

2003 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

CHICKERAMIC (IMP) Q-337

Sire: TRIPLE CHICK USA - 72953
Dam: TABANO STAR USA - 175707
Breeder: MS J.L. BIVINS, CHANNING, TX. USA
First Owner: YULGILBAR QUARTER HORSE STUD, MERRICKS NORTH. VIC.
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Profile: 1968 – 2003 – BAY - 177 Registered AQHA progeny.

CHICKERAMIC was inducted into the AQHA Hall of Fame in September, 2003 in recognition of his profound influence on the Quarter Horse scene in Australia due to the number of outstanding progeny sired by him.

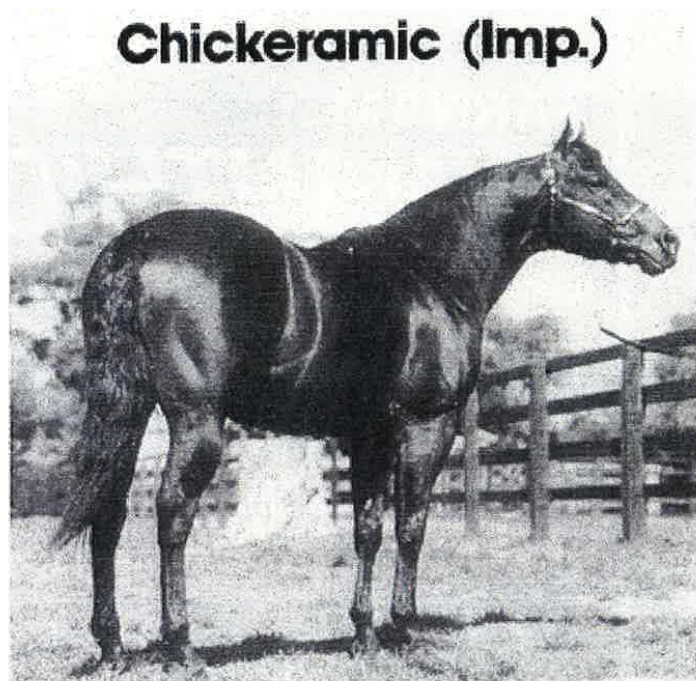


Yulgibar Stud selected this stallion for his bloodlines and potential to breed Quarter Horses with ability, movement and good temperament. CHICKERAMIC is by TRIPLE CHICK (sire of 9 AAAT, 50 AAA and 20 AA rated winners in the USA with earnings in excess of \$550,726) and out of the mare, TABANO STAR, herself an American Champion.

When Yulgibar purchased CHICKERAMIC from American breeder Ms J.L. Bivins in 1968 they could not have foreseen the effect this stallion would have on the Australian Quarter Horse industry.

CHICKERAMIC was introduced to some of the best station mares and King Ranch foundation stock which proved a recipe for success. CHICKERAMIC'S progeny carry the blood of most all important foundation sires and highlight the strength of the King Ranch imported horses and their influence on the establishment of the Australian Quarter Horse.

CHICKERAMIC sired 177 AQHA registered progeny and among them some of the best halter and performance horses that this country has ever seen. Many of our youth and amateurs have been to winning performances by a CHICKERAMIC horse. One of the tests of the quality of progeny of any stallion is the number of professionals who choose to campaign them. CHICKERAMIC progeny have stood at the head of the line up the most of the major Futurities, Derbies, Features, Championships, and have accumulated countless High Point Titles for owners and riders.



CHICKERAMIC'S sons and daughters became admired for their ability and versatility and were a delight to watch in action as they excelled in all fields of competition. Their working qualities can be well remembered, YULGILBAR JESSIE JAMES P-8288 who was ridden to many win in Cow Horse Events by Sid Myer and also the great buckskin performer YULGILBAR QUICK SILVER Q-10032 both stamping the word "versatility" on CHICKERAMIC breeding. One American judge at the AQHA National Show was heard to remark "I can't believe what I saw, that buckskin sucker won a Pleasure and a Trail yesterday and has just gone out and roped a cow... and hell, he's only got one eye!"



