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Absolute Bloodlines legacy continues Dan McWhirter Quarter Horses earns top-5 rankings as AQHA 2009 Leading Breeder

Doniphan, Neb – Dan McWhirter Quarter Horses has been recognized by the American Quarter Horse Association as a 2009 Leading Breeder in five categories, including top five in Performance Point Earners, Performance Class Winners and Performance Halter Class Winners.

Tied for 18th all-time in breeders of AQHA Performance ROM horses, Dan McWhirter Quarter Horses in 2009 also ranked in the top 10 in Performance Halter Class Wins and top 15 in Performance Class Wins.

"We are pleased our customers are excelling with their performance horses," says Carol McWhirter. "We focus our breeding efforts on superior conformation, balance, dispositions and overall trainability, which pays off in the show pen – and it pays off for our customers."

2009 AQHA Leading Breeder rankings for Dan McWhirter Quarter Horses:

- Performance class winners 4th
- Performance Halter class winners 4th (tied)
- Performance point earners 5th
- Performance Halter class wins 7th
- Performance class wins 14th

After more than 30 years breeding Quarter Horses, Dan McWhirter Quarter Horses has featured Hall of Fame Stallions The Big Investment and The Invester, as well as Good Asset and other, top-performing stallions. But, it's Absolute Investment that's siring the current generation of performance horses that are proving themselves in the show pen.

"Absolute Investment is so consistent in the quality of each individual he produces," says McWhirter. "With him we've built on our goal of producing horses with great minds, balance and conformation, but it's the predictability of his foals that's truly unique – he stamps them with his superior, *Absolute Bloodlines* attributes."

Read more about Dan McWhirter Quarter Horses, Absolute Investment and performance horse prospects at <u>www.absolutebloodlines.com</u>. Watch videos of winning performances at <u>www.danmcwhirter.com</u> !