pro
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In The Northland

Horse-A-Rama

April 4th & 5th, 2009

Manitowoc County Expo Grounds

Written and submitted especially for Sooner News by Sooner member, Dar Arrowood of Rapid River, MI kdjj_appaloosas@yahoo.com

Horse-A-Rama is in its 20th year of fund raising for buildings and maintenance of the equine facilities at the Manitowoc County Expo in Manitowoc, WI. It was a sunny, crisp 44 degrees when we arrived at 8 am. The grounds were impressive, spacey, clean, and filled with friendly, helpful, busy "Horse-A-Rama" volunteers wearing yellow tee-shirts and HAR hats buzzing around like work bees on a mission.



A little over 200 miles one way, we started out a few days before the event, planning from the information on the website www.horse-a-rama.org and had prioritized a few "must see events." You'll never guess what was at the top of the list... Appaloosas of course!!! We quickly read the Horse-A-Rama Program and noticed 4 out of 13 board members were Proud Appaloosa owners!

We were pleased to see not one Appaloosa promoting booth but three!

NEWApHC (Northeast Wisconsin Appaloosa Horse Club <http://www.trailsendappaloosas.com/NEWApHC/>) and Lakeshore Appaloosa Promoters Club (Linda Scholten 920-693-3537 or Jeff Born 920 892-2158 pairadice@excel.net) both collaborated a very nice size booth with colorful pictures galore! I stopped in to talk to Linda and Richard Scholten of Rich Lin Acres who were manning the booth, and they were well equipped with Appaloosa info, pictures and stories of their own. A three-sided wall displayed pictures of many colored Appaloosas that were easily recognizable both from the past and the present. The NEWApHC has many plans this summer. Please check their website for more information and their shows.

Schauts Appaloosa Ranch (Dan and Gloria Schauts <http://members.lsol.net/schaut>) had a very nice booth with a LIFE SIZE black blanket model. "Fred" as they call him, is a 50 Yr old fiberglass Appaloosa Horse down off the rooftop of their barn for a paint job. You couldn't miss it! It had so many fans I couldn't get near it for a full picture either, so you'll have to take my word!! What a nice booth filled with Appaloosa and club info!

Across the way was "R" Country Acres (www.rcountryacres.com). Jim and Ellen Redeker had some nice old Appaloosa Journals and wonderful Club info as well as bragging rights to promoting their stallion "SUPER GRAND STAND" at their Appaloosa/Barn Security Camera booth.

While waiting for the HEATED ARENA events to start for the day, we viewed the horse barns to "spot" as many Appaloosas as we could see. There were several already empty stalls so we knew we had better head over to the arena. The stands were filling quickly as they announced the first event and the National Anthem. We watched Yvonne Barteau and some beautiful Warm bloods in the pristine arena well lined with fresh shavings that filled the air with pine sent. Yvonne spoke about

Horse-A-Rama

the book she has written, "Ride the Right horse" understanding the core equine personalities and how to work with them. I was given a signed copy by the author herself as a gift from my husband.

Then in came Joey Jorgenson on a pretty chestnut leopard mare, ALTO POLLITO LENA, (Owned by Ivan Grandrud) illustrating his fundamentals of reining. The crowd was hypnotized by the partnership as they ran their sliding stops, spins and patterns. The arena soon became so crowded that people were standing in the doorways! Even though Joey had trouble with his microphone, the crowd hung on to his every word. We were all quiet enough to hear him without it as he made his way from one end of the arena to the other explaining and demonstrating his techniques.

The Parade of Breeds followed and I held my breath as the Appaloosas came in.



Pictured here are some of the very proud participants in the Appaloosa Parade.



Dave Schwartz rode BAR S TRITON owned by Don Cooper. Triton is three time Superior horse in pleasure winning over 559 National points, many with Don Cooper in the saddle. (Left)

Jena Ribley on R SWEET ANDREW 2008 Reserve Hi Point Novice Rider at the Canadian Nationals. R SWEET ANDREW is her flashy leopard gelding. Jena also won many titles regionally and at the WI State 4-H Horse Show in English and Western. She was so elegant looking against all those boys! (Right)



Jake Holschbach on PV ALEDO BLE owned by Jake's mom, Beth Suchan. 2008 ACCAP 2nd in the Nation for Open Speed & Games, together they entranced the audience with flashy athleticism demonstrating game techniques and a few entertaining talents. (Left)



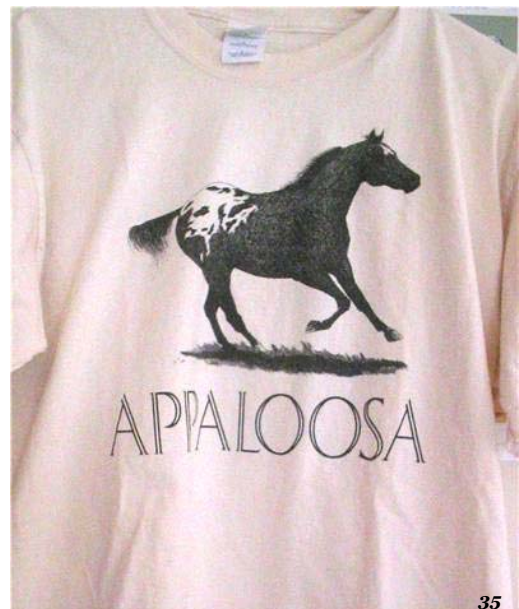
Joey Jorgenson on ALTO POLLITO LENA owned by Ivan Grandrud This pretty leopard mare is a Montana Champion and Canadian Supreme Non Pro Reserve Champion Snaffle Bit Derby horse, and MRCHA Amateur Derby Champion. You could easily see those spots all the way across the arena. (Above)

Each horse and rider did a great job showing the diversity of the Appaloosa. Demonstrations ranged from English , Games, Reining, and Western Pleasure. Not to mention the diverse of colors and patterns of our beloved Appaloosa! They ended the Appaloosa Parade by having the riders throwing these mystery softball size things out to the audience.... what was this I wondered? As I tried to snap a few last pictures, one came flying by and I reached out to catch it like a Maid of Honor trying to catch a bouquet, nearly knocking my husband in the head with the camera! I unfolded it and to my surprise it was an Appaloosa Tee Shirt from the Lakeshore Appaloosa Promoters!!! What a fun day.... my heart filled with spots, warm memories that made me smile, and I proudly wore my Appaloosa Tee shirt home! (Lower right)

Editors notes: Many thanks to Dar Arrowood, a Sooner member up in Rapid River, Michigan, for taking the time to go to this event, take pictures, and send in a report to share with everyone.

We are making this article available to all the regional clubs whose members participated in this event in appreciation for their effort in promoting the Appaloosa horse. Dar wrote a newsworthy story and sent nice photos!

This article appears in the May/June issue of Sooner News, and non-Sooner members will be able to view it, along with the rest of the May/June 2009 issue, in late May. Other back issues of Sooner News can be seen at www.sooner-aphc.com. Just follow the links from the home page.



ADAM CHRONISTER SERVICE AWARD

In 2001 the Sooner Appaloosa Club Board of Directors established the Adam Chronister service award in memory and tribute to a young man who had been a member of the SApHC since the age of three. Adam was the son of Jim and Donna Chronister and started his show career in 1971 in the leadline class at the tender age of three. He was the youngest recipient of the J.E. Baker Sportsmanship Award, given to exhibitors who exhibit good sportsmanship during the competitions. Adam remained a member of the Sooner Club until his death in March of 2000.

Adam had a positive attitude toward everyone he met. He was always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone that needed help and once you met him, you were friends for life. Wherever he went there was always someone he knew. He served as a Director and show manager for the Sooner Club in 1996 and 1997. In 1987 at the age of 19 he became the youngest licensed race horse trainer in the state of Oklahoma. The income from his training paid for his last semester at OSU.

Wherever he went, he promoted the Appaloosa. He loved all animals, but horses were his special passion. More than once he would prove that Appaloosas could compete and win against all other breeds. He took his Appaloosas to open barrel competitions, county fairs and special events because he was proud of his horses.

After his untimely death at 31 years of age, the Board wanted to recognize other people in the Club with the same attitude and helpful nature shown by Adam. So this award was established. The Board votes each year and decides who the recipient will be.

