



## 2017 ICHO GAZETTE

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Announcing the 2017 ICHO AGM !

# Big Top Equestrian

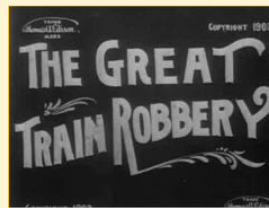
Hosted by *Curly Standard Place*

*Shelly White and William LeRoy*

*Summerland, BC, Canada*

*September 23-25, 2017*

*Saturday -  
Sunday - Monday*



*Experience*

*the old West as the  
notorious Garnet Val-  
ley Gang performs the*

*Great Train Robbery* - on the Kettle  
Valley Train. Reserve train tickets  
asap, limited seating for this ex-  
citing event and BBQ!

**DEMONSTRATIONS!**

**TRAIL RIDES AVAILABLE!**

**AGM on Saturday!**

## GAZETTE AD DEADLINE

We now have a new Gazette ad deadline schedule for submitting ads as follows:

WINTER: Dec 15

SPRING: Mar 15

SUMMER: June 15

FALL: Sept 15

Ads that are received after the deadline will be run in the next following issue. Payments must also be made before the deadline. All ads and payment must be sent to the office. Thanks!

ARTICLES- We are always looking for interesting articles for the Gazette. The article could be about training, health tips, an interesting story about a Curly or anything of interest horse related. Please send all articles to the office before the deadlines. Awaken the writer within you!

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[www.curlyrescue.com](http://www.curlyrescue.com)

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Ancestral only TX A&M	\$25.00
Parentage Only U of KY	\$30.00
Lp color TX A&M	\$35.00
CA- (Cerebellar Abiotrophy) VetGen	\$35.00

Visit the website for more info or contact the office.

To obtain a mailed copy of the Gazette, there is now a \$30.00 yearly fee. You can always view the Gazette online for free on our webpage– <http://ichocurlyhorses.org> in the Members Only section and print a copy for yourself.



**GAZETTE SCHEDULE**

- ❄️ **WINTER February**
- 🌱 **SPRING May**
- ☀️ **SUMMER August**
- 🍂 **FALL November**

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**All color Ads at Black and White Prices! All Gaz Color Ad fees reduced!!**

**Full Page Color \$40.00, 1/2 Pg Color \$20.00, 1/4 Pg Color \$10.00, Classified \$10.00**

Submitting ads:                      \*Pay for ads online on our webpage– <http://ichocurlyhorses.org>

**All ads must be copy ready in word doc format or jpg, png. Since we have reduced our prices we need the ads in ready to print format. For photos png is preferred since it has the best resolution. We can no longer accept pdf format because it does not insert clearly for the Gazette editing process.**

All Ads must be sent to the office with payment. Ads also appear on the ICHO webpage.

Thanks! [office@curlyhorses.org](mailto:office@curlyhorses.org)

Gazette editor– Joan Henning



#### Your Hosts....

Shelly White and Warren LeRoy, 25210 Wildhorse Road Summerland, BC Canada V0H 1Z3 [sm.white@shaw.ca](mailto:sm.white@shaw.ca)

Where- Curly Standard Place at Big Top Equestrian 25210 Wildhorse Road Summerland, BC V0H 1Z3 Canada.

Dates- Saturday, September 23rd, Sunday September 24th, Monday, September 25th, 2017

#### Activities-

Ground work demonstration by Shelly White

**Wildhorse Mountain Guest Ranch offers trail rides** <http://www.wildhorsemountainranch.com/engact.html>

**Sunday join us on the Kettle Valley Train for the Great Train Robbery:** Ride the train, experience the old west with a robbery by the notorious Garnet Valley Gang and join them for a BBQ afterwards.

Nearest Airport- Kelowna International Airport, Kelowna, BC  
Penticton Aiport, Penticton, BC

Nearest Hotels- Wildhorse Mountain Guest Ranch is also a B&B  
<http://www.wildhorsemountainranch.com/engmain.html> 250 494-0506  
Summerland Waterfront Resort 250 494-8180  
Summerland Motel 250 494-4444  
Rosedale Motel 250 494-6431

Meals- Friday, casual meal, pay your own way at local restaurant, Santorinis.

