

## Welcome to Rafter SS Ranch

### news

Congratulations to Shawna Sapergia & This Chics on Top 2006 NRHA Intermediate Open Futurity Champions.

Just when we thought there was nothing more exciting then finals night at the NRHA Futurity, Shawna Sapergia riding This Chic on Top owned by Outrider Ranch Ltd and Matt Florida aboard Custom Blackberry endure in a chair gripping runoff for a first place tie in the \$50,000 added Elite Trailer Intermediate Open Division. Concluding the breath taking run off Shawna Sapergia and This Chics on Top were rewarded the 2006 NRHA Intermediate Open Division Championship. Congratulations Shawna!

"Sapergia says when I heard them announce "THEEE SCORE" I knew it was going to be a big one." Shawna marked a 221.5 in the finals go round and then bettered that by 1 1/2 points in the runoff posting a 223. "It's a dream come true and to have my husband Mike there, it made the win mean that much more." Thank-You to all the people that cheered from near and afar it truly means a-lot.

Shawna Sapergia & Got Bling Bling owned by Outrider Ranch Ltd first go round of NRHA Futurity score a remarkable 220.



BL Whiz Kid & Shawna Sapergia winning the Bronze Medal, while representing our Country at the 2006 FEI World Reining Masters Finals in Denver.

After a spectacular performance marking a 221.5 Shawna Sapergia takes a step onto the podium at the FEI World Reining Masters Finals in Denver. "It was a team effort says Sapergia, BL Whiz Kid & I both worked very hard to prepare for this elite experience. I am very grateful for Gilbert & Rhonda Thompson owners of BL Whiz Kid for allowing me the opportunity to show such an outstanding horse. THANK-YOU"



Canadian Supreme Red Deer, Alberta September 2006

Wow a fantastic way to wrap up the 2006 Canadian show season. Shawna Sapergia Earning well over \$11,840.00 at the Canadian Supreme in Red Deer, Alberta. Sapergia would like to give a special thank you to all the owners / riders

for a very enjoyable and successful show season.

- Shawna & SR Listo Poco Lena team up for a Championship run in the Canadian Supreme Derby with a score of 149. As well earning the Reserve Championship in the Open to the world Derby class.
- Got Bling Bling & Sapergia show their dexterity earning a Reserve Championship title in the Open to the world Futurity class.
- Chic Olena Whiz & Shawna putting together a very respectable run marking a 147.5 good enough for a 3rd place finish in the Open to the world Derby class.
- Open Reining Reserve Champion Shawna Sapergia aboard Chic Olena Whiz. As well a 3rd place finish riding SR Listo Poco Lena.
- Shonda Day making her presence very well known with two incredibly tough Futurity runs aboard Primed all the Time. Shonda marking an aggregate score of 288 putting the duo on top for the 2006 Canadian Supreme Non Pro Futurity Championship as well as the Open to the world Non Pro Futurity Champion.



This Chics On Top! Shawna Sapergia Wins NRHA Int Open Futurity at CRBC Winnipeg, MB

Shawna Sapergia and This Chics on Top "Dolly" owned by Outrider Ranch win the NRHA Int Open Futurity & Reserve NRHA Open Futurity with an astonishing 219.

Outrider Ranches Chic Olena Whiz "Bugs" & Shawna Sapergia slide into a 3rd place finish in the NRHA Int Open Derby & 6th in the Open Derby with a very respectable 218.

Chic Olena Whiz & Shawna capture the Western Canadian Affiliate Championship title in the NRHA Novice Horse Open, as well Reserve Champions in the NRHA Novice Horse Open. Shawna Sapergia riding SR Listo Poco Lena owned by Dawne Spenrath slide in for the Western Canadian Affiliate NRHA Novice Horse Open Reserve Championship, as well as a 3rd place finish in the NRHA Novice Horse Open.

Shawna Sapergia earning a spot to compete in Denver at the FEI World Reining Masters October 17th - 22nd. Solano Speedy Eagle & Shawna make a Championship run with a score of 147. Bad As My Dad & Solano Poster Boy both ridden by Shawna split the Reserve Championship.

Cheryl Belanger & Bad As My Dad qualify for the NRHA Rookie Affiliate Finals in Oklahoma with their great run in the Western Canadian Affiliate NRHA Rookie class, winning 3rd place. The duo also splitting a 3rd place win with Leslie Eagleton aboard Solano Speedy Eagle in the NRHA Ltd Non Pro. Leslie and Mighty also qualifying for the NRHA Affiliate Finals in Oklahoma in 2 classes: NRHA Ltd Non Pro & NRHA Novice Horse Non Pro. David Goodchild & Smart Jasmine Jac find themselves on top of the leader board winning the Western Canadian Affiliate NRHA Int Non Pro finals, also qualifying them for the Affiliate Finals in Oklahoma. SS First Chic Olena and Jaime Demott place 3rd in the NRHA Ltd Non Pro Futurity.



### Canadian Reining Breeders Classic 2006

Champion Intermediate Open Futurity

Shawna Sapergia wins 2006 NRHA Int Open Futurity at Manntana Classic Futurity & Derby in Kalispell, Montana August 2006

Turning in a spectacular performance Outrider Ranches Got Bling Bling & Shawna score a 220.5 earning them a Championship title in the NRHA Int Open Futurity. As well a 3rd place tie with Todd Bergen in the NRHA Open Futurity. This Chics On Top "Dolly" owned by Outrider Ranch & ridden by Shawna also find themselves at the pay window with a 4th place finish in the NRHA Int Open Futurity.