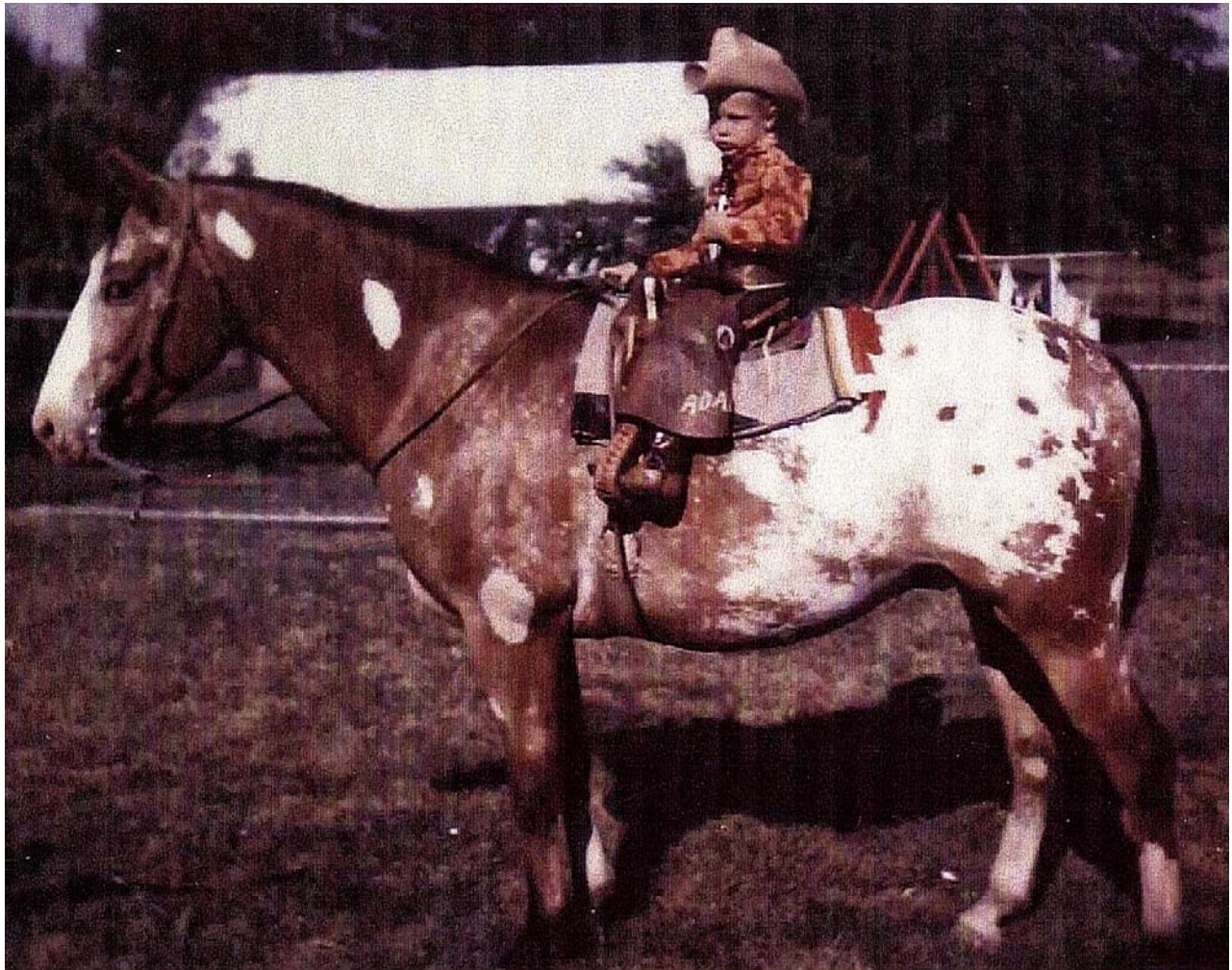
The brass plate on the plaque reads;

**“ADAM CHRONISTER SERVICE AWARD”
“PRESENTED TO THE INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS WORKED TO PROMOTE THE
BEST INTERESTS OF THE APPALOOSA HORSE AND THE SOONER APHC”**

Past recipients of the award are;

- 2001 Tiffany George
- 2002 Randy Hazelwood
- 2003 Angie Smith
- 2004 Carol Johnson
- 2005 Dedra Tiger
- 2006 Vie Bottger
- 2007 Gerald Lukacik
- 2008 Marian Alton

The family of Adam Chronister wants to thank the Sooner Club for establishing this memorial.



Last issue we ran a story on Beware Britches, which included a clipping from a newspaper showing young Adam Chronister seated on 'Beware.' Included above is a slightly different pose, in color, and who the Adam Chronister Service Award honors.

**Be sure to check out the new event for Youth
at this year's Reichert Celebration, which
we've included in this issue.**



New Sooner Members

Jim & Lee Campbell

Submitted by Marian Alton

New Sooner members, Jim and Lee Campbell, have lived fifteen years at their present location near Haskell, Oklahoma. Their breeding facility is set up to accommodate visiting mares, and there is a new office, breeding area, and separate room for procedure with cooled semen, embryo transfer, etc.

Jim and Lee had experience with cutting horses in the past but have become involved in the racing industry for several years. Their first horse to send to the track was a Paint named April, sired by Treasured. They still have April's mother, age 27, and mother's half sister, age 28.

Their present stallion is AQHA Separate Rainbow SI 93, winner of \$39,620. His sire AQHA Separatist SI 101 won \$889,044. His dam AQHA The Rainbow Riva SI 95 won \$20,049. Separate Rainbow is a descendant of Beduino (TB), Hempen (TB), Zevi (TB), AQHA Firey Watch, etc. He was purchased four years ago at Heritage Sale.



**Separate
Rainbow**
AQHA SI 93

The Campbells are thrilled and grateful to have mares from Arizona, Texas, Utah, Kansas, Indiana, Kentucky, Iowa, Tennessee, Missouri, Arkansas, and Oklahoma bred to Separate Rainbow.

Jim and Lee will be retiring soon to their farm after being a part of building twelve banks for Citizens Security Bank. They welcome visitors to Campbell Farm, and they have become interested in our Appaloosa world since Appaloosa breeder, owner, trainer John Deideker (see Colida/Cass story in March/April Sooner News issue) bred a couple of fine mares to Separate Rainbow. His ApHC Streakin Rainbow was recently purchased

by ApHC race trainer Angie Jones, who trains ApHC Bug Be Gone, champion gelding, for Sooner members, Jim and Miriam Lovell of Claremore, Oklahoma.

The Lovells have a 2009 colored stud colt by Campbell's stud Separate Rainbow, out of Bug Be Gone's dam, ApHC We Go Soso. Lovell's, Alton and Crouch, have a yearling colored daughter of Separate Rainbow (pictured at right) and out of Lightning Kat.



Campbell's had eleven 2009 foals. In recent years they have donated breedings to the Oklahoma Appaloosa Racing Association (OAR), attended meetings and races, including ones at Will Rogers Downs in Claremore.

Note: Jim and Lee Campbell not only have excellent facilities for visiting mares, they also have patience, knowledge, and all it takes to work with mare owners in a professional friendly way. We welcome them to Sooner ApHC. M.A.

8 YEARS IN THE MAKING

TO EXPLAIN THAT, LETS START WITH THE YEAR 2001, WHEN ONE OF MY BEST MARES FOALD A SOLID CHESTNUT FILLY ON FEBRUARY 27. IT WAS THE MARE'S THIRD FOAL, AND THE MARE'S THIRD SOLID COLORED FOAL. I TRIED TO REBREED HER IN 2001 AND 2002, AND BOTH TIMES SHE FAILED TO SETTLE. ONE VET SUGGESTED SHE WAS ALLERGIC TO THE EXTENDER USED IN THE TRANSPORTED SEMEN. AFTER 2002, I MADE NO ATTEMPT TO TRY AND BREED HER, AND MOVED TO OKLAHOMA IN 2004.

IT WASN'T UNTIL 2007 THAT I DECIDED TO TRY BREEDING THE MARE AGAIN, WHEN MY CURRENT VET SAID HE COULD PROBABLY FIGURE HER OUT. HE ACTUALLY DID, BUT SHE SETTLED WITH TWINS, WHICH SHE LATER ABSORBED.

EVEN THOUGH SHE ABSORBED THE TWINS, IT WAS A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION, BECAUSE EVEN THOUGH SHE LOST THEM, SHE DID ACTUALLY SETTLE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN YEARS. SO, SHE WAS BRED BACK TO THE SAME STALLION THAT SHE HAD SETTLED TO WITH TWINS, AND THIS TIME, IN 2008, SHE SETTLED WITH ONE. THEN 2/3RDS THROUGH THE PREGNANCY CAME THE CEM SCARE. THE STALLION SHE WAS IN FOAL TO WAS STANDING AT THE FARM IN KENTUCKY WHERE THE ORIGINAL CASE OF CEM WAS DISCOVERED. THAT STALLION WOULD LATER TEST NEGATIVE, AND BE CERTIFIED CEM FREE. THAT WAS A RELIEF.

THEN, FINALLY, ON THE MORNING OF APRIL 22, 2009, I DISCOVERED IN MY CENTRAL PASTURE WHAT I HAD BEEN WAITING EIGHT YEARS FOR.....

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ALL THE RAGEOUS



Photo by Gerry Lukacik 4/24/2009

Our 2009 Foal Crop

ALL THE RAGEOUS Diamond Run Farm

Pending

SIRE: ZIPRAGEOUS (AQHA)

DAM: FROST MY ASSET



www.diamond-run-farm.com



Photo by Gerry Lukacik 4/24/2009

Spring has to be the most favorite season at Diamond Run Farm. It's the time when everything springs back to life, and new life begins. It also provides great backgrounds for photographs that would have been impossible just a few weeks prior. This spring is even more special, with the arrival of Frost My Asset's first foal since 2001. It's been a long wait for this foal. Then, when it finally arrives, it just happens to be a beautiful colored filly! ALL THE RAGEOUS (pending) is by Ziprageous (AQHA) and is pictured, above and on the opposite page, at less than 48 hours old!

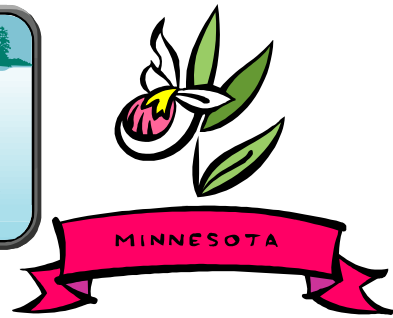


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Our "senior citizen," Easy Clipper, is also doing well this spring, and is fat, slick and just enjoying the 'good life.' (lower left)


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10,000 SPOTS!

Submitted by Michigan Sooner member, Dar Arrowood kdjj_appaloosas@yahoo.com

April 24th, 2009, we attended one of our all time favorite events. The Minnesota's Horse Expo's www.MnhorseExpo.org, sponsored by the Minnesota Horse Council at the MN State Fairgrounds in St. Paul. This year marked its 27th year and it's always a 3-day event! The profits from this non-profit event are distributed for such benefits as scholarships, equine facilities developments, direct funding support, individual recognition awards, grants, and the MN Horse Council Trail Blazers committee for the development of trails. They have contributed nearly three million dollars over this span of time. <http://www.mnhorsecouncil.org/> We traveled 300 miles to our WI home near Superior/Duluth Thursday and then around 150 miles south to St. Paul early Friday morning, just in time to arrive for the events to start fresh at 8 a.m. It was a gorgeous morning and a cool 56 degrees when we arrived.