**Saturday AGM and Banquet catered at our farm, paid by the ICHO.**

**Sunday Great Train Robbery and BBQ, must be booked ASAP!** [www.kettlevalleyrail.org](http://www.kettlevalleyrail.org)

**GTR Fares Adults: \$57.00 Seniors (65+): \$57.00 Youth: \$27.00 Children (3-12): \$27.00 2 & Under: Free (on lap)**

AGM Fee \$35.00 RSVP and payment link on our ICHO homepage- [ichocurlyhorses.org](http://ichocurlyhorses.org) Sign up now! See you there :)



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Year of Birth 1986  
Curly  
Status Unknown



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Year of Birth 2000  
Curly  
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DCC Golden Ladd  
Year of Birth 2001  
Curly  
Last Known Status  
Resides in California



Mare NOT FOR SALE

## 50+ Years of Breeding 1-4-U

I have always lived by the philosophy that in everyone and every situation there is some good and some bad. In business I have always believed that you had to have goals. When Dreamaker Farms was developed we first branded the farm with we produce 1-4-U. The symbol is a horseshoe with the 1 over the 4 inside the horse shoe for good luck. Successful breeding of a profitable horse operation is more than luck. I never did care much for the show ring but I was fascinated by the genetic testing that would allow you to breed for foals of a certain color and gait. For eleven years we produced about 30 foals a year with the colors of tobiano, crème dilutes, and champagne. Most people do not want to purchase a high dollar horse with a common color or an uncomfortable ride. These foals were sold at our production sale in the fall of the year and others that had bred at our farm were invited to sell their foals but the sale was limited to the first 50 horses. We produced a full color catalogue, thanks, to a talented graphic artist, Dawn Young. So the long and short of this explanation is we wanted to breed and offer to the public a horse of color with gait and quiet temperament. We were successful for years with foals bringing more than at other sales. Then the horse market plunged and the foals would not bring back the breeding fee of \$500. In the last few years we sold a few recessive curlies of the fox trotting breed and we could see there was a market for curlies.

Back to the good and bad. I had a working relationship with a large killer buyer and he would call me when he got in mares that he thought I could use in my breeding program. One day he called and said he had had the chance to purchase a scrawny blue roan fox trotter that had curls on him but he was ugly and slobbering at the mouth. My friend, Deb Kinnick and I went to look. We felt sorry for him so we bought him. His mouth was so sore that it

was difficult to get a halter on him. Roger Cole, DVM, the equine dentist fixed his mouth and Deb started riding the horse now named Chibonne. They formed an unbelievable bond. There was nothing Chibonne could not be trained to do. That year he went to the curly show and won high point over many experienced curlies. He was trained to jump and placed high at the MFTHBA World Show. Anyone could ride him and we were offered lots of money for him. Pretty soon other fox trotter breeders offered their recessive curlies to us and we trained them and sold them through our production sale.

But we wanted dominant Missouri Fox Trotters and they were scarce. Again, the good and the bad...a breeder from Kentucky offered me a curly stallion that the Humane Society had picked up. He was in poor shape but I went and picked him up and bred him to some of my top color producing mares. His name was Sun Dance T. We purchased Curly Sue from Oklahoma and Charlie's Frosty Lady. Sir Patrick's Maximum came to our farm to be

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After 50+ Years of  
Breeding Quality  
Missouri Fox Trotting  
Horses, Straight and  
Curly I am RETIRING!

I've saved the  
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trained to ride and breed a few mares. He now resides in Germany. So little by little we took the good and formed a line of colored curly Missouri Fox Trotters. We currently have 22 head with a black and white tobiano stallion and a buckskin stallion and a red roan stallion, of course, curly producing wonderful foals. The black and white tobiano, Micco's Curly Spots Hot helped produce 4 foals this year; a curly bay and white filly, a curly sable and white champagne filly, and a curly champagne colt. One straight haired homozygous Black and White Tobiano colt. The buckskin boy produced 3 curly fillies; a perlino, buckskin, and sorrel. So we bred the sorrel and red roan off the foals and put other colors on them. NO recessive curlies were produced. Yes you can test for the tobiano gene, the crème gene, the champagne gene, and the gait gene. With genetic breeding, goals, and some luck you can produce 1-4-U, curly that is.

In the first crop of colts, a beautiful sorrel and white tobiano filly named Max's Rainy Day Curl was produced. We took her to a curly show in Illinois and she won her class at halter and was grand champion in the halter division and won the color class. Sadly she had problems with her first pregnancy and was never able to produce a foal. She is in her forever home with the grandchildren.

