

Billings Livestock Commission HORSE SALE UPDATE

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Horse Sale Managers

February/March 2012



Top sale horse brings \$33,000; Top five average \$23,300

Marketplace Magic

An ambitious market brimming with enthusiasm and energy fueled sale averages to a four-year sale high in all classes, all divisions including blue-chip livestock at Billings Livestock's expanded three day "February Special Catalog Sale" event February 24-26.

Headlined by an A-list set of quality horses, February's special "Sons and Daughters" sale session delivered - offering money earners, champions, and real prospects by industry greats including Peptoboonsmal, Dash Ta Fame, and High Brow Cat.

The top ten selling horses - four stallions, one mare, and the balance geldings - averaged a cool \$17,775.

A one-stop-shop for arena, performance, and powerhouse prospects, the supersized, three-day sale format hosted 787 head of horses, and came complete with an indoor demonstration of the barrel horses, cutters, saddle, ride, and reiners, and rope horses.

Best news of the weekend - all classes of horses saw significant market increases as optimism gains regarding domestic horse processing.

Pink, fancy, and offered by the man who raised her, Hip 308 "Peptos Cuttin Girl" a 2006 AQHA Bay Roan Mare x Peptoboonsmal and out of a \$60,000 NCHA money earning mare by CD O'lana, earned top sale honors with a final bid of \$33,000.

Consigned by Joe Bishop, Steamboat Springs, CO and trained and shown by Robin Hayes, Orchard, CO, the finished cutting mare sold to Claudia Lummis, Cheyenne, WY.

Sired by the Number One sire of barrel horses, Dash Ta Fame - with offspring accumulating over \$6.6 million in barrel racing earnings through the end of 2010 - Hip 332 "THR Jusda Beda Fame" a 2009 AQHA Bay Gelding - was out of Poo Cheng, a barrel racing money earner, producer, and Beduino granddaughter.

Raised and consigned by Two Hats Ranch, Tillamook, OR and purchased by National Finals Rodeo qualifier, Shelley Murphy, Helena, MT the handsome, well started colt brought \$20,000.

Pekisko Ranch, Ltd, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada offered 19 head in their herd alignment offering including "Lil Pepto

Pistol" a 2005 AQHA Gray stallion x Sweet Lil Pepto and out of the famous mare and \$500,000 money earner, Miss Silver Pistol.

Brad Howe, Empress, Alberta bought the fancy stallion with the top shelf genetics for \$23,000.

Good geldings with credible arena records were a sought after commodity as the weekend's top two selling rodeo-ready rope horses brought \$15,500 and \$12,000.

In shape and ready to haul Hip 398 "Tejons Peppy Tucker" a 2002 AQHA brown gelding x Tejons Peppy Doc was a 1D/2D barrel horse and first-class head horse consigned by Dean and Gina Welch, Cottonwood Equestrian, Silesia, MT.

Head steers or run barrels, the strong, all business gelding sold to Dayle Kountz, Bozeman, MT for \$15,500.

Hitting a four year best across all classes, sale averages indicate an upgraded market as the top five averaged \$23,300, top ten at \$17,775, top 20 brought \$13,200, top 50 averaged \$9,146 - compared with \$8,126 one year ago, and \$7,242 in 2010; and the top 100 horses averaged \$6,697, versus \$5,797 last year.

A much improved loose horse market saw an all-time, BLS record price paid for a loose horse of \$3,000, followed by \$2,900 and \$2,100.

Over 30 head of horses that sold loose brought \$1,000 or more boosting the top five sale average to \$2,410, top 10 at \$2,110, top 20 at \$1,757, top 50 to \$1,235, and the top 100 at a \$879 per head price tag.

In 2010, the top 100 loose averaged \$518 while just one year ago they calculated at \$606 - making the \$879 figure for 2012 a whopping \$279 per head increase - or total dollars of \$27,900 on 100 head.

BLS's next sale will be the "Spring Special Catalog Sale" March 24-25 featuring "Trail, Guide, & Guest" horses.