Photo: YULGILBAR QUICK SILVER Q-10032

Owned for many years by the Cotterill family, YULGILBAR QUICKSILVER passed away in October, 2003. YULGILBAR QUICKSILVER was purchased as a two year old from Elgee Park in 1984 and was trained by Dick and Trish Fuchs ultimately accumulating 1323.5 AQHA lifetime points. Amongst his 29 AQHA awards are Silver Century in Trail, Bronze Century in Reining, Performance Medal, Bronze Century in Halter, Champion Youth Horse in Performance, Superior Horse in Western Pleasure, Register of Merit in General Performance and Register of Merit in Working Cowhorse, his favourite event. Judy Cotterill says her greatest highlight with 'SILVER' was winning High Point Western Riding Horse of Australia. Other great achievements include the Greg Lougher Perpetual Reining Trophy and being crowned overall High Point Reining Horse of Australia.

Another CHICKERAMIC gelding, QUICK SILVER'S full brother, YULGILBAR EASY CHICK Q-24118 is also owned by the Cotterill family. Both geldings are out of the mare COLONY MYSTIC BAR (PARS MUSIC BAR (IMP) X QUARTER GYPSIE). EASY CHICK, is still competing strongly having already accumulated 1429.5 AQHA lifetime points and 31 AQHA Awards.

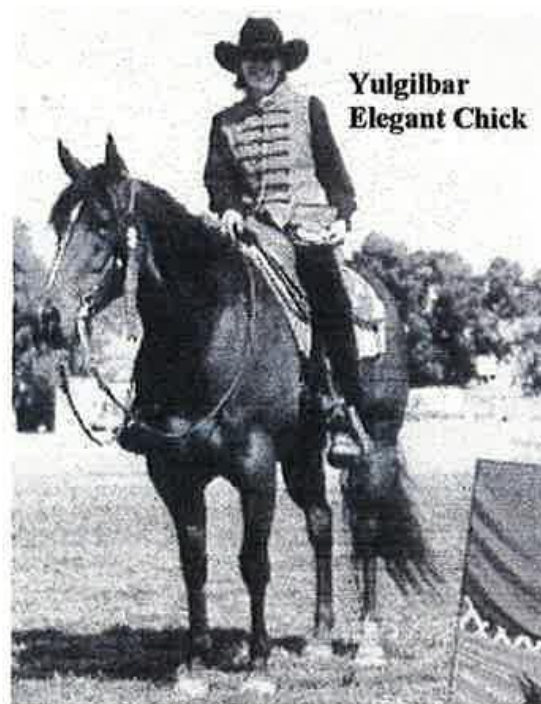


Yulgilbar Easy Chick & David Norbury

Another highly successful CHICKERAMIC gelding is BLUE PETER Q-4554 who earned 1288 AQHA Lifetime points and 24 AQHA Awards. With a Silver Century in Western Pleasure, a Bronze Century in Trail, Bridle Path Hack and Hunter under Saddle, BLUE PETER was no slouch in the show ring. He also accumulated many points in Youth classes including Reining.

Well known Victorians Tania and Andrew Soper had many pleasurable years with BLUE PETER, competing as Youth and winning many State and National Titles between them. BLUE PETER was later purchased by the Turner family who also enjoyed many years of fun with him.

One of CHICKERAMIC'S daughters is YULGILBAR ELEGANT CHICK Q-24117. At 24 years of age ELEGANT CHICK was the High Point Horse at the 2004 Youth World Cup held in Australia and has accumulated 1083 AQHA lifetime points and 22 AQHA awards. These awards include one which was only earned in 2004, Superior Horse Youth Hunter under Saddle. Her other awards include Superior Horse in Youth Western Horsemanship and Halter, Bronze Century in Western Pleasure, Quarter Horse Champion in Performance, Register of Merit in Hunter Under Saddle, Youth Trail and Youth Hunt Seat Equitation. During this ambition and highly successful show career ELEGANT CHICK has mothered five foals.



ELLRON CHICKA BOOM Q-25713 and YULGILBAR ELEGANT CHICK are both out of the mare KAYTEE BOOM Q-10373. CHICKA BOOM is one of the youngest CHICKERAMIC progeny, and competed strongly with Skye Slater of Victoria. CHICKA BOOM accumulated 848 AQHA lifetime points and 20 AQHA Awards. In 2004, he was awarded the Champion Youth Horse award in Performance and has earned his Bronze Century in Trail and Western Pleasure, Superior Horse in Amateur Trail, Amateur Western Horsemanship and Halter. He also has a Register of Merit in Hunter under Saddle, Amateur Hunter under Saddle and Amateur Trail. CHICKA BOOM achieved his Quarter Horse Champion Award in Performance in 1999.

