

GCAHA News November 2009

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Parades	OPEN	
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Newsletter submissions can be sent preferably by email to: Michelle Bradsher at michelle@bluetreefarm.com or by phone or text to 918-607-8973.

For the old fashioned you may snail mail them to 14290 S 4075 Road, Oologah, OK 74053.

Submissions due by 1st of month.

General Meeting: No Meeting for November.

Christmas Party and Elections – Wild Potato Buffet @ Cherokee Casino, Catoosa. 6pm

News This Month.

Of course the big news for this month are the results of the U.S. Nationals. Several of our members received honors at the show. Kudos to all of you!

- Chris Limer riding the 1/2 Arabian, BHR Hosans Showdown, competed in the 2 day CTR. Riding against seniors, as there was no junior division, she placed 4th. The pair placed Top Ten to seven places, so she was also top ten AND high point junior. Congratulations Chris...WAY TO GO!
- Louis Burton Reports that she WON THE US NATIONAL CHAMPION 100 MILE RIDE (1/2 Arabian). VERY BIG CONGRATULATIONS to Louise!
- Virgil and Linda Gremore ' s gelding, DL Crimson Beau (Black Wind Jafar x MHR Gloria (Muscat daughter) won Top Ten in Working Cow Horse.
- Trainer Eddie Ralston riding Amerikan Tradition+ (R Classic Touch+++ /) placed Top Ten Open Working Cow Horse AND riding Khemo Chanel Sera (R Classic Touch+++ /) placed Top Ten Purebred Working Cow Horse Futurity. Congratulations to the Eddie and the owners!

If I missed anyone please let me know for the December newsletter.

OCTOBER BOARD MEETING

Board meeting, October 17th

Attendees:

Tammy Pickens, Barb McCalip, Betsy Barnes, Michelle Schrimshaw, Art Byrd, Dee Byrd, Vicky Carnahan, Velma Boodt, Victoria Pickens

Quorum of board members present.

Vicky called the meeting to order. Discussion held on volunteer schedule for Nationals and other small items. It was decided to give a polo shirt to all volunteers who worked at least 6 sessions.

Meeting turned over to Art. Art advised the members that he had been approached to have GCAHA sponsor the Trail Ride at Lake Carl Blackwell in March by Lisa Gallery and Brenda Wyatt. The financial risk is minimal. Initial outlay to get the ride sanctioned would be covered by \$500 seed money. GCAHA would receive all the entry fees. In the past, there have been more competitors than our trail ride in May. This provides an opportunity to earn some additional money. Art made the motion to sponsor the trail ride. Betsy (I think) seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

New Business – Michelle advised the group that Bill Eash is seeking sponsorship money for Sport Horse Regionals for 4 hunter hack classes to be added to the schedule. He is trying to raise \$1000 to cover the expenses associated with adding the 4 classes. Motion made by Vicky to give \$100 in sponsorship money. Betsy seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting ended.

STALLION SERVICE AUCTION REPORT

September 12 & October 1, 2, 2009

Yahoo!!!! September 12, 2009 Clinic and Stallion Service Auction was a hit... a big Thank You to Stan Morey. He put on a superb Clinic on with his gorgeous half-Arabian filly. All new comers and old timers benefited from Stan Morey's halter clinic. There were 60 people at the Clinic and 30 or more at the Stallion Service Auction. 5 breedings sold and several items were auctioned off and we also had drawings. As you may know I was one of the BIG bidders at the auction on a beautiful picture of a Black Stallion Marion Blythe painted. Her phone number is 918-652-2643 if you are interested in any of her work.

Several of our committee members said people were telling them we did a great job and what a great time they had. I know I did! Also, we want to Thank Eddie and Mitzi for being such gracious hosts at their beautiful place.

Stan Morey ask since we had a good time at the functions please send Lance Walters of AHA an email letting him know. Stan said they hear only negative stuff going on and they need to hear the positive.