FEBRUARY SALE STATS

Horses Offered: 787

Pass outs: 52

Top Sale Horse:
\$33,000

Top 5: \$23,300

Top 10: \$17,775

Top 50: \$9,146

Top 100: \$6,697

Registered Buyers: 746



Here she is! The weekend's top selling horse Hip 308 "Peptos Cuttin Girl" a 2006 AQHA Bay Roan Mare x Peptoboonsmal. Raised and offered by Joe Bishop, Steamboat Springs, CO the finished cutting mare was shown by Robin Hayes and purchased by Claudia Lummis, Cheyenne, WY.



Hip 398 "Tejons Peppy Tucker" a 2002 AQHA Brown Gelding was a 1D/2D barrel horse and every bit as good on the head end in the team roping. Offered by Dean and Gina Welch, Cottonwood Equestrian, Silesia, MT the good gelding brought \$15,500 and sold to Dayle Kountz, Bozeman, MT.



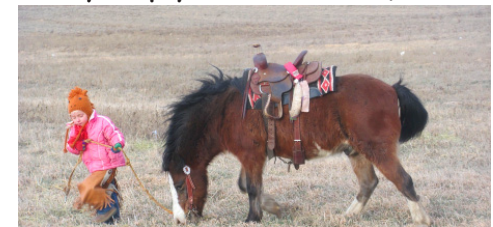
Turner Performance Horses, Victor, MT brought an outstanding set of geldings including Hip 67 "Docs Quick Cactus" a 2007 AQHA Sorrel gelding x Coyles Little Doc. He previewed outstanding in the calf roping preview and brought \$14,500 selling to Justin Smith, Georgetown, ID.



Absolutely stunning and full of famous genetics Hip 320 "Lil Pepto Pistol" a 2005 AQHA Gray Stallion x Sweet Lil Pepto was out of Miss Silver Pistol. Part of the Pekisko Ranch, Red Deer, Alberta alignment offering, he brought \$23,000 and sold to Brad Howe, Empress, Alberta.



Sired by the Number One sire of barrel horses - Dash Ta Fame - and out of a money earning and producing dam, Hip 332 "THR Jusda Beda Fame" a 2009 AQHA Bay Gelding was raised and offered by Two Hats Ranch, Tillamook, OR. The well-started colt sold to NFR Qualifier Shelley Murphy, Helena, MT for \$20,000.



Miss Lana Houch, North Branch, MN offered Hip 350 "Max" a 2004 grade bay pony gelding. The tolerant fellow was honest and kept Lana busy all day. He brought \$5,500.

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MARCH SALE SCHEDULE

Friday • March 23

Preview 3 p.m. HORSEPALACE

Arena Exit 437 on I-90

Barrel horses, cutters, saddle

horses and rope horses!

Saturday • March 24

10 a.m. Preview - BLS Arena

(Weather permitting)

12 NOON - Catalog Sale Time!

Sunday • March 25

8 a.m. Cowboy Church

9 a.m. Loose Horses Sell

10 a.m. Preview - BLS Arena

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Mike Chipko, Topanga, CA

Hello, Jann -

Here is a picture of my grandson who has never ridden on a horse in his life.

This picture was taken at Christmas - he is riding double with my daughter. "Checks" is the only horse I own that my grandson would get on.

Now - he has started liking the horses. This horse is worth DOUBLE the sale price to me. He is SAFE.

Thank you!

(Mike purchased June's top selling gelding "Sonny's Fine Chex" a 2003 AQHA palomino gelding x offered by Double K Ranch, McCook, NE)



Erin Henson, Lovell, WY

We bought "S'mores", a coming two year old mini at your August 2011 sale from Dorothy Brockmeier, Squires Montana Mini's from Plentywood, MT.

My six year old daughter, Addie, has been caring for her and working with her all these months.

Just last week she put her first ride on the pony - and - she did it in a dress and high heels!

We are proud of Addie and we appreciate all the GOOD the little pony is doing for her.

Thank you, Dorothy, and thank you, BLS!



Kandi Carter, Gillette, WY

I wanted to send you guys a big THANK YOU for the great horse I bought there last weekend, February 24-25-26.

I am SO in love with "JN On Time". He is a dream come true! I will definitely be back to your sale in the future. Thanks again. (Kandi purchased Hip 356 "JM On Time" a 2008 AQHA Red Roan Stallion x One Time Pepto offered by Frank and Belinda Vandersloot, IDaho Falls, ID. Photo by Scootemshootem, Laurie Errington)

Thank you for sharing! Do you have a success story? About the horses and people who purchased them at Billings Livestock? We'd like to hear from you! Email us at info@billingslivestock.com or find us on FACEBOOK at Billings Livestock Horse Sale!

