

By now, hopefully you all have recovered from the long week in Memphis known as the World Show. OSBA members held their own; in the Warm-Up to the World Circuit, Carly Kidner won Reserve All-Around Youth 14-18 with her mare TNT Rich N Famous. George Anders won Circuit Champion Yearling Mares with Justa Shade Dun, Connie Lechleitner won Reserve Circuit Champion Three Year Old Mares with Im Dun Up In Krymsun, and Christina Coudret won Reserve Circuit Champion Senior Hunter Under Saddle with Choculas Sky Walker. The Therapists Dream, owned by Julie Cassel, won Reserve Circuit Champion Junior Western Pleasure, and Blazes Bit O Honey, owned by Sherry Harker, won Circuit Champion Senior Western Pleasure and Reserve Circuit Champion Amateur Western Pleasure. In the Youth Division, Carly Kidner won Circuit Champion Youth Western Showmanship 14-18 and Youth Western Disciplined Rail.

In the World Show, Ohio members did equally well. In the Youth Division, Kaylee Russell won 7th place and Michelle Hendricks won 10th place in Youth Western Showmanship 13 & Under. Carly Kidner won Reserve World Champion Youth Western Showmanship 14-18, 4th place in Youth Reining, World Champion Youth English Showmanship 14-18, Reserve World Champion Youth Western Pleasure 14-18, 5th Place Youth Western Trail 14-18, 3rd place in Youth Hunt Seat Equitation 14-18, 4th place Youth Hunter Under Saddle 14-18, 3rd place Youth Hunt Seat Disciplined Rail 14-18, and 6th place Hunt Seat Trail 14-18. More results have yet to be posted on IBHA's web site. Carly also finished as Reserve All-Around Youth 14-18. Courtney Flick finished 9th in Youth Western Pleasure 14-18, and Michelle Hendricks placed 5th and Kaylee Russell placed 9th in Youth Western Pleasure 13 & Under. In Youth Hunter Under Saddle 13 & Under, Kaylee Russell placed 5th, and Michelle Hendricks placed 7th.

In the Amateur division, Brandy Morelock placed 9th in Western Showmanship and 10th in English Showmanship. Sherry Harker placed 5th and Shannon Courtock placed 10th in Western Pleasure. Danielle Hartley placed 7th in Western Trail, Christina Coudret placed 10th in Equitation, and Jennifer Ross placed 10th in Hunter Under Saddle. Also, Brianne Mathews placed 10th in Horsemanship.

In the Open division, Todd Foltz won 6th place, Jan Gates placed 8th, and Beth Ames placed 10th in Yearling Longe Line. Sherry Harker and Blazes Bit O Honey won Reserve World Champion Senior Western Pleasure and Robin Murphy placed 7th with Zips Dun Version. Todd Foltz won 5th in Jr. Western Pleasure with The Therapists Dream, and Brian Chaffin placed 7th in the same class with Wyo O Doc. Also, Robin Murphy won Reserve World Champion Senior Hunter Under Saddle, and Christina Coudret placed 7th. Ben Grandstaff and Dynamic Breeze won World Champion Dun Factor, and George Anders won World Champion Yearling Mare. Check www.ibha.net for more Warm-Up Circuit and World Show Placings, as they are not all posted at the time this was written.

The Youth Team did extremely well, and we are already planning for next year; the 2009 theme will be "Dun in the Sun". The Youth Team will be meeting at the Futurity show – September 6th and 7th – so bring your selves and your ideas!

The next and final OSBA show of the 2008 show season will be the Futurity, where we will have an AQHA Introductory Show on Saturday at 5:00. There will also be NSBA Color Classes, so spread the word to your Palomino, Paint, and Appaloosa friends!

Congratulations to all who had a great World Show and let's end the show season with a bang! Check www.ohiobuckskins.org for the latest and greatest OSBA news.