



# 2018 OCT-DEC AQRA Newsletter

Welcome everyone to the on line AQRA newsletter... [www.azqra.com](http://www.azqra.com)...

## Special points of interest:

- Summer Racing at Arizona Downs
- Race Results and News
- Certify your Arizona bred horses
- AQRA Membership
- 2018 Hall Of Fame

Thanks to Shawn at Coady Photography for all the race photos



**Congratulations STEL A SECRET** Winner of the 2018 AQRA President's Open Fall Futurity ran at Turf Paradise Phoenix, AZ, October 28, with a Purse of \$42,810 the 350 Yards was covered in a time of 17.66 Shout out to Ruben Jimenez, Owner and Guillermo Morales, Trainer with Kevin Carbajal, Jockey Ls Power (2nd) Showmethedoe (3rd) A huge thanks to Nicos Mexican Food of Casa Grande for the beautiful saddle towels and buckles and Hi Pro Feeds for the custom halters .

Congratulations to AHS BLUE BOY winner of the MARK T BAR STAKES \$7,000 purse. The 350 yards was covered in 17.90 by jockey Emilo Tapia for owner/trainer Umberto Belloc. racing second was Walk with Jess and third was Fires Away.



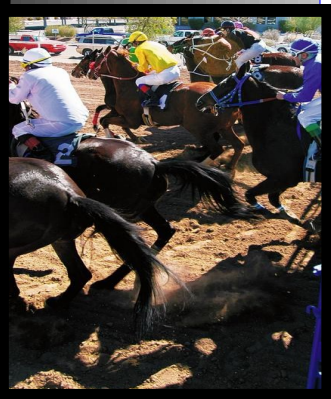
## Arizona Quarter Racing Association "Mission Statement"

*The mission of the Arizona Quarter Racing Association is to represent the best interests of racing quarter horse owners, breeders, stallion owners and trainers participating in the state of Arizona.*

*To communicate and cooperate with the state legislature, racing commission and the department of racing.*

*To work directly with commercial race tracks and county fair racing associations for enhanced quarter horse racing opportunities.*

*To publicize and promote advantages of participating in Arizona quarter horse racing ..... to racing fans, other quarter horse owners, new owners and breeders, media and the general public.*





Summer live horse racing in the cool pines of Prescott Valley is again a reality.

The former Yavapai Downs horse track will reopen with a new name: Arizona Downs.

The new ownership of the horse track in Prescott Valley has changed Yavapai Downs' name to Arizona Downs. That was the name of a former racetrack in Phoenix that opened in 1951 at one site and later ran its annual race meetings by leasing Turf Paradise before ceasing operations in 1985.

Yavapai Downs last ran in 2010. The facility was bought for \$3.22 million out of bankruptcy court in January by J&J Equine Enterprises LLC, an entity formed by brothers and Phoenix-based JACOR Partners principals Tom, Dave and Mike Auther and their partner Joe Jackson, along with longtime racing executive Corey Johnsen.

"First of all, we would like to thank the Herbeveaux family for allowing us to use the name," said Johnsen, referencing the owners and operators of the original Arizona Downs. "We want to be known as Arizona's racetrack that benefits horsemen throughout the state. We want a year-round circuit returning to Arizona with the resumption of summer racing, so horses and all the jobs they create stay in the state. A stronger circuit helps everyone in the industry: the breeders, horse owners, trainers, jockeys and all the related professions it takes to get a horse to the races."

The new Arizona Downs will re-open to the public in July for simulcasting. Live racing is scheduled to begin in 2019, with a meet running from Memorial Day weekend to Labor Day. Plans call for off-track

wagering facilities in sports bars and restaurants throughout the state.

Ann McGovern, Arizona Downs' general manager, has been overseeing more than \$2 million in improvements to the facility. The general contractor is Midwest Construction, which has handled major renovation projects at Kentucky Downs, Remington Park and Lone Star Park. Arizona Downs photos





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Individual	\$50.00
Husband & Wife or Partnership	\$75.00
Jockey	\$35.00
Youth	\$25.00

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You must be an AQRA member to run in any AQRA sponsored race including Futurities and Derbies... so why not join today and support your QH racing Association ...

... plus receive a newsletter that keeps you up on all racing information.

Come on....Join Today....

**Attention Horseman...You are missing out on valuable breeders awards if you do not certify your horses that are racing. As you can see by the form below the earlier you certify the less the cost. You get owners and breeders awards at all commercial race tracks , You get 10% bonus from Turf Paradise for running 1st, 2nd or 3rd....You get 5% back from the tracks at end of year , plus a 12 to 15 percentage from the Arizona Department of Racing each quarter. If you do not have your horses certified and you win a race, you will loose out on all these awards. Please fill out the form below and send along with the original papers , AQRA will stamp the papers thus certifying your foals and return your papers to you. This is a one time fee...your foals are certified for life.**

### ARIZONA BRED QUARTER HORSE CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the \_\_\_\_\_ (color) \_\_\_\_\_ (sex) \_\_\_\_\_ (name of foal)  
 A.Q.H.A. Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_  
 was foaled \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, Arizona.

