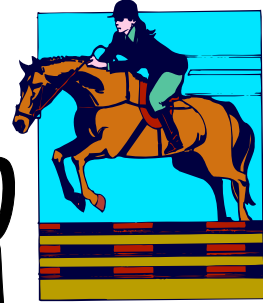




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On the Cover: Winter has it’s own set of challenges. Thanks to Shari Borneman for sending this picture.



COMING EVENTS

- ◆ **Reining clinics with Christine Rusnick @ NightWind Stables.** Tentative dates are January 29th, February 12th, March 19th. Contact Colleen @ 780-992-9228 or email contact@nightwindarabians.com for more information or to register.
- ◆ **Ttouch/Tteam, Centered & Connected Riding Clinic with Sue Falkner—March — March 26/27 @ NightWind Stables.** Contact Colleen @ 780-992-9228 or email contact@nightwindarabians.com for more information or to register.

From The Editor

Hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and very Happy New Year! Mine wasn't too busy, so I was able to get out and enjoy the beautiful weather we had over the holidays.

As always with the new year upon us, I like to look and plan ahead. That's what winter is to me, time to plan riding season! Jan 22nd is the Endurance Riders of Alberta AGM and awards night (Pudi gets his 1000 mile blanket—I'm thrilled!) and the ride dates for 2011 will be decided on and approved then. Next issue I'll have those ride dates listed; anyone interested in this amazing sport should come out and see what a ride is all about. Ride management and riders would all welcome a helping hand, and volunteering is a great way to learn and make new friends. I would like to take this opportunity to thank one of the best volunteers I know—Albert Pankratow—who helped Kathy and I at several rides in 2010. Albert is such a wonderful hand with the horses, looking after them better than we possibly could, and he always seemed to know just what we riders needed as well. Thanks Albert!! Also Congratulations to Kathy Irvine and NightWind's Savannah for finishing 1st overall in Endurance Canada's points for Canadian rides. Way to go you two!

*Happy Trails,
Colleen*

Horse Resolutions for the New Year:

- ◆ I CAN walk and poop at the same time. I can, I can, I can!
- ◆ I will NOT stop and poop or urinate every time I pass the same spot in the arena.
- ◆ I will NOT leave when my rider falls off.
- ◆ My stall is NOT my litter box. When I have free access to my paddock, I will NOT go back inside to pee.
- ◆ I will NOT roll in streams or try to roll when my human is on my back.
- ◆ I will NOT leap over large nonexistent obstacles when the whim strikes.
- ◆ I will NOT walk faster on the way home than I did on the way out.
- ◆ I promise NOT to swish my tail while my human is cleaning my back feet.
- ◆ I promise also NOT to choose that particular time to answer nature's call.
- ◆ I will NOT bite my farrier's butt just because it's there.
- ◆ I will NOT confuse my human's blond hair for really soft hay.
- ◆ I will NOT wipe green slime down the back of my human's white shirt.
- ◆ I will NOT blow my nose on my human.
- ◆ I will NOT try to mooch goodies off every human within 1 mile radius.
- ◆ I will NOT lay totally flat out in my stall with my eyes glazed over and my legs straight out and pretend I can't hear my human frantically screaming "Are you asleep?"
- ◆ I will NOT chase the ponies into the electric fence to see if it is on.
- ◆ I will promise NEVER to dump the wheelbarrow of manure over while my human is mucking my stall.
- ◆ I will NOT grab my lead rope in my mouth and attempt to lead myself.
- ◆ I will NOT have an attitude problem. I won't, I won't, I won't!
- ◆ I will NOT pull my new shoes off the very next day just to prove that I can.
- ◆ I am neither a beaver nor a carpenter. I promise I won't eat or remodel the barn or the new fences.
- ◆ I am NOT a Shin'a'in Battlesteed. I will not act like one.
- ◆ I WILL forgive my human for the very bad haircut, even though I look like a freak.
- ◆ I accept that not every carrot is for me.
- ◆ I will NOT do the Arab Teleport Trick when a bad/naughty/awful Horsasaurus Monster breathes at me.
- ◆ I will NOT jump in the air, turn 180 degrees every time I see a deer.
- ◆ I will understand that deer are NOT carnivorous.
- ◆ I will NOT shy at familiar objects just for fun.
- ◆ I will NOT bite the butt of the horse in front of me during the trail ride just to say "Hi".
- ◆ I WILL put my ears forward and cooperate when it comes to photos.