With only one day to attend, our itinerary was carefully mapped out days ahead! As soon as we entered through the gate, we were thrilled to see a young man riding a very loud Chestnut Leopard. (at left) The red and white leopard is DREA Chief Fireagle, he is ridden by Colten Sothman of Dreammakers Appaloosas. We watched the two of them several times throughout the day, riding up and down the streets; proud, loud and well behaved! A perfect ambassador for promoting the Appaloosa!



We wanted to make sure we had time to check out all the Appaloosas that attended this year and again, just like the past several years we've attended, we weren't disappointed. Heading to the humungous horse barn, I anticipated all the Appaloosas we might see and my steps grew quicker and quicker. First up was a foundation stallion we knew would be there, DREAM MAKERS RIO. (at right) <http://www.dreammakersappaloosas.com> We bred our black foundation Leopard mare, Akumal Dreamer, to this heavily bred foundation stallion back in 2006. A perfect match we had carefully selected. (Akumal Dreamer is pictured at the top of the next page.) Heartbreaking enough, we lost the colt to an unknown systemic infection. In 15 years of breeding, it is the only foal we have ever lost!





The Arrowood's mare, Akumal Dreamer. (above)

As you can see, he was a remarkable, large, black-spotted Leopard. Ill bet Editor Gerry remembers him!

Pictured at right is the black leopard colt sired by Dream Makers Rio, and out of Akumal Dreamer.



We stopped in and talked to the Sothman family and learned when Rio and the rest of their horses would be doing their demos. Highlighting the time slot, we left their booth/stalls with promises to be at the coliseum.



Pictured at the left is the Sothman's stalls and display tables.

Pictured below and to the left is Courtney Karels and Dream Makers Eclips.

Pictured below is owner Dean Michaelis with Dream Makers Destiny. The foal following behind is currently being called War Eagle, and is sired by Dream Makers Rio.



This article can also be viewed online, after June 1st, by going to www.sooner-aphc.com and following the newsletter links to the May/June 2009 issue.



10,000 Spots



Inside the coliseum (pictured above) are all the Dream Maker horses.



Editor's note: Back in the '80's, when I was still living in Illinois, I was a member of Indianhead ApHC for a few years.



We also found the stalls of Jodi and Mike Grence. <http://www.yellowmedicineappaloosas.com> Although no horses were in the stalls, we figured they were out promoting their beloved Appaloosas. (above)

Next, I scanned the program for the ApHC booth number and off we went.

The booth was put on by dual clubs, Indianhead Appaloosa Club <http://www.indianheadappclub.webs.com> and Glacial Ridge Appaloosa Club www.glacialridgeaphc.bravehost.com I barely got a word in edge wise as Nicki Rickard was solely manning the booth (photo at left) and people were so inquisitive, I didn't want to interrupt. I did manage to buy a tee shirt (Indianhead Appaloosa Club) that I just couldn't live without! (pictured below)



One of my all time favorite events is the Minnesota University Large Animal Hospital tour. This year we could see the new (completed in Oct. 2007) Leatherdale Equine Center. www.cvm.umn.edu/umec. My highest interests was/is the PSSM research, Polycaccharide Storage Myopathy-a type of tying up, by Dr Stephine Valberg, DMV, PhD. <http://www.cvm.umn.edu/umec/lab/PSSM/home.html> When we walked into the obviously new facility, there was a stallion in the arena showing off for us. Our guide, one of the Equine surgical Doctors, explained the stallion in the arena is a carrier that is used for the PSSM research. We were able to ask a few questions referring to the research, how it was conducted and its findings. Public testing thru U of M is now available!

For information on public PSSM testing thru U of M, go to <http://www.vdl.umn.edu/vdl/ourservices/equineneuromuscular/home.html>. From there we toured the equine gait analysis system, which is profoundly high tech for accuracy, and U of M is one of the few places using gait analysis for lameness issues. We then toured Physical Therapy dept viewing the diagnostic equipment and watched some demos of the AquaPacer, high-speed land treadmill and Neuromuscular Electrical stimulation. We also viewed the surgical and recovery rooms. This hospital was as equipped with the latest technology as any "human" hospital I have ever worked in! I couldn't help but fantasize what fun it would be to "work" in such a state of the art facility for horses!

Well we have all seen the video's of Stacy Westfall <http://www.westfallhorsemanship.com> and her breath taking, bridleless rides. Her demo here at the MN expo was no exception.

Susan Harris and "The Invisible Horse" was my next "must see". I must say, the form to function really is incredibly notable on a live anatomically painted horse doing any type of movement. See some of her "Appaloosas students" here: www.anatomyinmotion.com



Editor's note: I knew I had these pictures stored somewhere, though am unsure who sent them to me a number of years ago. The horses used in Susan Harris' demonstrations are, indeed, painted to appear as if you looking at a live x-ray. If you check out Susan's website, you'll notice a number of Appaloosas in the pictures that she used.

We would never miss the chance to watch Craig Cameron <http://www.craigcameron.com> and his demo was just as fun to watch as his TV show, "Extreme Cowboy Race", one of my favorite shows.

There really was so much more we wanted to see. We hated to miss anything, but as the sun started to set and my steps slowly dragged back to the car, I couldn't help but reflect on next years foal season and how Ill miss the travels we took to see our Appaloosa families promoting our beloved Spots! I miss it already...

Many thanks to our Sooner member from Michigan's Upper Peninsula, Dar Arrowood, for sharing this experience with us!

Pictured at the right is Stacy Westfall's booth at the Minnesota Horse Expo.



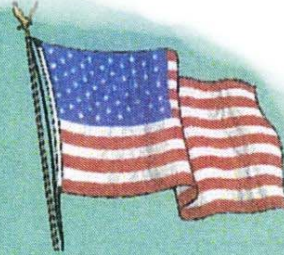
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Easy Beef Fajitas



1 lb. beef fajita strips
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
1 medium onion
4 tablespoons oil

1/2 cup fresh lime juice
1/2 teaspoon taco sauce
1 medium bell pepper
4 flour tortillas, warmed

DIRECTIONS:

1. Place beef strips in shallow dish. Combine lime juice, black pepper and taco sauce and pour over beef. Cover and refrigerate several hours. Remove meat from marinade; drain thoroughly.
2. Cut onion and pepper into one inch chunks. Place 2 tablespoons of oil in frying pan. When oil is hot, brown onion and pepper until onion is slightly brown on edges. Remove onion and pepper and set aside.
3. Add 2 tablespoons oil; brown beef. Add onion and pepper; cook for 1 minute. Serve in warm flour tortillas.

Fudgey Toffee Cookies



1 1/2 sticks salted sweet cream butter, room temp
1 1/2 cups sugar
2 1/2 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 cup pecans (optional)
1 1/2 cups toffee chips or 2 Heath candy bars, chopped



2 teaspoons vanilla flavoring
3 eggs
5 tablespoons dry cocoa
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup powdered sugar
1 tablespoon dry cocoa to mix w/powdered sugar

DIRECTIONS

1. Cream butter, vanilla and sugar with electric mixer until well blended. Add eggs and beat until smooth.
2. Sift together all of the dry ingredients and add to cream mixture gradually. Beat on low speed until well blended.
3. Stir in toffee chips and pecans.
4. Mix powdered sugar and cocoa and set aside.
5. Preheat oven to 325 degrees. Using a teaspoon, form well rounded balls and place on a greased cookie sheet with some space for spreading. Bake for exactly 7 minutes.
6. Remove cookies from cookie sheet as soon as they come out of the oven and place on aluminum foil to cool.
7. Dust lightly with powdered sugar and cocoa mixture. Makes about 50 cookies.



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More To That Picture.....

Two Most Special Photos



Submitted by Marian Alton

Photo by Gerry Lukacik

True—it's a perfect photo of a super nice mare and foal, but the facts relating to them add to the beauty. They are owned by Editor Gerry who waited 8 years for this gorgeous colored filly! Her mama looks great after recovering from a fractured pelvis years ago.

In the background, headed north on the highway, Jerry and Marian are hauling Gerry's ApHC mare, Easy Clipper who survived travel founder last year thanks to Joleta Ingersoll's determination to save her and Editor Gerry's excellent care of her when she was able to come home to Oktaha.

She was formerly owned by Sooner member, Judy DeMuth of Michigan, and is a splendid result of Sooner member, Bill Conley's breeding program. She has been bred to Bugs J Man for 2010. She is a strong 22 years old, and all involved with her wish Gerry the very best of success for a 2010 foal.



Photo 5-23-09 by Marian Alton

Easy Clipper (left) returns to Hatbrand Reproduction and Joleta Ingersoll—Spurlock's supervision. Breeding plans had to be cancelled May 1st due to dangerous highway and section lines flooding, but resumed the latter part of May.

Editor's note; After Jerry and Marian arrived, dropped off Chelsea, and picked up Clipper, I knew they would be passing by on the highway, and returned to the pasture with my camera. I was taking pictures, and when I saw their rig come into view, purposely snapped the above photo to capture them in the background.

APHC BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING – MOSCOW, ID

MARCH 12-14, 2009

Notes submitted by Sharon Marshall

I attended the ApHC Board of Directors Meeting held in Moscow, ID on March 12-14, 2009. While the meetings could be a bit dry, the company of fellow Appaloosa enthusiasts was fantastic. These meetings are generally attended by a handful of dedicated ApHC members.

The first day of meetings heralded a new twist – a round table discussion to help define what the ApHC is, where it wants to be, potential options on addressing the most pressing needs of the ApHC as an entity and the general membership and ended with a presentation from the Des Moines group regarding possible relocation of the National Championship and Youth World Championship to Des Moines.

