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President's Message

Happy Fall Calpaca Members!

I hope this finds you enjoying the cool weather and beautiful colors of the fall season.

I thought this would be a good opportunity to recap some of the wonderful Calpaca events we have had this year.

UC Davis Camelid Symposium: The Symposium held in January was sponsored by Calpaca. The knowledge of the speakers from all over the world was amazing. Even the most experienced breeder or seasoned camelid veterinarian had an opportunity to learn new information in the raising of camelids. In addition to alpaca breeders present there were many llama breeders as well as at least one camel breeder.

The California Classic Roundup: In April Calpaca marked a milestone in the industry by requesting a waiver from the AOA show system to include a walking fleece competition and it was approved! Thank you to our California Classic event manager Charlene Schmid for stepping forward and making this happen. The Classic and the walking fleece competition was a huge success and AOA is now in the process of putting the competition in the AOA show rules.

The Gold Country Gathering: Despite the weather, The Gold Country Gathering in October was a huge success! Just like the first show in 2011 we were challenged with torrential down pours. But alpaca people pull together and we were able to have a successful show with mostly happy faces in the midst of never ending rain. We might want to rename this years show "A River Run's Through it". If you attended the show be sure to answer your survey and receive your "I survived the 2016 Gold County Gathering" t-shirt.

Quarterly Membership Meetings: We traveled around the state this year for our quarterly membership meetings. In addition to enjoying getting together with our fellow breeders each meeting offered valuable tools for alpaca breeders.

In February **Colusa Riverside Alpacas** hosted us. Our guest speakers were Dr.'s John Madigan and Julie Dechent. They demonstrated a new technique that has been successful in transforming "dummy foals" and has now been successfully used in camelids.

In May we ventured to Cathy's Valley where **Epic Alpacas** hosted our meeting. Ian Watt discussed objective measures for better breeding and demonstrated the punch biopsy procedure for fiber analysis.

In August we went south to Lompaq where the meeting was hosted at the **Ranch of the Oaks Fiber Mill**. Tom & Mette Goehring , owner operators of Ranch of The Oaks gave a wonderful presentation on blending other fibers with alpaca as well as a tour of their mill.

Our November 12th meeting is being hosted by **Alpacas All Around**. The topic is "exit strategy" and "emergency exit strategy" I hope I will see you all there!

Cheers to 2016!

Karen Ball, 2016 Calpaca President

Calpaca Member News

WELCOME NEW CALPACA MEMBERS

Lina Luna-Pruitt, Twin Lakes Farm, 3361 Twin Lakes Drive, Loomis, CA 95650, 916-505-3306
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Louise Crosby, 7935 Auburn Folsom Rd., Granite Bay, CA 95746, 916-804-4287, lcrosby@surewest.net

Renew Or Join Today And Stay Connected

In California's tradition as a pioneer of progress, the California Alpaca Breeders Association (Calpaca) was the first—and is the oldest—regional alpaca association in the Northern Hemisphere and has been a leader in the American alpaca industry since 1989. Calpaca represents alpaca owners, breeders, and enthusiasts in California and beyond. We promote the well-being of alpacas and education of the public about alpacas, alpaca fiber, and alpaca products. We support each other through shared information and experiences, and host meetings, speakers and shows for the benefit of members and the public.

Calpaca Farm Membership-\$100/yr (\$50 first year)

Benefits:

- Run for a seat on the Board of Directors
- Two votes on Calpaca issues
- Quarterly Calpaca Connection Newsletter
- **Farm profile with online store on Calpaca website!**
- **Farm included in directory, Alpacas for Sale, and Store listings**
- **Free Newsletter advertising**
- Receive lists of potential buyers
- Attend all Calpaca meetings and events

Calpaca Associate Membership-\$30/yr

Benefits:

- Quarterly Calpaca Connection Newsletter
- Attend all Calpaca meetings and events

Staying Connected

Calpaca Website

<http://www.calpaca.org/>

Group Emails

calpaca1@googlegroups.com

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Calpaca— California Alpaca Association