NightWind Arabians Stallion Line-Up



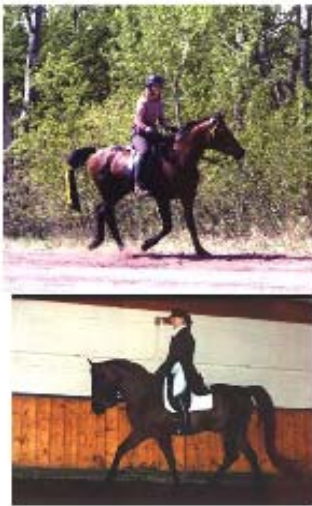
THE MINSTRADO (Thee Desperado x MB Sahera (x The Minstril)

Straight Egyptian, Al Khamsa, IAHA Sweepstakes Entered Stallion, SCID clear. 15HH Bay. His bloodlines contain the very best in Egyptian breeding with halter champions throughout.

At his first Class A Arabian show, he was named Junior Champion Colt and Grand Champion Stallion all at the tender age of 2. Went on to earn a Top 5 in Stallion Halter ATH at the Region 17 Arabian Championships as a 2 year old and was 2007 Region 17 Reserve Champion Stallion ATH at 4yrs.

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His show record speaks for itself. He was: 1994 Classic Alberta Bred Arabian 3 year old performance, 1995 Classic Alberta Bred Arabian 4 & 5 year old performance (83%), 1996 & 1997 Top 5 in Dressage at the Region 17 Arabian Championships, Two 1st & one 3rd placing in first three Endurance races in 1998, 1999 Reserve Champion Dressage Level I AOTR Region 17 Championships. Stud fee \$750 LFG.

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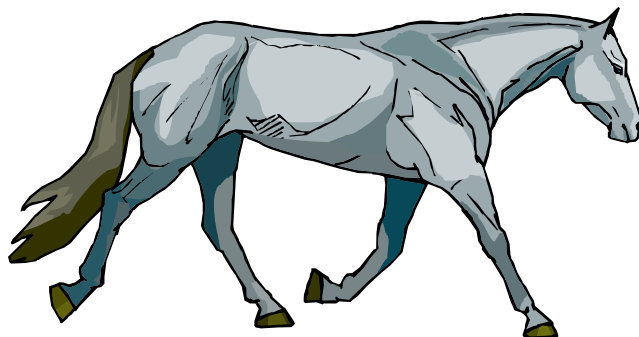
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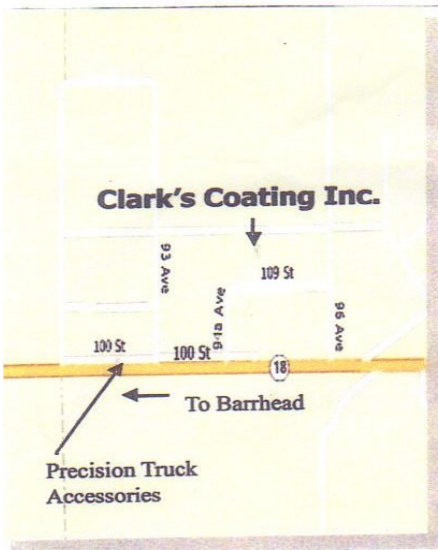
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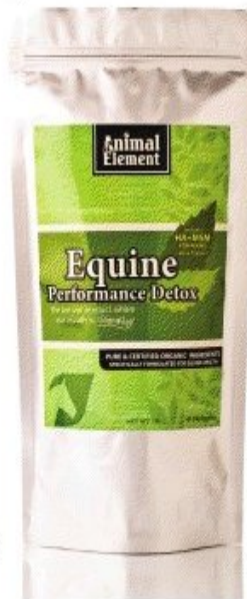
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there is in the world.**

~Josephine Demott Robinson