Outrider Ranches Chic Olena Whiz "Bugs" & Shawna Sapergia marking a score of 218.5 capturing a 5/6 split in the NRHA Open Derby.

Shawna Sapergia riding SR Listo Poco Lena owned by Dawne Spenrath prove their talents by turning in a 146 to capture the NRHA Novice Horse Open Championship title. Shawna & Chic Olena Whiz split the NRHA Novice Horse Open Reserve Championship title with Mike Boyle both marking a 145.5.



SS First Chic Olena & Jaime Demott venture out for their first run placing 3rd in the NRHA Ltd Non Pro Futurity.

South Country Slide-In Futurity Cardston, Alberta August 2006

Congratulations to:

- Shawna Sapergia showing her talents with a 3rd place finish aboard Listos Last Sugar in the NRHA Open Futurity. As well a 4th place finish aboard CC Peponitas Reminic.
- Leslie Eagleton & "Mighty" Solano Speedy Eagle capture Reserve Championship in NRHA Novice Horse Non Pro & NRHA Ltd Non Pro.

RA Summer Classic Red Deer, Alberta July 2006

Congratulations to:

- Shawna Sapergia aboard Cash N Travel earning the Championship title in the NRHA Novice Horse Open.
- Cheryl Belanger & Bad As My Dad slide in for a 3rd place finish with a 141 mark in the NRHA Rookie.
- David Goodchild & Smart Jasmine Jac post a solid 141.5 capturing the Reserve Championship in the NRHA Int Non Pro. As well a great run in the NRHA Novice Horse Non Pro marking a 140.5 earning a 4th place finish.
- Leslie Eagleton & Solano Speedy Eagle continue their success marking a 142.5 giving the duo a 4th place finish in the NRHA Ltd Non Pro & RA Ltd Non Pro.

RA Spring Classic Red Deer, Alberta June 2006

Congratulations to:

- Outrider Ranches Chic Olena Whiz & Shawna Sapergia continue their winning streak while capturing Reserve Championship in the NRHA Novice Horse Open. As well a 3rd place finish in the NRHA 5 & 6yr old Open Derby.
- Shonda Day & Cash N Travel earning the Reserve Championship in the NRHA Ltd Non Pro & RA Ltd Non Pro.

South Country Derby Cardston, Alberta May 2006

Congratulations to:

- Once again it's very evident Shawna Sapergia has completed her homework over the winter months. Shawna & SR Listo Poco Lena slid in for a championship run in the NRHA Novice Horse Open. As well the duo captures Reserve Championship in the NRHA Open 4yr old Derby.
- Leslie Eagleton aboard Solano Speedy Eagle tie for Reserve Championship in NRHA Non Pro 5 & 6yr old Derby.



Sapergia Captures Novice Horse Open Reserve Champion at 2006 All American Reining Classic in Las Vegas, Nevada

Chic Olean Whiz "Bugs" Owned by Outrider Ranch, ridden by Shawna Sapergia Captures NRHA Novice Horse Open Reserve Champion during the inaugural All American Reining Classic held at South Coast Hotel & Casino Las Vegas, Nevada. Outrider Ranch purchased Chic Olena Whiz from Griffin Quarter Horses only a week prior to this show. Shawna once again accomplishes victory. "It was electrifying to show at such an outstanding facility & to be mounted on a great horse. Thank - You Outrider Ranch for this opportunity as well as ones to come."

Adding to Outrider Ranches world class string is Chic Olena Whiz "Bugs" full sister This Chics On Top "Dolly" a three year old bay mare. As well a two year old sorrel stallion by legendary Topsail Whiz.

Shawna Ties for 4/5 Split in the 2005 NRHA Intermediate Open Futurity!

Shawna and Mark Me Smart "Ginger" mark smart at the 2005 NRHA Futurity!! Mark Me Smart formally owned by Dusti Worbets. The dynamic duo made the Intermediate Open NRHA Futurity Finals and when the dust settled, Ginger & Shawna had a beautiful run with a solid 217 earning \$12,440.94. Congratulations to Jackie Krshka on the purchase of Mark Me Smart. Best wishes Jackie



Watch for Dusty's latest purchase "[Berry](#)" 2004 Shining Spark x Custom Red Berry and Shawna at 2007 Futurities.

#### 2006 Canada Reining Team

Shawna Sapergia & BL Whiz Kid, owned by Gilbert & Rhonda Thompson secure a spot on the 2006 Canadian Reining Team. The Canadian Cup selection was held on September 9th - 11th 2005 at Blainville Equestrian Park in Blainville, Quebec. Along with Shawna and BL Whiz Kid are her team-mates: Duane Latimer and Hang Ten Surprise, Luke Gagnon and Lil Santana, Lance Griffin and Whiz n Tag Chex. To view the complete results visit this site. [Reining Canada](#)

BL Whiz Kid & Shawna will be unable to attend the World Equestrian Games in Aachen, Germany on August 20<sup>th</sup> - September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2006. However team-mate Francois Gauthier and Snow Gun will replace the duo. "Good Luck Team Canada"

