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MAY WAS A RACE IN THE HILLS!!

May Event

Wow, what a race!!!! Vaudry Edge, John Hodges, the Archie family and **MANY** others teamed up to put on a great race in the hills of Hodges, AL. Fifty-four entries braved the course which ran up, down and between two hills (mountains for those of us from Florida that don't know what one looks like!!). The setting was beautiful and the competition was fierce. On top of that, we had a great time with the food and band!! We can't thank all those involved in making this happen enough – We had a blast!!!

Complete results and pictures are in this newsletter.

SUMMER EVENTS

July 7th – Obstacle Schooling Day, Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

August 10th – Clinic with Johnie Clem (full)

August 11th – Georgia State Championship Extreme Cowboy Race

September 8th – Obstacle Challenge, Florida Horse Park, Ocala, FL

2018 Events

1/13-14/18 – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday & Obstacle Challenge on Sunday

2/24/18 – **Obstacle Schooling Day**, Bushnell, FL

4/7/18 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) - Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC

Clinic with Lee Hart on 4/6/18

4/21/18 – Obstacle Challenge – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

5/12/18 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) – Hodges, AL

Clinic with Cole Cameron on 5/11/18

6/2-3/18 – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA Nationals (Triple Points) – Celebration Arena, Decatur, AL

7/7/18 – Obstacle Schooling Day – Bushnell, FL
(Flyer Attached)

8/11/18 – Extreme Cowboy Race (Double Points) – Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA

Clinic with Johnie Clem on 8/10/18

(Flyer Attached)

9/8/18 – Obstacle Challenge – Florida Horse Park, Ocala, FL

9/22-23/18 – Extreme Cowboy Race SE Regional Championships (Triple Points)- Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC

Clinic with Pete Fraser on 9/21/18

11/24/18 – Obstacle Schooling Day – Bushnell, FL

**2018 Events flyers are on the website at
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RESULTS FROM THE MAY 12TH, ALABAMA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE

		Round 1	Round 2	Total	
Novice Divison Results					
1	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	147.725	152.225	299.950
2	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	148.477	149.602	298.079
3	Maggie Young	Jack The Man	145.887	152.034	297.921
4	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	146.818	151.009	297.827
5	Jim McGreger	Doc	150.820	141.172	291.992
6	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	141.948	146.339	288.287
7	Justin Archie	Tigger	144.264	143.794	288.058
8	Gregg Moore	Boomers Double Doc	143.753	141.318	285.071
9	James Huey	Smutt	139.863	140.158	280.021
10	Karen Huey	Roanie	131.088	146.200	277.288
11	Joyce Elledge	Sunshine & Whiskey	134.740	140.045	274.785
12	Mindy Keeker	Valentine	133.239	140.006	273.245
13	Janice Levy	Jax	125.870	143.192	269.062
14	Jonathan Archie	Cruz	123.980	142.404	266.384
15	Dena Brown	Red Rising Sun	97.082	105.621	202.703
Green Horse Results					
1	Jason Keeker	Bandit	140.287	160.295	300.582
2	Shelby Ratliff	Dangerous Da Vinci	141.256	150.282	291.538
3	Steve Barrett	Echo	136.074	138.675	274.749
4	David Archie	Chico	129.809	138.668	268.477
5	Dennis Whitely	Trick	113.202	116.477	229.679
Non Pro Divison Results					
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	194.180	184.317	378.497
2	Rick Peniston	Savvy	187.074	176.317	363.391
3	Steve Barrett	Mr Genuine Doc	180.317	172.558	352.875
4	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	169.007	174.605	343.612
5	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	164.255	177.762	342.017
6	Jason Keeker	Valentine	170.897	167.993	338.890
7	David Archie	Toby	176.992	161.811	338.803
8	Kimberly Gentry	Rooster With Jewels	167.042	165.990	333.032

		Round 1	Round 2	Total	
Intermediate Divison Results					
1	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	185.184	177.679	362.863
2	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	183.165	171.100	354.265
3	Lisa Steinbach	Texan At The Ritz	178.789	173.249	352.038
4	David Archie	Toby	178.463	169.682	348.145
5	Kimberly Gentry	Rooster With Jewels	170.405	172.026	342.431
6	Justin Archie	Tigger	176.811	163.542	340.353
7	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	169.217	166.167	335.384
8	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	172.261	162.708	334.969
9	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	165.713	168.910	334.623
10	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	175.445	155.780	331.225
11	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	167.735	161.618	329.353
12	Joyce Elledge	Sunshine & Whiskey	156.294	150.603	306.897
Youth Divison Results					
1	Shelby Keeker	Dozer	172.107	158.765	330.872
2	Braxton Keeker	Dozer	172.331	153.361	325.692
3	Dustin Archie	Toby	157.023	152.809	309.832
Ride Smart Divison Results					
1	Rick Peniston	Savvy	193.254	177.475	370.729
2	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	179.305	182.225	361.530
3	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	178.516	181.725	360.241
4	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	179.470	177.187	356.657
5	Maggie Young	Jack The Man	179.710	174.033	353.743
6	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	187.886	163.262	351.148
7	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	178.212	167.249	345.461
8	Steve Barrett	Mr Genuine Doc	166.711	167.997	334.708
Pro Divison Results					
1	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	190.210	182.843	373.053
2	Rick Peniston	Savvy	191.555	173.890	365.445
3	Jason Keeker	Dozer	181.714	180.590	362.304





