

PLANNING AHEAD

Texas , the place to watch and run in winter of 2012.

February 18, 2012 is the scheduled date for the running of the Gr 2 Texas Six Shooter and Yellow Rose stakes for 4 yr old and up at Sam Houston Race track.

March 3, 2012 is the scheduled running of the Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan Arabian Cup Gr 2 race running under the auspices of the HH Sheikh Mansoor Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Global Festival of Arabian Flat horse racing. On this same race card will be the first ever running (in the USA) of the HH Sheikha Fatima Bint Mubarak IFAHR Ladies Cup for amateur lady jockeys.

March 4, 2012 will be the **25th** celebration of the Annual Darley Awards being sponsored for the first time ever by the **HH Sheikh Mansoor Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Global Festival of Arabian racing**. Ms. Lara Sawaya the Festival Director stated the HH Sheikh Mansoor Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Global Festival of Arabian Flat racing Darley Awards Silver Anniversary of these prestigious USA national awards will be the "Oscars" for Arabian racing. For the first time ever, the Darley Awards will be extended to add 5 additional International Awards.

Additional information on all major Arabian racing events around the USA will be available on the AJC website, the state affiliate websites as well as the Arabian Finish Line magazine.