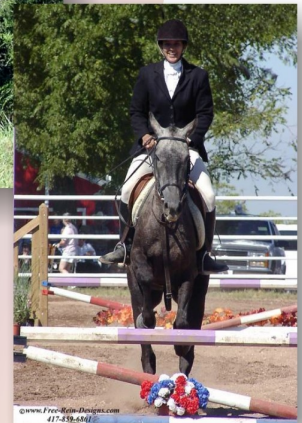
Life changes just as opportunities change. I had a horse fall with me years ago and I have a large bulging disc in my left lower back. Riding and particularly getting on and off had become very difficult. The Tuning Element products from the space industry have allowed me to ride again. I have helped many people with pain problems with this product....No bad here.

As the horse industry fell deeper and deeper, we had a large riding horse barn which we turned into a dog kennel and we raise many hypo-allergic dogs....soft coated wheaten terriers, poodles, golden doodles. No bad here but lots and lots of work.

Fox Trotters have given us the "Ride of Our Life". We at Dreamaker Farms have been richly blessed to have been allowed to enjoy the wonderful foxtrotting horses....now the wonderful colored curly foxtrotting horses. We were placed on this earth at the right place at the right time to take advantage of genetics to be able to produce fox trotters of the color, patterns, and hair coat we desired. Thanks to Dr. Gus

Cothran for all his help over the years. As the sands of time ebb away, Dreamaker Farms is reaching for our final goals. It is time to disperse our herd to wonderful homes where the breeding and training program can continue. The 2 page ad in this issue of the Gazette pictures all our horses. No reasonable offer will be refused if you can convince me my treasured horses will be going to a wonderful home.

Peace, health, and well-being to ALL!  
Again, Thanks for the Ride of our Life! Ann Quinn



Photos:  
Missouri Travelers Banner  
aka Chibonne with  
Deb Kinnick on board

See 2 Page  
Ads in this  
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# I'm DIFFERENT shared by Ann Quinn

When I was born, I knew my mother loved me. She licked me, protected me, and showed me where the groceries were located. It didn't take long before I realized that I was very different. People looked at me and laughed. Some even said I should be knocked in the head.

As I began to grow, I didn't feel very good. I grew very slowly and wasn't pretty. I was gelded when I was very young because they said no one would want to use me for breeding. When I was a year old, I was given away to a man who had a sick son. He used to watch me from his wheelchair. I also had a health problems. My mouth hurt all the time. I couldn't eat very well and had bad breath. I had gotten so thin and my coat was patchy and dull. I still was not very pretty.

No one had ever ridden me because, I was in so much pain I wouldn't let anyone near my head. I would rear just as high as I could. When they did catch me and get me saddled, I would buck and rear so bad that soon no one ever tried. Everyone was scared of me.

My owner called a man one day to come and take me away. Away to a bad place. A place I would never come away from. The only thing that could save me now was a miracle. And boy could I use a miracle!

Two ladies showed up one day to look at me. They tried to pet me and I did my thing to show them who was boss. They didn't buy it. They weren't afraid of me. None of my tricks fooled them. They loaded me into their trailer and took me away. These people liked me and thought I was so pretty.

They took me to a place that smelled different. I was given a shot of something that made me feel very strange. When I woke up my mouth felt different. In a few days my mouth didn't hurt anymore. I began to eat and gain weight. I was feeling pretty good for a change. That's when this one gal decided to ride me. She was quick and she got on my back and I began to do my usual thing. She wasn't afraid, she laughed at me and she didn't get off. Within a few days I knew this place was going to be very different and I began to enjoy these rides. I really liked these people and I think they really liked me.

From this point, my life has been so much fun. I look forward to riding and going places. And boy do we go places.

In February, 2002, I was taken to a Trail Horse Competition and Sale in Lexington, Virginia. I live in Missouri, so this was a long ride. People there thought I was great. Everyone rode on me and loved on me. I liked this, but I didn't know how close I came to having a new owner. And in a way I did get a new owner. I was brought back home and given to the gal that rode me all the time. She took me to her house and we became very good friends.

In March, 2002, we made another long rip to The Ohio Equine Fest. This time we just went to be showed off. There were all kinds of horses everywhere. People came from everywhere to look at me. Boy did I love this! I greeted people for days. They gave me treats, petted me, rode me and loved me. Can you believe it? They loved me! I was afraid I was going to get a new home because some lady that was allergic to horses rode me and didn't have her usual allergy attack. She cried because my friends would not sell me. Boy that was a close call.

After coming home from Ohio, I had time to rest and gain some more weight. We went on some trail rides and did different things. We spent a lot of time collecting pretty feathers when we were in the woods. My friends paints horses and other critters on these feathers. I was in heaven. I love to learn new things. Now I look forward to everything.

