

UPDATES FROM THE SHOW PEN

Another year is in the books and planning is already under way for the NRC & CHA 2016 show calendar!

We wrapped up the last show in the cutting pen at Stix Arena October 10th and 11th. The weather was great, the attendance was good with enthusiastic participants enjoying the weekend. And as always, Stix Land & Cattle did their usual outstanding job with the cattle, the ground and the facility.

We are very proud to announce that Nevada Reined Cow & Cutting Horse Association will be hosting the area NCHA days. The NCHA Days will be held at the Winnemucca Events Center June 1-4, 2016

Some exciting news for youth cow horses riders! The NRC & CHA will be providing a scholarship for youth members. More to come on eligibility and qualifications! Also, with the generous support of Gail Kolbe, there will be a circuit award for the youth cow horse riders. Mark your calendar - The 2015 Awards Banquet and General Membership Meeting will be held February 27th, 2016 at the Silver Legacy. Stay tuned for more details!

As we enter 2016, please consider being an active member of the association. There are board vacancies available and always opportunities to help. After all, shows would not happen if it weren't for the hard work of the volunteers.



For more updates and event information be sure and check out our website at <u>www.nrccha.com</u> and

be sure and like us on Facebook!!

Members Corral

We are very proud that another Nevadan is in the spotlight! Ed Dufurrena originally from Winnemucca NV, was the 2015 NCHA Open Futurity Champion riding Stevie Rey Von to a score of 222!!



We would like to extend our condolences to long time club members, the Barton Family for the loss of their beloved father. Carrol Barton passed away on December 13, 2015 just shy of his 80th birthday. Carrol enjoyed cutting horses, both as a competitor and supporter.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Happy New Year. It is hard to believe that 2015 has come to an end. I hope everyone had a wonderful Holiday Season enjoying friends and family.

We have some very exciting things planned for NRCCHA in 2016. We will have our annual Masini Ranch Cutting in April 1, 2 and 3 2016. We also will be the hosts for NCHA Days in Winnemucca for June 1,2,3 and 4 with both aged and weekend classes, a 7-up Class and possibly the Purina Series \$15,000 AM and \$35,000 Non Pro. We have also secured Winnemucca for our summer show for July 8, 9 and 10. We also plan on our Stix Cutting in the fall.

Our 2015 Awards Banquet will be held February 27, 2016 at the Silver Legacy to be held in conjunction with the WNCHA Awards Banquet. Please put it on your calendar and join us for a very enjoyable evening.

Hopefully, with the snow and moisture we have had, we will have a better water situation which will of course help with our cattle situation for the cuttings. Again, my door is always open to questions, suggestions and input. Wishing everyone a safe, prosperous and successful 2016.

Kathy Breckenridge, President