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## **NRCHA E-Cow Work**

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### **NRCHA and Ward Ranch Announce 2010 Raffle Colt - Master N Pep**

Purchasing a reined cow horse can easily empty most pocket books, but everyone has an opportunity to win an exemplary prospect sporting some of the cow horse industry's most revered bloodlines. For more than twenty years, the National Reined Cow Horse Association has teamed up with the historic Ward Ranch to offer the raffle colt, who is given away at the NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity in Reno, Nevada.

The raffle colt has been an institution for the NRCHA, and the colt comes with a paid entry fee for the 2011 NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity for the Open, Non Pro, or Amateur.

This year, the raffle colt is a striking bay gelding named Master N Pep by Reminics Pep (Reminic x Peppy Remedy) out of Master N Peppy (Master Remedy x Little Bo Peppy). Every current NRCHA member will be receiving three raffle colt tickets within the next few weeks. Members can then fill out the tickets and mail them back with the money to be entered in the raffle.

The raffle colt is also a great fund-raiser - so if your NRCHA Affiliate or group is interested in raising money, please contact the NRCHA Office.

As always, Master N Pep represents the genetic excellence of the Ward Ranch. Reminics Pep, a son of Reminic out of Peppy Remedy, has lifetime earnings over \$135,000. He was the 1998 NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity Open Champion, and then went on to be the Open Co-Reserve Champion at the River Front Farms NRCHA Derby. He was also successful in National Cutting Horse Association competition, making the semi-finals at the Pacific Coast Cutting Horse Association Futurity, and was a finalist at the Gold Coast Winter Championship. He was also the 1999 Arizona Sun Circuit Open Derby Champion.

The donation cost for a chance to win is \$10, and that donation supports the annual NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity and NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity Horse Sale incentive. There is no limit on the number of tickets that can be purchased. This is a great opportunity to win a horse from some of the best reined cow horse bloodlines available. For more information on the raffle colt, please contact the NRCHA Office at 580-759-4949.

The Ward Ranch was founded in 1972 by NRCHA Hall of Fame member Greg Ward and his family. Ward Ranch was built physically and genetically around the much-acclaimed mare Fillinic, one of the industry's leading producers. She was the dam of 1972 Futurity Champion Sugarnic, and grandmother of the 1981 Champion Sugar Remedy. Many other Futurity finalists are also credited to this mare. Her son, Reminic, is the sire of Reminics Pep, and the 1986 Snaffle Bit

Futurity Champion Smokinic. Fillinic's grandson Master Remedy is the sire of Oteo Master, Master Checks, Mastroani, and Master Rani Chex.

In 1998, the Ward Ranch expanded with the acquisition of a breeding facility on the Kings River in Kingsburg, California. Standing there are Silver Gun, Smart Lil Highbrow, Smart Little Pepinic, Smart Steady Date, Topsails Rien Maker, Wranglers Starlight, Major Sno Chex, Mister Smart Remedy, Rene Dan Jet, Self Shine, and That CD Rocks.



### **Judges Announced for NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity**

NRCHA Director of Judges Bill Enk has announced those chosen to officiate during the 2010 NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity. Grading the action at this year's event will be:

Skip Brown

Billy Cochrane

Rod Kelley

Jimmy Stickler

Tim Stewart

### **Cowboy Church Services at the NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity**

Cowboy Church Services at the 2010 NRCHA Snaffle Bit Futurity will at 6:45am on Sunday September 26 and at 7am on Sunday October 3. Services will be conducted by David and Kathleen Simmons' Cowboy Church Ministries. For more information, David and Kathleen can be reached at 817-825-1164 or you can visit the website at [www.cowboychurchministries.org](http://www.cowboychurchministries.org).

### **Congratulations to 2010 Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Bridle Spectacular Winners!**

The Arizona Reined Cow Horse Association, along with the Southern California Reined Cow Horse Association, hosted the fourth annual Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Bridle and Hackamore Spectaculars during the SCRCHA Wine County Classic Horse Show.

In the Open Bridle Spectacular, Lyn Anderson rode her horse, Lil Time To Smoke, to win the title, while Lance Johnston, riding Nu Prize for his son Trystin Johnston, won the Open Hackamore Spectacular.

Karen Stallings topped both the Non Pro Bridle and Non Pro Hackamore Spectaculars on horses owned by her husband, Kevin. In the Non Pro Bridle, it was NMSU Truckin Chex who claimed the win, while Star Time Truckin was Karen's ride for the Non Pro Hackamore Spectacular.

