



Association Update

Dear friends,

In case you've wondered what we've been up to lately... over the past year we relocated to Cayucos, California. The Central Coast is very beautiful and the weather here is perfect. We all love it here, especially the horses; we have found our true home here and won't be moving again. This is the best place for the horse ranch and our new cattle business **Big Sky Cattle Company**. Check back for more details in our next issue. Until then, we hope that you enjoy this edition of the Walkaloosa Newsletter!



2008 & 2009

Transfers

Savage's Gental Jan,
WHA 0211

Jokers Golden Teardrop,
WHA 0002

Bright Spot,
WHA 0901

Itsy Bitsy Bandit,
WHA 9842

Destiny AA,
WHA ID 296

Gray Man Walking,
WHA 9925

Pushers Abbey Road,
WHA 9938

Dakota Sunset,
WHA ID 297

Ozark Trooper,
WHA 0323

Walkaloosa greetings from Germany

Walkaloosa horse owner Manuela Neumeller has checked in with us from Germany to report that Walkaloosa horses are

appreciated all over the world for their easy gait, gentle disposition and gorgeous color.

Shown here is Cheyennes

Joker, WHA 0022 and her foal Brigadoon Black Jack ("Jack"), WHA 0805 .

Manuela says that nine year old Cheyenne is good to ride, very well behaved and has produced many nice foals.

Jack (right) has grown to be a very handsome horse. Manuela says that Jack's new owner Anja is very happy with him and that Anja and Jack are "friends for life".

Pusher's Hurricane, WHA 0503 is a 4 year old stallion; Manuela says that his gait is very soft and comfortable. She has bred him to Cheyenne and we can't wait to see his foal next year!



Check out Manuela's website at:
www.walkaloosa.de/walkaloosa/index.htm



The story of Ghostly Dancer (aka Quincy) by Marilyn Russell

FOR SALE: Horse Tack and Equipment

We have 30 years of accumulation of saddles, pads, blankets, halters, bridles, various boots, youth clothing, etc.

Contact Carol at: 805-544-1424 or e-mail her at carolpappas@attglobal.net

(FOB California)

In October of 2007, I attended an annual women’s retreat camp out and ride in Montana de Oro State Park near Morro Bay, CA. One of the members was offering a 7 year old Walkaloosa gelding named Ghostly Dancer, WHA 0001 for sale. Ghostly Dancer, also known as Quincy, was represented as an excellent trail horse that was both colorful and gaited; a photo was included and I was captivated! The owner offered to take Quincy to the ride and let me try him for three days on the trail. When I arrived I found Quincy in a paddock

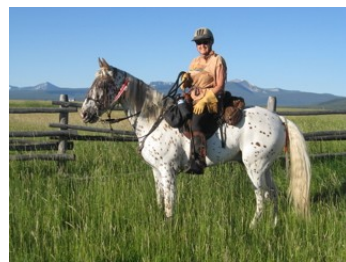
near my campsite and he was awesome! He was a magnificent 16.1 hand leopard, but he was out of control; whinnying, pawing, whirling and frantic at being



separated from his familiar owner and stable mate. I wondered what I was thinking! But I had driven five hours, I had three days to ride, I didn’t bring my own horse and he was the only horse available. So I buckled up my courage and went in to meet this spotted dervish. Thankfully, he was responsive to most of the natural horsemanship techniques that I used to settle him down and get his mind on me. I saddled him and managed to get on him, and I found that he was responsive to the aids, and could he ever move out! I was impressed, but not

Ghostly Dancer’s Story, continued

convinced; he was so anxious and I wasn’t sure if I wanted to take on this project. We had a restless night and he kept the



camp awake that night with his calling and banging. The next day we rode down to the beach, a familiar place for him, and he settled into the most marvelous ground covering gait and carousel-like canter. And then, in the waves next to us, a pod of dolphins swam by and I knew that my dreams were answered. I was taking this horse into my home, my heart, and my life; Quincy

seemed to know and we bonded quickly. The women at the camp will tell you that his demeanor totally changed after that; he was quiet and calm and it was as though he knew that we were destined to be together. We had chosen each other. I have purchased a number of horses in my life, and usually there is a period of adjustment, but truly, not for Quincy. He had found his home.

