



ICAA



Summer 2018 ~ NEWSLETTER

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The ICAA is the only **stand alone registry** dedicated to building and preserving the purebred Appaloosa defined by eight generations of Appaloosa x Appaloosa only. To that end, ICAA welcomes most Appaloosas with Appaloosa parents and characteristics, with a preference for contrasting coat color patterns.

ICAA boasts a healthy and diverse gene pool with categories for Appaloosas with non Appaloosa grandparents, great grandparents, etc. to contribute to the eight generation purebred Appaloosa. Intermediate categories allow breeders and buyers to identify Appaloosas that best suit these goals within their own programs.

ICAA offers opportunities for their registered Appaloosas and Youths to earn points in local breed and open shows, trail and distance programs, as well as national and international competitions, and offers awards for production achievement,.

Take pride in the ICAA. There is no other registry out there like it. Please visit us and show your support by liking our Facebook Page - International Colored Appaloosa Association!

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2018 ICAA ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The date for the Annual Membership Meeting has been set!

Date: Saturday, September 22, 2018

Time: 9:00 Meet & Greet with Meeting to start at 10:00

Location: Shipshewana, IN

Exact location to be determined on participation of members so please let us know in advance if you're planning to attend. The meeting will be held at the ICAA main office or at the 5 & 20 Country Restaurant. Further updated information will be posted online and sent out via email if we have your email address on file.

Conference Call: We may try allowing members to attend the meeting via conference call for those who are unable to attend in person. Please contact us at icaa@icaainc.com if this is something you might be interested in. We are looking into options to provide this service.

Please join us for fun in the little Amish town of Shipshewana where there are Amish stores to wander through, buggy tours, good eats, and a weekly Friday horse auction with tack and other horsey items auctioned and for sale by vendors. Many of us will come in sometime on Thursday so we can have time to play on Friday before the meeting on Saturday.

Many of us stay at the Der Ruhe Blatz Motel, although there are other locations for you to choose from. This motel is clean, in a good location, and generally has good rates. Their website is www.therestplace.com.

There are two airports to fly into; South Bend, IN and Fort Wayne, IN. Fort Wayne is a small airport, easy to navigate, and about 59 miles to Shipshewana. South Bend is a larger airport, larger city, and about 50 miles from Shipshewana.

*Congratulations goes out to
One Smart Ace, #2636
owned by Nancy Whittley
of Journey Farms in Mount Orab, OH!*

We'll be seeing a lot of "Oney", as he is going to be taking his beautiful spotted behind into a sea of brown horses, competing in Open Shows and showing folks what an Appaloosa can do! The following photos are from the June 2018 Opportunity Classic Open Horse Show, where he took Grand Champion Senior Stallion at Halter! Unfortunately, the reining competition was a wash due to poor, sticky footing, causing all reining contestants to go off pattern.

He just keeps getting better, with his reining training coming along very nicely. According to his trainer, "Oney loves to slide!" He's been doing very well this year competing in Open Ranch Horse Riding and Ranch Horse Trail, among other events. We can't wait to see what he does in his future!



"Oney" and trainer Tim Clyne, TC Performance Horses, out of Kingston , OH.



One Smart Ace, Grand Champion Senior Stallion at Halter, with John Whittley and trainer Tim Clyne, TC Performance Horses, out of Kingston, OH.



"Oney" and trainer Tim Clyne.



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A Few of Our 2018 ICAA Foals



By Ima Rockin Secret F2-2711 and out of BBAA FourMileSpecial F2-2721, this little girl's barn name is Elsa, pending F3 filly, owned by Conny Reidel. She has characteristics and her ear tips are shedding off frosted! **5-Panel N/N** by parentage. *This is ICAA's first Embryo Transfer baby.*



By RHA Iron Will F6-2625 and out of FVF Oganali Zeva F6-2623, this beautiful little palomino blanketed filly is the second documented **seven-generation** Appaloosa in the world! Pending **F7**, FVF Iron Lady! Owned by Stan and Jan Dobson of Foggy Valley Farms.



Pending F5 Filly, FVF Copper Lightning, by FVF Strait Magic F4-2703 and out of FVF Cajun Beauty F4-2696, a pretty little chestnut with white sprinkles over her hips! Owned by Stan and Jan Dobson of Foggy Valley Farms.



Pending F6 Colt, FVF Cowboys Pistol, by SDR Shavanos Eagle F5-2697 and out of FVF Almond Joy F5-2705. Owned by Stan and Jan Dobson of Foggy Valley Farms.

The Newsletter is available almost exclusively online. Hard copies are available via snail mail for current members who request them.

The updated Official Handbook is online! Members should know their rules! There were several rules changes including the following:

- We will now register solid geldings from two registered Appaloosa parents. They will be registered in the Regular Registry regardless of the number of generations. This allows them to be enrolled in the ICAA Distance Program and the Trail Logging Program.
- The rule that solid stallions must be an F4 (four generation) or above to be eligible for registration has been lowered to F3 (three generation).
- As stated above, solid geldings (and mares and stallions) may now enroll in the ICAA Distance Program and the Trail Logging Program.
- Rules were entered for Embryo Transfers.
- Geldings will not need to be DNA Typed to be eligible for registration. Mares and stallions will still be required to be DNA Typed with AGI.