More March Sale Horses & Mules!

RANGER- 2003 GRADE Red Roan Pony Gelding. Ranger is super duper gentle! He is a beautiful strawberry roan pony gelding. He is 13.1hds and the perfect age. Ranger is a great beginners pony, he is excellent with the tiny tykes but well trained enough for the youth that is ready to do ranch, trail or shows. He does what is asked of him weather your 3 or 90. He has a really nice walk and keeps up with the big horses, he will travel in the front or the rear (calmly). Ranger has been used tons in the mountains, he crosses water and also high lines. He will be ponied if your little one is not ready to go out on there own. Ranger has ponied colts, been to youth rodeo's, horse shows, moved cows and is great with a rope. Ranger knows his leads and is soft in the bridal. He is good to catch, clip, bathe, loads in a 2 or 4 horse, stands tied and he is fair with his feet, sometimes he will pull his foot away. If you are looking for a really good pony for your kids that has been there and done that you will love Ranger. He is vaccinated and wormed. MR1

FERGIE- 2008 GRADE Blue Roan Mare. $\frac{1}{2}$ Draft. We have packed and rode into hunting camp as a 3 year old. We have been using her to check cows this winter. Very gentle, good to shoe, current on vaccinations. For more information (435) 640-4453. Coggins. MR2

EDDIE - 2005 GRADE Strawberry Roan Gelding. Nice built gentle gelding. He has been used to chase cattle, pack, and will ride anywhere. Anyone can ride this guy. Easy going- laid back kind of horse. We really like Eddie. He has a nice kind eye, stout made, about 15 hands and is also good to look at with his roan coloring, flaxen mane and tail, and big blaze. Real nice horse that can handle whatever you throw at him. Call Joe at 801-361-6772 for questions. Watch Video of Eddie at <http://www.rockymtnoutfitters.com/pages/?page=24> Coggins. MR3

2007 AQHA Bay Gelding x Triggers Beau Bar x Trigger Bar Wimpy out of Docs Rietta x Docs High Velocity. Chip has been nicely started and used lightly on the ranch. Pleasing to the eye and ready to go in any direction you want. Chip is easy to catch and good to clip, shoe and bathe. Coggins. MR4

MIGHTY- 2008 GRADE Sorrel Gelding. Very gentle, patterned on barrels and poles, ropes the Buford, drags logs and rides bareback with a halter. Rides outside great, crosses water and ready to go in any direction. Sweet disposition, shoes, loads and hauls great! For more information (307) 587-2986. Coggins. MA1

MATER- 2006 GRADE Sorrel Gelding. Gentle, 14.3 hand sorrel gelding. Has a solid start on him, patterned on barrels and poles. Ropes Buford, drags logs, chased a few steer, rides outside on trails. Crosses water, sound. Ready to go in any direction. For more information (307) 587-2986 Coggins. MA2

CHESTER- 2003 GRADE Palomino Gelding Pony. Awesome junior rodeo pony! Chester is a cute 13.3 hand pony. Our son won WRA goat tying and all around on him. Rides great inside or on trails, loads, shoes, trailers great. Does barrels, poles, flags race, goats, some breakaway and heeling too! Rides double, bareback with a halter. Ropes Buford, carries flag, and pulls a wagon. This is a super sweet pony who can win you some buckles. For more information (307) 587-2986. Coggins. MA3

2007 AQHA Gray Gelding x Cracker Jack Jack x Watch Bobby Joe out of Bankers Pinerola x Bankers Gray Kid. Piney is a gentle gelding. Ready to go in any direction. Very responsive. He rides indoors and out. Patterned on barrels and pole. Drags logs, chased calves, quiet in the box, cowy, great on trails, crosses water, loads and trailers well. Rides bareback with a halter. Sweet disposition, ropes the Buford. For more information (307) 587-2986. Coggins. MA4

2000 APHA Chestnut Gelding x Rulin Continental x A Tuff Continental out of Fires Daisy Mae x Mr Painted Patch. Easy going personality. Ridden by young and old. Rides bareback, double with a halter. Many miles on trails in mountains, crosses water, loads, trailers great. Shoes great! Stout, nice gelding to be around. For more information (307) 587-2986 Coggins. MA5

