

BLUEBONNET ARABIAN HORSE CLUB

June 2011 Newsletter-**VOICE OUT OF THE BLUE**

Hello BAHC friends. Well, I guess we can for sure regret any complaints we had earlier about all the rain getting in the way of our riding. We could sure use some lately! Don't know about your way, but our pastures are sure looking a bit too golden so early in the season. Time to do a little rain dance or somethin'.

The June meeting took place at El Chico's restaurant in Town East Mall, Mesquite, TX. With some members getting ready for the big show, it was a smaller turn out than normal. We do wish you all that were getting your horses ready lots of ribbons! Those of us at the meeting enjoyed the good food and discussing the upcoming events.

The May Dressage show was canceled due to an outbreak of a virus, that is now no longer a worry. Don't forget that there will be a new class for anyone interested in Western Dressage at the next dressage show in October. There is plenty of time to practise! The June show went as planned. Thanks to all involved! The next show Open show will be September 24th.

We had a good time trail riding at Bonnie and Joe's last month. Joe has done a nice job making more trails on their farm and it was a beautiful day! My grandson, Nathan, who will be two in July, went on his first trail ride that day. He rode with Bonnie. He was very quiet the whole time except for when the horse stopped. Then he would pipe up and say, "Go! Go!" He already loves the horses. Thanks Bonnie and Joe for making your place available!

Lauren and I checked out the new horse trails at Joe Pool Lake. We were very pleased with all the new trails. They wind around through the nice cool woods and sometimes by Mountain Creek and the Lake and it was very nice. The next trail ride will be the 25th of June at the Loyd Park horse trails at Joe Pool. We will meet at the horse parking area at about 10 a.m. and ride for a few hours. If you want and have the time, bring your own lunch and we can eat together before heading home. July trail ride we are thinking about a campout weekend at the beautiful Palo Duro Canyons near Amarillo, TX. It is a bit of a drive so we may want to car pool and save some gas. I know I have room for an extra horse in my trailer! Any comments or questions on the trail rides, call LeeAnn at 214-676-2385.

The next monthly meeting will be July 12th at Marcella's Restaurant in Ennis, TX at 6:30 p.m.

We are already excited about the next Open show as soon as the summer heat passes, as well as the next dressage show and the Halter Futurity this fall! Have a fun summer of riding and watch for trail ride notices as we will continue those over the summer.

Happy Trails!

BAHC Dates at a Glance:

June 25th-Trail ride at Joe Pool's Loyd Park

July 12th- BAHC Monthly meeting

July ??-Trail ride to be determined

Sept. 24- Open Show

Oct. 8th- Dressage Show

Oct. 15- Halter Futurity

Nov. 6th- Open Show

Nov. 19th Dressage Show

Happy Trails!

Members FOR SALE OR TRADE classifieds:

(If you have a horse or tack or related farm items or pets for sale or trade-please let me know and I can post it in our newsletter)

I have 3 ponies for sale:

4 year old bay filly, half-arab, 13.2 hands, well started under saddle, moves like a horse with long fluid stride, would be great for pony club, jumping, dressage. \$800.

Yearling bay filly, full sister to above, gentle, with lots of potential. \$350.

20 year old sorrel Registered Shetland mare, 10.2 hands, very gentle, safe with young children. \$600.

Willing to discuss terms and pricing.

Call Sandy Killingsworth 972-617-5649 or email rosehillfarm5649@att.net

FOR SALE:

11 year old stallion with a Champion pedigree Old World Heritage, producing New world performers. Championship in Halter. Also shown in hunter, dressage, sporthorse in hand and liberty.\$7500 or make offer. Also 11 year old mare. Has been shown at halter, hunt seat and liberty. Has been in parades and is a great trail horse. Nice horse for a Junior rider. Call Bonnie at 254-632-4156 or email at CANYONCREEKRANCHJOE@gmail.com

STRAIGHT EGYPTIAN SHOW GELDING

\$3500, neg.

THEE AMBASSADAR

Halter and Hunter Champion

9 years old

Grandson of National Halter Champion Thee Desperado, the leading sire of Straight

Egyptian horses in the world

Sire: Thee Infidel by

Dam: Thee Jessenia

Bred at Arabians Limited in Waco, Texas

16.0 hands

Gorgeous Sabino Chestnut with flaxen mane and tail, alternating white socks Hunter pleasure, dressage, western pleasure and halter

Sound/excellent temperment, loves people/lovely gaits/willing worker

Has been in professional training for 16 months with Gordon Lamb of Las Colinas Equestrian Center in Irving, Texas

Ambassador is a striking, tall chestnut show horse who can win blue ribbons in multiple disciplines. He has been shown extensively and is a veteran in the show ring. He would be great for a young rider who is ready to move up to the next level. Ambassador can also do low hunter and is a proven champion in the halter arena since he was a baby.

Ambassador is currently residing at Mystic Acres in Terrell. [Contact Becky McClenny 214-417-9858,](tel:214-417-9858)

[I have a friend named Kerry who owns 15+ hand, un-papered horse. The horses head and build look Arabian. I rode the horse a few times last year when it was first purchased, it has a very nice gait. Kerry has not ridden or handled the horse since last fall. Kerry saddled him up last weekend and got bucked off, he broke his wrist. Kerry's horse is now for sale. Even though he knows he won't get much for it, he is going to take it to the sale barn next week.](#)

[I think the horse just needs to be handled. If you're interested I know he would sell the horse for \\$250-\\$300.](#)

[Russell Couch \(817\) 602-5288](tel:817-602-5288)

Looking for a big half-arab over 16 hands for dressage. Would love to find a dependable and affordable mount who would be loved and pampered!

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