To join or renew your membership: <http://www.calpaca.org/page/2572/join-calpaca>

Upcoming Calpaca Events

2016

November 12– Membership meeting at Alpacas All Around, Loomis, CA

2017

February (2nd Saturday) - Membership meeting TBA

March 25 & 26—California Classic Alpaca Show, Fairgrounds, Dixon, CA

For more member events check: <http://www.calpaca.org/events/>

**DON'T MISS CALPACAS QUARTERLY MEETING!!!
HOSTED BY ALPACAS ALL AROUND**

**November 12 at 10:00 AM
4300 Hansen Road, Loomis, CA 95650**

SCHEDULE:

9:30 AM — Coffee and sweets will be waiting when you arrive.

10:00 AM - General Membership Meeting

12:00 PM - Lunch

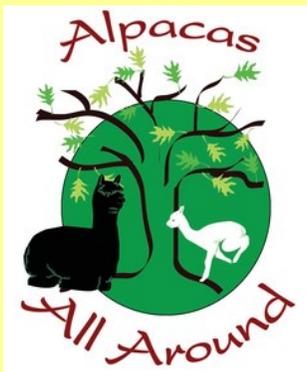
The Petersen's will be providing a taco soup and bar. Vegetarian/chicken, and most all the fixings you can think of to add to your soup; cheese, peppers, tortilla strips, tomatoes, onions, sour cream. So all we need is for you to bring anything else you gotta have - maybe guacamole, salads or sides, rice, and desserts. Paper products, utensils and water will also be provided.

1:00 PM - Educational Session

Our educational component will consist of a round table discussion that includes an exit plan in your business. Additionally we will discuss an emergency exit plan as well. Questions to ask ourselves: What is going to happen to our animals in an emergency, if we are unable to care for them, who should be contacted, where to get feed, hay, shearing assistance; who has the power to sell/rehome the animals, where is the paper work? WOW - these are very important questions that we all need to be thinking about.

You don't want to miss this meeting!!

PLEASE RSVP TO SUSAN
susan.petersen89@yahoo.com or call 916-660-1918



The Gold Country Gathering 2016

I bought my first alpacas in May of 2010 and my first show was the Gold Country Gathering in Grass Valley ~ wow what a beautiful place!! The rain started Saturday and didn't stop for the rest of the weekend. When we got to the fairgrounds Sunday our animals were knee deep in water! What a mess! Who thought it could get any worse than that??

I moved to Grass Valley in October of 2015, no Gold Country Gathering that year. I agreed to be the Event Manager and bring back the show in 2016....after all it was my favorite alpaca show! It was more work than I expected but I pushed through thanks to the help from the past Event Managers and others who had more experience putting on shows. Feeling confident that my experienced Event Managers and volunteers had helped get everything lined up for the best Gold Country Gathering yet I finally started to feel all the work had paid off..... but then came the weather forecast predicting a weekend of rain that led to a very busy week before the event. Being the first year we would host a Walking Fleece competition we realized we needed additional covered areas to pull this off not to mention alternate plans for our open hospitality event Friday night and our Pot Luck Saturday night. The fairgrounds gave us some challenging options but we managed to pull it off....until the rain came.



I got to the fairgrounds Friday morning before sunrise (not that you could see the sun as the rain started at 4:30 am). The rain was pouring off of the roof of the barns into the pen areas flooding pens that had been set up the day before. I moved the poop barrels under the worst parts where the rain was pouring off the roofs into some pens. People started to arrive and my WONDERFUL volunteers started rearranging pens to get animals set up in dry places. It was a very wet and crazy day but the exhibitors showed up... some

choosing to leave their animals in their trailers! The vendors showed up too! Thankfully we had room in the indoor facilities where the Fleece Show and Silent Auction was set up to move our Hospitality event indoors! Great wine and appetizers in a dry place.