2007 AQHA Palomino Gelding x Doc Bar Buckshot x Tallywood Do It out of Darlyns Peppy Girl x Peponita Kelly. Nugget is going to make a nice ranch./trail gelding. He has a nice ground covering walk and smooth lope. He has been trail ridden in Minnesota this past summer and used at the sale years the last 6 weeks. He has been behind the Hot Heels and been in the sorting practice pen. He is gentle and ready for anyone to ride. MA6

2001 AQHA Sorrel Gelding x Totally Classical x Classical Sun out of Dry Docs Goldie x Bonanza Dry Doc. A good all around ranch gelding. Pulls good from the horn. Gentle, easy to catch. Was rode for two winters at the sale yards by a 75 year old cowboy with new hips and knees. Had a cow down on the scale yesterday and we just rode in and roped her, and took her off the scale. This is one nice ranch horse. MA7

RIO- 2000 GRADE Sorrel Gelding. Rio is gentle for everyone to ride. He is sound and no buck. Current on all shots. Last summer used on cattle ranch. MA10

2006 APHA Black Tobiano Gelding x Ropin N Style x Ropin The Wind out of Lasso Sonny Bee x Rob Roy Sonny Dee. Has been used for trail riding and gathering cattle. Has done limited amount of sorting. Gentle nature. Easy to handle and shoe. Coggins. MA11

SILVER & STAR(TEAM)- 2009 GRADE Buckskin Gelding & 2008 GRADE Buckskin Mare. Silver and Star Sell together as a team with Wagon and Harness. Silver- 44" Went to school with our children for 2 years. Broke the best! Safe and Sound. Star- Sells in foal. They will do everything. They have grown up together on the farm and sell as a package.. They back up and do everything. (321) 924-9118. Coggins. MA12/MA12X

PEANUT- 2005 GRADE Chestnut Gelding Pony. 37" For experienced driver only. Broke good to ride and drive. Traffic safe, will take the miles. (321) 924-9118. Coggins. MA13

SPUD- 2004 GRADE Black Gelding. Spud is a Morgan/Perchon Cross. This horse is very gentle, easy to catch and trailer load. I have used him in the sale barn and gathering cattle in the rough country. I have used him for packing and also pulling a feed wagon for sheep and cattle. Coggins. MA14

PAL- 2006 GRADE White Shetland Pony Gelding. This pony does well with small children and ride well with an experience rider. Pal stands 50 inches tall. Coggins. MA15

2002 AQHA Sorrel Gelding x Ima Playboy Sam x Freckles Playboy out of My Sugar Cash x Cash Quixote Rio. Really nice ranch horse. Headed and heeled on him. Cut on him also. MA26

JOHN- 2002 GRADE Sorrel Gelding. Used on the ranch and would make a great dude horse. MA27

BUBBA- 2004 GRADE Blue Roan Gelding. We have hunted and gathered cattle on this horse. We have packed him into hunting camp. Bubba is very athletic. Also stands nice to get on for dudes or anyone. Has a nice walk, and all around smooth ride. Perchon/quarter horse cross. Stands 15.3 hands. MA28

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March 24-25
"Spring Special Catalog Sale"
TWO BIG SALE DAYS!
Preview Friday 3 p.m.

Get set for SPRING!! It our annual "Outfitters, Guides, Guest and Trail Horse" offering! Camp horses and trail horses, mules, mules, mules! Teams, too! All classes of horses sell! A special session of "ROANS ONLY" also sells! Call now to request your catalog! Catalog will be available on-line THURSDAY, March 15 with hard-copy catalogs mailed on FRIDAY, MARCH 16. Watch as the consignments come in - we update the website daily! www.billingslivestock.com

PREVIEW! PREVIEW!
Friday, March 23

3 p.m. HorsePalace Arena (Exit 437 on I-90) BARREL HORSE preview, followed by the cutting horses on cattle - Saddle and Ride horses and rope horses!

Saturday, March 24

CATALOG SALE TIME 12 Noon
 We'll preview the catalog horses beginning at 10 a.m. in the BLS Arena, weather permitting! **CATALOG SALE TIME: 12 NOON!**

Sunday, March 25

CATALOG SALE TIME 12 Noon
 Cowboy Church starts our day at 8 a.m. in the BLS Sale Arena. Loose horses sell at 9 a.m. with the preview getting under way at 11 a.m. with the saddle and ride horse preview. **CATALOG SALE TIME: 12 Noon!**

Catalog supplement horses will follow the catalog and open consignment horses will follow the supplement.

