# **THEORE & RANCH HORSE SALE**



Sale Time 4:30 pm

The Hagan Family has been involved in rodeo for more than 40 years.



#### SHAWNE

- 2008 MRCA Hall of Fame inductee
- 19 time MRCA finals qualifier steer wrestling & calf roping
- Shawne has been work on his heading this past year; at 61 he is roping better then he ever has.
- He told us all at the start of the year "I finally have an outstanding heading horse (Keeper) and I plan on taking advantage of it!"





#### THOMAS

- 2006 CCA Year End High Point Champion
- 2006 CCA Year End Steer Wrestling Champion
- 2006 MRCA Year End High Point Champion
- 2007 MRCA Steer Wrestling Champion



- 14 time MRCA Finalist on 4 different horses (Digger, Bronze, Kruz and Gracie)
- 4 times MRCA Finals Champion and 5 time Finals Runner up
- 4 Time CCA finalist on 2 different horses (Kruz and Gracie)
- 2 time MRCA "Cowgirl of the Year"
- 2013 MRCA Yearend Barrel Racing Champion & MRCA Horse of the Year "Gracie"
- PRCA and CPRA money earner

#### ALISTAIR

- 2017 Casey Brown Memorial roping champion header
- Headed for MRCA finals for 20th straight year steer wrestling and on track for 1st trip in team roping
- Multiple CCA finalist steer wrestling
- 3 time MRCA "Cowboy of the Year"
- Multiple MRCA & CCA Steer wrestling and Hazing horse of the year



HARLEY MAE Wow Harley has managed to find another gear in her best friend "Ringo". Harley and Ringo entered all their favourite rodeos again this summer from Austin to Virden and all the others in between. She Loves her big jackpots like True Grit, camping out and rides bareback for hours all weekend! Harley is excited to go to MBRA finals and the starting her Little Britches career.



#### SLADE Wow what a difference a year can make! Slade entered every dummy roping there was and got to enter the Casey Brown Memorial "Smarty" roping! He added a new horse to his string this year. "Maverick". The old man came out of retirement! Maverick and Slade practiced hard on the heelo-matic and worked up to roping his first live steer! Slade picked his rope up this spring and hasn't put it down since!







The Trogram

All the horses on offer have been ridden extensively and have taken on the job we feel best fits them. We pride ourselves in "OUR" horses being what we say they are; if that's quiet or fast or whether they are ranch horses, started team roping horses or rodeo ready horses. We ride a lot of horses as a family and cull very hard. We do our best only to sell horses that we feel will truly have a future and have done our best to select the best horse we can. We invite you to not only watch the video on each horse but to also come try out and ride any or all of the 12 horses on offer this year. Questions are welcome and there isn't a question we won't answer, we pride ourselves on being honest and approachable. Please check out the testimonies or call us if you see anything that you like and we will do our best to find a horse that fits you as an individual and then stand behind them after the sale.

Thanks for your interest and if you wish to see a video please go to our Facebook page or check it out at www.haganhorsesale.com

#### HAGAN FAMILY RECEIVES PRESTIGOUS BLUE-WINGED TEAL AWARD

The Hagan family of Virden accepted the National Blue-winged Teal Award Three generations of the Hagan family were presented with the North American Waterfowl Management Plan's prestigious National Blue-winged Teal Award. The Hagans were nominated by the Manitoba Habitat Heritage Corporation in honour of the 15 easements the family has that permanently protects 4,885 acres of natural lands, including 2,020 acres of wetlands. MHHC is pleased to continue working with the Hagan family, who have



Hagan family, who have been a great addition to a larger international conservation community.

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# THE HAGAN FAMILY

The Hagan family consists of three families united and proud to produce this high quality horse sale.

This family horse sale is a result of the Hagan family living out their dream and doing what they want to do with their lives. It all started with Shawne; even though he grew up in a non cowboy family and not in cowboy country at all; against the odds he became a true "Cowboy". He created a ranch and the complete cowboy lifestyle. This example has lead to his sons and daughter in laws buying, building and making a living with their own independent ranches, cattle herds and horse programs.

Shawne and Jocelyn were very proud of the "Blue Wing Teal award" they won for the entire family's conservation efforts and really enjoyed the awards banquet. Shawne and Jocelyn had started the relationship with Manitoba Habit years ago (one of the very first caveats signed) and encouraged the rest of the family to do the same! It was very nice to be recognized for their efforts.

Shawne and Jocelyn are the proud parents of 4; Alistair, Amanda, Thomas and Bronwen and grandparents to 3; Harley Mae, Slade and Rory. They are both very close with of the all of their children and are especially proud of the fact that although their children may not all have the same passion's in life, they are all passionate about what they do and the direction they have taken their individual lives. Both Shawne and Jocelyn love being grandparents and spend a lot of time with Rory, Harley and Slade. The kids all love going to their Nan Nan & Papa's house and there isn't a day goes by that Papa Shawne doesn't stop in to see them. Shawne really enjoys spending time in the saddle with his family; you have never seen anyone as proud as him when he is riding side by side with Harley and Slade moving cows. 3 generations of cowboys all because when he was a boy he followed his dreams!!!

P.S This well be the first year that Shawne and Jocelyn will not have a horse in the sale. They purchased an outstanding 8 year old gelding, fully intending on putting him in the sale. As life goes Shawne's good old "Keeper" horse is starting to slow down a bit and he has finally decided to keep one of his outstanding geldings for himself. He hopes to be back with another "Outstanding one" next year!