In August, 2002, me and my friend began to learn how to jump over poles. We both wore some really strange gear. We worked hard for several days and we were so sore neither one of us could hardly move, but, we soon got over that. I loved jumping and soon could clear those 4 foot jumps.

In September, 2002, we got all dressed up and went to the World Grand Champion Show in Ava, MO. No one there looked like me and I didn't care. We were so proud of ourselves, people could have said anything to us and it wouldn't have bothered us. My friend was so nervous about the show but that was OK with me. I had enough confidence for both of us. I was going to take care of her, just like she had taken care of me. And I did. We jumped and made it through our first round with no mistakes. We didn't win first place this time but we didn't care. We had so much fun. Again people came to look and pet me and I loved it. We did get a fourth place ribbon.

Then in October, 2002, we went to Decatur, IL to a Curly horse show. Nearly everyone there looked like me. I was so excited I wanted to see everything and couldn't do it fast enough. We saddled up for our first class in a side saddle outfit. We had never done one of these before, but, it was fun just the same. We did class after class and won ribbon after ribbon. When we were done, we had won eight ribbons in all. My friend was so happy and I was happy for her. She pleases me and I try to please her.

When we finished our show, we had done better than either of us had thought. I had won for her the Western Division and Grand Champion Adult for the whole show. We got more ribbons, a statue of a Curly horse, a coat and even a big bag to put all of my stuff in. Now my friend was very happy.

We have plans to do more horse shows and show people just how special horses like me are. And we are special even though we are different.

We are hypo-allergenic, we have a great disposition, we like people, and we love to learn new things.

It's been a year now since I was rescued from sure death. Be it from starvation or from the slaughter house. But all that doesn't matter, because I'm a Grand Champion. It doesn't affect me none, but my friends are sure happy. Now I have four Curly friends to share my life and pasture, but not my food.

Put on paper by Debra Kinnick, Chibonne's friend Debra is a proud member of the Creek Indian Nation. Chibonne means Indian Boy. Debra trains MO Foxtrotters for Dreamaker Farms, Niangua, MO.

Postscript: Traveler's Banner (Chibonne) is a blue papered registered recessive Curly Foxtrotter. He received a double dose of the recessive Curly gene that is present in some Foxtrotter bloodlines. He also received a double dose of gait. He, nor any of his herd of recessive Curlies have ever been observed executing a hard diagonal trot. Foxtrotters have a people loving, laid back, personality, but the 5 recessive Curlies we have are like big friendly dogs. They are very easily trained. In the herd picture, page 5, you can see recessive Foxtrotting Curlies come in all colors.



Micco's Curly Spots Hot  
Stallion \* Year of Birth 2009  
Curly



Dam: BKs Southern Image  
Year of Birth 2012  
Color; Amber Champagne, Straight  
with Bay/Wh, Curly Tobiano born 2017



Spots Shazoom Elan  
Year of Birth 2013, Curly



Max's Micco  
Stallion \* Year of Birth 2004  
Curly



Dam: Image's Dunette  
Year of Birth 2001  
Color; Amber Champagne, Straight  
with Bay/Wh, Curly Tobiano born 2017



Stars Curly 14 Karat  
Year of Birth 2015  
Gold Champagne, Curly



Sun Dance's Superstar  
Stallion \* Year of Birth 2007  
Curly



Dam; Dun Dees Shirley Curly  
Year of Birth 2006  
Color; Amber Champagne, Curly  
with Sable Curly born 2017



Spots Curly Yahto Lye  
Year of Birth 2012  
Smokey Black, Curly



Dam; Lads Precious Ivy  
Year of Birth 2005  
Color; Bay/Wh Tobiano, Minimal Curly  
with Blk/Wh Tobiano, Straight born 2017

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Year of Birth 2000  
Curly  
Status Resides in Germany



Reference Sire ONLY  
DCC Golden Ladd  
Year of Birth 2001  
Curly  
Last Known Status  
Resides in California



Max's Rainy Day Curl  
Curly Mare NOT FOR SALE



Stars Curly Lady GaGa  
Year of Birth 2011  
Brindle, Curly



Micco's Lootah Marko Tear Drop  
Year of Birth 2012  
Sorrel, Curly



Stars Curly Tehya Misae  
Year of Birth 2012  
Perlino, Curly



Spots Curly Honia Shazam  
Year of Birth 2012  
Blk/White Tobiano, Curly



Sun's Prime Legacy  
Year of Birth 2007  
Red Roan, Curly

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