

**Annual Membership  
Drive 2011**

We are excited about the new changes we are making to the membership department of the IQHA. With the renewal of your yearly dues and any new memberships IQHA will be issuing a yearly membership card.

For the members that have sent in checks for their 2011 membership and not received a membership card in return mail please contact Claudia Halden 208-890-3811.

If you have not renewed your 2011 membership, applications can found on the website.

**2011 YOUTH WORLD**

At the time of this printing the Youth World is running. **GOOD NEWS** for our local participants.

**Sydney Elliott** of Meridian, on Dynamic Dream Seeker, a sorrel gelding, finished 12th in Western Horsemanship.

Wish them all good luck in the days ahead.

**WORLD SHOW** qualification deadline has come and gone. I know that there is quite a number of members that have qualified. We wish them all good luck in November.

**RACING AT LE BOIS**

**“ The IDAHO CUP “**

Runs this Saturday at 4:00 PM

All the news from the racing at Le Bois has been very positive. They are already planning for their 2012 season.

I'm hoping to get some news from the members regarding their wins at the shows this year. **HELP ME** fill the newsletter with all your wins!

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**CONGRATULATIONS TO A LOCAL BREEDER!**

**Betty Keith** of Sandhollow has sold one of her home bred colts to Terry Bradshaw of Thackerville, Oklahoma. Both the mom and this colt were born at Betty's ranch. He is a full sibling to her 2 time Reserve World Champion Mare. Terry wanted to buy the mom and her weanling filly but they are not for sale at this time! He stated that he wanted more color at his ranch! This is a great accomplishment for a local breeder that has super stock and does top of the breeding and showing.



**WATCH FOR THIS GUY IN FUTURE EVENTS**

**The 2011 Show Seasons is up and running.**

**Watch the show dates...some dates have changed due to the spring “ herpes virus “**

**All show and contest competitors need to read the “ Show and Contest Rules “ on pages 14 & 15 of the 2011 Blue Book.**

**UP COMING APPROVED SHOWS**

**August 13—14 Silver Spur Trophy, Buckle & Saddle Show Nampa, ID**

**August 13—14 IEBHA Summer Celebration Spokane, WA**

**August 25—28 IQHA Gold Fever Show Nampa ID**

**Check our Website for Further Information: [IDQHA.com](http://IDQHA.com)**

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### **CONGRATULATIONS!!**

Our local NRCHA members had a top notch showing at the NRCHA E-Cow Work In Paso Robles, CA on May 1, 2011.

**Anne Reynolds** of King Hill, ID won the Non Pro Championship on Very Shiny with a 434 composite at the Hackamore Classic Pro Championships. The pair also won the Non Pro Hackamore class at the horse show. **Jake Telford** of Caldwell surpasses \$1 Million in earnings with the Open Hackamore Title. He won on Hes Shinettes CD. He marked a composite of 296 to win. The pair also placed 4th in the Hackamore Classic. Jake also won the Open Hackamore Reserve on Abbey Roan with a total score of 295.5. The pair was part of a 4-way tie for 6th Place in the Hackamore Classic. **Ryan Thomas** of New Plymouth won the Limited Open

Hackamore on Fletch My Slippers. He finished 6th in the Open Hackamore and reserve in the Limited Open Hackamore Classic. **Jon Roeser** of Marsing and Im Dual Smart won the Open Novice Horse Reserve Champions with a total 429.5 composite. **Wade Reaney** of New Plymouth won the Open Two Rein Champions on Kickback Nic with a total of 289.5 composite. The two qualified for the Open finals at the NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity and later went on to win the Idaho Reined Cow Horse Association Futurity and the NRCHA Stakes Open Two Rein.

### **IDAHA CAN BE PROUD OF OUR HORSEMEN !!!**

#### **KEEP YOUR HORSE COOL IN HOT WEATHER**

1. Provide ample fresh clean water. Check buckets & troughs daily for contaminants with bird droppings, insect larvae, chaff or algae growth. Horses don't like to drink warm water! Keep water levels high. Make sure everyone in the paddock can reach the water.
2. Sponge or hose down large blood vessels along the inside of legs, belly and neck. Don't spray the horse's face or get water in its ears. Sponge them down gently.
3. If you must work your horses hard, try to schedule your session for early morning or late evening when it is cooler.
4. After riding or driving in hot weather, cool your horse down slowly. Loosen girths or belly bands immediately after a work out. Offer sips of cool — not cold water and walk the horse slowly. Muscles are more apt to stiffen in the horse is allowed to stand and moving muscles dissipate heat better than stationary ones.
5. Make sure there is a place for your horse to avoid the sun, either a building or a shade tree.
6. Clip horse with long coats. Be careful not to clip too close, since exposed skin can sunburn.
7. Apply zinc oxide cream or suntan lotion to horses with pink noses to prevent and treat sunburns.
8. Mid to late summer weather often means that grass growth slows down and pasture quality declines. Make sure your horse is getting enough food and consider supplementing with hay of necessary. Horses need energy to stay warm and COOL. Adjust your feed mixture of your horse begins to lose condition in hot weather.
9. During very hot weather, consider keeping your horse stabled during the day and let them out at night.
10. If your barn becomes hot and stuffy, consider setting up a fan or two. Make sure the cords and fan itself are out of reach of the horse.
11. If hot weather brings clouds of biting insects that your horse pacing and stomping, try using fly sprays, masks and sheets. Water based fly sprays are less harsh on the coat, as oil based one can cause bleaching if they are out in the sun.
12. Heat stroke can happen to horses whether they are working hard, standing in stuffy stables or traveling in trailers. Call a vet and take immediate action if your horse exhibits any of these symptoms:
  - \* Elevated Respiration ( 4-16 breaths per minute is normal range)
  - \* Elevated Pulse rate in an inactive horse
  - \* Irregular heart beat known as " thumps "
  - \* Dehydration. Test for this by observing the horses flanks. If they look caved in, he is probably dehydrated. Pick a pinch of skin along your horses neck. If the skin snaps back quickly, the horse is sufficiently hydrated. If the pinch area collapses slowly the horse is dehydrated. Use shade, cool water or fans as best you can. Sponge or spray the large blood vessels along inside of legs & belly.
  - \* Profuse sweating or no sweating at all
  - \* Elevated temperature above 103F
  - \* A depressed attitude

**CONTACT YOUR LOCAL VETERINARIAN FOR FURTHER INFORMATION**

**WEBSITE.....[Idqha.com](http://Idqha.com)**