I further certify that I was the OWNER/LESSEE OF THE DAM when the above-named horse was foaled in the State of Arizona and that the horse has been physically present within the State of Arizona for not less than six months during the period from the date of foaling to the first anniversary of having been foaled.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, says that he/she is the person below-named and that this Certification is made for the purpose of inducing the Arizona Department of Racing to pay the Breeders' Award as provided by Arizona Revised Statutes, Section 5-113, Subsection F, and the Permittee to pay the Breeders' and Owners' Awards provided by Arizona Revised Statutes, Sections-114, Subsection C, and Section 5-111.01, Subsection B.3.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the statements I have made in this Certification are true and accurate.

**\* NO BREEDERS' AWARD CAN BE PAID UNTIL NAME OF FOAL IS SUBMITTED!**

_____ <small>(print name)</small> Federal I.D. # _____ _____ <small>(telephone)</small> _____ State of: _____ County of: _____ Sworn To Me Before This _____ day of _____, 20 _____. _____ <small>(Notary Public)</small>	X _____ <small>(signature)</small> X _____ <small>(signature)</small> _____ <small>(address)</small> _____ _____ <small>(city) (state) (zip code)</small>
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<b>FEE SCHEDULE</b>		Breeder No. _____
\$50.00 if applied for by September 30 of Foal's YEARLING year. \$100.00 if applied for between October 1 and December 31 of Foal's yearling year. \$200.00 thereafter + \$100.00 transported semen surcharge		Date Certified: _____
Mail this Certificate and A.Q.H.A. Registration Papers to: A.Q.R.A. P.O. Box 1316 Thatcher, AZ 85552 (602) 625-0468	For A.Q.R.A. office use only: Date recvd. _____ A.Q.H.A. Cert. _____ Fee paid _____ Seal _____ Name _____ Mare reg. _____	

For Department of Racing use only:  
 Received for participation in the Arizona Breeders' Awards Program.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_

**ORIGINAL AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE REGISTRATION MUST BE ATTACHED!!**





**Congratulations to JUS CUZ**  
**winner of the AQRA Futurity**  
**Turf Paradise October 28, 2018**  
**Purse \$16,007.50 350 Yards :17.77**  
**Osvaldo Venegas & David Guzman,**  
**Owners Matthew Fales, Trainer**  
**Luis Yescas, Jr., Jockey**  
**Babe Watchin (2nd) Redneck Woman**



**Congratulations LOOKEN GOOD First Career Win**  
**For Jockey Mckenzie**  
**King! They covered the**  
**300 yards in :15.51 for**  
**Travis Wheeler, Owner,**  
**Travis Wheeler, Trainer**  
**Willy Nelson was (2nd)**  
**and Ur My Favorite ran**  
**(3rd).**

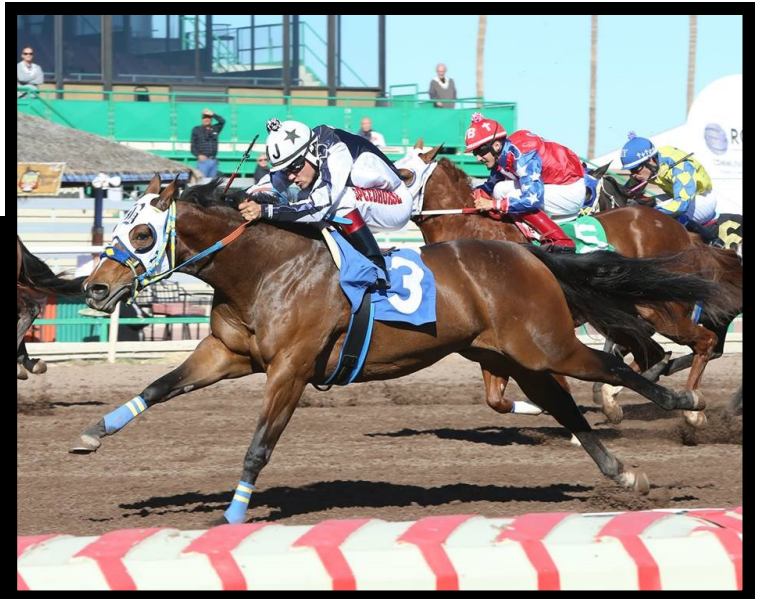


**Congratulations to ROCK ON DYNASTY**  
**Fastest Qualifier**  
**Turf Paradise Maiden Stake Trials**  
**Turf Paradise Phoenix, AZ**  
**October 28, 2018**  
**Purse \$3,000**  
**350 Yards :17.82**  
**Carmela Garcia, Owner**  
**Benito Guillen-Vega, Trainer**  
**Juan Ramirez, Jockey**  
**Beautiful Return (2nd) Kool Kat (3rd)**





**"JESS A COWBOY" WINS THE  
AQRA TURF PARADISE CHAMPIONSHIP  
DECEMBER 31, AT TURF PARADISE..  
OWNED BY LARRY STARK AND  
TRAINED BY MATT FALES.**