With an amazing Superintendent, Judges, Exhibitors, Vendors and Volunteers the show started (a little late) on Saturday morning with the rain still pouring down. Alpaca people are AWESOME!! Making the best of the situation and showing their animals in both the halter show and walking fleece competition they made it all happen. Ending the day with a wonderful Pot Luck (again inside) I felt a bit of relief... everyone was enjoying themselves!

As we gathered Sunday morning with the rain still coming down we had our production classes and finished the halter classes. As we scrambled to close down the show I was excited to hear that the Vendors felt they did better than expected and the Exhibitors were thrilled with our wonderful Judges and how smoothly the show had gone considering the weather.



I want to THANK all the people who showed up to make the GCG so successful! Our Superintendent, Judges, Exhibitors, Vendors, Volunteers and anyone else I may be forgetting that helped to make this show a success! Keep an eye out for a survey on the show where you will get an "I survived the Gold Country Gathering 2016" t-shirt for completing the survey and have an opportunity to purchase additional t-shirts if you like!

THANK YOU FOR COMING ~ Let's hope next year the sun will shine in Grass Valley for our show!

Tracy DiPippo, Angel Dreams Alpacas, Event Manager Gold Country Gathering



Our First National Alpaca Farm Days!

Nadine Joaquin, Bear River Alpacas

In past years Bear River Alpacas has not hosted National Alpaca Farm Days events due to our location. The ranch is nestled between Auburn and Lincoln, California, off of Garden Bar Rd. which is a beautiful drive but a bit of a winding road. We have always felt we would have a low turnout because the drive was just too inconvenient. So, this year we decided to hold an event at our local feed store “Sierra Hay & Feed” which is conveniently located on the old Highway 65 in Lincoln. This idea came about when we were asked to bring some alpacas to an “Open House” that Sierra Hay and Feed held when they moved to their new location. The alpacas were the hit of the party and people talked about it for months. When I approached the owner, Diana, with the idea of holding our event there, she was more than happy to help. Diana was instrumental in making the event a success and a success it was!

The event included music, food, shopping, games and activities for the kids and a raffle. We set up an “Information Booth” and a “Demonstration” area. A Forestville 4-H Group came to represent 4-H and our local FFA group held a fundraiser selling hotdogs, sodas and water. The local Bar-Ale representative also had a booth to answer questions and hand out samples. And of course there were the alpacas!

The first area was the “Alpaca Information” area that explained what an alpaca is and all the things we can do with them. One of the most common questions is “What can you do with an alpaca?” There was information that explained the difference between a Llama and an alpaca (second most common question I get asked) along with alpaca “terminology” and information regarding the health care and feeding of alpacas. We also provided a table with brochures published by Calpaca and AOA to provide additional information.

The next area was a “Demonstration Area” where we provided demonstrations on spinning, loom weaving, knitting, peg looms, and crocheting. We also set up a table with samples of raw fiber, batts, rovings, rug yarn, lighter weight alpaca yarns, nuno felting and needle felting with explanations on what they were and what they were used for.

One of the most successful aspects of the event was a sign up sheet for joining an Alpaca 4-H group. For the past year we had been actively seeking a 4-H Alpaca Project Leader without much success. I truly believe that this is an area that the alpaca industry has not promoted enough. It is the perfect fit for the male alpacas that everyone seems to be trying to find homes for. We had 3 children sign up, found a project leader AND SOLD 2 CRIAS for the group! The 4-H Group that helped at the event even did a Trail Course demonstration which everyone enjoyed.

If you are one of those breeders that always seems to need a home for your young male crias I would encourage you to contact your local county agriculture department for information on organizing a 4-H or FFA group. You don't have to be the project leader or the group leader. Just do what I did, volunteer some time to attend the meetings to share your experience and provide the education.

