

June 2017 Newsletter



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May Racing in Mississippi...On to Nationals!!

Mississippi Race

2017 Events

What a great race!!! Thanks to Vaudry Edge, John Hodges and the Archie family for being our local hosts and rounding up the obstacles, volunteers and sponsoring the buckles! Special thanks to judge Julie Murphy for designing some fast, fun courses and spending her day scoring over 100 runs!

SOCA's "world famous announcer," Joel Mobley, kept the crowd entertained and the racers moving into the arena, so we finished in good time! We can't say thank you enough to Joel for ALL he does for SOCA!

For those of you that missed this race, we had some interesting new obstacles, especially the "swinging bridge"!!

Results are in this newsletter, as well as on the SOCA website.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

June 3rd and 4th – EXCA Nationals at Celebration Arena in Decatur, AL

July 8th – Obstacle Schooling Day at Darby Oaks Stables in Bushnell, FL

August 12th – Georgia State Championship Extreme Cowboy Race, Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA

Thanks to Lightning Signs (The Charles Family) & Margo Cook for the awesome new obstacle numbers!!!

THANKS TO ALL OUR JUDGES, VOLUNTEERS & SPONSORS!!!!

1/14-15/17 – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday & Obstacle Challenge on Sunday

2/25/17 – Obstacle Schooling Day & Judging Clinic – Rocking K Ranch, Hernando, FL

4/8/17 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) - Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC

4/22/17 – Obstacle Challenge – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

5/13/17 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) – Pontotoc Agri-Center, Pontotoc, MS

6/3-4/17 – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA Nationals (Triple Points) – Celebration Arena, Decatur, AL

7/8/17 – Obstacle Schooling Day – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL (Flyer Attached)

8/12/17 – Extreme Cowboy Race (Double Points) – Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA (Flyer Attached)

9/9/17 – Obstacle Schooling Day – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

9/23-24/17 – Extreme Cowboy Race SE Regional Championships (Triple Points)- Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC

11/11/17 – Obstacle Challenge Championships – Florida Horse Park, Ocala, FL

2017 Events flyers are on the website at www.southernobstaclechallenges.com

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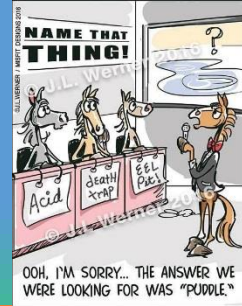
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Results from the 5/13/17 Mississippi State Extreme Cowboy Race Pontotoc Agri Center, Pontotoc, Mississippi

	Young Guns Divison Results		Round 1	Round 2	Total
1	No Entries				0.000
	Novice Divison Results				
1	David Archie	Toby	158.532	170.450	328.982
2	Sherry Garman	Stormy	157.224	165.868	323.092
3	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	151.713	166.844	318.557
4	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	155.578	162.482	318.060
5	Angela Graham	Dancer	156.255	156.443	312.698
6	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	153.602	158.919	312.521
7	Justin Archie	Tigger	152.840	155.119	307.959
8	Gregg Moore	Primer	149.020	157.263	306.283
9	Nickie Johnson	WB Freckles Lena	147.128	153.700	300.828
10	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	149.906	147.975	297.881
	Green Horse Results				
1	Jade Walker	Bamalamdingdong	159.076	165.991	325.067
2	Demetrio Alvarez	Cruz	153.138	167.564	320.702
3	Rick Peniston	Savvy Gun Play	155.610	161.792	317.402
4	Aaron Hudson	Sonny	128.784	121.211	249.995
5	Jonathan Archie	Cruz	110.877	107.000	217.877
	Non Pro Divison Results				
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	202.087	203.660	405.747
2	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	197.693	206.325	404.018
3	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	198.158	204.725	402.883
4	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	195.385	193.415	388.800
5	Rick Peniston	Smoochie	182.082	203.269	385.351
6	Demetrio Alvarez	Sally	186.174	199.083	385.257
7	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	189.100	195.342	384.442
	Intermediate Divison Results				
1	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	199.481	205.629	405.110
2	David Archie	Toby	192.455	205.714	398.169
3	Lisa Steinbach	Texan At The Ritz	193.682	203.834	397.516
4	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	197.178	198.326	395.504
5	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	196.411	194.240	390.651
6	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	191.993	196.557	388.550
7	Jazmyn Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	185.500	202.566	388.066
8	Jade Walker	Colonel	185.120	202.421	387.541
9	Sherry Garman	Stormy	194.365	192.497	386.862
10	Angela Graham	Dancer	186.131	196.099	382.230
11	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	180.440	191.115	371.555
12	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	173.387	194.405	367.792
13	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	171.016	179.487	350.503
	Youth Divison Results				
1	Jade Walker	Colonel	199.185	206.960	406.145
2	Jazmyn Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	194.837	205.135	399.972
3	Dustin Archie	Toby	171.342	181.401	352.743
	Ride Smart Divison Results				
1	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	201.069	210.511	411.580
2	Rick Peniston	Smoochie	190.257	203.997	394.254
3	Sherry Garman	Stormy	195.894	197.416	393.310
4	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	182.174	207.663	389.837
5	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	194.415	189.710	384.125
6	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	184.378	195.557	379.935
7	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	173.793	177.117	350.910
	Pro Divison Results				
1	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	195.835	207.614	403.449
2	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	196.560	195.082	391.642
3	Joel Mobley	Chic	186.156	196.539	382.695





