

NEVADA PAINT HORSE CLUB MARCH/APRIL 2007

THE WEATHER HAS BEEN SO GREAT THE LAST FEW DAYS THAT WE THINK SPRING HAS SPRUNG. YOU WOULD JUST HAVE TO HAVE LIVED IN NEVADA FOR A LONG TIME TO KNOW THAT MOTHER NATURE IS ALWAYS IN CONTROL AND IT'S NOT OVER UNTIL SHE SAYS IT'S OVER. NOW THAT ALL THE FRUIT TREES HAVE BLOMOMED, THE WEATHER MAN IS SAYING AS MUCH AS A FOOT OF SNOW MIGHT FALL IN THE HIGHER ELEVATIONS AND RAIN FOR THE REST OF US. THE BRIGHT SIDE OF THIS IS THAT IT WILL BLOW IN AND BLOW OUT AND LEAVE THINGS GREEN AND LUSH. MOST OF IT WILL OF COURSE BE WEEDS.

THE AWARDS BANQUET WAS GREAT. SPACE IS THE ONE THING WE SEEMED SHORT OF AS WE SEATED 150 MEMBERS AND GUESTS FOR A MEAL FIT FOR A KING. AWARDS WERE PLENTYFULL AND OTHER THAN RUNNING LONG INTO THE EVENING, NPHC MEMBERS CELEBRATED ANOTHER FABULOUS YEAR.

NEW FOALS ARE BEGINNING TO HIT THE GROUND. TRACY SMITH HAD A RED DUN AND WHITE FILLY. KRISTI RUBY HAS A PAINT STUD COLT THAT LOOKS LIKE HE'S GOING TO BE A DANDY. "BEAR" WAS KEEPING KRISTI FROM GETTING MUCH SLEEP SO SHE WAS GLAD WHEN THE LITTLE GUY ARRIVED.

THERE WILL BE A NEW AWARD FOR 2007. IT WILL GO TO THE HIGH-POINT ALL-AROUND YEARLING AND AWARD GOES TO THE HORSE, HORSES CAN HAVE MORE THAN ONE EXHIBITOR. HALTER, YEARLING LUNGE LINE AND IN HAND TRAIL ARE THE CLASSES THAT COUNT. THE HORSE MUST MEET THE REQUIRED NUMBER OF TIMES SHOWN IN EACH OF THE 3 CLASSES AS PER THE NPHC RULES AND REGULATIONS (shown under 8 judges of which must include one of the two judge shows and have a minimum of 4 points in all three classes.) ALL OTHER RULES FOR NPHC YEA MUST ALSO BE MET. THIS AWARD IS NOT LISTED IN THE 2007 DIRECTORY. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS YOU CAN CALL SHARON AT 775-867-3154.

Attention: YOUTH MEMBERS. THE RULES FOR YOUR INCENTIVE PROGRAM HAS CHANGED FOR 2007. IF YOUR GOING TO PARTICIPATE, YOU NEED TO FILL OUT THE FORM INCLUDED WITH THE NEWSLETTER. YOUTH WILL BE REQUIRED TO SEND \$40.00 TO NJPHC AND YOU MUST BE SIGNED UP BEFORE THE FIRST SHOW IN JUNE. MONEY SHOULD BE SENT TO KRISTI RUBY ALONG WITH YOUR PARTICIPATION FORM. THE YOUTH CLUB WILL AGAIN SELL RAFFLE TICKETS WITH 2 PRIZES WORTH \$40.00 EACH BEING DRAWN AT EACH SHOW AS WELL AS A STALL FOR THE NEXT SHOW. THE STALL FOR THE FIRST SHOW WAS DRAWN AT THE BANQUET.