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Jackson Mountains Wild Horse Gather



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Sunday, June 17	<p>Summary: 12 stallions, 14 mares, and 7 foals were gathered today. The body condition of the horses gathered today were in the 2 to 4 range on the Henneke scale. Temperatures during the gather ranged from 73 degrees to 87 degrees. One stallion was released. One animal was euthanized. As soon as additional information is received will post cause.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 33 Animals shipped: 47 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 1 Cause: none</p>
Saturday, June 16	<p>Correction update on 6/18: a 9-year-old bay mare with vertebral deformity of neck and body condition of 1.5 was euthanized.</p> <p>Summary: 24 stallions, 16 mares, and 15 foals were gathered today. The body condition of the horses gathered today were in the 2 to 4 range on the Henneke scale. Temperatures during the gather ranged from 65 degrees to 92 degrees.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 55 Animals shipped: 6 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 1 Cause: none</p>
Friday, June 15	<p>Summary: One mare and her foal were gathered before high winds ended gathering early for the day.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 2 Animals shipped: 0 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none</p>
Thursday, June 14	<p>Summary: 2 stallions, 1 mare and 1 foal were gathered today. Horses gathered today ranged in the Henneke body condition of 3-4.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 4 Animals shipped: 43 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none</p>
Wednesday, June 13	<p>Summary: 15 stallions, 17 mares and 11 foals were gathered today. Horses gathered today ranged in the Henneke body condition of 3-4.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 43 Animals shipped: 39 Gather related animal deaths: 0</p>

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Today's Status June 17, 2012		
Animals Gathered	Gather Related Animal Deaths	Non-gather Related Animal Deaths
33	0	1

Cumulative Totals since June 8		
Animals Gathered	Gather Related Animal Deaths	Non-gather Related Animal Deaths
298	0	5

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	<p>Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none</p>
Tuesday, June 12	<p>Summary: 12 stallions, 19 mares and 9 foals were gathered today at trap located near Rail Road Springs. Horses are thin to moderately thin, mostly Henneke body condition 4s. Some mares showing 2s to 3 body conditions. Temperatures were cool to warm: 60s in morning and mid-80s most of the afternoon with high of 89 reported at the trap. One stallion escaped from temporary holding and returned to the range.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 40 (-1 escapee) = 39 Animals shipped: 18 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none</p>
Monday, June 11	<p>Summary: 6 stallions, 6 mares and 2 foals were gathered today in the Trail Springs gather location. Body condition scores were between mid 2s (very thin) to 4s (moderately thin), except 2 mares and the foals that were a 2. Gather site was re-located from Trail Springs to the southeast portion of the HMA. Some horses from previous day were shipped to Palomino Valley Center outside Reno.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 14 Animals shipped: 39 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none</p>
Sunday, June 10	<p>Summary: 9 stallions, 15 mares and 11 foals were gathered today in the Trail Springs gather location. Body condition scores were between mid 2s (very thin) to 4s (moderately thin). Mares and foals in general had lower body condition scores with over half of them scoring less than a 3. One mare with a foal that was treated yesterday for lameness due to a minor leg injury was treated again this morning before being shipped. Highs in the low 80s. Three observers. Some horses from previous day were shipped to Palomino Valley Center outside Reno.</p> <p>3 animals euthanized: one yearling with body condition score of 1.5 that was unlikely to improve in condition; one 17 year old stud with a severe developmental limb deformity resulting in severe lameness (chronic); and a 9 year old stud with a deformed right leg due to a pre-existing fracture to the knee resulting in severe lameness.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 35 Animals shipped: 34 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 3 Cause: One yearling with body condition score of 1.5 that was unlikely to improve in condition; one 17 year old stud with a severe developmental limb deformity resulting in severe lameness (chronic); and a 9 year old stud with a deformed right leg due to a pre-existing fracture to the knee resulting in severe lameness.</p>
Saturday, June 9	<p>Summary: 25 stallions, 14 mares and 6 foals were gathered today in the Trail Springs gather location. Body condition scores were between mid 2s (very thin) to 4s (moderately thin). Highs were in the high 50s to low 60s. Three observers. Horses from previous day were shipped to Palomino Valley Center outside Reno.</p> <p>The observed percentage of foals is lower than expected which may be contributable to lower body condition of the mares and foals due to limited forage and water and the foals are not</p>

	<p>surviving.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 45 Animals shipped: 27 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none</p>
<p>Friday, June 8</p>	<p>Summary: 10 stallions, 15 mares and 2 foals were gathered today in the Trail Springs gather location. Body condition scores were between mid 2s (very thin) to 4s (moderately thin). The helicopter moved the horses a maximum of 3 miles. High of 60 degrees when gathering concluded. One observer.</p> <p>Animals gathered: 27 Animals shipped: 0 Gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none Non-gather related animal deaths: 0 Cause: none</p>

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