Day 2 was comprised of Director Committee Meetings. Many of these committees had met prior to the meeting via teleconference where a significant number of motions had already been passed and would come before the General Board Meeting. The following is a synopsis of the committee presentations:

Breeders Committee

Proposed a Breeders Award with cumulative years as an active Appaloosa

Breeder split in 10 year awards

Innocent Third Party Proposal

Trail

Nez Perce Foundation proposal – tabled to July meeting

Proposal to split the Trail committee internally into Competitive and

Recreational Trail subcommittees

Executive Race

Total purse of more than \$6 million available to Appaloosas

Regional Club

several proposals regarding the Regional Qualification for the World \Championships were discussed

Marketing

Megatron at the World show – sale of continually run advertising spots

Better job of promoting Winners (ie World's Best, Iron Horse, APEX)

Announced the launching of Liberty Mutual Insurance (auto/home

owners, life) as a benefit for all ApHC members

Possible Health Insurance Carrier available for all ApHC members

Anticipated Group Liability Insurance for Regional Clubs

International

All activities are being funded by USLGE funds!

Propose an International Day at the Nationals and World Shows

Possible expansion into China and Russia

World Equestrian Games in Kentucky 2010 – Marketing at the global level, funds available from the USLGE for stalls/breed demos and ceremonies?

The International committee completed 23 activities (\$52,000) this year and have committed to 27 activities (\$45,000) for 2009.

Show

National Show Schedule – swapped the Youth week to the 2nd week due to New York students having mandatory testing the last week of June.

Proposed small increase in National/World class fees, Enter 9 classes and get 1 free

National Championship Show Site Selection: Des Moines, Tulsa, Ft. Worth and Jackson

Further discussion of World qualifying proposals

Planning and Review

Form a Journal Oversight Committee

Proposal for Ad Hoc Committee Index

APEX program review

Update By-Law Language

Refining of Hall Of Fame Procedures

Finance

Budget Review

Nominal increase in fees for Nationals and World

Tevis Cup advertising

Judges

8 New Judges approved

Sale

\$24,000 net

\$9000 Stallion Service Sale

Propose Active Online Bidding for the World Sale

Youth

Proposed Youth Lease Program – tabled

Continuation of Youth Exchange Program

Non-Pro

Adding Masters Trail, Reining and Western Riding

Novice Program revamping

Rules

During the General Board of Directors Meeting, the 2 different regional club show proposals were voted down. In addition, several motions were tabled regarding complaints/legal counsel/Disciplinary Hearings. The breed standard review and ACAAP Awards were also tabled until July, 2009. 66 individual new motions were then voted on. All motions will be printed in the June, 2009 Appaloosa Journal. In short, a tremendous amount of work was accomplished in a very short period of time.

I escaped during one lunch to take a quick tour through the Appaloosa Museum. The newer portion of the museum is quite interesting regarding the Nez Perce tribe and Chief Joseph.

Editor's note: Sharon made a comment by this picture, "Yep, it was cold!"



MARCH IN MOSCOW, IDAHO

Sharon Marshall sent us a number of pictures from her trip to Moscow, Idaho for the March ApHC Board Of Directors Meeting which we are happy to share here with our Sooner membership.



March in Moscow, Idaho, (above) cold and all of 6 degrees one morning.....and SNOW! On the opposite page, Sharon stands in front of the large ApHC welcoming sign out in front of the ApHC grounds.



Sharon says, "There really were round tables at the round table discussion. (left)

George and Iola Hatley at home. (below) Even with a few health problems in recent months, George is still enthusiastic about meeting fellow Appaloosa enthusiasts. On the wall behind them is a painting of George on Hy Straw packing into the Seven Devils. Hy Straw is also the horse George rode when he completed the Tevis Cup.

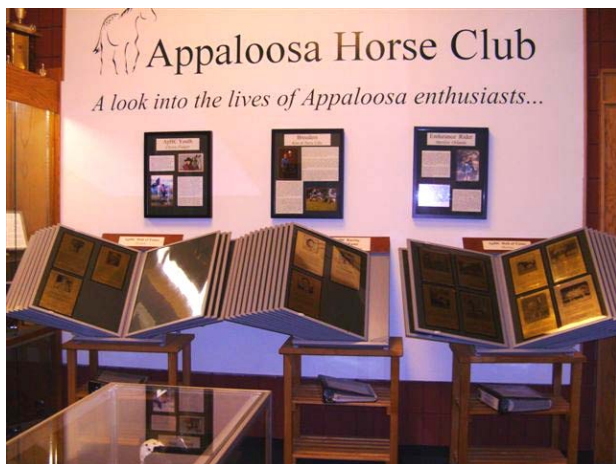


On the next couple of pages, Sharon takes us on a pictorial tour of the Appaloosa Museum.

Remember, you can also view this newsletter, and several years of past Sooner newsletters online at www.sooner-aphc.com and just follow the links.



Above is a close up of the detail on the doors to the main entrance of the headquarters of the Appaloosa Horse Club in Moscow, Idaho, which is also pictured from a little farther back on the right.



Pictured on the left is the area where the information on all the Hall Of Fame inductees is displayed. In our last issue, we ran a feature on Bill Cass and Colida, both of whom can be found listed in this display.

On the opposite page, at the top, is a life size fiberglass horse painted by an artist from Spokane, and used to greet people in Spokane at the Museum Of Native American Cultures. The saddle is a silver parade saddle, circa 1930, made by Bohlin. There is also another saddle like this one in the reading library. Behind the horse's head is the museum gift shop.



The saddle wall is a display of saddles used in various eras. The saddle closest to the camera is a Mexican saddle. While it isn't all that old, the style is correct.

The second saddle from the right end was won by Jackson Sundown, a famous Nez Perce, at the 1918 Pendleton Roundup for bronc riding.

Several of the sets of chaps, hanging above the saddles, are from the Hatley family.



Many thanks for Sooner member Sharon Marshall for supplying us with these pictures to present to our members, and to Sooner member Lynette Thompson of Garfield, Washington, for supplying the majority of the details of the artifacts in these pictures. Lynette is a member of the ApHC Board Of Directors, and also a director of the ApHC Museum.

Jack Merrill made the metal horses on the wall (left) and the memorial walkway is below them. For information on how to purchase a memorial brick, with your special horse's name on it, visit the ApHC Museum website.



The display case, at left, is full of Nez Perce women's items. A bone saddle, a cradleboard, wooden and bone stirrups, horse neck collar in the near case, a parfleche, awl for digging camas, and a bone knife for fleshing hides in the rear case.



The warbonnet pictured on the right is genuine, with eagle feathers, and belonged to a Nez Perce elder. The display case is brand new, and this is the first year the museum has been able to display the warbonnet the way it should be displayed, in an upright position. A road near the museum is named Warbonnet Road Drive after this artifact.



Reichert Celebration All Breed Youth Team Tournament

Open to ALL YOUTH 10 & Older,
holding a youth membership card in
their breed association, showing at the
2009 Reichert Celebration.
August 9, 2009 - Tulsa, OK

NO ENTRY FEE!

Youth Team Reception

Saturday, Aug. 8, 7 PM.

Sponsor will draw for Team
Captains. Team Captains will
draw for their teams. No more
than 10 youth per team.

Each Team Member will
receive a pair of jeans and
shirt, courtesy of CINCH & Cruel
Girl, and a team jacket.

Members of the Winning Team
will receive a \$1,000 Scholarship
Check* and a pair of boots.
Members of the Reserve Team
will receive a \$500 Scholarship
Check* and a hat.

*Scholarship Recipients must
provide documentation of
school to receive check.

**ALL BREED Youth Team Tournament
will be held Sunday, August 9.**

Classes include: Western Pleasure, Hunter Under Saddle,
Hunt Seat Equitation, Western Horsemanship, Trail,
Showmanship at Halter and 4 Halter Classes (Performance
Halter Mares, Performance Halter Geldings, All Age Geldings,
All Age Mares).

Points will be tabulated on a 10 point system.

see complete rules and entry information at
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 7 - 8:00 AM

FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA - A
APHA 2 JUDGE SHOW

- 1 APHA Amateur Jr. Stallions
- 2 APHA Amateur Sr. Stallions
- 3 APHA Grand/Reserve Amateur Stallions
- 4 APHA Weanling Stallions
- 5 APHA Yearling Stallions
- 6 APHA 2 Yr Old Stallions
- 7 APHA 3 Yr Old Stallions
- 8 APHA Aged Stallions
- 9 APHA Grand/Reserve Stallions
- 10 APHA PB/BS Weanling Stallions
- 11 APHA PB/BS Yearling Stallions
- 12 APHA PB/BS 2 Yr Old Stallions
- 13 APHA PB/BS 3 Yr Old Stallions
- 14 APHA PB/BS Aged Stallions
- 15 APHA Youth Geldings
- 16 APHA Amateur Jr. Geldings
- 17 APHA Amateur Sr. Geldings
- 18 APHA Grand/Reserve Amateur Geldings
- 19 APHA Weanling Geldings
- 20 APHA Yearling Geldings
- 21 APHA 2 Yr Old Geldings
- 22 APHA 3 Yr Old Geldings
- 23 APHA Aged Geldings
- 24 APHA Grand/Reserve Geldings
- 25 APHA PB/BS Weanling Geldings
- 26 APHA PB/BS Yearling Geldings
- 27 APHA PB/BS 2 Yr Old Geldings
- 28 APHA PB/BS 3 Yr Old Geldings
- 29 APHA PB/BS Aged Geldings
- 30 APHA Youth Mares
- 31 APHA Amateur Jr. Mares
- 32 APHA Amateur Sr. Mares
- 33 APHA Grand/Reserve Amateur Mares
- 34 APHA Weanling Mares
- 35 APHA Yearling Mares
- 36 APHA 2 Yr Old Mares
- 37 APHA 3 Yr Old Mares
- 38 APHA Aged Mares
- 39 APHA Grand/Reserve Mares
- 40 APHA PB/BS Weanling Mares
- 41 APHA PB/BS Yearling Mares
- 42 APHA PB/BS 2 Yr Old Mares
- 43 APHA PB/BS 3 Yr Old Mares
- 44 APHA PB/BS Aged Mares
- 45 APHA Tobiano Color at Halter (all age/gender)
- 46 APHA Overo Color at Halter (all age/gender)
- 47 APHA Novice Youth Showmanship
- 48 APHA Youth W/T Showmanship 5-9
- 49 APHA Youth Showmanship 13 & under
- 50 APHA Youth Showmanship 14-18
- 51 APHA Novice Amateur Showmanship
- 52 APHA Amateur Showmanship
- 53 APHA Yearling Longe Line
- 54 APHA Amateur Yearling Longe Line