April 28-29
"Rope Horse Special Catalog Sale"

ROPE, ROPE, ROPE!!
It's our annual "Rope Horse Sale"! All classes of horses will sell, but our feature this month is ROPE horses! Rope horses will sell BOTH days!

Friday • April 27

Plan to attend the JACKPOT TEAM ROPING on the SALE HORSES - it's enter at 1 p.m. ROPE AT 3 p.m. Friday afternoon in the BLS Arena! (If it's raining, we'll move to the HORSE PALACE Arena, I-90 Exit 437) Good cattle, a good time, good prizes, and a professionally run roping! Show those sale horses!!! Horses entered in the "ROPE HORSE SESSION" are eligible to compete! It's 2 steers and a top ten finals for \$20/man. EVERYBODY gets both steers, pick one partner, draw two! See just what those sale horses can do!

Saturday • April 28

Rope horse previews, we got 'em! Here's your chance to see the horses perform! Lots of cattle for both the ropers and cutters - we'll begin at 9 a.m. with the ROPERS, followed by the saddle horse preview, then at 10 a.m. we'll show the cutters, followed again by additional saddle horses! ROPE HORSES show again from 11 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.! **SALE TIME: 12 NOON!**

Sunday • April 29

You are invited to Cowboy Church at 8 a.m. - we'll start the preview at 10 a.m. with the saddle horses - rope horses will perview at 11 a.m.! Loose horses sell Sunday at 9 a.m. with open consignment following Sunday's catalog entries! **SALE TIME: 12 Noon!**

Good. Better. BLS.

1999 AQHA Brown Gelding x Flying L Badger Bob x Pat Hand Badger out of Miss Northern Dasher x Hot Dasher. Barb is a finished head and heel horse and an all around ranch horse. He would make a great breakaway horse or barrel horse as well. He is gentle and has been ridden by dudes on the mountains, but in the arena he is all business not for someone that is just starting to rope. Needs a good number 2 or better. Nothing bad just livens up a bit, otherwise outside anyone that can half way sit on his back, he will take them wherever they want to go. Easy to catch, shoe, load and bath. Great family horse. All my kids ride him from ages 6 to 12. My kids rode him all over the mountains this summer and always choose him to ride over the rest. This horse can fly to cattle. Great horse with lots of life yet to go. Has good conformation and a great disposition. (307) 620-1178. Coggins. MA29

2002 AQHA Red Roan Mare x Casino Star Cash x Lowry Star out of Dominos Tinky Badger x Els Domino King. Steed is a 10 year old bay roan mare that has been used in all aspects of the ranch. She has packed dudes and is a finished heel horse. Would make a great head horse as well as barrel horse for the whole family. My 8 year old daughter has been running barrels on her. She is gentle, easy to shoe, loads and bathes. Great to ride outside, crosses creeks, bogs and good on her feet. Been rode most of her life in the mountains and will cover country or just walk along and take care of guests. (307) 620-1178. Coggins. MA30

2007 AQHA Chestnut Gelding x A Smart Enterprise x Smart Chic Olena out of Pocketfullofpennies x Sailor Sam Silver. This 14.1 hand is a grandson of the great Smart Chic Olena (offspring earnings in excess of \$11.3 million) and out of a NRHA money earning Top-sail Cody bred mare. He is light mounted, guides well with a nice neck rein. Excellent back and feet. He's good with ropes, slickers, gates and tarps. Shoes, loads, clips. Good in the hills and happy in the arena. Video <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3B6A0E7D48U> For more information (406) 333-4615. MA31

2006 AQHA Gray Mare x Ze Roan Breeze x Ole Man Roan out of Frosted Senorita x Jackstraw Boy. . Hey, Hey Look at Grey!! You will definitely stand out while riding this awesome grey mare. Gravy has a very willing and personable attitude. Terrific ground manners, is easy to trim, load, blanket, and be around. She has great feet and a balanced conformation. This mare has been to the mountains, been ranch roped off of, been shown in the reined cowhorse and has a ton of potential for the arena. Big Stop. Has an awesome trot you could ride all day long on the range. This mare would make a great addition to any herd. (307)856-4845. Watch her video at: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jGBP_zd-kRs Coggins. MA32

Billings Livestock Commission Horse Sales February 2012 sale goes down in the books as the best February horse sale we have had since February of 2007.