The Tulsa Fair Show was a Smash!! Great snacks, wonderful cake and lots of people getting to know one another. What beautiful SSA weanlings we had at the show. There were 2 drawings for the SSA weanlings, a black show halter from Faulkner's Saddlery and a beautiful vase made by Kathy Wright, also a bottle of Wine from Mid Town Liquor for the winning colt.

There are several Stallion owners getting in touch with us already for next years Stallion Service Auction.

Again what a wonderful Stallion Service Committee... It has been a pleasure and a lot of fun working with you guys. What a group!!!!

Thanks again for doing such a wonderful job this year.

Beverly Cargile



2009 BALLOT

*****ONLY GCAHA MEMBERS**

MAY VOTE*: PLEASE CHECK THE BOX NEXT TO THE CANDIDATE OF YOUR CHOICE. Check one only in Section One and any two in Section Two.

If more than one box is checked in Section One, this ballot will not count.

PRESIDENT: (VOTE FOR ONE ONLY)
BETSY BARNES

VICE PRESIDENT: ART BYRD
JAN LEWIS

SECRETARY: (VOTE FOR ONE ONLY)
BOBBY SIMONS
BECKY AMASON

TREASURER: VELMA BOODT

SECTION TWO

BOARD MEMBER: (VOTE FOR ANY TWO)

BARB MCCALIP
JAN LEWIS
TAMMY PICKENS
CAROLINE LACKEY
KELLY HARMON
BEVERLY CARGILE

GCAHA CLASSIFIEDS:

As are free to members and \$5.00 to nonmembers. Ads will be edited if over 50 words per horse. Ads must be emailed to michelle@bluetreefarm.com or mailed to 14290 S 4075 Road, Oologah, OK 74053 by the 15th of the month in order to be included in the next months newsletter. Flyers are \$20. You supply 15.

FOR SALE: yearling fillies, two year old filly and gelding, one three year old gelding, and 7 year old mare. Everyone of these horses load, can be show clipped easily, good disposition and confirmation, up to date on shots/worming, all horses have a good show record except one filly, will be showing her at the fair for the first time. Check her out there. The three year old and 7 year old mare were trained by Eddie Ralston, they both have a lot of miles on them. If interested please contact Barb at 918-855-3239. (9/09)

FOR SALE : Black Arabian Stallion. Blood typed. 12 year old, well mannered, gentle, very good minded. 2 white hind feet and small star. Owner recently passed away and Cowboy needs a new home. Was ridden 30 days several years ago. Great pasture stud. If used with paint mares has always thrown paints. #05691920 Cowboy. Sire #0419533 Lebon Mykletiali K- Dam #0460640 Jessynic Charm K. Best offer to good home. 918 367 2957 or 694 0904. (9/09)

FOR SALE Beautiful grandson of Padron. 16 YO chestnut gelding with flaxen mane, the famous Padron strip/snip, and one white hind. Hunter/jumper, dressage, jumps, western and looks gorgeous doing it!! Bathes, clips, loads, stands. Nothing he won't do for you. This one even works cows! A great team penner! \$2500 918 864 1709 or email taddieboobear@yahoo.com (9/09)

FOR SALE: 9 year old ½ Arabian gelding, Black and White, 16.1 hands, sire was Mountain Trail's Black Tie Affair and dam is Fahim Aphrodisa. This horse was breed/ raised and sold by Desira Dark Arabians and is very gentle, loads, shoes and trims. Asking \$2000.00. Call Dee Byrd 363-7747 or Stephanie Johnson 940-867-4074. (8/09)

FOR SALE Kholor My World, Gorgeous bay/white pinto yearling colt by Klassic Khasanova out of well bred paint mare. Great stock type pinto prospect. Super disposition. Easy to handle, Halter or performance prospect. Hate to sell this colt but need to cut back on horses. \$600. Registered gorgeous, tall, leggy weanling bay colt by Klassic Khasanova out of WP Majty Fine (Equifor/Barich De Washoe/Baske Tu bred). Sweepstakes and GCAHA futurity colt. Full brother is 14.3hh as a yearling. This colt should be as well. Greatest disposition ever. You can do anything with this colt. Halter and performance quality. \$550 Beautiful flashy mahogany bay weanling filly, Klassic Khasanova x Dreems Come True (Bask/Adios/ Ansata Ibn Halima bred) Classic good looks. GCAHA futurity filly. \$400. Would trade any of the above horses for broke horse or etc. Also yearling black bay purebred colt, chestnut yearling half arab colt, bay two yr old half arab colt all sired by Pryme Danser SA, great dispositions, show quality or your best friend. \$300 each. Purebred and half arab broodmares starting at \$500 each with choice of breeding to Pryme Danser SA, (black purebred Arabian), bay/white pinto saddlebred or black Trekehner stallion. call 580-658-3140 or sonataarabians@duracom.net (8/09)