8:00 AM · FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA - B
ApHC 4 JUDGE SHOW

- 55 ApHC Weanling Stallions
- 56 ApHC Yearling Stallions
- 57 ApHC 2 Yr Old Stallions
- 58 ApHC 3 Yr Old Stallions
- 59 ApHC Aged Stallions
- 60 ApHC Grand/Reserve Stallions

- 61 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Stallions
- 62 ApHC Weanling Geldings
- 63 ApHC Yearling Geldings
- 64 ApHC 2 Yr Old Geldings
- 65 ApHC 3 Yr Old Geldings
- 66 ApHC Aged Geldings
- 67 ApHC Grand/Reserve Geldings
- 68 ApHC Youth Geldings 18 & under
- 69 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Geldings
- 70 ApHC Weanling Mares
- 71 ApHC Yearling Mares
- 72 ApHC 2 Yr Old Mares
- 73 ApHC 3 Yr Old Mares
- 74 ApHC Aged Mares
- 75 ApHC Broodmares
- 76 ApHC Grand/Reserve Mares
- 77 ApHC Youth Mares 18 & under
- 78 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Mares
- 79 ApHC Most Colorful at Halter 18 & under
- 80 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Most Colorful at Halter
- 81 ApHC Most Colorful at Halter
- 82 ApHC Youth Western Showmanship 13 & under
- 83 ApHC Youth Western Showmanship 14-18
- 84 ApHC Youth W/T Western Showmanship 10/und
- 85 ApHC Novice Youth Western Showmanship
- 86 ApHC Novice Non Pro 19+ West. Showmanship
- 87 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Showmanship
- 88 ApHC Non Pro 35+ Western Showmanship
- 89 ApHC Non Pro 50+ Western Showmanship
- 90 ApHC Youth English Showmanship 18 & under
- 91 ApHC Hunter In Hand Mares
- 92 ApHC Youth Hunter In Hand Mares 18 & under
- 93 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Hunter In Hand Mares
- 94 ApHC Hunter In Hand Geldings
- 95 ApHC Youth Hunter In Hand Geldings 18 & und
- 96 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Hunter In Hand Geldings
- 97 ApHC Hunter In Hand Stallions
- 98 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Hunter In Hand Stallions

FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA
APHA 2 JUDGE SHOW - NSBA DUAL APPROVED
Following the APHA/ApHC Halter/Showmanship

- 99/100 APHA/NSBA Nov Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 101 APHA Youth W/T Hunter Under Saddle 5-9
- 102/103 APHA/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 13/under
- 104/105 APHA/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 14-18
- 106/107 APHA/NSBA Nov Amat Hunter Under Saddle
- 108/109 APHA/NSBA Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 110/111 APHA/NSBA Junior Hunter Under Saddle
- 112/113 APHA/NSBA PB/BS Hunter Under Saddle
- 114/115 APHA/NSBA Senior Hunter Under Saddle
- 116 APHA Novice Youth Equitation
- 117 APHA Youth W/T Equitation 5-9
- 118 APHA Youth Equitation 13 & Under
- 119 APHA Youth Equitation 14-18
- 120 APHA Novice Amateur Equitation
- 121 APHA Amateur Equitation
- 122 APHA Leadline
- 123 APHA Youth Walk Trot 18 & Under
- 124/125 APHA/NSBA Novice Youth Western Pleasure
- 126/127 APHA/NSBA Youth W/T Western Pleasure 5-9
- 128/129 APHA/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 13 & under
- 130/131 APHA/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 14-18
- 132/133 APHA/NSBA Nov Amateur Western Pleasure
- 134/135 APHA/NSBA Amateur Western Pleasure

- 136/137 APHA/NSBA Junior Western Pleasure
- 138/139 APHA/NSBA PB/BS Western Pleasure
- 140/141 APHA/NSBA Senior Western Pleasure
- 142 APHA Novice Youth Horsemanship
- 143 APHA Youth W/T Horsemanship 5-9
- 144 APHA Youth Horsemanship 13 & under
- 145 APHA Youth Horsemanship 14-18
- 146 APHA Novice Amateur Horsemanship
- 147 APHA Amateur Horsemanship

FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA
APHA 2 JUDGE SHOW - NSBA DUAL APPROVED

Not before 6:00 PM

- 148/149 APHA/NSBA Youth W/T Trail 5-9
- 150/151 APHA/NSBA Novice Youth Trail
- 152/153 APHA/NSBA Youth Trail 13 & under
- 154/155 APHA/NSBA Youth Trail 14-18
- 156/157 APHA/NSBA Novice Amateur Trail
- 158/159 APHA/NSBA Amateur Trail
- 160/161 APHA/NSBA Junior Trail
- 162/163 APHA/NSBA PB/BS Trail
- 164/165 APHA/NSBA Senior Trail

- 166 APHA Youth Barrel Racing 18 & under
- 167 APHA Youth Pole Bending 18 & under
- 168 APHA Youth Stake Race 18 & under

ApHC 4 JUDGE SHOW
Following the ApHC Speed Classes

- 169 ApHC Youth W/T Camas Stump Race 10/und
- 170 ApHC Youth Camas Stump Race 18 & under
- 171 ApHC Nov Non Pro 19+ Camas Stump Race
- 172 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Camas Stump Race
- 173 ApHC Camas Stump Race
- 174 ApHC W/T Figure 8 Stake Race 10 & under
- 175 ApHC Youth Figure 8 Stake Race 18 & under
- 176 ApHC Nov Non Pro 19+ Figure 8 Stake Race
- 177 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Figure 8 Stake Race
- 178 ApHC Figure 8 Stake Race

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8 - 8:00 AM

FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA
APHA 2 JUDGE SHOW/NSBA DUAL-APPROVED
ApHC 4 JUDGE SHOW/NSBA DUAL-APPROVED

- 179/180 APHA/NSBA Yearling Longe Line
- 181/182 APHA/NSBA Amateur Yearling Longe Line
- 183/184 ApHC/NSBA Yearling Longe Line
- 185/186 ApHC/NSBA NonPro 19+ Yearling Longe Line

- 187 APHA Amateur Jr. Stallions
- 188 APHA Amateur Sr. Stallions
- 189 APHA Grand/Reserve Amateur Stallions
- 190 APHA Weanling Stallions
- 191 APHA Yearling Stallions
- 192 APHA 2 Yr Old Stallions
- 193 APHA 3 Yr Old Stallions
- 194 APHA Aged Stallions
- 195 APHA Grand/Reserve Stallions
- 196 APHA PB/BS Weanling Stallions
- 197 APHA PB/BS Yearling Stallions
- 198 APHA PB/BS 2 Yr Old Stallions
- 199 APHA PB/BS 3 Yr Old Stallions
- 200 APHA PB/BS Aged Stallions
- 201 APHA Youth Geldings
- 202 APHA Amateur Jr. Geldings
- 203 APHA Amateur Sr. Geldings
- 204 APHA Grand/Reserve Amateur Geldings
- 205 APHA Weanling Geldings
- 206 APHA Yearling Geldings
- 207 APHA 2 Yr Old Geldings
- 208 APHA 3 Yr Old Geldings
- 209 APHA Aged Geldings
- 210 APHA Grand/Reserve Geldings

- 211 APHA PB/BS Weanling Geldings
- 212 APHA PB/BS Yearling Geldings
- 213 APHA PB/BS 2 Yr Old Geldings
- 214 APHA PB/BS 3 Yr Old Geldings
- 215 APHA PB/BS Aged Geldings
- 216 APHA Youth Mares
- 217 APHA Amateur Jr. Mares
- 218 APHA Amateur Sr. Mares
- 219 APHA Grand/Reserve Amateur Mares
- 220 APHA Weanling Mares
- 221 APHA Yearling Mares
- 222 APHA 2 Yr Old Mares
- 223 APHA 3 Yr Old Mares
- 224 APHA Aged Mares
- 225 APHA Grand/Reserve Mares
- 226 APHA PB/BS Weanling Mares
- 227 APHA PB/BS Yearling Mares
- 228 APHA PB/BS 2 Yr Old Mares
- 229 APHA PB/BS 3 Yr Old Mares
- 230 APHA PB/BS Aged Mares
- 231 APHA Tobiano Color at Halter (all age/gender)
- 232 APHA Overo Color at Halter (all age/gender)
- 233 APHA Novice Youth Showmanship
- 234 APHA Youth W/T Showmanship 5-9
- 235 APHA Youth Showmanship 13 & under
- 236 APHA Youth Showmanship 14-18
- 237 APHA Novice Amateur Showmanship
- 238 APHA Amateur Showmanship

- 239/240 APHA/NSBA Nov Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 241 APHA Youth W/T Hunter Under Saddle 5-9
- 242/243 APHA/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 13/und
- 244/245 APHA/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 14-18
- 246/247 APHA/NSBA Novice Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 248/249 APHA/NSBA Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 250/251 APHA/NSBA Junior Hunter Under Saddle
- 252/253 APHA/NSBA PB/BS Hunter Under Saddle
- 254/255 APHA/NSBA Senior Hunter Under Saddle

