



Dear Consignor,

After much thought and discussion the AQRA Board of Directors has regretfully decided to cancel our Fall Mixed Sale. We want to give you the optimum venue in which to sell your horses and felt that we could not offer you that this year. Overall there has been about a 50% decrease in the number of yearlings consigned compared to previous years. Our concern is that without a strong catalog we would not attract enough buyers for your horses to bring fair market value. All consignment fees we be returned promptly to you along with any paperwork submitted.

To accommodate those wishing to get your yearlings eligible for the 2012 Desert Classic Futurity we are offering these options:

1. Any stallion on the Desert Classic Futurity list from the years 2008 to 2012 prodigy is now eligible for the 2012 Futurity (list enclosed).
2. Any Quarter Horse yearling that pays a onetime fee of \$2500.00 on or before November 1st, 2011 plus all payments.
3. Any Quarter Horse yearling that pays a onetime fee of \$10,000.00 after November 1st up until entry time plus all payments.

We would like to give our consignors the option of participating in an online auction much like our stallion service auction. For a \$50.00 consignment fee plus a 10% commission we will list your horse on our web auction site. There will be a sale catalog page for potential buyers to preview, a photo which you will provide to us and your ranch contact information. You will set the reserve bid on your horse. Auction will begin on October 15th and end on a date to be determined. Payment will be made thru our site using pay pal so you have no concerns about collecting your money. You will be responsible for providing correct association paperwork once payment has been verified. Please call Loretta for more information.

AQRA is planning to hold a Mixed Stock /In Training Sale at Rillito Park this spring. Stay tuned for more information.

Thank you for your continuing support of the AQRA - it was a long, hot summer with no racing at Yavapai but good things are in the works with Turf Paradise running an expanded QH meet and Rillito Park running 9 weekends spring of 2012.

Thank you,

Ralph Fales
Arizona Quarter Horse Racing Association, President