Beautiful female kitten for free yes FREE! SOOKIE is her name and she is sweet. house broke to the litter box and she does well outside also. She is very hyper and loves to play. has long hair with beautiful colors. Will make a great barn cat. Call me if you would like to have a very pretty and playfull kitten. She is about 4 months. 918-504-2426 Brooke.....(8/09)

FOR SALE or Lease: Well bred Mares, (quitting breeding) Khabrina (Khadraj x Sabrina AA) also broke to ride, \$2,500.; SH Despina (Desperado x Bint AL Pharon) broke to ride, \$2,500.; Mi Sheshata Focus (Focus Shaskan x MI Sheshata ZAB-), \$800.; Angelina FA (Pyro Thyme SA x MiiSSha Khemille) \$10,000.00 also gelding: Certainly Someone, 6 yr old broke chestnut \$1,500.00. Also two GCAHA SSA foals- chestnut filly by Meridien ATL and grey Pyro colt. Call for more information, pics, etc. 918 363 8468 Vicky (8/09)

AT STUD to approved mares for 2010. Booking now. Chestnut roan Welsh Mountain Pony- *Heavenly Isaac*. Sired by international champion *Snow Pony Mochastone*. Isaac produces gorgeous flashy foals from all types of mares. \$400 Stud fee. Beautiful 2009 Chestnut 1/2 Welsh Colt by Isaac for sale. \$600.00. Visit www.bluetreefarm.com for more information or call Michelle at 918-607-8973. (11/09)

CONDOLANCES

Deanna Livingston – 3/11/1945-11/6/2009

Our condolences go out to the family of GCAHA member Deanna Livingston. The following is an excerpt from Deanna's obituary "...Deanna's passion was love for all animals, especially Arabian horses. Deanna fully believed horses could be empathetic to emotional and psychological pain of people. Equine therapy was something Deanna believed in very much seeing peoples' pain eased by this connection. Deanna was most at ease and gained the most happiness when she could work with her horses and clients together. Over the past few years she had purchased nine horses and rescued one. Online condolences may be made at tahlequahfuneral.com. Any gifts in the name of Deanna Livingston are requested to be to the American Diabetes Association."



Green Country Arabian Horse Association (GCAHA) is located in Northeast Oklahoma. We are open to ALL breeds and provide many functions for you to enjoy your horse. Trail rides, Clinics, Parade Troupe, Stallion Service Auction, Monthly Newsletter, Fun Shows, Arabian Shows, Free Advertising in the Newsletter for Members, and we are Arabian Horse Association Affiliated.

JUST FOR FUN...	PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT
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In Hartsville, Illinois, you can be arrested for riding an ugly horse.
(Rarely a problem for Arabian riders!)

Trivia Question of the Month: What U.S state has the horse as its state animal? (Answer page 5)

*My treasures do not
clink or glitter,
They gleam in the
sun and neigh the night.
—Arab Proverb*

In a recent press release the National Institute of Health has announced the discovery of a potentially dangerous substance in the hair of horses. This substance, called "amobacter equuii" has been linked with the following symptoms in female humans

- Reluctance to cook
- Reluctance to perform house work
- Reluctance to wear anything but boots
- Reluctance to work except in support of a horse
- Physical craving for contact with horses (may be an addiction)

Beware! If you come in contact with a female human infected by this substance, be prepared to talk about horses for hours on end.

Surgeon General's Warning:

Horses are expensive, addictive, and may impair the ability to use common sense.