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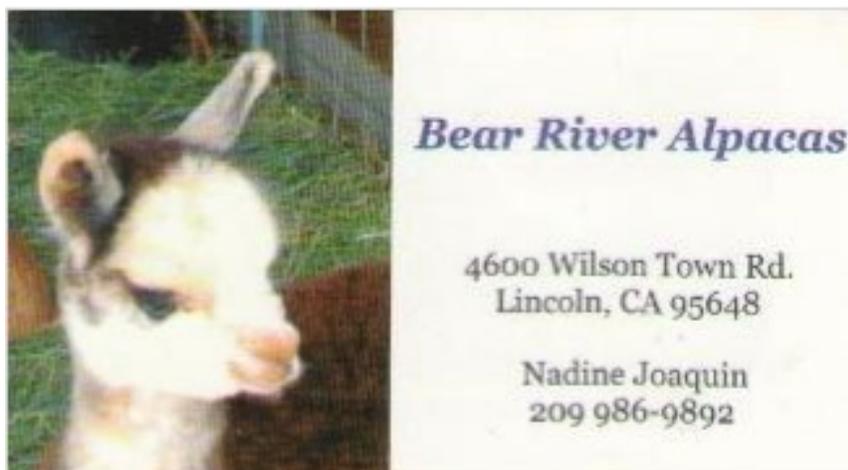
Warping a loom demonstration

Although it was too warm for attendees to be buying a lot of beanies, scarves, shawls and gloves people really enjoyed seeing all the beautiful items that alpaca fiber can be used for. Many people picked up a business card for when they start their Christmas shopping. Alpaca rugs were very popular and one lucky raffle winner was the recipient of a 28x38 alpaca rug. The raffle was a useful tool to get more information

Everyone, even the grown ups, enjoyed hand feeding the alpacas and having their pictures taken with them. There were games for the children including a corn hole game and a life size alpaca with the face cut out so they could put their face in the hole for pictures! One of the most popular activities seemed to be the face painting which included balloons and candy for all the kids.

I must admit hosting the event away from the ranch was more work because it required taking all the games, decorations, boutique items, displays, tables and chairs, pop ups for shade and of course the alpacas. It took me a day to set up, one day for the event, and a day for tearing down and clean up. But, I have to say with a constant flow of people all day it was definitely a success. We sold three alpacas, some products, formed a 4-H group, made new friends and contacts and got a ton of exposure. I feel this was a great marketing tool and yes, Bear River Alpacas will be hosting NATIONAL ALPACA FARM DAYS again next year. Hope to see you there!

Nadine Joaquin
Bear River Alpacas





Thank You Brenda Mansur for the great photographs

Editor's note: the educational component for the November Calpaca meeting is a round table discussion focusing on creating an exit plan in your business. One of the topics includes who has the power to sell/rehome the animals, where is the paper work? Jo at AOA supplied us with the following information about AOA guidelines.

Exit Strategy—AOA Guidelines For Handling The Paperwork

At some point in time, alpaca owners will find themselves talking about how they plan to leave the alpaca business. Whether it is through planned downsizing and herd reduction, passing the herd on to family members, or another strategy it is never too early to prepare or organize the paperwork.

How prepared are you when it comes to the paperwork required by AOA to complete the transfer of your registered alpacas? If, for whatever reason(s), you were no longer available to answer questions about the paperwork for your herd would your family, spouse, business partner know how or where to access the vital records needed to continue or close out your alpaca business? Ask yourself if anyone other than you knows where to locate the following basic records associated with your alpaca business:

- the original AOA certificates
- breeding records

If the answer is no, then that is the place to start with planning your exit strategy.

Planned Strategy: When exiting the alpaca business whether it be planned or not there are certain things that can make the process much easier.

When retiring or down sizing provide the new owners or buyers with:

- signed certificates for all registered alpacas to be transferred
- application for registration forms with all information for alpacas that are not registered with signatures
- all breeding records for alpacas they are taking possession of in case of sire not qualifying
- your availability for questions or authorizations if needed

Unplanned: When exiting the alpaca business is not planned provide the new owners or buyers with:

- a copy of the death certificate...this must be provided to AOA
- a copy of will or paperwork with executor of the estate information
 - the executor can sign certificates once AOA has the paperwork for account
- if certificates are missing, need to fill out Verification of Lost Document form
- application for registration forms with all information for alpacas that are not registered with executor signature
- all breeding records for alpacas they are taking possession of in case of sire not qualifying

AOA understands that sometimes it may be easier to deal directly with the executor for authorizations and forms and that perhaps they may not know a lot about alpacas but will help them and explain the process to complete.