Ghostly Dancer’s Story, continued

Everyone is attracted to his flashy looks, friendliness, sense of fun and willingness to please. Sometimes I say he is my “clown in a horse suit.” In the past two years we have logged about 300 hours on the trails, which is about 1000 miles in the CSHA TRAP program concurrently with the Appaloosa Saddle Log program. We have led rides,

gone out alone, and have been part of large and small groups, which Quincy can do in daylight and darkness. This summer we fulfilled our dream of riding 92 miles of the Chief Joseph Trail ride from Darby to Big Hole, Montana. I am hoping to complete all 1300 miles of the trail over the next 12 summers with this wonderful horse. He has brought me countless hours of joy and we are

forward to many adventures and miles of trail rides in our lifetime together.



We would like to feature more stories and pictures from our members, so if you have a story and pictures to share, please send them in so that we can include them in our upcoming newsletters.

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Now you see spots.....



Pusher's Chili Pepper then.....

"Chili Pepper gave us a surprise color change in the spring.... she reversed her color and she looks like her dam April now," says Rosann Dietrich

Pushers Chili Pepper (WHA 0802) is a light colored filly who gave her owners Roseann and Bill Dietrich a big surprise this past spring... she reversed her color and now looks like her dam April Rain Bonnet.

Bill calls the filly "Chili", Roseann calls her "Pepper" and their friends call her "Twinkle Toes" because she has a very distinct Paso gait that is so beautiful to watch in the pasture.

....and now you don't!

According to Bill and Roseann, Chili comes when she's called, and she loads, leads, ties and stands quietly when her hooves are trimmed. She is a beautiful yearling and will make someone a good riding horse soon. Chili is available for sale; for more information you can contact Bill and Rosann at: billyd@socket.net.

...and Chili Pepper now!



DID YOU KNOW?

THE
WALKALOOSA
HORSE ASSOC.
OFFERS DOUBLE
REGISTRY WITH THE
PART WALKING
HORSE REGISTRY
FOR WALKALOOSA
HORSES THAT HAVE
ONE PARENT WHO
IS REGISTERED WITH
TWHBEA, IPWHR
OR CRTWH.
CONTACT US FOR
MORE DETAILS

There's a family resemblance:



April Rain Bonnet, WHA 0203
(Pushers Chili Pepper's dam)



Joker's Rain Drop, WHA 0508
(Pushers Chili Pepper's sire)



Pusher's Latigo, WHA 0801
(sired by Joker's Rain Drop)

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2008 and 2009 Registrations

2009 Registrations

Sugar Bears Annie, WHA 0616
Oprahs Native Star, WHA 0902
Bright Spot, WHA 0901
Malika Flora Lily, WHA 8823
DJ Prints Charming, WHA 0129
BBF Starfire, WHA 9843
JR's Pretty Woman, WHA 9224
Sarcee Bunny Spot, WHA 9225
Joker's Snow Dance, WHA 9430
Invest In Scotch, WHA 0507
Cocklebur Stonewall, WHA 0810
Admirals Patches, WHA 0118
Rock's Dusty Admiral, WHA 0504

2009 Registrations

Ultra je t'Adore, WHA 0729
Apps John Henry Ner, WHA 0809
Roux du Perfection, WHA 0222
Secrets Native Pride, WHA ID 305
Moondust Dakota, WHA 0808
Bopaloosa Classic, WHA 0611
WR Leroy Brown, WHA 0325
Cool Hand Lucas, WHA 0728
MacDuff, WHA 0401
SC's Leonardo, WHA 0902

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### 2008 Registrations

Touch's Blue Dolly, WHA 0414  
MC Rock Spotted, WHA 0806  
MC Gliding Eagle, WHA 0807

### 2008 Registrations

MC Walkn Sue Bear, WHA ID 304  
Lady's Man Next, WHA 0615  
Pentastar Comanche, WHA 0614  
Brigadoon Black Jack, WHA 0805  
Freight Train Concho, WHA 0324  
Ghost Dance, WHA 0726  
Baroque Minstrel AA, WHA 0804  
Renaissance Troubadour, WHA 0803  
Pusher's Latigo, WHA 0801  
Pushers Chili Pepper, WHA 0802  
Mighty Vicki, WHA ID 301  
Sub Tzu's Perfection, WHA 0717  
Mighty Jet, WHA 0716  
Commander In Chief, WHA 0801  
Champ Dancer, WHA ID 300