

DEEPER SHADE OF BLU

2016 Brown Roan - AQHA 5828757

PERFORMANCE RECORD

Earner of \$29,882 and 25 AQHA points

2023 RHAA Senior Open Horse of the Year

At three: 7th Idaho RCHA Int. Open Futurity; top 10 NSHA RCH Int. Open Futurity; Colorado RCHA Fall Finale Open Futurity Reserve Champion (Rein & Herd Work Co-Reserve Champion); finalist in the Idaho RCHA Open Futurity; Colorado RCHA Fall Finale Int. Open Futurity Reserve Champion (Herd & Rein Work Co-Reserve Champion).

At four: 6th NRCHA Celebration of Champions Int. Open Derby; 4th Colorado RCHA Mid-America Open Derby; 7th Colorado RCHA Sagebrush Open Derby; Colorado RCHA Mid-America Int. Open Derby Reserve Champion (Rein Work Champion, Herd Work Co-Champion); 4th Colorado RCHA Sagebrush Int. Open Derby (Herd Work Co-Champion); Panhandle RCHA Red Dirt Open Derby Reserve Champion.

At five: 3rd RHAA National Finals Ranch Hand; Panhandle RCHA Red Dirt Open Derby Champion; RHAA Waurika Oklahoma Ranch Hand Champion; Panhandle RCHA Fall Into Autumn Limited Open Hackamore class winner;

At six: 3rd RHAA National Finals Junior Open; RHAA Amarillo Senior Open Champion; Panhandle RCHA February Open Champion; RHAA Eastland Junior Open Champion; Colorado RCHA Western Slope Limited Open Bridle class winner.

As an aged horse: 2023 RHAA Senior Open Horse of the Year; 2023 RHAA National Finals Senior Open Champion; 2023 NRCHA World's Greatest Horseman Preliminaries Open Fence Work Co-Reserve Champion; 6th in the Limited Open Bridle at the 2024 NRCHA Futurity; 3rd 2023 Panhandle RCHA Red Dirt Open Bridle Spectacular; 3rd 2024 Colorado RCHA Western Slope Open Bridle Spectacular (Fence Work Champion); 2023 Colorado RCHA Western Slope Limited Open Bridle Spectacular Champion (Fence, Herd, and Rein Work Champion); split 4th 2023 Colorado RCHA Western Slope Open Bridle Spectacular; 2024 Colorado RCHA Western Slope Limited Open Bridle Spectacular Champion (Fence and Herd Work Champion, Rein Work Reserve Champion).

In AQHA competition: VRH cutting (Level 3), 6.5 VRH cow work (Level 3), 5 VRH reining (Level 3), 1 versatility ranch horse (Level 3), 1 VRH cowboy cutting (Level 3), 1 VRH ranch riding (Level 3), and ½ VRH conformation (Level 3) point in open events.

IN THE STUD

DEEPER SHADE OF BLU is the sire of 20 foals age 3 & over, including—**DD FANCY LIKE** (Starlena, by Dual R Smokin). \$21,383: High Plains Breeders Open Ranch Horse Futurity Champion.

Deeper Shade O Sugar (Acers Of Sugar, by Peponitas Bob). \$4,419 to 4, 2026: semi-finalist in the NCHA Int. Amateur Futurity; Bell County Cutting January Day 1 Non-Pro Derby Champion.

Sweet And Shady (Bobs Sweet Widows, by Bobs Sweet Doc). \$3,547 to 4, 2026: 3rd High Plains Breeders Open Ranch Horse Futurity.

DC WOAHOH BLACKBETTY (Acustom To Hollywood, by Custom Jackpot). 2025 Indiana Ranch Horse Association Midwest Classic 3-Year-Old Open Futurity Reserve Champion.

MALE LINE

His sire, ONCE IN A BLU BOON. \$319,002: AQHA World Champion Senior Cutting Horse; NCHA Open Classic/Challenge Champion; 3rd NCHA Open Derby; Brazos Bash Open Classic Champion; Arbuckle Mountain ad Cattlemens Open Classics' Champion. AQData and NCHA Top 12 Leading Cutting Sire, siring 640 money-earners, \$15,757,931, and earners of 2,814 AQHA points.