Our consignors brought us a top set of horses and they were met by a large crowd of positive, enthusiastic buyers looking for that perfect horse.

And - they were not disappointed.

The buyers were given the opportunity to shop the horses at Miller's Horse Palace on Friday when our consignors showed their stock in barrel racing, pole bending, cutting, reining, riding, calf roping, and team roping.

I am proud to say that we had big time competitive horses in all disciplines.

On the loose horse side, prospect buyers came to BLS to bid on a large volume of big, stout, broke to ride, northern geldings.

No where in the United States can they find the numbers or the quality they are able to see each and every month in Billings.

February was no exception as we set a new price record for a loose horse when a big, well muscled, pretty gelding stepped into the ring with norider and commanded a \$3,000 price tag.

In fact, we sold 30 head of loose prospects from \$1,000 to \$3,000.

The same goes for the processing end of the loose horses. The best processing horses in America are found at Billings Livestock.

The trade was very active on the processing horses with the top end bringing from \$40 per hundred to a top of \$50 per hundred.

Jann and I are very proud of BLS and our association with the Goggins family and Ty Thompson. I believe there is more horse and cattle business transacted right here in Billings, Montana than any other spot on the map.

The fourth week of March will be a busy one in Billings - we will hold our regular cattle sale Wednesday and Thursday at PAYS and BLS.

On Thursday, March 22 the Goggins family will offer 6,000 premium, bangs tested black angus heifers at the Pryor Creek south yards followed by 525 yearling black angus bulls on Friday, March 23 at the same facility.

We will wind up the week at BLS with our March "Spring Special Catalog Horse Sale" full of good horses and mules.

This sale is highlighted by a top set of guest ranch, trail, and outfitting horses and mules offered by some of the best outfitters and guest ranches in the west.

If you like good black cattle and good horses, join us in Billings, Montana the fourth week of March!

You won't be disappointed. Come see us. Bill and Jann Parker 406-245-4151 BLS.406-670-0773 Bill. 406-855-1947 Jann



March 24-25 Sale Offering

LEGO- 2001 GRADE Sorrel Gelding, Grade Belgian Gelding, Aprox. 18 hands. Has been in the mountains, pastures and arenas. Mainly a kids horse, also used for fishing and hunting. Quite a babysitter and has the size for packing a larger rider. Very gentle will take to any job you may have for him. Has not been driven with, however he should do just fine with a little time. Gentle giant, good with his feet. Sound. (307) 267-7072. Coggins. MA33

2005 AQHA Palomino Gelding x Goldnugget Bailey x Habkins Goldnugget out of Renos Whippet x Dundee Dude. King rides out real nice, gentle to work around and good to shoe. Has been to calf brandings and gentle for about anyone. Coggins. MA34

BOOTS- 2002 GRADE Sorrel Gelding. Boots is a deep red sorrel gelding with a flaxen main and tail. He has been ridden in the mountains and in the arena. He is a horse that pulls a deep cinch and would go to the dude string. He's been ridden and packed. He knows what rugged country is and takes care of his rider. He has the experience and a lot of good years left in him. He's a nice fancy sorrel gelding. (435) 671-0134. Coggins. MA35

BIG AL- 2004 GRADE Gray Gelding. Big Al is a pretty half draft gelding that has the looks to get you noticed going down the trail. He has been used on a cow outfit gathering cattle and has been used as a dude horse. He is very gentle for anyone. He is a big pet. You can catch him anywhere. Purchased him from the people that raised him. He has a big shot of that cowboy color. Big Al is athletic enough to make a pick-up horse and gentle enough to put anybody on him. He has packed, been ridden in the mountains and knows his job. He is the right age to have experience. But has plenty of use left in him. (435) 671-0134. Coggins. MA36

