

## OCTOBER 22, 2025

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## AMERICAN ELITE ROPE HORSE SALE

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### LOCATION

Reno Livestock Events Center Reno, Nevada

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## Wednesday, October 22, 2025

Sale begins after the #4 ½/40+ and not before 6pm PLEASE BRING YOUR CATALOG TO THE SALE

REGISTRATION AND OFFICE OPEN TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY 10am

## **SCHEDULE:**

OCTOBER 16-21: Horses Check In / Receive Paint Brands

OCTOBER 20: Horses Compete for Preview "Gene Aguiar Scholarship Roping"

OCTOBER 21: 10-4PM / Open Preview / The Outside Warmup Arena

OCTOBER 22: SALE OF HORSES BY LIVE AUCTION / After The #4 ½ Roping / Not Before 6pm / The Main Arena

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Custom Bit awarded to Top Selling Horse



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## WELCOME TO THE:

## AMERICAN ELITE ROPE HORSE SALE

The 2025 AERHS in its inaugural year, features a lineup of talented animals of varying ages and calibers. These horses have been selected to provide the best candidate for every buyer and their family in today's roping horse market. Take the chance to call the consignor and have a conversation about the horse, attend the preview, and watch the scholarship roping. We have presented the opportunity to see what these horses really are and invite you to take advantage of that opportunity. Thank you and we look forward to seeing you at the auction.

/ Mike Jardine

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## **BUYERS TERMS & CONDITIONS**

Prospective Buyers: All purchases through this sale are bound to the terms and conditions set forth herein, whether buyer has read them or not. Please take the time to read and become familiar with them, and be aware that all transactions in this sale are governed by these terms and conditions. The failure of any buyer to comply with the terms and conditions set forth here will constitute default by the buyer.

- 1. All horses are offered for sale according to the laws of the State of Nevada. Horses presented in this sale are AS IS. We offer no warranty!!! There is no representation or warranty expressed or implied by the Auctioneers or Sale Management as to soundness or fitness for any particular purpose of any horse offered in this sale. The seller is the party responsible for all representations or warranties, expressed or implied, concerning the condition of any horse. If any specific guarantee is made by the owner, the right of recourse must be directly sent to the owner and not through the sales management.
- 2. Buyers have the right and arc encouraged to have a veterinarian of their choice examine any horse offered in the auction. Purchasers of horses in this sale acknowledge that they have had the opportunity to thoroughly examine by veterinarian or otherwise each horse that they have purchased and hereby accept any horse they purchase with all defects and conditions "as-is" except those that are specifically warranted in these conditions by announcements from the auction stand. Veterinarian assistance will be at the buyer's expense. You are strongly encouraged to examine the horse prior to purchasing. Because of this condition, there can be no refusal to pay for a horse

following the sale as a result of any condition that may be discovered after it is purchased.

- 3. Every effort has been made to ensure correctness of this catalog. The Sale Management and auctioneers are not responsible for error or omissions and assume no liability on their part as to any statements, verbal or written, regarding horses sold.
- 4. Auctioneer announcements take precedence over printed matter in the catalog. Buyer is bound by all announcements from the auctioneer stand at the commencement of the sale and at the time of sale of each individual horse.
- 5. The highest bidder is the buyer. If a dispute should arise between bidders, the disputed horse will immediately be put up for bid again. In any

dispute, the auctioneer has sole authority and his decision is final. The right to bid is reserved by the seller unless otherwise announced.