- 466/467 ApHC/NSBA 2 YO Snaffle Bit Hunter Und Saddle
- 256/257 ApHC/NSBA Novice Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 258 ApHC Youth W/T Hunter Under Saddle 10/und
- 259/260 ApHC/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 13/und
- 261/262 ApHC/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 14-18
- 468/469 ApHC/NSBA 3 YO Snaffle Bit Hunter Und Saddle
- 263/264 ApHC/NSBA Nov NonPro 19+ Hunter Under Saddle
- 265/266 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 19+ Hunter Under Saddle
- 267/268 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 35+ Hunter Under Saddle
- 269/270 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 50+ Hunter Under Saddle
- 271/272 ApHC/NSBA Junior Hunter Under Saddle
- 273/274 ApHC/NSBA Senior Hunter Under Saddle

- 275 APHA Novice Youth Equitation
- 276 APHA Youth W/T Equitation 5-9
- 277 APHA Youth Equitation 13 & under
- 278 APHA Youth Equitation 14-18
- 279 APHA Novice Amateur Equitation
- 280 APHA Amateur Equitation

- 281 ApHC Novice Youth Hunt Seat Equitation
- 282 ApHC Youth W/T Hunt Seat Equit. 10 & under
- 283 ApHC Youth Hunt Seat Equitation 13 & under
- 284 ApHC Youth Hunt Seat Equitation 14-18
- 285 ApHC Novice Non Pro 19+ Hunt Seat Equitation
- 286 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Hunt Seat Equitation
- 287 ApHC Non Pro 35+ Hunt Seat Equitation
- 288 ApHC Non Pro 50+ Hunt Seat Equitation

- 289 APHA Leadline
- 290 APHA Youth Walk Trot 18 & Under
- 291/292 APHA/NSBA Novice Youth Western Pleasure
- 293/294 APHA/NSBA Youth W/T Western Pleasure 5-9
- 295/296 APHA/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 13 & under
- 297/298 APHA/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 14-18

- 299/300 APHA/NSBA Novice Amateur Western Pleasure
- 301/302 APHA/NSBA Amateur Western Pleasure
- 303/304 APHA/NSBA Junior Western Pleasure
- 305/306 APHA PB/BS Western Pleasure
- 307/308 APHA/NSBA Senior Western Pleasure

- 309/310 ApHC/NSBA Novice Youth Western Pleasure 18/und
- 311/312 ApHC/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 13/und
- 313/314 ApHC/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 14-18
- 315 ApHC Youth W/T Western Pleasure 10/und
- 316 ApHC Leadline

- 317 APHA Novice Youth Horsemanship
- 318 APHA Youth W/T Horsemanship 5-9
- 319 APHA Youth Horsemanship 13 & under
- 320 APHA Youth Horsemanship 14-18
- 321 APHA Novice Amateur Horsemanship
- 322 APHA Amateur Horsemanship

- 323 ApHC Youth W/T West Horsemanship 10/under
- 324 ApHC Novice Youth West Horsemanship 18/und
- 325 ApHC Novice Non Pro 19+ West Horsemanship
- 326 ApHC Youth Western Horsemanship 13 & under
- 327 ApHC Youth Western Horsemanship 14-18
- 328 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Western Horsemanship
- 329 ApHC Non Pro 50+ Western Horsemanship
- 330 ApHC Non Pro 35 Western Horsemanship
- 331 ApHC Youth Bareback Equitation 18 & under
- 332 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Bareback Equitation
- 333 ApHC Youth Heritage 18 & under
- 334 ApHC Open Heritage

- 335 APHA Youth Barrel Racing 18 & under
- 336 APHA Youth Pole Bending 18 & under
- 337 APHA Youth Stake Race 18 & under
- 338 ApHC Youth W/T Nez Perce Stake Race 10/und
- 339 ApHC Youth Nez Perce Stake Race 18 & under
- 340 ApHC Novice Non Pro 19+ Nez Perce Stake Race
- 341 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Nez Perce Stake Race
- 342 ApHC Nez Perce Stake Race

FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA - A
APHA 2 JUDGE SHOW/NSBA DUAL-APPROVED

- 343/344 APHA/NSBA Youth W/T Trail 5-9
- 345/346 APHA/NSBA Novice Youth Trail
- 347/348 APHA/NSBA Youth Trail 13 & under
- 349/350 APHA/NSBA Youth Trail 14-18
- 351/352 APHA/NSBA Novice Amateur Trail
- 353/354 APHA/NSBA Amateur Trail
- 355/356 APHA/NSBA Junior Trail
- 357/358 APHA/NSBA Senior Trail
- 359/360 APHA/NSBA PB/BS Trail

FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA - B
ApHC 4 JUDGE SHOW/NSBA DUAL-APPROVED

- 361/362 ApHC/NSBA Youth W/T Trail 10 & under
- 365/366 ApHC/NSBA Youth Trail 13 & under
- 367/368 ApHC/NSBA Youth Trail 14-18
- 369/370 ApHC/NSBA Novice Non Pro 19+ Trail
- 371/372 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 19+ Trail
- 373/374 ApHC/NSBA Junior Trail
- 375/376 ApHC/NSBA Senior Trail

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9 - 8:00 AM
MUSTANG ARENA
APHA 2 JUDGE SPECIAL EVENT
ApHC 4 JUDGE SHOW/NSBA DUAL-APPROVED

- 377 APHA Novice Youth Showmanship
- 378 APHA Youth W/T Showmanship 5-9
- 379 APHA Youth Showmanship 13 & under
- 380 APHA Youth Showmanship 14-18
- 381 APHA Novice Amateur Showmanship
- 382 APHA Amateur Showmanship

- 383/384 APHA/NSBA Novice Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 385 APHA Youth W/T Hunter Under Saddle 5-9
- 386/387 APHA/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 13/und
- 388/389 APHA/NSBA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 14-18
- 390/391 APHA/NSBA Novice Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 392/393 APHA/NSBA Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 394/395 APHA/NSBA Junior Hunter Under Saddle
- 396/397 APHA/NSBA PB/BS Hunter Under Saddle
- 398/399 APHA/NSBA Senior Hunter Under Saddle
- 400 APHA Novice Youth Equitation
- 401 APHA Youth W/T Equitation 5-9
- 402 APHA Youth Equitation 13 & Under
- 403 APHA Youth Equitation 14-18
- 404 APHA Novice Amateur Equitation
- 405 APHA Amateur Equitation

- 406/407 ApHC/NSBA 2 Yr Old Snaffle Bit Western Pleasure
- 408/409 ApHC/NSBA Junior Western Pleasure
- 410/411 ApHC/NSBA Novice Non Pro 19+ Western Pleasure
- 412/413 ApHC/NSBA 3 Yr Old Snaffle Bit Western Pleasure
- 414/415 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 19+ Western Pleasure
- 416/417 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 35+ Western Pleasure
- 418/419 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 50+ Western Pleasure
- 420/421 ApHC/NSBA Senior Western Pleasure

- 422 APHA Leadline
- 423 APHA Youth Walk Trot 18 & under
- 424/425 APHA/NSBA Novice Youth Western Pleasure
- 426/427 APHA/NSBA Youth W/T Western Pleasure 5-9
- 428/429 APHA/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 13/under
- 430/431 APHA/NSBA Youth Western Pleasure 14-18
- 432/433 APHA/NSBA Nov Amateur Western Pleasure
- 434/435 APHA/NSBA Amateur Western Pleasure
- 436/437 APHA/NSBA Junior Western Pleasure
- 438/439 APH/NSBA PB/BS Western Pleasure
- 440/441 APHA/NSBA Senior Western Pleasure
- 442 APHA Novice Youth Horsemanship
- 443 APHA Youth W/T Horsemanship 5-9
- 444 APHA Youth Horsemanship 13 & under
- 445 APHA Youth Horsemanship 14-18
- 446 APHA Novice Amateur Horsemanship
- 447 APHA Amateur Horsemanship

- 448/449 ApHC/NSBA Youth Western Riding 18 & under
- 450/451 ApHC/NSBA Novice Non Pro 19+ Western Riding
- 452/453 ApHC/NSBA Non Pro 19+ Western Riding
- 454/455 ApHC/NSBA Western Riding
- 456 ApHC Youth Reining 18 & under
- 457 ApHC Novice Non Pro 19+ Reining
- 458 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Reining
- 459 ApHC Reining

- 460 ApHC Youth W/T Keyhole Race 10 & under
- 461 ApHC Youth Keyhole Race 18 & under
- 462 ApHC Novice Non Pro 19+ Keyhole Race
- 463 ApHC Non Pro 19+ Keyhole Race
- 464 ApHC Keyhole Race

3:00 PM · FORD LIVESTOCK ARENA
ApHC 4 JUDGE SHOW

- 465 ApHC Rope Race

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Evening Performance Scheduled Times listed are estimated. The Ford Livestock Arena will have priority in the Celebration schedule.

Blocks of trail classes may change arenas if schedule warrants.

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Youth	\$10.00 per judge
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Open/Amateur/NonPro	\$45.00 per judge 1 horse/1 exhibitor
Youth	\$40.00 per judge 1 horse/1 exhibitor

APHA Divisions: Open, Amateur/Novice Amateur, Youth/Novice Youth

ApHC Divisions: Open, Non Pro/Novice Non Pro, Youth/Novice Youth

*Amateur/Non Pro and Youth can crossover to Open free with same exhibitor.

ALL SHOW FEE: (1 horse/any rider)

APHA	\$325.00
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APHA	\$2.00 per judge
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ApHC: Helmets are required for ALL Youth Games Classes. ApHC rules will be followed for biting and equipment. Exhibitor must be 10 or under to show in Youth W/T classes. Camas Prairie Stump and Nez Perce Stake Races held in Ford Livestock Arena will be run in the traditional "horse against horse" fashion, except the W/T classes will NOT be run horse against horse.

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More than a Supreme Champion....