PETE- 2006 GRADE Palomino Gelding. Pete is a very nice dark palomino gelding that has a nice white mane and tail. He has just enough white to make him flashy. He's a big gelding with nice bone and foot. He wears a size one shoe. Pete has a nice handle on him, he lopes nice circles and has a great walk. He is a smooth riding horse and very easy to get along with no matter what you do with him. He has been ridden all over the Uintah Mountains as well as southern Idaho gathering cattle. He knows his way in rough country. He's easy to catch, saddle him up and go for a ride he's the same horse every time. He's pretty enough for the kids to do 4h events but rugged enough for dad to go work. (435) 671-0134. Coggins. MA37

SAMMY- 2005 GRADE Dun Gelding. Sammy is a classy looking half fjord gelding. He was used by the Boys Scouts of America for the last couple of years in Logan Canyon, Northern Utah. So you know he is gentle and can handle anyone that gets on his back. Sammy is a fun horse to ride; he is a good walker and knows his way down the trail. He has packed supplies into the scout camps. If you want a horse with some foot and bone but not too tall and wide then Sammy is your guy. He's got hard black feet and not a white hair on him. He is a unique horse, Horses like Sammy are hard to find. (435) 671-0134. Coggins. MA38

AMOS- 2007 GRADE Red Dun Gelding. Amos is a pretty Red River Dun with a flaxen mane and tail. He is classy gelding that has been started right. Amos is a gelding that will make a nice horse he just needs a job. Amos has been ridden in the arena and has a nice rocking chair lope. He has a nice head, neck and hip. Amos has been trail ridden in the mountains of Northern Utah. He has a lot of potential just needs to go home and go to work. Come take a look at Amos he's a nice young gelding. For more information (435) 671-0134. Coggins. MA39



He's by Flying Hearts Tuffy x Sun Frost!!

2007 AQHA Palomino Gelding x Flying Hearts Tuffy x Sun Frost out of Jae Bar Jabalina x Lawyer Daggit. Frost is a thick made, 15.2 hand gelding that we've had for about a year now. Riley has rode him everywhere and absolutely loves him. He's has a lot of feel, pivots on his hind end, side passes, and takes both leads. Excellent arena prospect and head horse deluxe. Frost has tons of conformation and bone and built to last. I bought him from the man who raised him so I'm the second owner. He's had the rope swung on him and pushed cattle around, but hasn't been started in the box yet. Sound, current on deworming, shoes. Please call 608-434-4789 or check out www.schmitthorseranch.com Coggins. MA129

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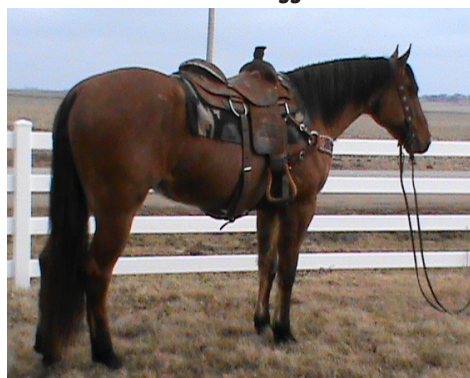
Pool, free shuttle service!

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Nice Prospect!!

2006 AQHA Brown Gelding x Sparkler Hancock x Red Ed Hancock out of Poco Promenade Z Bar x Poco King Prom. El Dorado is a nice stout made horse. He has grown up on a ranch and knows how to get around the mountain. He is a big pretty brown horse turning grey which doesn't hurt his look at all. He would make a great hunting, ranch, using sort of horse. He is just coming into the prime of his life and has many many years left to do what you need. Rides around nice. Video available at Sale time. Call Joe at 801-361-6772 for questions. Coggins. MA118

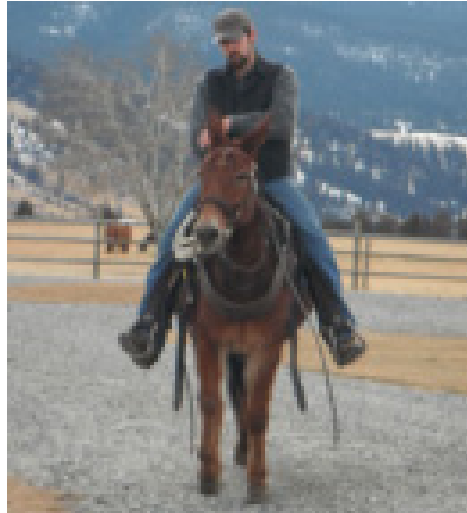


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