- 6. Title to and the risk of loss passes to the buyer when the animal is announced "sold" by the auctioneer. All buyers will fill out and sign an acknowledgment of purchase brought to them by the ticket runner. Effective immediately from the time of purchase, the buyer assumes complete responsibility for the maintenance and care, feeding and watering of the animal. However, horses may not leave the grounds until final settlement has been made on all purchases.
- 7. Terms of sale are Cash, Visa, MasterCard or Discover. Payment in full must be made to the cashier immediately after the sale. All horses must be paid for through the sale office immediately following sale on 10/22/25. Method of payment shall be cash, cashier's check, traveler's checks, or personal check with two forms of identification; Visa, or MasterCard. All credit card purchases will be subject to a 3.5% handling fee. Transfer of ownership on any animal will not be complete until full payment is made to Duarte Sales Inc... Sale Management will hold all registration papers until the buyer's checks clear the bank. All returned or insufficient funded checks will immediately be turned over to the County District Attorney and charges will be filed. All court costs, filing fees, and expenses of collection (Including reasonable attorney fees) and all expenses of insuring, maintaining, transporting or reselling any animal incurred by the consignor or Sale Management,; arising from buyer default, will be paid by the buyer.
- 8. Risk of loss passes from the owner to the buyer immediately after the horse is struck down by the auctioneer. This shall especially be the condition in the case of illness, injury, or death of any horse after it has been sold. The buyer agrees to indemnify and hold the owner and Sale Management harmless from all loss, cost, and expense arising from the illness, injury, or death of a horse or loss or damage to property, and injury or death of persons caused by the buyer, the buyer's agents or employees, or by the horse after the horse has been purchased.
- 9. Buyers are cautioned to be careful while on the grounds and particularly while horses are being shown or sold in the sale ring. All persons attending the sale do so at their own risk. Neither the owners nor any person connected with this sale assume any liability, legal or otherwise, for accidents to persons or property before, during or after the sale.

#### BLUE BERRY

GRADE

Consignor: JUSTIN HILL LIVE OAK, CA

Breeder:

Looking for a proven winner? You don't need to look any further. This one has over 200 thousand under her belt, half of that coming from the World Series Finals with big checks out of both the 14 and 15. You can head or heel on her at a high level. She's raised on the ranch, had 100's of calves branded on her, works the gate as good as any of them, a easy keeper, gentle, great with other horses, no cranky attitude and all around brokel Definitely one of a kind. For more information call Bill Finks 530-310-1065.

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## MAE BE A HUMMER

AQHA 5797290

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Consignor: CASEY & MELISSA LADNER KLAMATH FALLS, OR

Breeder: Gregg & Cindy Bailey Orland, Ca

Color: Blue Roan Gelding Foaled: 5/21/2016

HUMMER HANCOCK HAYES

MAE MINNIE GO

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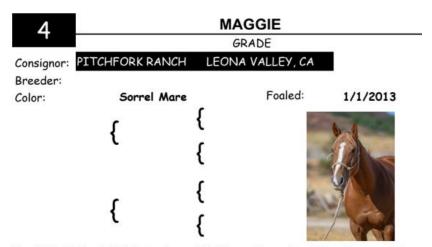
"Flint" is a versatile and reliable 2016 blue roan gelding ready to become your go-to partner. Whether you're roping in the arena or gathering cattle in the pasture or mountain range. Flint is trustworthy, sure footed and eager to work. He has experience in both team roping and ranch work, including branding and doctoring and has been headed on, consistently scoring and running to the hip. Flint has a calm, willing temperament, making him suitable for riders of all levels; he has been ridden by both high and low numbered riders who get along well with him. He possesses a big motor and impressive stop for a horse of his size. Naturally eager to please, he is willing to do any task asked of him. Located in Klamath Falls, OR. FMI call Casey 541-281-4722.

#### ON THE VEGAS STRIP

AQHA 6080281



I have owned this horse for almost 4 years. Excellent head/heel horse combo. Horse has a lot of run and a big motor. Very gentle, has never bucked no matter how much time off. I have competed on him at rodeos and ropings. I was high call on him at last years ACTRA Finals Open. He is as good on the head side as he is the heel side. Grandson of One Time Pepto. This horse is a high level horse. Probably to much horse for a beginner. For more information call Justin 530-949-9389.



"Maggie" is a 15.1 hand, 1100 lb, sorrel mare. This 12 year old mare is a solid head horse ready to win money on. She knows her jobs and does them well. Maggie has been in the Short Go in both WSTR and ACTRA Ropings. Easy to haul. Scores well, is strong to the horn and faces sharp. She has also been a "go-to" on the ranch, gathering, sorting and branding calves. Rides on a loose rein and is quiet when prowling through/around the ranch. Great conformation, good feet and easy to be around. Sound, sane and up to date on vetting. If you wanna be competitive consider Maggie, she has all the tools a good one needs to possess. She's experienced, can pull, rate a steer and finished. Best of ALL, she has a working mind to keep you in the money. FMI 661-916-4271.