Shawne and Jocelyn live on the Hagan family farm were Shawne was born and raised. They maintain their current cow herd of 220 and show no signs of slowing down. Jocelyn is still working off the farm as a member of the team at the Virden Co-op too much really but she enjoys the people she works with as well as everyone she meets and greets on a daily basis. Work is fine but Jocelyn is happiest when hosting her 3 grand babies, any or all of her kids and or her sisters.

Alistair, the oldest of the Hagan siblings and wife Erin have been busy with lots of changes since our last sale! Kids simply refuse to quit growing up? Harley Mae is now in junior high, Grade 5 this fall and she absolutely loves it!!!! For the first time these two best friends are not in the same school and Slade man (now in Grade 2) is the only Hagan in Mary Montgomery elementary school. They are both very active having all sorts of adventures together on the ranch and love spending time with their cousin Rory. Harley and "Ringo" (now 8) bought their MRCA card again this year and together they entered the junior barrels in their favorite rodeos like Austin to Virden! Slade also had an awesome year thanks to Papa's horse Buster! Slade and Buster even started going to Kirkella with Alistair and he can keep up too. We also brought old Maverick out of retirement and got two slow steers and he is now roping live cattle. The Browns hosted a weekly heel-o-matic night this spring and summer for kids only and they all had a blast feeding off each other. Slade got lots of help from Lonnie and Harley has Ringo tracking the machine through the eye of a needle. Slade and the Brown boys tried their best to wear out their "Shorty steers" every chance they got. (we don't go far without shorty now). As always we kept our family tradition alive in the old motor home going to rodeos and jackpots with the Browns, Cowans & McGee girls. Slade started his hockey career this past winter and loved it. Taking us to rinks with ice in them instead of dirt! Harley joined the gymnastics team this year in Brandon making for a weekly trip to Brandon. She can be found most days doing cart wheels, flips and the splits. Both also started into 4-H and did their public speaking! Very much a fear for Harley, (Slade was not bothered at all). They both practiced a lot and did extremely well, Slade was the only one under 9 to even do a speech and Harley won locally and moved onto zones! Erin also entered them in the speaking at the Virden Arts Festival. They both took the stage again and once again Harley was asked to move on this time to Provincials. Everyone was very proud of them; for simply getting up on that big stage and trying their best!

Kids have also been working on their small business and money skills! It all started when they wanted a puppy that Dad wouldn't buy. They said if they had their own money they would buy the puppy but how do you get \$750 they asked? The two of them hatched a plan; if they could save \$280 they could buy 4 piglets and raise them till fall, they could sell them for \$1200 and after expenses buy their puppy! They saved all of their birthday money or anything they could get. If Grandpa Willy would give them \$10 for a treat on a hockey weekend they were putting \$5 into the piggy fund. The pigs arrived this June and they had a little more than enough money. They have really enjoyed all 4 of them; naming them all, training them to lay down when they scratch their bellies and the best part is they have really grown! By sale time they should be sold and I guess you can't say NO to a puppy after a yearlong plan comes to fruition.

Alistair and Erin are very proud of the ranch they have built together; it has taken lots of hard work, creative accounting and many different small businesses to raise a family on the ranch without having "jobs". One of those small businesses is real estate! Finally after 5 long years they are proud to introduce "HARLADE ARCES!". A rural residential multi-lot subdivision.

Hagan Land & Cattle consists of 4950 acres deeded and is head quartered on the original Hagan family farm which the family first settled upon arriving from Ireland in 1913. They currently maintain a herd of 250 British cows, grass their own calves, run around 60 head of horses, operate Hagan hoof trimming tip table business and continue to manage the Wallace-Kirkella municipal pasture. (This is a job which not only does he love but is also a great fit for the horse sale.) This year they also bred 98 home raised heifers. The custom grazing proved to be a challenge again this year with a mixed bag; with 300 breeding heifers, 135 steers and 140 pairs taken in all managed





in different pastures it makes for lots of fencing! The hard task of building cross fences to break the pastures up into 40 acre paddocks to best rotate/rest and manage the soil/grass continues. This year with near drought conditions more fence was built in areas had that not been accessible for at least 8 years. They feel they are on track for their goal to be able to graze 1000 steers over and above their own cattle within the next 2 years. Their momma cows were turned to grass March 20th this year at home with the last hay being fed April 10th. They were trailed to their land at the lake May 12th and should stay until November 10th. (or until they decide to strike out for home on their own, which has happened in the past lol)

The barrel racing program continues to move forward in a big way. A money earning own daughter of "Dash Ta Fame" was added to the broodmare band and Merri had an outstanding breeding year in 2017! He got to breed mares from Idaho to B.C and had foals born from B.C to Quebec. He got to breed some of the strongest mares in Canada with some of the best barrel racers in Canada getting his colts. They are very excited about the future of their barrel colt program. There are 7 outstanding "BF Streakin Merridoc" foals to wean this fall and 13 more coming next spring. Erin feels very fortunate to have her own CBHI Super Stakes 4 year old filly "Smudgie" on track for the futurity 2018 season as well as two 3 year old and two 2 year olds picked out for the future. In other big Merri news Erin bred her great mare "Gracie" for a 2018 foal!

Alistair & Erin enjoyed another great rodeo/jackpot season; Quality family/rodeo time and horse promotion. Erin rodeo on Madonna and Rainie this year and Alistair entered both the steer wrestling and the team roping with new partner Matt Campbell this season.

Erin is always anxiously waiting for that bus to roll up to the yard, spending as much time as possible with the kids at her side; taking them to their activities or just hanging out outside going on all sorts of adventures. Huge is the fact that the whole family spent a lot of time together; either a horseback or camping in the motor home. Alistair and Erin both feel that spending time with good friends and family will build lifelong bonds and memories.