A number of CHICKERAMIC sons and daughters are no longer with us but with so many of his progeny worthy of a mention, it would be impossible to cover them all in this article. YULGILBAR MISS CHICK Q-2413 was born in 1977 and died in 2002. She accumulated 755.5 AQHA lifetime points in Reining, Cutting, Sporting Trail, Western Pleasure, Western Riding, Working Cowhorse and Working Hunter. Of the 18 AQHA awards MISS CHICK achieved six were Youth events. MISS CHICK eventually became a brood mare on the Grey family's Somerosa Stud in Victoria and produced five foals.

YULGILBAR MANDY R1-7272 who was born in 1977 and died 2003 has similar achievements to MISS CHICK. YULGILBAR MANDY had 720.5 AQHA lifetime points and 16 AQHA awards and was an outstanding Youth horse. Seven of her awards were for Youth Events including a Champion Youth Award which she achieved in 1986.

CHICKERAMIC daughters are prolific producers too and have earned valuable placed in brood mare bands. A small selection of some of the finest are:

YULGILBAR NIMBLE CHICK Q-3048 stands out as a great producer of halter and performance horses. YULGILBAR DIAL A CHICK Q-22499 has 182.4 lifetime points and five AQHA Awards. YULGILBAR NORA Q-3045 produced ONE PERFECT MORN Q-24583 who was sold to Western Australia and has collected 664.5 lifetime point earnings.

CHICKERAMIC ceased stud duties in the early 1990's. He spent his days in retirement sharing his paddock with DIXIE II (FM-04762).

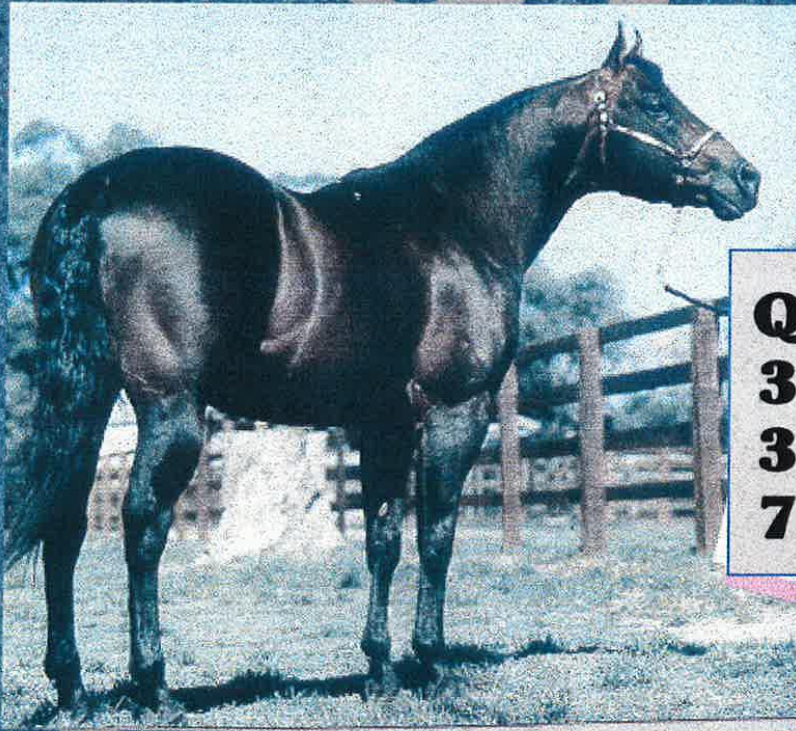
The grand old couple, 'Chick' and 'Dixie' spent their final years at Elgee Park. Sadly, CHICKERAMIC outlived 'Dixie' by a few years and died himself in December, 2003 at the ripe old age of 35!

A W A R D S		
Date	Event	Award
2003	Performance	Hall of Fame Inductee

P O I N T S					
Event	Type	Life Total A & B	Life Total A	Year Total A & B	Year Total A
Halter	Horse	4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total		4	0.0	0.0	0.0

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