#### **BLUE ROOSTER BLUE**

AQHA 5738648



"Bandero" is 16 hands tall and weighs 1235 lbs. My family and I have owned him for his entire life. We have used him for heading steers, steer stopping and ranch roping. He is very gentle stands good for the farrier and is always a perfect gentleman. He scores well and does a good job adjusting from fast to slow cattle. He stays in your hand and between your feet, along with him being strong on the end of a rope, makes Bandero a good choice for anyone. For more information call Tim 775-621-6926.

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"Fletch" is a 3 year old beautiful bay roan gelding. He is super athletic and a nice mover. He moves off your hand and feet and is soft about it. He has been started in the heeling this summer and has also worked on the ranch. He has moved cows on the mountain, doctored in the pasture, sorted in the alleys. He is gentle and quiet to be around. He is headed in the right direction to make someone a very nice using horse. For more information call Cru 435-851-9343.



"Rosie" is a 4 year old mare with striking looks and an impressive pedigree. She has experience on the ranch, having been used in branding traps this spring. Rosie has been on lots of mountain terrain and has roped and doctored in the pasture. She was started in the heeling on the donkey and has been working up to steers this summer and has took to it great. Rosie is very gentle and great to be around. For more information call Cru Parry 435-851-9343.



"Bigs" is a 15.3 hand, 8 year old AQHA gelding. He is as big and stout as they come pushing 1500 lbs. You can rope a thousand steers on this horse and he never gets hot, great in the box and has plenty of run. Never has bucked and you can leave him off for months then bail the cinch in and he will ride off like he was rode everyday. He scores like a rock, leaves off your hand and will pull any steer. Easy keeper and can be out with other horses. Hauls good and eats and drinks on the road. Been to lots of arenas and the same at everyone. You can also heel on him and he runs a pretty automatic set barrels. For more information call 541-450-3078.

#### MASTER OF THE SHINER

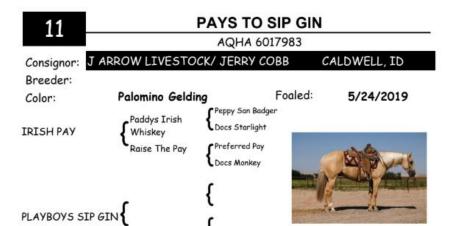
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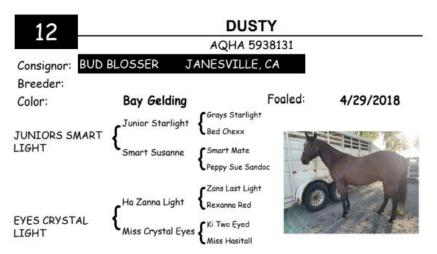
"Blueberry" is a well made, sound, all around horse. He has been hauled to High School and Amateur rodeos in the breakaway and heading. He's lightly patterned on the barrels. He's an outstanding pickup and hazing horse that will take care of anyone. Scores good, has plenty of rate and is excellent in the corner. Blueberry will not get out ran and he's strong on the horn. He's the kind of horse that is easy to catch cattle on. He can sit for months and compete at a high level all of the time. He has done every aspect of ranch work and rides outside without a tie down. We have owned him for 7 years and he has never had injections and requires zero maintenance. He is the ultimate all around horse for the arena and ranch. FMI 541-6133-3896.

DOCS SIERRA SAGE 10 AQHA 5314276 Consignor: JESS MERKLEY CORNING, CA Nancy Marler Fallon, Nv Breeder: Fooled: Color: Cremello Gelding 4/13/2010 Poco Peppy Doc Br A Cut Above Sugar Munchkin RSR IM A CUT **ABOVE** Sir Raleigh James Rsr Lady Stetson Dry Sierra Bar Como Chex Como Chex Hobby Hobbys Injun Gal STAR CHEX HOBBY \*Joe Sage Star June One Star Poco Wilmena

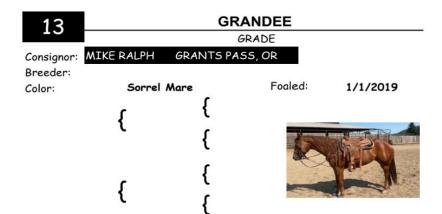
"Kracker" is a 15 year old AQHA gelding. He's a shapey 15+ hands, approximately 1200 lbs. He is a nice heel horse, won money jackpotting and is good in the box. He has ranch rodeo'ed and is fun to brand calves on and doctor cattle outside. He's very nicely broke in the arena, smooth to ride, lopes nice circles, spins and has a good stop on him. He's very kind and good minded. His only vice is that he's cinchy when saddling. Call for more information 775-771-6817.