No matter if it's a ranch horse, a futurity prospect or a pony, both feel the best way to improve your horsemanship and to make a good horse is to simply spend time in the saddle riding, paying attention to your horse, having fun and surrounding yourself with good people. They truly do this as a family and are working hard to instill a love and respect for this way of life with Harley and Slade. Both can't believe how time flies by; they love their family, their horses, their land, the ranch life and are looking forward to the future. Both Alistair & Erin are very committed to the rodeo and ranching lifestyle and understand it is just that a "lifestyle". One they are lucky to live.

Cracking open the gate to the summer pastures was a very exciting moment for Thomas and Felicity this spring. In years past this couple has filled the months of May and June with pairing cows and calves and hauling them approximately 16 miles to their summer grazing paddocks. Having all of their land connected and in one large chunk of 3200 acres, has allowed them to improve the soils with winter bale grazing and rotate a lot more intensively.

Thomas and Felicity are currently breeding roughly 240 cows/heifers and using more of their own genetics along with Pinebank, a closed Angus herd Thomas has been following closely the last few years. They once again bought in a few heifers to add to their homegrown herd and will continue to do this until they reach the herd numbers they are hoping for. Last spring they sold their 6 year old bred cows and will continue to do this year in and year out, pushing heifer development and raising their own bulls. Thomas and Felicity once again took on roughly 200 custom grazing pairs to help them utilize the grass they have.

Moving a house in last October and living with the animals year-round has allowed Thomas to try different grazing techniques and manage the land better than before. Thomas and Felicity focused on fencing different land/grass types into different paddocks this year. This has allowed them to graze and utilize all of their land in a more efficient way. Having bush paddocks for the cows in the hot months of July and August, grazing the high lands and marsh lands separately and stock-piling paddocks for fall and spring grazing. Thomas spends many hours in his "happy place," out with the cattle, building temporary fence and monitoring the grass and herd health.

Naturally Manitoba is a new venture Thomas and Felicity started this summer. Raising grass-fed cattle, keeping records of vaccination and treatments and eating a healthy diet were things this couple was already doing. They now are offering this to the public and are over-whelmed with the response. Naturally Manitoba has its kills and packaging done at a provincially inspected plant in Virden, Renard's Meat Services, and continues to work closely with the butchers coming up with new cuts and recipes to offer. Thomas and Felicity offer delivery locations to best serve their clientele and will continue to grow this business with customer demand. Getting their feet-wet this year with 6 pigs, they plan on expanding this and offering the same services with pork. They are currently picking the location of their orchard which will allow them to provide nuts and fruit in the next few years to customers. Naturally Manitoba is a business that both Thomas and Felicity are very excited and passionate about. These two are very aware of nutrition and the health benefits you receive from grass-fed meat and nutrient dense food and are thrilled to be sharing it with others.

Rory is two and busy. He still is a little social butterfly and can't wait to see any member of the family. He continues to check cows and fix fences, but has recently become more interested in riding, roping and going for quad rides with Papa. Rory loves spending his days outside. The morning starts off with a quick breakfast, followed by putting shoes and a hat on and heading out to feed the pigs. Watching dad rope also seems to be a highlight to the day followed by a trip to the lake to go for a swim and cool off. Thomas and Felicity are really enjoying this stage in parenthood and find Rory's personality developing more and more every day. As a family they enjoy going to team roping's, going to the lake and of course hanging out with their friends.

roping's, going to the lake and of course hanging out with their friends. Summer seems to fly by every year, but they do look forward to the winter months when things start to slow down and they can catch up on their Netflix series!!!



### [general information]

Saturday OCTOBER 28, 2017

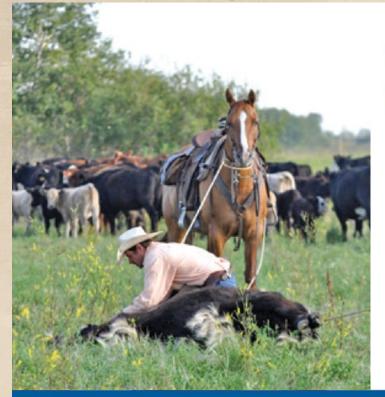
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**Absentee Bids (Phone Bidding):** Anyone wishing to bid who cannot be in attendance at the sale may do so by phone bidding. We pride ourselves in our phone bidding process; please contact us prior to October 28, 2017 at any of the phone numbers listed and we will make sure you can be involved. Please allow us enough time to properly discuss your needs and each horse we have to offer as well as make the necessary arrangements to have your name on the list. We have 5 to 6 ladies taking phone bids at a separate table next to the sales ring and you can be right in on the live action. Erin will make contact with everyone on the phone bidding list the morning of the sale to establish good phone connections and assign each individual a member of our phone bidding team. Phone bidding is provided as a customer service for those who cannot attend the sale. All phone purchases will be required to wire funds on Monday morning following the sale. Horses will not leave the Hagan's possession until payment has been made.

Terms & Conditions: Terms of sale are; wire transfer, cash or personal cheque (CAD). Cheques issued with insufficient funds will be prosecuted. Every animal sells to the highest bidder with the auctioneer settling disputes as to bids. Announced changes in catalogue information on sale day take precedence over printed material in this catalogue. No delivery is available until settlement is made on all purchases. Horses remain in the seller's possession until payment has been verified or cleared by the bank. Buyers will become liable and responsible for their purchase immediately upon declaration of sale and until delivery is taken. Any person attending the sale does so at his/her own risk. Owners, sale management, Brandon Keystone Centre, nor any other person connected with this sale assumes any liability, legal or otherwise.