ONCE IN A BLU BOON HAS Sired:

ALL SPICE. \$571,049: NCHA Horse of the Year; NCHA Open Futurity Champion; American Performance Horseman Cutting Champion.

	Peppy San Badger	Mr San Peppy
	Peptoboonsmal	Sugar Badger
	Royal Blue Boon	Boon Bar
Once In A Blu Boon	Dual Pep	Royal Tincie
	Autumn Boon	Peppy San Badger
	Royal Blue Boon	Miss Dual Doc
	High Brow Cat	Boon Bar
	Cats Rhett	Royal Tincie
	Scarlet Dance	High Brow Hickory
Jazzy Cat Flip	High Brow Hickory	Smart Little Kitty
	Royal Jazz Flip	Peppy San Badger
	Flipped Out Jazz	Chiclynx
		Doc's Hickory
		Grulla San
		Colonel Flip
		Jazzy Socks

BAYLENCIAGA. \$443,057: split 5th NCHA Open Futurity; split 3rd NCHA Super Stakes Open Derby.

BADBOONARISING. \$367,101: NCHA Open Futurity Reserve Champion; split 4th NCHA Open Super Stakes.

TWICE IN SANTIAGO. \$276,587: NCHA Horse of the Year; NCHA Open Futurity Reserve Champion.

CW BLU REY. \$274,307: NCHA Open Classic/Challenge Reserve Champion; Cascades Open Classic Champion.

FANCY DEVILLE. \$259,534: top 10 NCHA Super Stakes Open Derby.

HERE COMES THE BOON. \$251,104: NRCHA Open Futurity Champion; NSHA RCH Open Futurity Champion.

THE DARKK SIDE. \$250,072: AQHA World Champion Junior Heading.

FEMALE LINE

1st dam

Jazzy Cat Flip, by Cats Rhett. Dam of 5 AQHA foals age 3 & over, 3 money-earners, including—

DEEPER SHADE OF BLU (c. by One In A Blu Boon). Reference.

Boonita (f. by Picante Boon). \$6,939: ACHA Extravaganza Day 1 Non-Pro Derby Champion; CW Elite Cow Horse 4C July Ranch Cutting Green Horse Open class winner.

Jazzy Lil Boon (f. by Once In A Blu Boon). Dam of—

STEVIE REY BOON (c. by Stevie Rey Von). \$49,926: 2025 NCHA \$5,000 Novice Finals Champion.

2nd dam

Royal Jazz Flip, by High Brow Hickory. Dam of 11 AQHA foals.

3rd dam

Flipped Out Jazz, by Colonel Flip. \$6,182: 7th PCCHA Open Futurity. Dam of 2 AQHA point-earners, 3 money-earners, including—

STARBUCKS JAZZ (Smart Starbuck). \$117,842: 4th NRBC Open Derby, top 10 NRHA Open Derby; finalist NRHA Open Futurity, Carolina Classic Reining Open Derby Champion; split 3rd Congress Open Reining Futurity, split 5th Rocky Mountain RHA Summer Slide Open Futurity, split 3rd Rocky Mountain RHA Summer Slide Open Stallion Stakes Futurity.

Miss Royal Starbuck (Smart Starbuck). \$8,691 and 11 AQHA points: split 6th Southwest RHA Int. Open Futurity; finalist Southwest RHA Open Futurity, 5th Cowboy Capital Classic Reining Open Derby; finalist NRHA Primetime Open Futurity.

4th dam

Jazzy Socks, by Royal King. NCHA Non-Pro Futurity Reserve Champion. Dam of 5 money-earners, including—

DOC WILSON (Doc Bar). \$124,614: 5th Arizona Sun Circuit Cutting Finals Open, split 5th NCHA Open Finals, 3rd NCHA Open Top Ten, 5th NCHA Non-Pro Finals, NCHA Hall of Fame.

SON OFA DOC (Doc Bar). \$18,786 and 41 AQHA points: AQHA Reserve World Champion Senior Cutting Horse, 7th AQHA World Junior Cutting, NCHA Bronze Award, Open Perf. ROM.

1/30/2026

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