



PCHA News & Views



December 2009



Letter from Sophie

PCHA Board of Directors
Ladies and Gentlemen:

I feel that it is in the best interest of Panhandle Cutting Horse Association that a change in the position of secretary be made. For that reason, I submit my resignation of the position. This resignation will become effective no later than January 31, 2010. I will complete the financial business for 2009, prepare the books for the accountant, and be available for the January show, if needed, to ensure a smooth transition. This will allow the President time to select a replacement, and have such replacement certified by the National Cutting Horse Association.

I have enjoyed the past 7 years, and wish continued success to the Association.

Sincerely

Sophie Feger

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Louis Abraham won the Blazing Saddles shootout. Cash Carpenter, Brett Green and Colton Cogdell received gift cards. More photos, Page 3.

Letter from Skip

After 7 years Sophie has decided that it is enough. At the end of the show in November she handed me her resignation as secretary of the Panhandle Cutting Horse Association. She will help us through the January show to make the transition as easy as possible. Sophie has saved me personally and the PCHA as a club a lot of trouble over the years. She has done an outstanding job and she will be missed.

Jeri Ann Adcock has agreed to become the club secretary. She is in the process of becoming a certified secretary (again) with the NCHA. Sophie is going to work with her during the January show and help her get started. Let's all help her in any way we can. It can be a large job.

New for 2010: The \$10,000 Amateur is now the \$15,000 and the \$20,000 Non-Pro is now the \$35,000.

Please remember your horses' registration papers and your NCHA membership card. **YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO SHOW WITHOUT THEM!!!!!!**

Skip Jones

PCHA President

The youth of Blazing Saddles want to thank everyone for all their support this past year. Their homemade-item fundraiser was a big success, raising \$1,188. We will meet again once we get started with our weekend shows. Bonnie and Julia



2010 Show Calendar

All shows start at 8 a.m.

Jan 16, 17	Bill Cody Arena, Tri-State Fairgrounds	
Feb. 27, 28	Bill Cody Arena, Tri-State Fairgrounds	
March 20, 21	Bill Cody Arena, Tri-State Fairgrounds	
April 24, 25	Bill Cody Arena, Tri-State Fairgrounds	
May 22, 23	Bill Cody Arena, Tri-State Fairgrounds	
July 3, 4	Bill Cody Arena, Tri-State Fairgrounds	
Aug. 6, 7	Baca Ranches, Vega	
Sept. 17, 18	Abraham Equine, Canadian	
Oct. 30	Jones Quarter Horses	

Fresh cattle in all approved classes.

Health papers required for stalls. Fairgrounds stalls available, no reservations needed.

Enter Tri-State Fairgrounds at Gate 3 on 3rd Street.

Amarillo Accomodations:

Holiday Inn East: 806-372-8741

Bring photocopies of horses' papers and NCHA cards for both owner and rider for your first show. This is required by the NCHA.

You must be a member of NCHA to show. You must be a member of PCHA before points count for awards.

Class	Added	Entry	Cattle	Office	Video	Total
Open**	\$200	\$80	\$80	\$26	\$4	\$190
Non-Pro**	\$200	\$80	\$80	\$26	\$4	\$190
\$10,000 Novice Horse	\$200	\$80	\$80	\$26	\$4	\$190
\$15,000 Novice/NP	\$200	\$80	\$80	\$26	\$4	\$190
\$50,000 Amateur	\$200	\$80	\$80	\$26	\$4	\$190
Youth		\$60	\$60	\$6	\$4	\$130
\$3,000 Novice Horse	\$200	\$80	\$80	\$26	\$4	\$190
\$5,000 Novice/NP	\$200	\$80	\$80	\$26	\$4	\$190
\$35,000 Non-Pro		\$75	\$75	\$26	\$4	\$180
\$15,000 Amateur		\$75	\$75	\$26	\$4	\$180
\$2,000 Limit Rider		\$75	\$75	\$26	\$4	\$180

2009 Year-End Awards



Open: Dana Larsen, 4th; Rowdy Cogdell for Dillon Crumpler, 3rd; Buddy Thomas, v.p.; and Jeff Chase, 1st. Not pictured, Tarin Rice, 2nd.



Non-Pro: Sherry Graham, 3rd; Buddy Thomas, v.p., and Skip Jones, 1st. Not pictured, Donna Curtis, 2nd.



\$50,000 Amateur: Kippi Cogdell, 3rd, Tye Baca, 2nd; Cash Carpenter for Kent Courson, 1st, and Amy Roberts, 4th; and Jake Baca.



\$20,000 Non-Pro: Elizabeth Meers, 1st; Luke Abraham, 2nd; Kaylin Chase, 3rd; Brett Green for Kent Courson, 4th.



\$2,000 Limit Rider: Jesse Chase, 1st; Richard Hicks, 2nd; Bonnie Abraham, 3rd.



\$3,000 Novice Horse: Skip Jones, 1st; Jeff Chase, 2nd; Ralph Depew, 4th. Not pictured, Tarin Rice, 3rd.

2010 PCHA Officers & Directors

President: Skip Jones (806) 622-9373 skip@nts-online.net

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Directors (term expires): Penny Carpenter, Sherry Graham, Jim Cogdell (2010) Mark Pearson, Julia Baca, Cheryl Callis (2011), Alvin Fults, Bonnie Abraham, Ralph Depew (2012)

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**More photos
next month!**