MS DOC STEP

AQHA, PHBA

1982—2009

Submitted by Marian Alton

Many happy memories accompany this special tribute to a once in a lifetime palomino mare and my lifelong friend, Martha Williamson Swartz. Don and Martha, Owasso, Oklahoma, were the breeders, owners, riders of MS DOC STEP. They were also the breeders of her dam, A GOOD STEP, her granddam, A BIG STEP, her great granddam KANDY BAR BAILEY, and Martha owned the great, great granddam MUCHACHIA BAILEY aka Kandy by the renown GOLD KING BAILEY.



Martha Swartz, Sooner member, on Ms Doc Step.

When “Kandy” was bred to AQHA GOOD BARS and produced the mare, KANDY BAR BAILEY, the latter was bred to the Swartz champion, A BIG STEP, whose dam was the famous, Patsy Jeanne, owned by Don and Martha. A Good Step, when bred to Margaret Hudpeth’s AQHA stallion, TWO BIT DOC, by DOC’S PRESCRIPTION by DOC BAR, produced MS DOC STEP.

Let us roll back time to around 1960 when the events began that thirty years later blessed Don and Martha with a wonderful mare who became 1990 Supreme Champion Amateur Palomino #32, meaning there had been only 31 before her. She was 1988 Reserve World Champion Amateur Palomino Ranch Horse. She was also #1 in the nation in that class in ‘89 and ‘90, in western riding, and in 1988, reining. The list of her accomplishments is something to be proud of.



Dr. Donald Swartz DVM, Martha’s husband, rode and won on Ms Doc Step in the Trail Classes, including beating Martha in Amateur Trail.

Back to around 1960. Martha had occasionally taken me to see ApHC HANDS UP south of Chelsea, Oklahoma, and became acquainted with Roy and Naomi Wood who also had the later famous Appaloosa stallions, CHIEF CHELSEA, CHEROKEE, OKLAHOMA, FIESTA, etc. At a Guy Ray Rutland sale in Tulsa, Martha spied an elegant buckskin daughter of Rutland’s stallion GOLD KING BAILEY. She was MUCHACHIA BAILEY whose dam was by JOE MOORE out of a CHICARO BILL daughter.

Roy Wood was at that sale and saw how much Martha wanted the filly and — bought her! Martha later paid Roy and “Kandy” was owned all her life by Martha. We still laugh about “Kandy’s” very first “training” which was risky, but Martha and I had so much fun



1988 Reserve World Champion Ranch Horse, World Championship Palomino Show, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

we didn't realize the chances we were taking with me on my big black greenbroke HANDS UP daughter snubbing Kandy alongside with Martha aboard!

And so began the countdown of years to Supreme Champion, MS DOC STEP. When Martha married Dr. Donald Swartz, DVM, he made the "mistake" of telling her she could keep all the palomino colored horses she could raise. Talk about COLOR, she got it for years and had a pasture full of golden champion prospects! They're gone now, but fantastic memories remain.

It was a tough morning February 12th when Don and Martha euthanized MS DOC STEP who would have been 27 in April. Not only was she a champion but also a splendid example of Don's and Martha's successful forty years plus breeding program.

It is a great honor to have them take A BIG STEP right into our Appaloosa world, and what a thrill it is to look forward to the years ahead and see what our combo of bloodlines produces. I hope so much that there will be a champion palomino/Appaloosa mare for them. Here's to the next 52 years of friendship!

Martha, your chum thanks you for all you've done and continue to do.

Marian Alton

MS DOC STEP ... conclusion



Martha and MS DOC STEP won Rogers State Horseman's Association High Point Adult in 1992, 1993, 1995, 1996, 1997 and 1998 when they competed in Claremore, Oklahoma.



WANNA BE BRASSY

1994—2009



2007

NATIONAL APPALOOSA
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Larry Williams
Horseman

It was with great sadness that we learned of the recent passing of Carla Peacock's great mare, Wanna Be Brassy. Carla is the person behind the All American Appaloosa Congress.

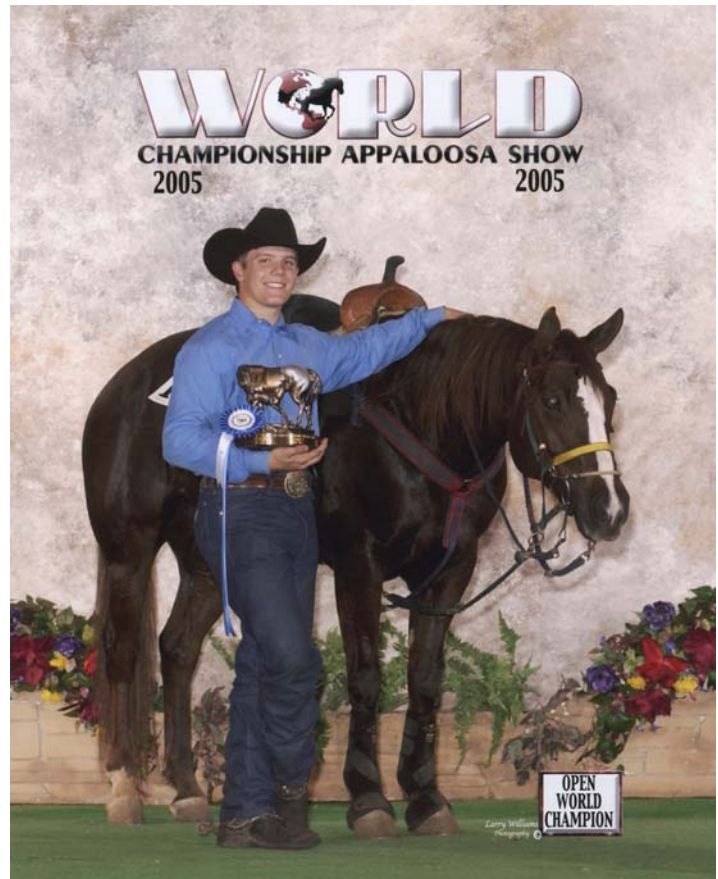
During the mare's 15 years, there were few things that Wanna Be Brassy was not asked to do, as evidenced by her points on record with the Appaloosa Horse Club in Moscow, ID.

Class	Lifetime Points
Non-Pro Breakaway Roping	4.0
Non-Pro Camas Prairie Stump Race	66.0
Non-Pro Figure 8 Stake Race	101.5
Non-Pro Halter Mares	0.5
Non-Pro Judged Heading	7.5
Non-Pro Judged Heeling	13.0
Non-Pro Keyhole Race	62.0
Non-Pro Nez Perce Stakes Race	53.0
Non-Pro Reining	6.0
Non-Pro Saddle Seat Equitation	3.5
Non-Pro Saddle Seat Pleasure	10.5
Non-Pro Steer Daubing	9.0
Non-Pro Timed Heading & Heeling	2.0
Non-Pro Trail	3.0
Non-Pro Western Riding	6.0
Non-Pro Western Showmanship	0.5
Non-Pro 35 & Over Hunt Seat Equitation	0.5
Open Aged Mares	38.0
Open Camas Prairie Stump Race	74.0
Open Figure 8 Stake Race	137.0
Open Heading & Heeling	12.0
Open Heritage	1.0
Open Hunter In Hand Mares	9.0
Open Keyhole Race	68.0
Open Ladies Side Saddle	4.0
Open Nez Perce Stake Race	46.0
Open Rope Race	55.5
Open Senior Hunter Hack	1.5
Open Senior Judged Heading	14.0
Open Senior Judged Heeling	13.5
Open Senior Judged Tie-Down Roping	2.0
Open Senior Reining	19.0
Open Senior Saddle Seat Pleasure	12.0
Open Senior Trail	4.0
Open Senior Western Riding	11.0
Open Senior Working Cow Horse	3.5
Open Senior Steer Daubing	50.0

Class	Lifetime Points
Open Timed Tie-Down Roping	2.0
Youth Figure 8 Stake Race 13 & Under	0.5
Youth Halter Mares	6.0
Youth Reining 13 & Under	4.0
Youth Reining 18 & Under	23.0
Youth Saddle Seat Pleasure 18 & Under	0.5
Youth Trail 18 & Under	1.0
Youth Western Riding 13 & Under	0.5
Youth Western Riding 18 & Under	4.5

In addition to all of those ApHC National points, a few of which are from the 2009 show year, Wanna Be Brassy also earned these ACAAP Points:

Equitation	5.0
In Hand Classes	3.5
Reining	4.0
Western Pleasure	0.5



Wanna Be Brassy, pictured as a weanling (above, left) and in one of her many trips to the photographer's booth for a win picture. (above, right) Many thanks to Carla Peacock for sharing these photographs with us. We know this mare leaves a big void to fill.

A message from Carla....

We have had many horses pass through our lives and each has enriched our living in their own unique way. None have touched our hearts like you did. You were truly part of our family. You were wicked smart with a huge heart, a desire to please and a wonderful personality. You were our girl. You never questioned what we asked you to do, just tried your best to do whatever we asked of you.

We always joked that you wanted to drive. You knew what you had to do the moment you walked into the arena. You enjoyed the challenge of new things and really seemed to enjoy the cattle events. Austin believed you could run the Rope Race without him; that he was just along to grab the rope! Four time World Champion! And now we have two beautiful babies to carry on your legacy. God must have plans for you. Even He cried when we made the decision to end your pain.

Your heritage traced back to Absarokee Sunset and Bright Eyes Brother, Doc O'Lena and Sugar Bars. You inherited your athletic ability and there wasn't much that you were not able to do. You earned 20 ROMs, 8 Superior Event awards, 2 Versatility Champion awards, an Open Supreme Champion and 7 Bronze Medallions. You made an impression on everyone that knew you.

We will miss the faces you made if the peppermints were not unwrapped quickly enough or when you were not the first horse fed. We will miss you throwing your halter on the floor to get our attention. We will miss the squeal when we slipped your halter off every time we turned you out in the field. We will miss the way you always stuck your nose out the trailer window. We still look for your face over the fence waiting for us to come visit you. Now you can graze all day in knee deep grass at the Rainbow Bridge. One day, we will be with you again.