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- Prior to sale a passed equine veterinary certificate of health for insurance purposes only will be done on all horses in the sale.
- General, visual vet examination for physical soundness by Virden Animal Hospital
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#### TRANSPORTATION

If you require assistance in this area, please contact one of the numbers listed. Hagans will haul all horses required at the prices listed below: Virden to Calgary - \$500 Virden to Regina - \$200 Virden to Minot - \$200 Virden to Ontario Border - \$400 Any additional arrangements or mileage will be

at the buyer's expense. Hagans can also handle all necessary U.S. border crossing paperwork at the buyer's expense.

Catalogue order is not necessarily the sale order. We also ask prospective buyers who want to ride sale horses, to do so before Monday, October 24th. Appointments can be booked with any of the above contacts.

A horse does not greet the sun and say, 'today will be better.' It can only reflect upon days of past experiences. It is our job to create a positive past. - Karen West

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You don't break these animals, you come to an understanding with them. - Phil West

## RED

#### BOONS DOUBLE FROST 7-year-old sorrel gelding | 15.1 HH

#### Consigned by Alistair & Erin

Erin Hagan

Sun Frost \_\_\_\_\_\_ **PC DOUBLE FROST** Frosty Miss Leo \_\_\_\_\_ Doc's Jack Frost Prissy Cline Doc's Jack Frost Leo's Miss Omak

#### PC Boons Feature \_\_\_\_\_\_ **BOONS RARE FEATURE** RC Rare Black Coin \_\_\_\_\_

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If you are the kind of person who always drives the Chevy Denali or Ford Platinum limited edition, then this horse is the kind for you. Maybe you aren't that person but you always wanted to be! Red is a gorgeous, eye catching copper sorrel with lots of chrome; a real head turner. He is a finished ranch horse and a nicely started head horse that has been to a couple of jackpots. Red is very cowy whether you are running one out in the open or in the arena he always pins his ears and runs right to them. He is fun to sort on, fun to brand on and fun to rope on. He is a smooth moving, ground covering, broke, quiet, safe and strong. I've said it before but Red is the kind of horse the boss rides if he wants his crew to respect him as the top hand. We were very fortunate to have had the chance to buy Red from Chad and Dennis Stiles of Circle S Ranch Ltd. Funny enough we have to attribute us getting this awesome gelding to technology; I had just got my first smart phone (I bached it for years!) and so had Chad. One day Chad called and said he was messing around taking pictures of a horse they had for sale, I said "Well send me the pictures, I can get them now" and the rest is history. One look was all it took, we drove right in and rode him and he became a Hagan ranch horse. Red started right into long days of ranching last fall and I am sure there were some days he was wondering if he liked his new ranching job? Like the day we found the cows out wandering home and he and I trailed them home from the lake pasture by ourselves; 8 miles of soft stubble fields. We had few different people use Red for a day this summer; Kirk, Joe and of course Slade man and they all liked him! Red is coming along very well in the heading; he is very good in the corner, runs to cattle really well and really uses himself well. I used Red at the MB Team Roping Finals in the 8 and won 3rd, he gave me a great shot every run and best part is he was the same in town as at home. Either ranching or heading Red is doing what he was bred to do; he is intensively PC bred and Pat Cowan would be proud of this one. He is a half brother to Rhen Richard's good yellow

gelding that he won the Canadian National team Roping Futurity on in Edmonton. He is going to be an awesome jackpot head horse for someone who likes them safe, cowy and extremely fancy!!! Ranch horse or head horse we are very proud to offer you this gelding.



## LAWRENCE

#### CP PERFECT COMMANDER 8-year-old grey gelding | 15 HH

#### Consigned by Thomas & Felicity

Erin Hagan

Kaos Razzledazzle **B DULYS RAZZ** RLM Class Lass -

Misters Razzledazzle Kaos Candy Bar **ZE Keystone Man** Spartán Lass

Mitos Perfect Buck arefoot Holly Triple J April Tut -

**Mitos Perfection** Super King Tut SF Bailey April

Quiet, safe and reliable! Of all the horses Felicity and I have in the sale, Lawrence is the one I rode the most this year. We started checking fences in the spring and he has basically stayed saddled ever since. We tagged calves during calving season and moved right into treating yearlings and cows, moving portable wires, going to brandings and checking grass. We bought this guy two years ago from Jenna and Michael Lawrence at Crandall, Manitoba with 30 days riding and now he is a one-handed, broke, good-looking, finished ranch gelding. He is 15 hh and stout with lots of bone and foot. I just can't say enough that when I leave the yard I need to trust the horse won't get me in trouble. We are fortunate to have 3200 acres of grass in a block that we live on and at most I can be 4 miles from the house with Felicity having no idea where I am. With Lawrence I feel comfortable being out there roping a cow, laying her down, tying off and treating her by myself. I can run cattle out and rope them in the buffalo hallows, move electric fence and dodge mole hills. It's been a treat. In the branding pen this guy is a gem. He's calm and easy to rope on and you don't have to shy away from the bigger calves. I don't know if I've rode anything this strong on the horn. You can just rope anything your heart desires. We started heading steers on Lawrence in the arena and by sale time I'll guess he will have roped 100 steers out of the box. Lawrence also helped Rory enter his first kid's rodeo this summer. He participated, with my help, in barrel racing and mounted shooting with water guns. This is the type of horse that people buy and he becomes part of the family. He will be missed by Felicity, Rory and I, but most of all, our miniature donkey Suzie who loves nothing more than to chew on his tail! I hope the next owner enjoys this horse as much as our family has and he will definitely be hard to replace.