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Pictures from the 5/13/17 Mississippi State Extreme Cowboy Race Pontotoc Agri Center, Pontotoc, Mississippi



Novice



Green Horse



Non Pro



Intermediate



Ride Smart



Youth



Pro



**Most Improved Award
Dustin Archie!**





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YOUTH RIDERS CORNER

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Bernie Duncan Memorial

Youth Educational Fund

Starting with the 2016 show season, SOCA awards \$500 to the high point youth rider at the Obstacle Challenges and \$500 to the high point youth rider at the Extreme Cowboy Races.

The youth/horse combination must compete in all 2017 SOCA Obstacle Challenges to be eligible for the \$500 Challenge Fund Award.

The youth/horse combination must compete in all 2017 SOCA Extreme Cowboy Races to be eligible for the \$500 Race Fund Award.

The Youth must be a paid member of SOCA for the 2017 season. The same youth can win both awards if they attend all races and challenges.

Congratulations to our 2016 Winners:



Stephanie Walters
Obstacle Challenges



Casey Hiser
Extreme Cowboy Races

Prayers for one of our favorite cowboys, Cullen Green, and his family. Get well soon!



Youth Obstacle Challenge Standings

1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	291.00
2	Mackenzie Brown	Gee Bee's Augustus	254.00
3	Breanna Bork	Diego	240.00
4	Emily Cook	Scarlet	237.00

No Eligible Youth for Race Fund

SOCA dues (\$10) are due January 1st!
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Dues help fund the highpoint awards and administrative costs of the club.

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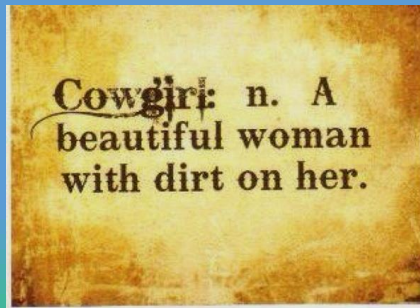
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High Point through 5/30/17

SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2017

	Rider	Horse	Total
Novice Division			
1	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid (Ace)	268.00
2	Becky McDowell	Shadow	251.00
3	Linda Bradley	Billy	243.00
4	Margo Cook	Luna	234.50
5	Mo Earle	Cabo	234.00
6	Morgan Skrabalak	Hot Roddin Hot Te (Emmett)	189.50
7	Vickie Sparacino	Spirit	136.50
8	Miah Bradley	Dakota	123.00
9	Gail Ransco	Dee Dee	119.00
10	Pam Harrell	Junior	116.00
Youth Division			
1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	291.00
2	Mackenzie Brown	Gee Bee's Augustus	254.00
3	Breanna Bork	Diego	240.00
4	Emily Cook	Scarlet	237.00
5	Jazzy Durgin	Hot As A Pistol	133.00
6	Jazzy Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	128.00
7	Jordan Price	Diamond	83.50
8	Amalia Spencer	Wuden Chu Cimamom Baby	70.00
9	Brooke Bremer	Shadees Kharma	66.50
10	Madison Carter	AKR Cinnfully Dotin	58.00
Intermediate Division			
1	Leslie Kingree	Scamps First Hit	257.50
2	Janice Charles	Sunshine & Whiskey	256.00
3	Nancy Biddinger	Splash	243.00
4	Denise Brown	Gismos Candy Two	242.50
5	Donna Calloway	Surely A Legacy (Rain)	239.00
6	Jan McDougald	Sensations Annie Lee	230.00
7	Brianna Tribett	Imheirristibletoo	229.50
8	Barbara Van Winkle	Pepper	221.00
9	Shelby Ratliff	Vinnie	208.00
10	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	135.00
Posse Division			
1	Cathy Rotola	PSU He's Smart N Peppy	276.00
2	Connie Lloyd	Chance	142.00
3	Pat Cason	Sinoforso	139.00
4	Anne Hanley	Conrad's Debonaire Gentleman	136.00
5	Vicke Anderson	Peps Wittle Wrangler	129.00
6	Warren Cason	Kevin	125.00
7	Cathy Ulm	Spirit	108.00
8	Karen Ketchum	Tango	89.00
9	Kelly Gifford	Trooper Tres'	86.00
Open Elite Division			
1	Traci Woodard	Sprite	286.00
2	Anna Gay	Peppy's Cat ICH1 (Catman)	284.00
3	Vicky DeArmond	Roxie Rose	265.00
4	Lesia Roe	Cat	263.50
5	Bret Lambdin	Tug	245.00
6	Renee Stafford	Jazzy	134.00
7	Sherry Garman	Stormy	132.00
8	Jan Garvin	Peponitas Shot Gun	132.00
9	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	131.00
10	Ross Harper	Riley	108.50

SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2017

		Total	
Novice Division Results			
1	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	948.939
2	Sherry Garman	Stormy	942.153
3	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	941.858
4	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	899.599
5	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	863.572
6	Gregg Moore	Primer	566.630
7	David Archie	Toby	328.982
8	Anna Gay	Peppy's Cat ICM1	315.135
9	Angela Graham	Dancer	312.698
10	Justin Archie	Tigger	307.959
Green Horse Results			
1	Rick Peniston	Savvy	936.833
2	Demetrio Alvarez	Cruz	636.519
3	Jade Walker	Bamalamingdong	325.067
4	Kiana Bolognese	Apache	267.612
5	Jazmyn Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	255.486
6	Jonathan Archie	Cruz	217.877
Non Pro Division Results			
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	1276.742
2	Rick Peniston	Smoochie	1182.605
3	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	1108.114
4	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	825.512
5	Demetrio Alvarez	Sally	788.009
6	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	751.718
7	Steve Barrett	Mr. Geniune Doc	413.774
8	Demetrio Alvarez	Chic	413.019
9	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	402.883
10	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	393.817
Intermediate Division Results			
1	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	1183.786
2	Lisa Steinbach	Texan At The Ritz	1140.365
3	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	1137.186
4	Sherry Garman	Stormy	1117.202
5	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	1116.774
6	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	1110.608
7	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	1044.531
8	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	777.754
9	Jazmyn Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	710.237
10	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	676.984
Youth Division Results			
1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	812.472
2	Jazmyn Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	749.106
3	Kianna Ferro	Texan At The Ritz	717.871
4	Jade Walker	Colonel	406.145
5	Kirsten Mew	Mister Twister	401.035
6	Kirsten Mew	Diamond Dee O'Lena	372.560
7	Shawn Charles	Sunshine N Whiskey	364.942
8	Dawton Davis	Trinity	362.321
9	Dustin Archie	Toby	352.743
Ride Smart Division Results			
1	Rick Peniston	Smoochie	1204.977
2	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	1082.435
3	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	824.197
4	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	779.909
5	Sherry Garman	Stormy	772.495
6	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	716.462
7	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	685.384
8	Steve Barrett	Mr. Geniune Doc	437.965
Pro Division Results			
1	Joel Mobley	Chic	1185.901
2	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	793.420
3	Bret Lambdin	Tug	716.333
4	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	391.642
5	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	388.905

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2017 High Points

In 2017 SOCA will award high point obstacle challenge winners in the following divisions: Novice, Youth, Intermediate, Open Elite and Posse. Points from each of the 2017 SOCA Obstacle Challenges will be totaled and the horse/rider team with the most points will be the high point champion. Based on the feedback from members, the high point award will be custom SOCA buckles. Ribbons will be awarded to 6th place for high point.

Regional Championship buckles for the Extreme Cowboy Races will be determined by points accumulated at SOCA events only. The horse/rider teams accumulating the most points at each designated SOCA EXCA race (with the triple points at the Nationals in June and Regional Championship races in September and double points for all State Championships) will be awarded the high point buckle in the following divisions: Pro, Non-Pro, Ride Smart, Novice, Intermediate, Youth and Young Guns.

To be eligible for high point buckles, SOCA members must have attended all challenges or races.

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Purpose of SOCA

OBSTACLE CHALLENGES

- Divisions for all levels of horses and riders
- Open to all breeds
- Payback in all classes, prizes, and ribbons
- Ten to fifteen obstacles
- Events will be in arenas and on the trail

EXTREME COWBOY RACES

- Sanctioned Extreme Cowboy Races with divisions for: Pro, Non-Pro, Novice, Intermediate, Ride Smart, Youth, Young Guns, & Green Horse
- Open to all breeds
- Payback, prizes, and ribbons

CLINICS/SCHOOLING DAYS

- Learn to negotiate obstacles
- Schooling days will allow you to practice obstacles with the help of others, and without the pressure of competition.



Extreme Cowboy Racers

Reminder to pay your dues to the EXCA so your points will count! If you aren't sure if you are current, check the EXCA website under the club page.

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