Deworming the Young Horse

submitted by Conny Reidel

Since foaling season is mostly over, I thought it would be a good idea to say something about the deworming schedule for your foals and weanlings since they are not adult horses and should not be treated as such. In my career as an ICU Equine Technician I have unfortunately seen my share of foals, weanlings and yearlings that had to be put down due to the worm burden or the deworming method used by the owner.

The most worrisome worm in the foal is the Ascarid which has a Life Cycle of 10-12 weeks and henceforth the foal should be dewormed with Fenbendazole at 10 mg/kg for the first time between 2-3 months of age, to hit the later stage of the parasite and kill most of them off. If you wait longer than 3 months, the worms are mature enough to start shedding eggs themselves. Eventually most young horses will develop an acquired immunity to ascarids and should not be treated at the 10mg/kg dose anymore, unless recommended by your veterinarian.

In Weanlings strongyles will start raising their heads and these worms are more known for a fatal outcome, if the worm burden is very heavy and the owner gives a full dose of dewormer at once. It is preferred to do a Fecal Count to find out the actual parasites the weanling is carrying and the load of the parasite, to successfully use the dewormer needed.

It is also a very good idea to check with your veterinarian to get a deworming schedule for your area in place.

Also Colorado State University has a very nice comprehensive Equine Deworming Schedule online.

<http://csu-cvmb.colostate.edu/vth/Pages/equine-recommended-deworming-schedule.aspx>

WILD PINK YONDER 2018

The weekend of June 23, 24, 25 2018 my ICAA registered gelding, Stars Wildfire & I participated in an annual ride to raise money for breast cancer research in Alberta, Canada. The event benefits CRINA ... Cancer Research Institute of Northern Alberta (at the U of A in Edmonton). This was the 10th year for this fundraiser and possibly the last as the organizer is to the age of finding the work more than she can handle. Hopefully there is a younger person willing to take on the project out there! The Wild Pink Yonder has undergone some ride format changes over the years with it beginning as a 23 day, 500 mile long journey from town to town to its present format of 3 different locations over 3 different weekends. To read more go to the website at www.wildpinkyonder.com or check out the Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/WildPinkYonder/> To date, this ride has donated \$960,270.57 towards cancer research in Alberta.



Stars Wildfire SL F4-2715
and Linda Hokanson

I have been fortunate to participate in this event a couple of times. This year it was held at the gorgeous Entrance Ranch located just a few miles outside Hinton, Alberta. The setting is at the base of the Rocky Mountains, nothing more beautiful! The ranch provides great trails to explore along the mighty Athabasca River which was running very high and fast! The ranch has several log cabins that are rented out to guests. This area is my home grounds and it had been many years since I visited the ranch so it was extra special to me. Brought back a lot of good memories of people now gone, the old stories, the history. We parked our rigs on a nicely manicured field, set up electric fence pens and were all set. The ranch provided us with a fire pit area under the trees, picnic table etc. It was perfect.

A group of riders encountered a cougar on one excursion so there was a bit of excitement to be had! Another outing found them somewhat lost but all was fine in the end. I spent much of my time assisting the group organizer work with her mare that was having some issues. We made great progress which was good for horse and rider! I rode Wildfire out several times alone to explore and he was marvelous! No hesitation, no anxiety at all, just interested in where we were going and what was around

us! I was so pleased with him. This was our first excursion away from home alone and he acted like he's done this all his life! Love the mind on this boy, he is a pure pleasure. And a great ambassador for our breed! He received a great deal of attention from the guests of the ranch that walked past our campsite.....almost everyone had to stop and look at him and of course, give him a pat or two! He would always walk over to visit the people, the only horse there that did that! So they loved him! Doesn't hurt that he is drop dead gorgeous.....

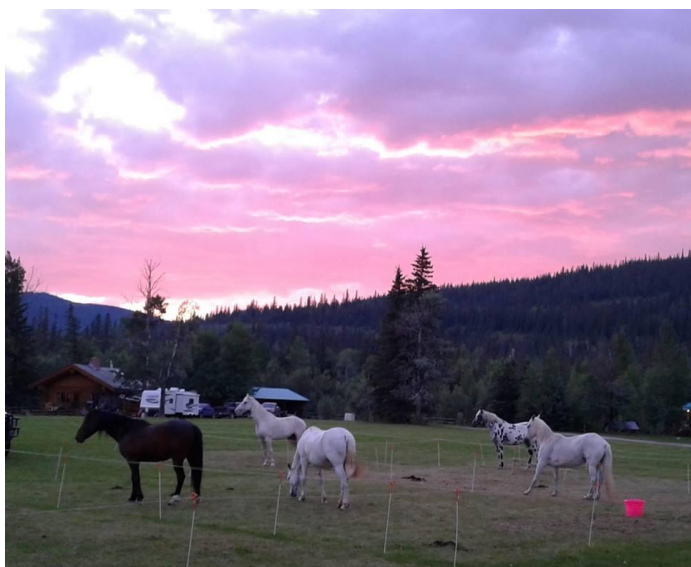


Naptime for Stars Wildfire SL after a hard day's work!