2016 UCD Scholarship Recipients

Congratulations to Calpaca's Scholarship recipients Jessica Robertson (Class of 2016) and Allison Inlow (Class of 2017).

It was our pleasure to have dinner with them at the Scholarship & Fellowship 2016 Awards Banquet at UC Davis. They are two delightful young women that are looking forward to their career as veterinarians.

Rick and Pam Brady **Oak Valley Alpaca**

Editor's Note: Thank you Rick and Pam for your continued support of the Calpaca Scholarship Endowment fund. You have represented our organization through your time, energy and contributions from the beginning of this service to the alpaca industry and community and we greatly appreciate it.



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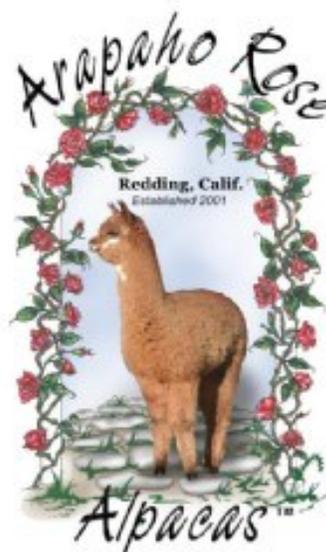


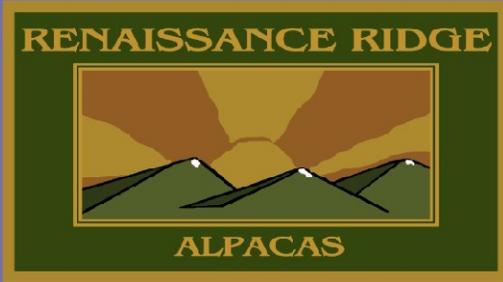
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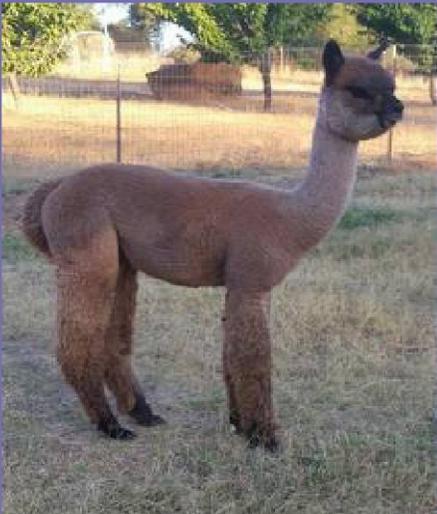
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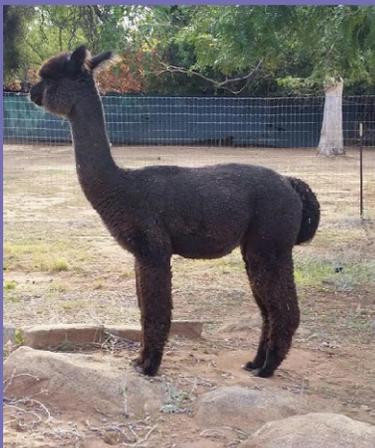
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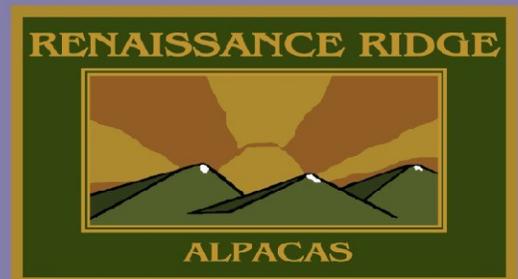
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“Multiple Streams of Income”

By Julie Roy, Alpacas of Anza Valley

You can generate income from several different revenue streams with your alpaca farm:

- 1. Selling alpacas:** Many ranches hold on to most of their females and sell their males. How you choose which ones to keep and which ones to sell depends on quality, your income needs and the goals of your farm.
- 2. Fiber sales:** Granted, it's not much right now because there just aren't enough mills to do the processing, but many ranchers find that fiber sales pay for their herd's feed for the year, and expects that the fiber market will materialize in earnest in 5 to 10 years.
- 3. Retail Products:** You can import or sell homemade items from the alpaca fleece. Profits can be made in a variety of finished goods and yarn at your own ranch store.
- 4. Boarding fees:** If you begin offering your ranch as a place to board alpacas for people who haven't yet bought land or only want alpacas as an investment, you can make an income from boarding fees. Most full-time alpaca ranchers have boarding alpacas on their farms and charge between \$2.50 and \$4.00 per day per alpaca, monthly. This can provide some regular cash flow to a full-time rancher.
- 5. Stud fees:** Depending on the quality of your herdsire, you can make several hundred to several thousand dollars per service.
- 6. Brokering:** Some very knowledgeable alpaca ranchers arrange the buying and selling of the perfect alpacas for existing herds. They command up to a 15 percent brokerage fee.
- 7. Showmanship or halter training:** Since alpacas are highly intelligent, they can be easily trained. (Children and teens often enter animals into agility training competitions at alpaca shows.) Some alpaca show experts train new owners on how to work with their alpacas to get them ready for the show ring and are paid to do so.
- 8. Your special skill:** Think about what you enjoy doing naturally. How can it be transferred into a service for the alpaca industry? Do you like to drive? Do you work with wood or metal? What about graphic design or web development? Are you an artist? Do you love working with the fiber? Do you have administrative skills? Do you enjoy writing, selling and advertising? All these skills are needed in the alpaca industry. Can you think of more?

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Alpacas For Sale

JR HERD SIRE... U.S Steel (Small Breeder Herd Sire of the Year, Futurity winner with multiple championships) son for sale. LSG Herd sire prospect by US Steel out of LV Galena (msg) a Sentinel daughter who is holding her fineness and density and crimp. "Bear River's California Chrome" is a well put together male with good bone, perfect bite and a sweet disposition. He has very impressive fine fleece with density, luster, and crimp. He has a very clean blanket. I would be keeping this male for breeding but I have his full brother and two half brothers. Add his Impressive genetics now before his price goes up! Price reduced to approved breeder: \$2,000. See him on our website www.bearriveralpacas.com. email us at nadinejoaquin@live.com or call 209 986-9892.

3 MALE SURI ALPACAS. We are a Huacaya farm and have 3 intact male Suri's that need to move to someone that can use and enjoy them. All are registered in our farm name and in good health. Asking \$750.00 ea or best offer. ARMANI'S TOP HAT N TAILS, ARI # 2416411, DOB May 23, 2012, Color Light Fawn, 2016 histogram results AFD: 30.4, SD: 6.1, CV 20.1, F>30m 43.4 DERWYDD-GVA SELKIRK, ARI # 35072447, DOB April 17, 2014, Color Medium Fawn, 2016 histogram results AFD: 29.3, SD 6.8, CV: 29.1 F>30m 30.8 DIEGO'S RODRIGO, ARI# 32416428, DOB May 17, 2012, Color Medium Brown, 2016 histogram results AFD: 30.7, SD: 6.2, CV: 20.3, F>30m: 47.3 Buy all 3 and FREE transport delivery up to 150 miles from Reno, NV Please contact Glenn Waddell, Sawdust Alpacas (775) 830-2992.

It's time to retire from 12 years of alpaca ranching. We are selling our alpaca ranch (see Classified ad under Ranches for Sale) and our "show quality" alpacas. The herd currently comprises of 23 females, 11 cria at side, 5 yearling males and 7 top quality studs in a variety of colors and pedigrees. Or, select a custom package of your choice in greys, blacks, browns, fawns or whites. Please contact Julie Roy at Julie@AlpacasNextDoor.com, or call the cell: 858-361-6321. You can visit the website www.AlpacasAV.com (Alpacas of Anza Valley) for more details and photos.