**"JUS CUZ" WINS THE  
AQRA SOUTHWEST FUTURITY  
DECEMBER 30 AT TURF PARADISE.  
MARK JASSO RODE THE 350 YARDS  
IN 17:89 FOR THE OWNERS OSVALDO  
VENEGAS AND DAVID GUZMAN.  
THE PURSE WAS \$16,150.**



**"ONE SPICEY EAGLE" WINS THE  
DASH FOR CASH JANUARY 6 AT TURF  
PARADISE FOR OWNER ANGEL  
VALENZUELA AD TRAINER RAUL  
VALENZUELA WITH ANDRES OSUNA  
ABOARD. THE TIME FOR THE 250 YARDS  
WAS 13:28 .**

**" JESS DASHIN WINS " THE MIKE  
HASTINGS MEMORIAL. THE PURSE WAS  
\$19,000 FOR OWNER CARLOS MANUEL  
REYES AND TRAINER JUAN FIGUEROA  
JOCKEY ELIAS GUTERRIZ RODE THE 400  
YARDS IN 20:09 .**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE  
CONNECTIONS OF THESE FINE HORSES**





**AQRA TURFPARADISE OPEN FUTURITY DEC 9**

**"FIRST LADY PERRY" WINS THE**

Purse \$48,735

400 Yards :19.98

Scott McDaniel, Owner

John Allred, Trainer

Mark Jasso, Jockey

Jessa Cat (2nd)

Ur My Favorite (3rd)

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**AQRA/TURF PARADISE OPEN DERBY  
DEC 9**

**" HIGHER ICON" WINNER**

Purse \$52,535

400 Yards :19.90

Jesus Avila, Owner

Eloy Navarro, Trainer

Ernie Aispuro, Jockey

Corona Thru Fire (2nd)

Unregulated Cash (3rd)

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**AQRA/TURF PARADISE  
DERBY CONSOLATON  
DEC 8, 2018**

**"NEVADA CAT" WINS THE**

\$7,000 PURSE

400 Yards :19.97

Scott McDaniel, Owner

John Allred, Trainer

Mark Jasso, Jockey

Bp Southern Hero (2nd)

Perfect Az Can Be (3rd)

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**ALL OWNERS MUST BE MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING WITH THE AQRA TO RECEIVE AWARDS.... All memberships are due January of each year. For your convenience there is a membership blank on the second page....Pay now and get your points started for the new year...**

**Meet the newest Hall of Fame inductions....  
CATS POLICY**



**AND LORETTA BRASHER**





# **STALLION SERVICE AUCTION**

AGOUTI	IGOTYOURTAC
AMNESTY	INSEPERABLE
APOLLITICAL SPIRIT	JESS BEING VALIENT
BEST DVICE	JR DYNASTY MT
BIG DADDY CARTEL	JUSTIFIED
BODACIOUS DASH	KOOL WAGON
BOGART	KVN COORONA
BPWAGON TRAIN	LEADING TEXAN
BRACE FOR BERNAL	LETHAL CORONA
BRINDIS POR CAYENNE	LOUISIANA JAMBALAYA
CORACORTADA	MR PILOTO
CHICKSSPECIALMONGOOSE	OCEANS APART
CONN CREEK	ON THE WAGON
CORONA CALIENTE	ONE DASHING EAGLE
CORONA SURFER	ONE SWEET JESS
CORONATED	ONE VALIENT HERO
DALE SCHISM	PAINT ME PERRY
DASHIN BY ALL	PANAMA WES
EAGLE POWER	PAPPASITO
EC JET ONE	RC ME LEAVING YOU
EYE AM KING	REBS ROYAL DASHER
EYE ON CORONA	SEPARATE INTEREST
FAST PRIZE JORDAN	SHINING FIRST DASH
FDD GOING GRAND	SIR SETH
FIRST N WILD	TEXAS ICON
FIRST PRIZE DOC	TF IM THAT GUY
FIVE BAR CARTEL	THE CRAWFISH
FLAY	THE LOUISIANA CARTEL
FOUR SIX JESS	TIRO MONTADO
GOLD RRRUSH	WAGON TALES
HEAT WARNING	YOU DRIVE I FLY
HEZA FAST ROGUE	ZOOMIN FOR BUX
HIGHEST FIRE	

Beginning February 1,

you can purchase any of the stallions that did not sell in the auction for the minimum bid.  
Buy from you Association, be eligible to race in the Desert Classic Futurity and SAVE MONEY...





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**Please.....Don't forget to certify your Az Foals as soon as you get the papers from AQHA...its easier not to forget and a lot cheaper than if you wait till they turn 2.. This is lost revenue for owners and breeders if you do not certify as you also get 10% from Turf Paradise for any Arizona certified horse that's runs first, second or third in a designated race. A form is in this newsletter on page 4..... Please call 602-625-0468 if you have any questions.**

**Also keep your membership up to date please. You must be a member of the AQRA to run in most QH races and it's only \$50 per year.. For any end of the year awards you ust also be a current AQRA member. Please make sure I have any phone, address or email address changes so that you can stay op to date on all of the events. A membership blank is on page 3 for your convenience.**

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