President’s Message
July 2020

Dear Fellow Members,

I am so sad we could not have the Curly Convention this year in Reno! I was so looking forward to seeing all of my Curly friends and fellow breeders. Let’s make sure to plan on a 2021 convention that will have everyone saving up for and coming to Reno!!

It sure seems like people are having a hard time finding a well-trained older Curly horse in the horse market today. Or even a well-bred younger Curly horse. Most people after finding such a Curly will keep it forever. That’s where all of our Registered Breeders come into play. They are very conscientious about their breeding programs and will not sell a horse to a buyer that is unaware of ownership responsibilities. Usually when our phone rings with inquiries about For Sale horses, and the caller wants to come and see we will always suggest taking lessons first if they are green and want to own a horse.

American Bashkir Registered Curly Breeders are always listed in this publication and also on the website. Most like to brag about their Curlies, so if you are looking and want some information, they will gladly tell you about their horses.

Summer is in full bloom here in Reno with highs in the 90’s. We are starting our fly season and are taking precautions with full face masks that also help with the sun’s rays. With some horses we will bring them in during the day and put those out at night which can be beneficial with sun bleached or sunburned coats.

The Registry will be holding a Convention Conference call to make up for the missed Reno convention. It will be held on the weekend of the 2020 Convention planned July dates. Please contact the ABC office or your District Representative for information on attending this call.

Joan Olson
ABC President

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**Curly Coat Genes**

The Cook gene is another rare, unidentified gene. They also do not have KRT25 or SP6, yet show the curly coat. There are some out there, but tests still need to be done to identify their curly gene, and how it works. Cook was a neighbor of Damele’s, so it is possible horses of the Damele lines could have the unknown Cook gene.

Listed below are horses who may have the Cook gene. If you have, or know of someone who has a horse listed, or a progeny from it, please ask them to contact Dr. Wilkinson, and get hair to him, for testing. The list is below, as well as contact information. If the horse is on this list, Dr. Wilkinson will pay for the testing. If not, the owner will have to pay for the testing.

Ravishing Beauty  ABC#??????
Sire-Houdini  ABC# 468
Kara Mia  ABC# 1171
Ne-Hi Majic  ABC# 1172 (hair sample tested)-but need blood if it was ever taken
Gemstar Majic  ABC# 1161
CPS Woody  ABC# 4014
Magjie Rainmaker  ABC# 1232
Copper Majic  ABC# 1162
Kodiak Majic  ABC# 2260 (waiting on blood from Austria, already have hair sample tested).
Lacy Lady  ABC# 2325

There are other curly horses in the world without the KRT25, SP6, Sulphur, or Cook lines. Dr. Wilkinson and Dr. Gus Cothran are hoping to be able to eventually get samples and test them for their curly genes. Contact:

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TRAINED BLACK CURLY REGISTERED (BASHKIR) GELDING

H CREEK COLONEL TRAVIS (ABCR #3758) AKA JETT has been trained in both ENGLISH and WESTERN. He currently gives lessons to young riders but has the energy and desire to be an more athletic horse. He is fabulous on trails, loves to walk through water, and rarely spooks. He is an ALL AROUND Horse and has participated in the following, Drill Team, Endurance, English Pleasure, Equitation, Lesson, Ranch, Ridden English, Ridden Western, School, Trail, Trail Riding, Western Pleasure, Western Riding, Working Cattle. He was foaled Aug 21st 2007. Weighs approximately 975 lbs. and is approximately 14.2 hands.

HIDDEN CAVE JAVI

YEARLING BLACK TOBIANO FILLY. JAVI has the typical puppy I will follow you everywhere Character. She loves when we have visitors and hang out with people. She’s currently 14H but still growing. JAVI has great ground manners and is easy to work with. She is registered in the straight coat book with ABCR.

$3500

DAM: STAGCREEK MALLIE
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HIDDEN CAVE RANCH also have several weanlings FOR SALE, Including miniature CURLY PONIES.
Convention News
We will be having a Convention Conference Call for the 2020 year. The Date of the Call will be either Saturday, August 1 or Sunday, August 2nd. Please check on the website for further information and time. If you want to participate, please contact the ABC office at 859-250-4364 or email, abcregistry@aol.com.