Looking for great genetics and personality? Check out the alpacas at Macedo's Mini Acre. We've been in the business for about a decade, focusing on performance in ALSA (Alpaca Llama Show Association) events. We have some great dark brown (and other solid color) females ready to move at very reasonable prices. Suri and Huacaya, pricing from \$500 and up! macedosminiacre@gmail.com for more information

Herdsires

Menagerie Hill Ranch introduces our newest herdsire, **LV Silver Sammovar by Vantaggio!** He took the Reserve Color Champion in gray at the California Classic 2015 where judge Sharon Loner called him a "Fantastic Male", finer even than the juvie in the class!

Sammo scored very high in Walking Fleece at the 2015 West Coast Alpaca Show, taking First Place. Judge Wini Lebreque noted he was very fine, dense and uniform with the blanket extending quite far down the side and a low amount of guard hair. She was so taken with Sammo that, in the awards ceremony, she commented that she thought he might have taken the Winners Cup! This is high praise for a 2 year old gray male!!!

With gorgeous silver gray fleece, excellent conformation and a perfect bite, we believe Sammo can make a big impact on our breeding program and yours! He's already settled his first girls with cria due any time. And we can't wait to see what he produces! We've set his breedings at an **introductory price of \$750**. Get your breedings now and take advantage of his great genetics at a great price!

Deb Galway & Kirk Howard, Owners. www.menageriehillranch.com 707.290.7915

IMMANUEL CUERVO PLATEADO ARI # 30426672 DOB: July 2 2007 Color: White
Sire: MFI BROCK, 812737,WH, Dam: PERUVIAN DULCE, 1424102, WH.

2016 Test Report: MFD: 22.1, SD: 4.2, CV: 19.2, F>30m: 3.0

WOW Look at these test results, Pass these on to your special girls CUERVO is a very proud and unique animal with some distinctive facial markings. Great ancestry in PPPeruvian Augusto, 4Peruvian Starr Khan. We have used him with several of our girls and quite impressed with the results. Price: \$7500 Stud Fee: \$1200 (Special w/ Connection add: Stud Fee \$900.)
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KAMIAK'S KOHANA ARI # 31691154 June 9 2009 Color: Light Brown

Sire: PATAGONIA'S LENNOX, 842940, LB, Dam: PATAGONIA'S CHIACHINA, 30327139, DF
WH 2016 Test Report: MFD: 20.6, SD: 4.8, CV: 23.5, F>30m 2.9

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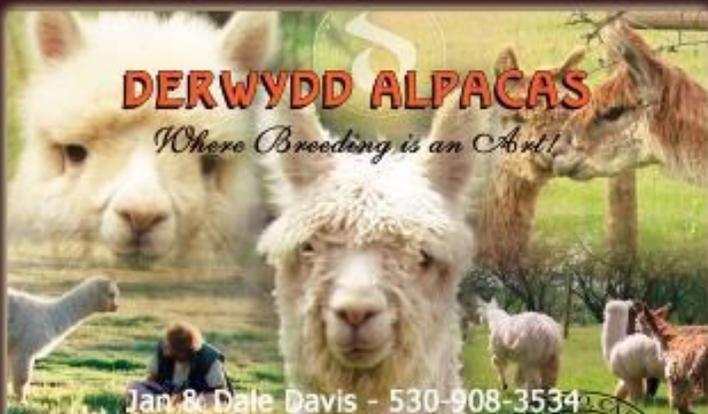


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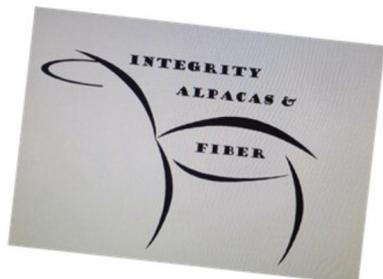
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