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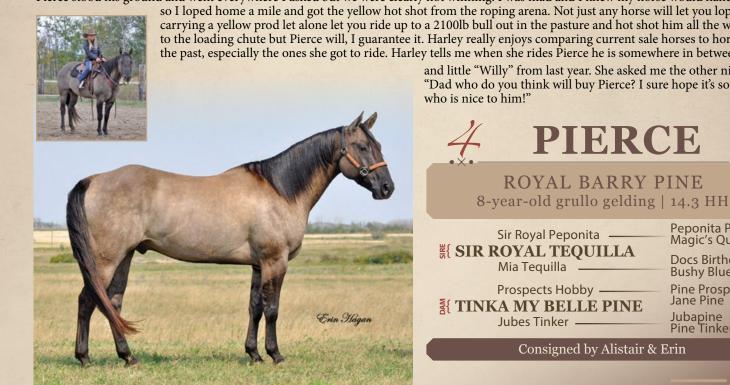
#### Consigned by Alistair & Erin

The Silver Fox; he is cute, quiet, grey and little. Many hands make for light work; you are only as strong as the rest of your team and we have a great "team". We have a strong group of good friends that help with everything, finding horses being one of the tasks. Our friend Jay Anholtz found us Fox (and

Pierce as well) really putting the pressure on Corey to step it up lol. Fox hadn't been rode for 4 years when we got him home but he was just fine. He is the horse that Erin chose to be her ranch horse because she felt safe and because he was easy to get on when she was all bundled up in her coveralls to trail cows home from the lake pasture last fall and back again in the spring. We rode Fox at Kings Crossing this winter, he's roped the heel-o-matic, been used at brandings, and Erin uses him to move cows etc. Fox is a gelding that is the same with a month off as he is when you ride him every day. He has got the call for a lot of jobs that were short notice and high paced simply because I knew he could handle it. Like when I got the call I had yearlings heading toward the highway, I caught him, saddled him, loaded him in the trailer, unloaded him out of the trailer, cinched him up, baled on and over and undered him across a section of wheat to cut them off. The Silver Fox cute, handy and grey; what else could you ask for?

Our first real Grulla! This stunning little gelding is even quieter than he is fancy. We knew this cool looking dude needed a cool name to match his look. He was born, raised and never gone a day from Pierson, MB until the day we loaded him up to come home, so Pierce it was. Pierce is a quiet, easy to get on, easy to ride, and safe. Not only is he really cool looking, with a long main, tail & foretop but he also has good bone & foot and big black feet. Pierce has been our go to horse gathering mount all year long, running the sale horses and rodeo horses up every day, gathering mares for breeding etc. It's not an easy job; it takes a quiet minded horse that doesn't get lonesome for other horses, won't take off following the herd and stays calm the whole time. I am starting to think he could do it on his own now if we cut him loose? One day I had to gather two more bulls to turn out, two 6 year old bulls that did NOT want to come in off grass, Pierce stood his ground and went everywhere I asked but we were clearly not winning. I was mad and I knew my horse would handle it

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so I loped home a mile and got the yellow hot shot from the roping arena. Not just any horse will let you lope out carrying a yellow prod let alone let you ride up to a 2100lb bull out in the pasture and hot shot him all the way up to the loading chute but Pierce will, I guarantee it. Harley really enjoys comparing current sale horses to horses of the past, especially the ones she got to ride. Harley tells me when she rides Pierce he is somewhere in between "JT"

> and little "Willy" from last year. She asked me the other night "Dad who do you think will buy Pierce? I sure hope it's someone

> > Peponita Pine Magic's Queen

> > > **Docs Birthday Bushy Blue Miss** Pine Prospect Jane Pine Jubapine Pine Tinker

Consigned by Alistair & Erin



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#### OLLY FLYIN PINES IDOL 10-year-old palomino gelding | 14.3 HH Heart Bar Feathers Prince Poco Pines -Princess Prarie **FINES DUN OLENA** Doco Peq Doco Honey Dell Miss -Tad Ra Dell Zans Poco Blackburn · Zans Tres Ches **Clarks Poco Honey §{ ZANS POCO ECHO** Dot's Jessie Just Jessies Best -**Badgee Bar**

#### Consigned by Thomas & Felicity

Here's the one everyone is looking for! A 14.3 hh, palomino gelding that spins, stops and loves to move slow. If you like them broke, quiet and good-looking, Olly is your man. We bought Olly in the winter of 2015/2016 in Winnipeg on a horse buying trip for our friend, Kevin McKinnon. He was looking for a heel horse and Olly wasn't far enough along in that department, so I bought him. I later found out that Mandi Quam, from Grenfell, SK, had trained him and shown him at the Agribition Ranch Horse Competition and Sale. We had decided to keep Olly for Rory, that is why he wasn't in last year's sale, but we figured Rory is 2 and probably won't be needing to turn cows back on the wall anytime soon. So instead, we have just been having fun with him moving cows, roping the heel-o-matic, sorting pairs at calving time and using him as a babysitter. Felicity's cousin from Ireland, Jake, moved to Canada about the same time we bought Olly with a dream of becoming a cowboy, the "Celtic" cowboy. Olly has been his main mount, helping Jake make his first heeling runs in the arena and cowboying around the ranch. Jake has told me many times that him and Olly have a "special" bond, but Jake moved home, Rory's getting a pony and Olly is up for sale. Horses like this aren't easy to find folks. He is the right size, broke to death, done it all and easy on the eyes, he is exactly what this sale is all about!