Carla

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Just-A-Chip

1990—2009

Submitted by Gerry Lukacik

Just-A-Chip

Zips Chocolate Chip (AQHA)

Zippo Pine Bar (AQHA)

Fancy Blue Chip (AQHA)

Abdull's Pok-A-Son

Grandola Bars

Cindy Bars (AQHA)

I first got acquainted with Ann Jentz back in 1996. I lost one of my good mares in early February of that year, and put the word out that I'd like to try and find a replacement. Ann had just brought in a 2 year old for training with the trainer I had been using in Illinois, just a few weeks earlier. That's how I eventually came to own "Ashley."



Zips Chocolate Chip AQHA

Just-A-Chip's sire, Zips Chocolate Chip, was the leading AQHA sire for a number of years. While no longer in the number one spot, he still holds a spot on many of the AQHA's Leading Sires lists.

Ashley was one of Just-A-Chip's earliest foals, having been bred at the age of three, to the great AQHA stallion, Investment Asset, to produce Ashley at the age of four. Since Ashley was meant to replace one of my good lost broodmares, she didn't get into the show ring but one time, and that was the ApPHA Futurity at the World Show in 1996. While Ashley didn't have

much of a chance to help Just-A-Chip make a name for herself, some of her later foals certainly did. Consider the accomplishments of Hand Me Your Chips, a 2002 gelding son, by All Hands On Zip, which start at the top of the next page.

NSBA winner and money earner. 2005 NSBA High Point 3 Year Old Limited Open Western Pleasure, the first Appaloosa to win an open category in the NSBA. 2005 Youth World Champion Novice Youth Western Pleasure. 2006 National Champion Junior Western Pleasure with Pat Heeley riding for Olivia C. Infinger. 2006 World Top 5 in Junior Western Pleasure with Pa Heeley riding for Olivia Christin Infinger. 2006 World Top 10 ApPHA Non-Pro/Youth Five & Under Western Pleasure Maturity, Olivia C. Infinger, owner/exhibitor. 2007 World Top 10 in Open Ladies Western Pleasure with Sarah Aron riding for Olivia Infinger. 2007 World Top 10 in Open Junior Western Pleasure with Sarah Aron riding for Dawn M. Bluhm. 2007 World Top 10 in the ApPHA Non-Pro/Youth Five & Under Western Pleasure Maturity with Ryann Bluhm riding for Dawn Bluhm. Hand Me Your Chips is also a Bronze Medallion winner, with 24.5 lifetime points in Open Junior Western Pleasure, 7 lifetime points in Open 3 Year Old Snaffle Bit western Pleasure, and 6 lifetime points in Youth Novice Western Pleasure 18 & Under.



Hand Me Your Chips

Another one of Just-A-Chip's gelding sons that has done well in the show ring is Personal Invitation, foaled in 2004, sired by Dee Invitation AQHA. Personal Invitation was 2008 National Champion in Youth Hunt Seat Equitation 16–18 with Jessica Olsen riding.. He was also the 2008 National Champion in Youth Saddle Seat Equitation, 18 & Under, with Jessica Olsen riding.. He also made the National Top 10 in Open Senior Hunter Under Saddle with Elizabeth Haynes riding.



Personal Invitation

His lifetime points include Open Hunter In Hand Geldings, 30.5; Open Senior Hunter Under Saddle, 25; Open 3 Year Old Snaffle Bit Hunter Under Saddle, 2; Youth English Showmanship 14 to 18, 7; Youth Halter Geldings, 3; Youth Hunt Seat Equitation 14 to 18, 22.5; Youth Hunter In Hand Geldings, 10.5; Youth Hunter Under Saddle 14 to 18, 23.5; Youth Novice Hunt Seat equitation 18 & Under, 9; Youth Novice Showmanship 18 & Under, 10; Youth Novice western Horsemanship 18 & Under, 2; Youth Saddle Seat Pleasure 18 & Under, 1.5; Youth western Horsemanship 14 to 18, 9.

Then there is Just-A-Chip's 1997 daughter Easter Chip, sired by Good Version (AQHA). Easter Chip is an NSBA Winner and money earner, a futurity winner, and was 3rd in the nation in Western Pleasure. She has gone on to be a great producer in her own right as the dam of 2008 National Champion, One Hot Version by Hot Chocolate Chip. She also produced Premium Chocolate, a 2008 Reserve National Champion, by Hot Chocolate Chip. Another foal is Double Mint Chocolate, World Top 10 in 2006, and National Top 10 in 2007. Double Mint Chocolate was also sired by Hot Chocolate Chip.



Easter Chip



Grandola Bars

Grandola Bars was the dam of Just-A-Chip, and was no slouch in the production department herself. She not only has produced well here, in the United States, but also has a champion colt who stands in Germany, and a champion filly in Venezuela. She is also a Medallion producer.

I tired to contact her last owner of record in Wisconsin, in an attempt to get a better picture of her, but was unable to get an answer. She was purchased through the World Sale many years ago, and was consigned by Char-O-Lot Ranch. I also contacted Sue Schembri at Char-O-Lot, in hopes that they could provide me with a better picture. Sue searched, but it was before they started storing pictures on computer in jpg files, so

she was unable to come up with a better picture. Grandola Bars was sired by Abdull's Pok-A-Son.



Abdull's Pok-A-Son

Just-A-Chip had to be put down a day after delivering what turned out to be her final foal, sired by Chocolatey. We know Ann is going to miss this great mare of hers.

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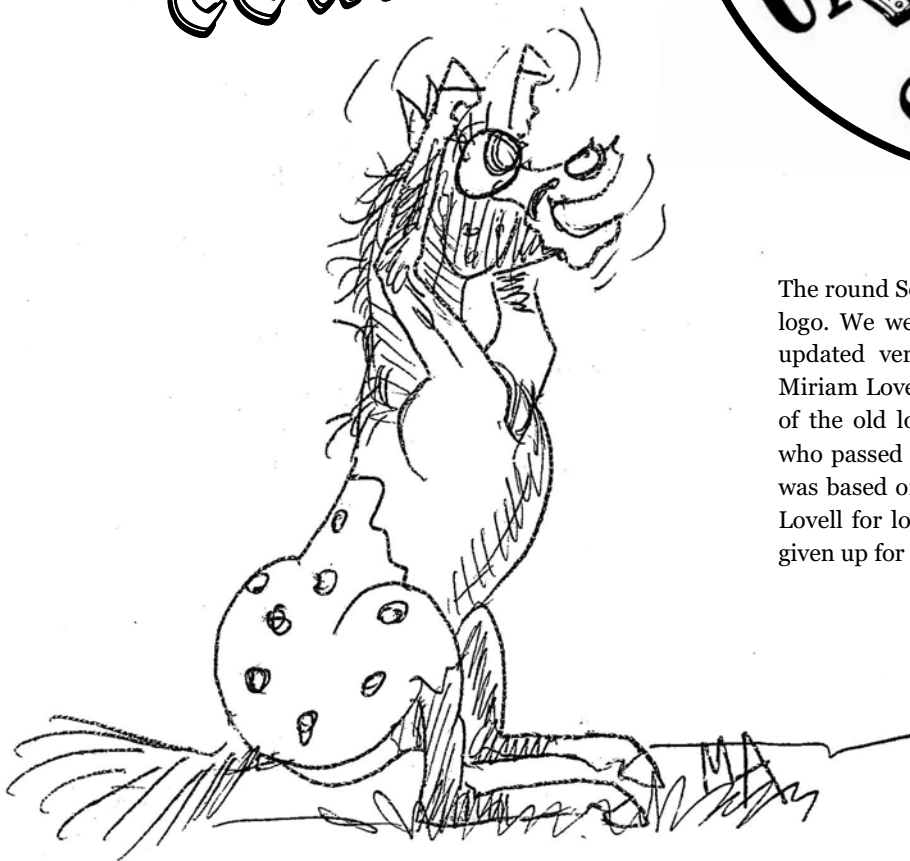
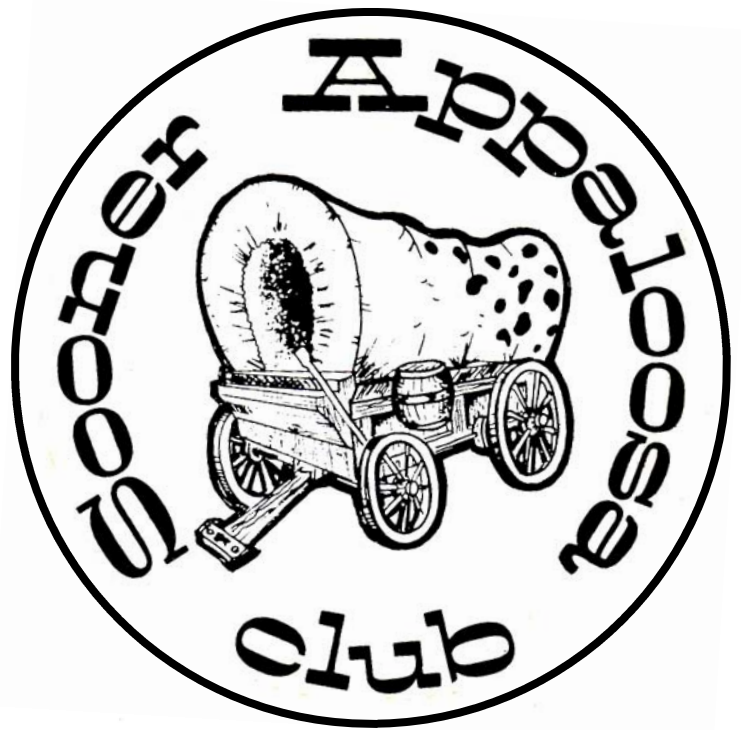
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