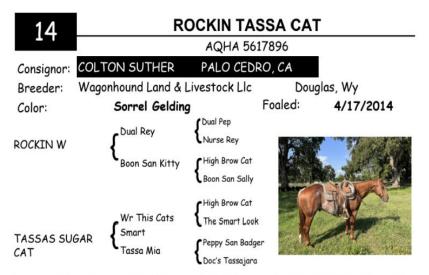
"Bosco" is a fancy rope and ranch horse. A super nice head horse that is great in the box, he will let you run lots of steers, scores good, leaves off your hand and can run. Good rate and a fancy move. Bosco is very nice to rope on, he's smooth and easy to catch on. He's been hauled to some jackpots and is ready to go anywhere. He's Riata Buckle eligible and would be ready to help you win. Bosco has seen all the ranch chores as well. He's good to brand on and will watch a cow as well. Bosco is trustworthy and should fit almost anyone. He stands just under 15 hands and weighs 1200 lbs. Please give us a call to come try him or for questions 208-550-0992.



"Dusty" has a very calm disposition and is easy going. He's been rode outside, branded calves, lead steer off of and just started roping off him. He has a solid foundation on him. Hauls great and gets along with every horse he's been around. Easy to shoe, suitable for intermediate to advance ropers. Very easy going calm horse. Call Bud for more information 530-260-3385.



"Grandee" is a very pretty sorrel mare. She is short backed, 6 years old, 16 hands and very gentle. She runs hard and is extremely good in the box. You can head or heel on her. Grandee has a ton of rate. Anybody that can ride a horse can rope on her. Don't miss this good looking mare. For more information call Mike 541-660-4481.



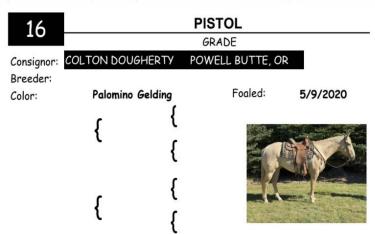
"Rocker" is a royally bred, 11 years old, 15 hand, gentle, sorrel gelding. Nice head horse and ranch horse. Scores great, runs and rates every time. Hauled to jackpots, super consistent and well minded. Used on the ranch; branded calves and doctored outside. Good to shoe. For more information call Colton 530-560-5136.

## PEPTOE LAST DEAL

APHA 1072366



"Ira" is a solid made head horse standing at 15.2 hands and weighing 1275 pounds. He rides both in and outside of the areno. He has mainly been a head horse but knows a real days work! He is well mannered out on the trails, crosses creeks and is easy to shoe. Ira is ready for his new partner and to take you to the pay window. Call 541-841-0101 for any questions.



"Pistol" is a big stout 16 hand, 5 year old gelding that has done every aspect of ranch work and has been started on the head side and is taking everything in stride. He knows a long days hard work. If you want a horse that's big and pretty and everybody's gonna look at, this is your next gelding. For more information call 503-710-6817.

This mare is the total package; proven, versatile and suitable for riders of all levels. She's won money in the heading, heeling and breakaway roping at the open level and she's quiet and solid enough for novice riders. She scores quiet, leaves flat and runs hard to a cow. She'll rate, handle one right and let you rope clean every time. She's also earned money in reining, proving her handle, athleticism and willingness. She's broke, soft in the face, works off your legs. This mare has been hauled, seasoned, she's sound, sane and ready to go. She's a great fit for the whole family. If you're looking for a truly all-around, proven mare that can do it all and still babysit a beginner, she's the kind that rarely comes available. For more information call 971-264-8157.

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