Learn this well, the last ride is never the last ride. And the end is not the end. - Richard Rowland



# ARTANIA

#### LEO DRIFT DASH 9-year-old grey gelding | 15.2 HH

Orphan Drift Poco Judy Sue Ciderwood -**EXAMPLE 7 EXAMPLE 7 EXAMP** Ash Leo Drift \_ Jack Eyed Dash — **§{ OK DASH N CONQUEST** Gray Conquest —

Jae Bar Meleo Amarillo Wood Dash'n Par Jackie Tux Sonny's Conquest Grays Quick Lady

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#### Consigned by Alistair & Erin

Here is my man! This exotic looking grey gelding is a serious ranch horse and I have really enjoyed owning him. We needed a cool name to match his proud look; with his long main & tail, fancy front end and cool headset. "Dartanian" it was. He has a

strong work ethic and is always up for the task at hand. He is the one you want to ride for the big circles; he floats over the ground, he is sure footed and brave with lots of heart. We bought this cool looking gelding from Dale & Carolyn Brown from Portage. They had bought him as a baby at the" Barrels of Cash" weanling sale and Dale had done all the riding on him himself from first saddling to when I picked him up. They showed in the B of C Futurity and had been hauling him to barrel jackpots entering the select division (55 years young and up) but thought the horse maybe had more to offer. When I first got him home I changed some head gear and immediately started riding him out across the open fields and let him stretch out. He loved it! He has been my main ranch horse ever since, he did a pile of work for me and hard work too this spring and has done all of the jobs we have to do. We gave him 45 days off while I was away trimming this spring and he was just as fun and safe as the last day I rode him! We went straight into branding season; he is fun and will make anyone look handy! Erin is always accusing me of secretly wanting to be a barrel racer and I admit I couldn't resist; I have made a couple runs on him. I even exhibitioned him at the True Grit this year! Apparently I needed to tighten up on the back side and ride straighter lines but I did run bottom of the 1 D (in split lines I might add) with not much practice! I really feel that Dartanian would make an outstanding pick up horse/head horse combo but one thing is for sure, Dartanian is a ranch horse!! If you want to only own one horse, here is that 1; safe, fun, broke, will take all the miles you can give him and also one that your wife (or you) can haul to barrel jackpots too!





STRAWFLYIN ILLUSIONS Fusion Illusion Moon Fling Merridoc Woodsboro Special Effort Fly In The Pie Tolltac Sommers Starlet

#### Consigned by Alistair & Erin

We are very proud of this 2 year old gelding; lots of people who have seen Bugs this summer have told us he is one of the nicest Merri babies they have seen yet. We really like this cross; (Merri & Strawflyin Illusions) never disappoint. Bugs' full brother; Jane Corey's good looking big "Straws" gelding (Hagans Special Fling)

is already showing great promise as a winner. Jane and Straws had a strong showing at the SBRA finals this year. Finishing 4th in the Long go and 7th in the short go out of 300 riders! Bugs is very loveable and gentle to be around. Bugs was on the same program as our colts in the past, 4 or 5 good sessions at home and then up to Justin Bridgeman for 30 days. Justin as usual did a great job of Bugs saying "Al, he was just quiet and easy". Bugs has 40 rides; he has been road outside this fall, he is smooth, very athletic, big and strong, well bred and ready to go win some money for you! This gelding is an investment, talk about a good ROI. Bugs is CBHI Super Stakes, (2020 purse \$154,500 est.) he is also enrolled in the new Western Fortunes incentive and don't forget about the \$5,000 Merri bounty!

Courage is what it takes to stand up and speak. Courage is also what it takes to sit down and listen. - Winston Churchill

Dam to Lot 7

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This cross has been a long time in the making for us. We bought this filly's mother (Kat) with big hopes for her; she is bred to run barrels, big, strong, good looking and yellow. We rode her a bunch but multiple injuries (wire cuts and wrecks around the ranch etc) prevented us

Erin Hagan

from finishing her. That is why we try to rodeo on all mares, good mares, you always have a backup plan. Erin always says "everything happens for a reason" and one look at this filly shows us that "reason"!! Cheetara looks a lot like her grand daddy; the only son of Sun Frost to ever produce a AAA runner. Cheetara is quiet, correct, good looking, trainable and bred to be a barrel horse with legends on all four corners! She too was started at home and sent to Justin for 30 days. We like what Justin does, he has the colts moving out and not scared. That is a great start to the rest of their life. This cool filly will be a winner in the arena and with her look and pedigree she is an investment long term as Merri's daughters have already proven to outstanding brood mares! She too has CBHI, Western Fortunes and Merri's \$5,000 incentive money to gun for.



Dam to Lot 8

CHEETARA HAGANS FROSTY FLING

2-year-old bay mare

A Streak of Fling — **BF STREAKIN MERRIDOC** Winnsboro —

PC Sir Azure Frost \_\_\_\_\_\_ { TCR A TOUCH OF FROST Cashinthmoon \_\_\_\_\_ Moon Fling Merridoc Woodsboro Sun Frost Bunny Bet Royal Quick Dash Sassy N Sultry

