

# NRCHA E-Cow Work

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## Dates Changed for 2010 Snaffle Bit Futurity Sales Presented by Markel Insurance Co.

The National Reined Cow Horse Association Board of Directors has announced that the dates for the 2010 Snaffle Bit Futurity Sales Presented by Markel Insurance Co. have been changed.

There will be no horse sale on Wednesday, September 29. The Select Yearling/Broodmare Sale will begin at 9 a.m. on Thursday, September 30, and conclude at 3 p.m. That Sale will be followed by the Classic Yearling and Broodmare Sale, which will run until approximately 4:15 p.m.

On Friday, October 1, the Select 2-Year-Old Sale will begin at 3 p.m. and run until 7:30 p.m., and will be immediately followed by the Performance Horse Sale until approximately 9 p.m.

All end times are approximations. The Horse Sale previews will remain the same, with the Performance Horse Sale Preview on Thursday, September 30, from 7 a.m. until 9 a.m., and the Select 2-Year-Old Sale Preview on Friday, October 1, from 9:45 a.m. until 12:15 p.m.

For more information about the Snaffle Bit Futurity Sales Presented by Markel Insurance Co., go to [www.nrcha.com](http://www.nrcha.com) and click the "Horse Sale" link.

## FREE AQHYA Cow Work Practice set for August 5

A Youth Cow Work Practice will be free to 2010 AQHYA World Championship Show Working Cow Horse Qualifiers. It will be held on August 5, the day before the Working Cow Horse Preliminaries.

The free youth event is organized and managed by NRCHA members Sam Rose, Todd Crawford and Jay McLaughlin, who will also conduct a mini-seminar for the youth.

The event is generously hosted by Cary Chambers at his 4C Equine in Tuttle, Oklahoma, so the event will be only a short drive from the Oklahoma State Fairgrounds. Cattle are being sponsored by Carol Rose Quarter Horses of Gainesville, Texas.

## Watch Thursday Evening This Week!

### Chris Cox to Highlight Snaffle Bit Futurity on RFD-TV Equine Live

When acclaimed clinician and trainer Chris Cox takes the mike alongside 6-time Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association World Champion All-Around Cowboy and Hall of Fame honoree Larry Mahan for a special one-hour edition of RFD-TV Equine Live on Thursday, July 29, one topic of conversation will be the 2010 National Reined Cow Horse Association Snaffle Bit Futurity.

The 2-time Road to the Horse World Champion has made a living teaching equine enthusiasts versatility in horsemanship. "I teach how to make horses that can go from the trail to the arena, and everything from starting a colt to showing it," he explained.

Cox, whose family ran over 8,000 head of cattle, was practically raised on the back of a horse. "Horses and cows are just common partners for me, and everything I teach is influenced by cattle," he said. "That makes the Snaffle Bit Futurity very enticing to me."

Cox is familiar to RFD-TV viewers. His television series "Chris Cox Horsemanship" airs three times weekly on the popular network. But RFD-TV Equine Live has a unique format. RFD-TV's national audience can phone in and have their questions answered live on the air during the one-hour live television event.

RFD-TV Equine Live will begin at 9 p.m. CST Thursday, July 29. Viewers can call 877-731-6733 to possibly have their questions answered on live TV.

### Don't Miss the Southwest Reined Cow Horse Association Kalpowar Futurity & Faith Performance Horses Derby

The Southwest Reined Cow Horse Association Kalpowar Futurity & Faith Performance Horses Derby will be held in Ardmore, Oklahoma, August 18 - 22 at the Hardy Murphy Coliseum. Last year's show was a huge success with a payout of over \$152,000. If you can't make it to Ardmore, catch the action on the web through the live webcast beginning August 20. Entries close August 9 - so make sure to visit the SRCHA website at [www.srcha.com](http://www.srcha.com) for more information.