The agenda will be posted on the website on the Convention news page. Join us and tell us what your thoughts are for helping the registry to increase membership and help with registrations of curly horses. The Registry is having an auction of various horsey items presented by Diane Mitchell. These items are posted on the ABC Facebook page and on the website. Please help the registry and bid. Your help is always appreciated.
ABCR CURLY HORSE BREED STANDARDS

BODY CONFORMATION
- A medium size head with well-defined jaw and throatlatch
- Wide set eyes with eyelashes that curl up
- Ears that are short to medium in length with curls inside (ear hair does not totally shed out in the summer)
- A medium length neck, deep at the base of the neck where it joins the base of the shoulder
- Noticeably short back, deep through the girth
- An appearance of a long under line and the belly cut high in the flank
- Heavy boned legs and short cannon bone as compared to the forearm
- Medium withers and a flat croup with a shallow slope to the base of the tail

CURLY CHARACTERISTICS
Body (Fine, soft hair)
- Ringlet (can be several inches long)
- Marcel Wave (deep soft wave in the body coat)
- Crushed Velvet (soft dense pile of curls in body coat)

MANE (EXTRA FINE HAIR)
- Kinky – preferable
- Wavy
- Should shed all or partial in the summer
- Split mane (hangs on both sides of neck)

TAIL
- Ringlets
- Wavy
- Should shed partial at the head of the tail in the summer of some horses may shed tail completely

FETLOCKS
- Curly – preferable
- Wavy
- Should shed in summer but still retain some long hairs

HOOFES
- Almost perfectly round in shape
- Very hard and dense
- Proportioned to the size of the horse

SIZE AND WEIGHT
- Average-15 hands
- Average weight-800 to 1000 pounds

UNIQUE CHARACTERISTICS
- Curly coat can be hypoallergenic (the horsehair is round instead of flat and testing has shown the hair is closely related to mohair)
- Can completely shed the mane and/or tail in the summer, only to grow back in the fall with the winter coat.
- Noticeably short, strong back, sometimes indicating five lumbar vertebrae
- Even-tempered disposition
- Quick pulse and respiration recovery
- Very dense bone in the legs
ABCR CURLY HORSE DATABASE
“FREE TO ABCR MEMBERS”
ABCR provides a fully linked ABCR Curly Horse Studbook online with more than 8,100 entries and 2,950 pictures including all ABCR horses. These are the features of this database:

1. Fully linked pedigrees with pictures
2. Siblings view: Find full and half siblings of a given ABCR animal at-a-glance
3. Offspring view
4. Vertical pedigrees: Vertical pedigrees list full siblings of each horse in the pedigree at-a-glance, which as a group represent various combinations of their parents’ genes, and are good indicators of the range of possibilities that are likely to be passed on. Using vertical pedigree analysis gives breeders interesting insights e.g. about confirmation or the extreme characteristics that cannot be tracked in a direct manner.
5. Reverse pedigrees: Reverse pedigrees show offspring of the offspring of a given animal.
6. Trial mating: Try out mating’s between ABCR horses and look how the confirmation or other characteristics would match.
7. Additional information such as coefficient of inbreeding (COI) and pedigree quality
8. Indication of DNA availability and extreme characteristics
9. Name generator: Generator for horse names based on more than 40 years of ABCR Curly Horse names—always new and fancy combinations, fun guaranteed!
10. Additional features: Advanced search, fully scalable between 3 and 8 generations, same ancestors highlighted, enlargeable pictures
Sentimental Journey

ELANA OAKES PROUDLY RIDING JENIEL’S BLISSFUL.
NEW REGISTRATIONS

HCC Dazzle O66
Owned and Bred by
Lyndsey Dubbelde
Baltic, South Dakota

HCC Moon O65
Owned and bred by
Lyndsey Dubbelde
Baltic, South Dakota

HCC Splash of Blue O68
Owned and Bred by
Lyndsay Dubbelde
Baltic, South Dakota
NEW REGISTRATIONS

**Floralake Marcel ABC# 4285**
Owned and Bred by
Florence Martin
Wellestrry, Canada

**Floralake Serene Kya ABC# 4284**
Owned and bred by
Florence Martin
Wellestrry, Canada

**Dee Annie of Stamford ABC# 4282**
Owned by Susan Law
Stamford, Vermont
Rescue Mare
Parents found through DNA Database
NEW REGISTRATIONS

**Floralake Ash** ABC# 4283  
Owned and bred by  
Florence Martin  
Wellestry, Canada

**Floralake Oaklyn S804**  
Owned and bred by  
Florence Martin  
Wellestry, Canada

**Kahlua** ABC# PB 807  
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