Streakin Six

Consigned by Alistair & Erin





#### Consigned by Thomas & Felicity

I have just enjoyed the heck out of this guy all summer. The biggest features we look for in horses these days are safe and reliable. I do most of the riding by myself checking, treating and rotating the cows and it's just a must that when I leave the yard that I know I am going to return safely. Sometimes Felicity comes with me when someone can watch Rory or Dad helps me with the bigger jobs like pulling bulls or some treating, but most of the time I find myself 3 or 4 miles from the house tied off on a foot rotter or pinkeye just me and my horse and a bunch of cows. To be honest at this point in my life I pretty much hate riding colts but absolutely love riding horses like Jazz. A day for me and Jazz could include any or all of the following jobs, reeling up turbo wire (400 meters at a time), tying of on a cow, yearling or calf, crossing 150ft bridges, crossing 10ft creeks (kind of dry this year), running out whatever won't let me dink loop it, dragging my homemade "High Stock Density Grazing Portable Wire & Post Sled 2000," (the 2500 series is currently in the design stage), or just walking around looking at grass. I might stop at an overgrazed sandy patch and work on Jazz's stop or turnaround or just lead him around looking for my fence tester that won't seem to stay in my saddle

bags. Jazz has a sharp neck rein, a soft mouth and lots of feel. This guy is a "real deal" ranch gelding. He is one handed, easy to rope off of, sound as a dollar and can be given time off without a worry. He was actually being driven when Dad bought him from a local horseman, Doug Sanderson, but as my good teamster friend, Rob Gardiner told me, "You couldn't drive a sharp stick into a snow bank," so I have never hooked him up. I will be sad to see Jazz go at the sale, but someone is going to get one heck of a ranch gelding.

Here is a true adoption story. We bought Sarge from Gwenda Strachan after she called us and asked if we would be interested in a quiet, strong grey gelding that was too good to be going to waste. She wanted to see Sarge go to a good home as she would no longer be able to ride a horse due to health reasons. Gwenda's hope is that we would find him a forever home where he could be someone's main man again. Sarge's first day on the job I took him out in hopes of introducing him to the ranch horse life slowly but we had some bulls bushed up that did not want to co-operate. While we were working in the bush, Sarge won me over right away with his work ethic. He stayed calm and quiet and never quit or got frustrated no matter how many trees he had to crash through or over. But the moment I knew for sure that he would work was when I had to get off and lead him through some tight young trees too close together for me to fit, it happened these young trees had grown up on a fence line and poor Sarge took a good shock from the electric fence as I was trying to navigate the bush. He didn't panic or blow up; he just handled it like a seasoned veteran. I knew right then he would work for us and eventually his new forever home. The more I rode Sarge, the more I appreciated just how good his mind is; he just doesn't get himself into a bad situation. He rides one handed, goes anywhere you ask of him and he can lope for miles. He has put in some long days; he has been branded on, treated on, moved cows and sorted bulls. So whether it's as a ranch horse or trail horse. Sarge is ready and waiting to find

his new forever home.





SARGENT

12-year-old grey | 15 HH **GRADE GELDING** 

Consigned by Alistair & Erin



#### 10-year-old blue roan | 15.2 HH GRADE GELDING

#### Consigned by Alistair & Erin

Chopper K is a true BLUE ranch horse (pun intended). Go branding, move cows, treat cattle, halter break colts, whatever you want to do? He is a real "Ranchers" ranch horse; gentle and reliable, big and strong and the same every day. He can really walk out, has a nice easy lope but can also stretch out and run. He'll load on any trailer and stand all day tied by himself, no fuss, no pawing, he is never lonesome, a real gentleman. We bought this good looking blue roan gelding from Chad and Kim Levesque of "Chopper K" Red Angus & "Chopper K" Auction Services; so naturally he became Chopper K! Our good friends Cory and Charlene are always looking to help us find horses and they told us about Chopper. They are very good friends with Chad and Kim and were with Chad when he bought him as a 2 year old at a sale in North



Dakota. They told us Levesque's had a really nice gelding their boys rode but hadn't been using him for a few years with their hockey careers taking off. When Cory unloaded him both dad and I were immediately impressed, you just don't see many geldings like him. Chopper K because he is who he is was the horse young Joe Lane rode when he came to ride with us for the month of August. Chopper K also got the call when Kirk and I had to go rope two wild yearling heifers for the neighbors in a less than ideal setup (complete with an audience).Sneak roping was not an option! It was game on as soon as we unloaded; We set it up to make best use of the little room we had, Kirk and Dartanian got the first one and Chopper K rolled me right up on the second heifer but after I missed and she took the fence, he then had to navigate through the pig & chicken pen and then open up and RUN clean across a quarter section of stubble to give me another shot before she hit another fence and into a creek bottom. We got her that time and once we had her tied down and the trailer arrived Chopper K towed her into the trailer and then just walked home. "All in a day's work says" Chopper K. That's the kind of horse he is; you can put him to work or just go out for a nice ride. All this good stuff and he is a real Blue roan to boot.



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#### DACS LAZER DOC 7-year-old sorrel gelding | 15 HH

Jacs Little Lena #{ DOUBLE JAC MOON My Sunday Moon	Dolls Union Jac Little Fanny Olena Late Moon My Sadbird
Doc Continental Dixie – [{ MJ DRY DOC DIXIE Dry Doc Olive –	– Doc's Spencer Bar Sue Mon Dry Doc 17 Hollywood Olive

#### Consigned by Thomas & Felicity

Here is Felicity's horse. He's quiet, doesn't have to be ridden every day and can cover ground with his big stride. This year she used Vegas to help me move cows around and he kept her mobile to take pictures and video for the sale. Felicity feels comfortable riding him and I feel safe having her on him. We had Vegas

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catalogued in last year's sale, but the Wednesday before, Felicity was riding him, rounding up custom grazers and Vegas got bogged down in a slough and strained some muscles. So we enjoyed him for another year and here he is. We have done everything there is to do on the ranch with Vegas. He has ran out cattle to rope, gone to brandings, dink looped or just trailed cattle. This horse is bred to run and be an athlete, and true to form he loves nothing more than to run down cattle out in the pasture. Vegas is very cowy and will follow one through the eye of a needle. He was raised at DAC Farms in Virden, Manitoba and in a round-about way he ended up dad's horse and then ours as a wedding gift 3 years ago. Vegas is the first to greet you at the gate and can be rode every day or every 3 months and is the same horse. He really is a kind soul and loves being around people. If you are looking for a smooth, big strided, broke, quiet gelding, be sure to watch his video.