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PICTURES FROM THE MAY 12TH ALABAMA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE



Novice

Green Horse

Non Pro

Youth



Intermediate



Ride Smart



Pro





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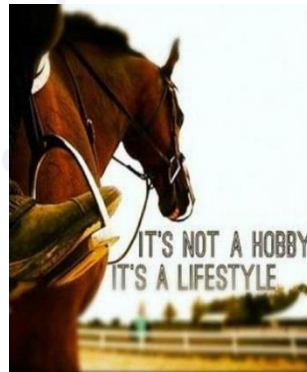
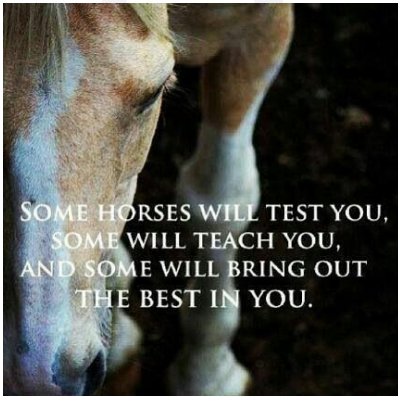
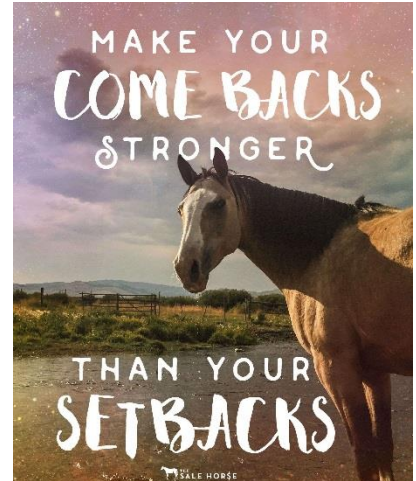
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SOCA News

Don't forget the Obstacle Schooling Day to be held July 7th at Darby Oaks Stables in Bushnell, FL. This is a great opportunity to school your horse on over 40 obstacles, at your own pace....Riding or ground work. The flyer and registration form is attached to this newsletter.



"A horse is the projection of peoples' dreams about themselves -strong, powerful beautiful- and it has the capability of giving us escape from our mundane existence"
- Pam Brown



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

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

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Member Spotlight – Mo Earle

My name is Mo Earle , first I want to say by joining SOCA, this program has helped me immensely in building my confidence with riding. At 55, I decided I wanted to learn how to ride a horse. I didn't realize how much there is to learn . Previous to this, outside of my work as an EMT-Paramedic and ER Trauma RN, we had a dog boarding kennel. I trained and competed in protection sports with dogs, housed the WPB police K9's , I am a CGC evaluator for AKC, and own many dogs, mainly the working lines of GSD's and Belgian Malinois. The transition from hard headed working dogs to horses has been fun. I now have two horses and enjoy the obstacle challenges and EXCA races, maybe more than my horses do. I may be 60 years old, but I'm not going to let age get in my way, I have to much to learn and accomplish and one day, I may get enough points to earn one of those SOCA saddle pads!!



PLEASE SEND US YOUR INFORMATION!!!

We need more Member Spotlight Bios.....Please email your information and pictures to southernobstaclechallenges@gmail.com

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HIGH POINT STANDINGS AS OF 6/4/18

SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2018

	Rider	Horse	Total
Novice Division			
1	Susan King	Sir Prize	263.00
2	Linda Bradley	Billy	241.00
3	Emily Cook	Scarlet	237.00
4	Donna Schneider	Hey Gotcha (Superman)	235.00
5	Mo Earle	Whodat	230.00
6	Randy Holdaway	Hy Steppin Lil Lena	228.00
7	Marti Spewock	Max	203.00
8	John DeArmond	Nikki	198.00
9	Dan Harmon	Akiki	194.00
10	Krystal Loos	Dixie	191.00
Youth Division			
1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	294.00
2	Mackensie Brown	Tango with A Blue Twist	251.00
3	Juleeane Johnston	Oops	174.00
4	Breanna Bork	Diego	133.00
5	Gabriehl Shock	Shooter	131.00
6	Gabriehl Shock	Sally	130.00
7	Jazzy Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	129.00
8	Rebecca Grant	Starbuck	93.00
9	Caroline Wright	Playboys Cinch	92.00
10	Sydney Jones	Boone	91.00
Intermediate Division			
1	Denise Brown	Gismos Candy Two	261.00
2	Briana Tribett	Imheirristibletoo	249.00
3	Nancy Biddinger	Splash	249.00
4	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	246.00
5	Margo Cook	Luna	245.00
6	Donna Calloway	Surely A Legacy (Rain)	234.00
7	Barbara Van Winkle	Pepper	230.00
8	Renee Lewis	TR Really Spendid	229.00
9	Karen Wilson	Ace	226.00
10	Vickie Oliva	QNP Hollywood Chic (Holly)	215.00
Open Elite Division			
1	Janine Charles	Sunshine & Whiskey	284.00
2	Jan Garvin	Peponita's Shot Gun	277.00
3	Cathy Rotola	BKP Nick of Time	273.00
4	Connie Lloyd	Chance	271.00
5	Anna Gay	Miss Kitty	270.00
6	Traci Woodward	Rusty Executive	269.00
7	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	266.00
8	Lisa Wood	Caeser	265.00
9	Vickie DeArmond	Titan	256.00
10	Vicki Anderson	Wrangler	134.00

SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2018

		Total	
Young Guns Division Results			
1	Dakota Jeffers	Champ	356.007
2	Juleeane Johnston	Oops	217.370
NO BUCKLE			
Novice Division Results			
1	Maggie Young	Jack The Man	1359.228
2	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	1320.850
3	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	1314.840
4	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	1090.810
5	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	1067.909
6	Joyce Elledge	Graham	1039.397
7	Rick Cone	Chip I'm Hot (Gus)	919.906
8	Teresa Cone	Peppin Dually (Chevy)	904.180
9	Lesia Roe	Cat	746.321
10	Gregg Moore	Boomers Double Doc	737.493
Green Horse Results			
1	Shelby Ratliff	Dangerous Da Vinci	1266.303
2	Jason Keeker	Bandit	757.979
3	David Archie	Chico	596.327
4	Steve Barrett	Echo	274.749
5	Dennis Whitely	Trick	229.679
6	Kiana Bolognese	Apache	207.683
Non Pro Division Results			
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	1961.980
2	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	1776.797
3	Rick Peniston	Savvy	1394.563
4	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	1382.748
5	Steve Barrett	Mr Genuine Doc	928.909
6	Jason Keeker	Valentine	920.797
7	David Archie	Toby	889.564
8	Kimberly Gentry	Rooster With Jewels	886.843
9	Leanne Hale	Jigsaw	683.699
10	Dennis Robinson	Threats Dark Reflection	562.261
Intermediate Division Results			
1	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	1793.137
2	Lisa Steinbach	Texas At The Ritz	1742.352
3	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	1513.479
4	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	1312.678
5	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	1299.396
6	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	1255.435
7	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	1099.113
8	Rick Cone	Chip I'm Hot (Gus)	1090.741
9	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	1087.353
10	Mike Jeffers	Champ	1060.454
Youth Division Results			
1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	1023.985
2	Braxton Keeker	Dozer	881.484
3	Shelby Keeker	Dozer	874.710
4	Dustin Archie	Toby	684.727
5	Jazzmyn Durgin	I'm Angelina Jolie	387.284
6	Breanna Bork	Diego	353.133
7	Jenna Anderson	Josie	308.891
8	Brooke Boutwell	Penny	308.720
9	Kassandra Garcia	Penney	102.918
NO BUCKLE			
Ride Smart Division Results			
1	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	1765.281
2	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	1690.685
3	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	1414.139
4	Rick Peniston	Savvy	1430.582
5	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	1343.655
6	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	1327.022
7	Maggie Young	Jack The Man	1252.186
8	Vaudry Edge	Tickle 4865	396.345
9	Vicky DeArmond	Truly Tru Titan	348.363
10	Steve Barrett	Doc	1004.375
Pro Division Results			
1	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	1798.433
2	Rick Peniston	Savvy	1446.121
3	Jason Keeker	Dozer	948.619
4	Bret Lambdin	LEO's Pride	769.835
5	Leanne Hale	Jigsaw	685.632
6	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	630.135

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2018 High Points

In 2018 SOCA will award high point obstacle challenge winners in the following divisions: Novice, Youth, Intermediate and Open Elite. Points from each of the 2018 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.

SOCA dues (\$10) are due January 1st!
Please renew at your first event of the year.
Dues help fund the highpoint awards and administrative costs of the club.

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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