All in all, it was a great weekend. Great company, great riding, great food and almost perfect weather. Sunday evening the ranch manager brought his guitar to the fire and we had a wonderful time singing around the campfire. He is a very talented musician and super story teller. Our cause is close to his heart as he lost his mom to breast cancer just last year. We rode for a good cause, raised a good sum of money, and got to showcase my beautiful, foundation bred ICAA gelding to many people who have little to no experience with our breed. It is always so satisfying to have someone tell you that your Appaloosa horse is gorgeous and so well behaved! Absolutely love it when little kids come running over and ask if they can pet my "Dalmatian" horse

and that horse puts his head down low for them to pet....and see the joy light up their little faces. Yes, there are many ways for our horses to be breed ambassadors.

- submitted by Linda Hokanson



Stars Wildfire SL and some of other horses that went on the ride.

PHOTO CONTEST

ICAA is holding a photo contest to promote the breed! Horses must be ICAA registered. All who submit photos would need to agree for their photos to be used by ICAA. The winning photo would be used in ads in magazines and other promotional materials. The person who submits the winning photo would receive a free registration!

Submit your photos via email to icaa@icaainc.com along with your statement that you agree to ICAA's use of the photo.

More than one photo may be submitted. Please list the horse's registered name and registration number.

REMINDER: ALL horses are required to have 5-Panel N/N test results **AND all mares and stallions have DNA Typing on file with AGI!** If a horse has already been DNA Typed with the ApHC, those results **MUST** be on file with AGI, or the horse must be typed again through AGI. There is a discount for current ICAA Members to do DNA Typing (\$35) through AGI and may be easier to do it again than trying to get the results from the ApHC (\$10) and sent to AGI for them to enter in their database (\$10). There are also discounted packages with AGI for current ICAA Members for 5-Panel with DNA Typing included, 5-Panel with DNA Typing and SCID included, and Color and Pattern Packages. Use the form available on the ICAA website Forms Page for these discounts. You do not need your membership number to send in the test samples so proceed to submitting these to AGI (instructions are on the form). You will need to be a current member to receive the results but do not need for your membership to be completed prior to sending samples to AGI. At ICAA we believe that when you pay for testing, these are YOUR tests and if you are a current member we send you the results as soon as we receive them from AGI. You pay AGI directly with the form and sample.

**ICAA makes zero dollars off of these tests.
Our partnership and discounted packages with AGI are 100% a member benefit.**

ICAA PROGRAMS

Enroll your horse today in the Open Show Point Program, the ICAA Distance Program, and/or the Trail Logging Program. Year end awards are offered in OSPP and the Distance Program. See the ICAA website at www.icaainc.com for more information and forms!

Also, don't forget the Production Achievement Award System! Awards are given to mares who produce five colored ICAA registered foals and stallions who produce 15 colored ICAA registered foals!

As an ICAA member you'll get reduced registration fees, reduced transfer fees, reduced testing fees, and other **fees at reduced rates**. You can file your ICAA **Stallion Reports for free** if filed by Dec 31st of the breeding year. You can enroll your Appaloosa or Youth in the **Open Show Point Program, The ICAA Distance Program, and/or enroll in the Trial Logging Program**, and you can receive **Production Achievement Awards** for your mares producing 5 (five) colored ICAA registered foals or for your stallions producing 15 (fifteen) colored ICAA registered foals. You can **advertise** your ICAA registered stallions **for free** in the **Stallion Showcase**, as well as **advertise** your ICAA registered horses for sale in the **Sale File**, also **for free**.



International Colored Appaloosa Association

Annual Membership Form

Clip and mail with fees to: ICAA, 4610 New Mexico 206, Milnesand, NM 88125 or pay online and email this form

Membership runs from January 1st to December 31st.

I am a NEW Adult Member (\$15)

I am a NEW Youth Member (\$15)

I want to RENEW my Adult membership (\$15)

I want to RENEW my Youth Membership (\$15)

Payment for year(s) _____

ICAA Membership (if renewing) # _____

Birth Date (if Youth) _____

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Web Site URL: _____

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You do not need to own an Appaloosa to be a member and support ICAA.

Memberships can now be paid for and submitted online!

***Registrations and other work can also be paid for and submitted online
if paperwork is quality scanned and emailed!***

As always, thank you for supporting the best breed and remaining true to the Appaloosa!

**All letters to the editor, materials submitted for publication, and advertisements should be sent to
icaa@icaainc.com.**

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