Where the leather is scarred, there is a great story to tell. - Jimmy Tart



Never approach a bull from the front, a horse from the rear, or a fool from any direction. - Anonymous



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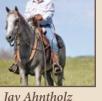
Cowboys need nothin' more than a hat, horse, and the will to ride. - Anonymous

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We are very proud of the fact that we buy so many horses locally. Thank you to all of theses local breeders , our friends, who produce theses outstanding and talented horses. It is our hope that you are as proud of them as we are and it is our pleasure to work with you time and time again. Thank you to all of our previous buyers who have made our sales successful and continue to inspire us to keep doing what we do, turn out great ranch horses. We can not say it enough, we love to hear about how the horses are fitting into their new homes. We are only a phone call away or better yet the coffee is always on. A HUGE shout out and thank you to all of our friends and family who not only help us behind the scenes at sale time but also on the ranch year round. Without you we would not be able to do all that we do.



Joe Wright





Brian Collier



Kirk Thompson



Cory & Sharlene Scott

## 2016 BUYERS- Sale Average \$9,555

Dave Kerr / Tyson & Tara Jacksteit / Ken Drake / Six Mile Red Angus Dallas & Sonja McGee / Rick & Jodi Hollingworth / Janeen & Florent Rivard Chris & Deb Florek / Dale Sorge / Dean Lamberton (repeat buyer)



There are only two emotions that belong in the saddle; one is a sense of humor and the other is patience. - Unknown

Testimonials

#### **BIG BEN** / Chris & Deb Florek

I had a good feeling about Big Ben right from the start and I still have it! Deb and I fell in love with him watching his sales video. He's always the first to come up to you for a visit and when it's time to go to work and chase cattle he is always ready for the gun fight! I just LOVE him!

#### CARANO / Janeen and Florent Rivard

This mare is very athletic and will be entering our breeding program to cross on Flit N Six Moons. We look forward to riding her babies!

#### **BUDDY** / Dale Sorge

We bought Buddy sight unseen from last years sale and he was everything they said he was. We heeled off him all last winter and my son started his steer wrestling career on him this spring. Buddy and my son have already won 2 high school rodeos.

#### **KIT** / Tyson Jacksteit and Family

Kit was a horse we bought sight unseen at the Hagan sale last year. He has been an absolute gem to work with. Whether it is working cattle, roping out of the box or just babysitting a younger rider, Kit does it all. He has definitely proven himself to all of my family on different occasions. The best horse we have ever owned bar none. I would recommend the Hagan horses to anyone.

#### RANGER / Dallas & Sonja McGee, McGee Livestock

McGee Livestock purchased Hagans Solanas Fling at the Hagan horse sale last fall as a started two year old. We will use him for fall gathering at our ranch and then take him to the arena for rope and barrel training. With his versatile pedigree we feel he will be successful in any arena setting. An added bonus is he carries a CBHI SuperStakes certificate and is eligible for Western Fortunes added money and Hagan's \$5,000 incentive!

#### WILLIE / Dave Kerr

I was looking for another horse last fall when one of my heel horses got injured and I wanted a backup horse to take south for the winter but also something that anyone could ride. Willie fit the bill as he has turned into a pretty good heel horse and the grand kids love him. I even got my wife riding him this winter in Arizona and she hadn't ridden in over 20 years. The Hagan's recommended Willie and they were right as he was exactly what we were looking for. Alistair said he was a smaller horse with a big heart and he proved that in the branding pen this spring. He is a great addition to our horse crew and seeing as I am partial to bays it is even better.

#### **SCOOTER** / Dean Lamberton

My name is Dean Lamberton and I live in High Level Alberta. I have bought several horses over the last 10 years, some have been good experiences and some have been absolutely terrible. But the last two horses I have bought have been Hagan horses and both purchases have been fantastic. I was looking for a young project horse with a level head and a hard working attitude and Erin had a nice looking red roan filly that fit the bill perfectly. When I picked her up last fall, she had 30 days on her this summer and she's turning out to be just an excellent little mare who is willing and able

to take on any challenge I throw her way. This spring I started shopping around for a well finished saddle horse that I could weekend cowboy with. On this occasion I reached out to Erin again and she told me that her brother-in-law Thomas may have the horse I was looking for. When I spoke to Thomas I explained my riding abilities and what I was looking for in a finished horse. Thomas responded with one word, Scooter. Because of the distance between Virden Manitoba and High Level Alberta I told Thomas that it was a heck of a long drive and I didn't want to drive 16 hours and be disappointed. So Thomas would go out in the wind and rain storms collecting videos of him and Scooter out chasing cows across 100 bridges and working out in the mud and water. Finally the time was right for me to book a trip out to Thomas's place and to cover my bases, I set up several rides on the way. I finally got to the Hagan Ranch and Thomas had Scooter tied up in the barn but not saddled (as requested). We saddled up Scooter, warmed him up a bit and then went for a two hour ride on Thomas's Ranch. I rode through the bushes, we rode amongst the cattle and even had a close encounter with a cow moose. My ride was fantastic and I was sold after the first hour but was enjoying myself so much we just kept riding until the skies opened up and we headed home. My ride at Thomas's place was great but since I've brought Scooter home we have done two brandings and I try and ride him 5 days a week and each ride I still get a grin on my face. I would recommend the Hagan's and Hagan horses to anyone looking for a good quality and well bred horse.

















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