

March 2020 Newsletter



Southern Obstacle
Challenge Association



2020 Is Off & Running!

Thanks to everyone that showed up for the February 15th Obstacle Schooling Day at Darby Oaks Stables in Bushnell, FL. Over 50 horse and rider teams enjoyed the perfect weather and learned to negotiate a variety of obstacles. We met lots of new folks and got to see many of our veterans. We appreciate the support of our events!

For those of you who haven't attended a schooling day, they are a great way to introduce your horse to obstacles without the pressure of competition. Whether you and your horse are just learning or trying to brush up on some techniques, schooling days are a great way to accomplish your goals!

What's coming up!!

March's event will be an Extreme Cowboy Race and then April host a clinic & race in Gaffney, SC, then an obstacle challenge in Bushnell, FL.....Sign up now!!!

Flyers for all events are on the SOCA website. It's not too early to enter any 2020 events.....we appreciate pre-entries!

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POSSIBLE!**

2020 Events

1/10/20 – Craig Cameron Clinic - Full

1/11-12/20 – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday & Obstacle Challenge on Sunday

2/15/20 – Obstacle Schooling Day, Bushnell, FL

3/14/20 – Florida Extreme Cowboy Race – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL (not a hi point race) - **Flyer Attached**

4/3/20 – Cole Cameron Clinic – Full

4/4/20 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) - Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC – **Flyer Attached**

4/25/20 – Obstacle Challenge – Bushnell, FL
Flyer Attached

5/9/20 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) The Canyon – Hodges, AL **Flyer Attached**

5/30-31/20 – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA Nationals (Triple Points) – Decatur, AL - **Flyer Attached**

7/11/20 – Obstacle Schooling Day – Bushnell, FL

8/7/20 – Lee Hart Clinic

8/8/20 – Extreme Cowboy Race (Double Points) – Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA

9/12/20 – Obstacle Challenge – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

9/26-27/20 – Extreme Cowboy Race SE Regional Championships (Triple Points)- Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC

10/10/20 – Florida Extreme Cowboy Race – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL (not a hi point race)

11/28/20 – Obstacle Schooling Day – Bushnell, FL

PICTURES FROM THE FEBRUARY SCHOOLING DAY IN BUSHNELL, FL



HIGH POINT STANDINGS AS OF 2/29/20

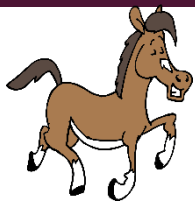
SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2020

	Rider	Horse	Total
Novice Division			
1	Krystal Loos	Cody	130.00
2	Trish Mason	Zippo Haz Tru Heart	127.50
3	John DeArmond	Truly Tru Titan	125.50
4	Emily Cook	Scarlet	125.00
5	Sarah Bremer	Peppy's Final Conclusion	124.00
6	Vickie Sparacino	Spirit	123.00
7	Peggy Litt	Junior	122.00
8	Dusty Bremer	Pass Me The Power	120.50
9	Karen Olson	Wilbur	119.00
10	Helen Goszkowski	MR LR Bee Doc Bars	118.00
Youth Division			
1	Bre Bork	Diego	118.00
2	Opal Fomish	Ranger	111.00
3	Lizzy Young	Ace	102.00
4	Bobbi Jo Martinez	Opps	89.00
5	Jenna Grijalva	Leo's Pride	82.00
6	Cassandra Gordon	Koda	73.00
Intermediate Division			
1	Mackensie Brown	Tango with a Blue Twist	133.00
2	Donna Schneider	Hey Gotcha (Superman)	131.00
3	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	130.50
4	Sheryl Anderson	Lacey	129.00
5	Judy Fuller Brown	Tennessee Wind Chimer	129.00
6	Kailey Thompson	Cupids Last Arrow	127.00
7	Jovie Lawrence	Levi	125.00
8	Jan McDougald	Sensations Annie Lee	124.50
9	Margo Cook	Luna	122.00
10	Kathy Zigler	Reba	120.00
Open Elite Division			
1	Traci Woodard	Montana Nicajack (Sprite)	138.50
2	Anna Gay	Catman	138.50
3	Cathy Rotola	PSU He's Smart N Peppy	138.00
3	Suzan Hunt	Emmett	137.50
5	Lesia Roe	Cat	135.50
6	Jan Garvin	Peponitas Top Gunner	132.50
7	Brianna Tribett	ImheirristibleToo	131.00
8	Denise Brown	Gismos Candy Two	129.00
9	Holly Roe	Boo Man Choo	126.50
10	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid (Ace)	111.00

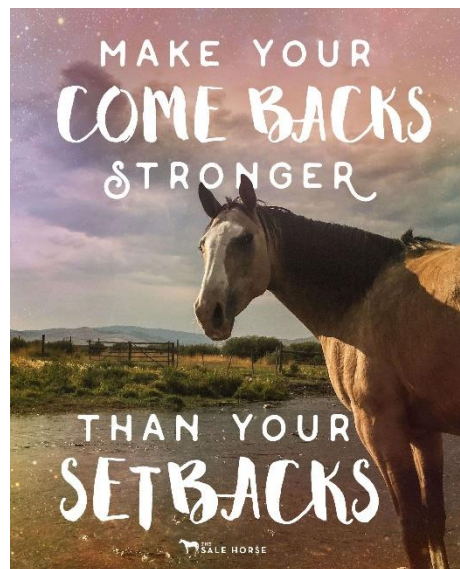
SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2020

Young Guns Divison Results			
1	Meredyth Crews	Misty	249.979
2	Jenna Grijalva	LEO's Pride	228.870
Novice Divison Results			
1	Traci Woodard	Montana Nicajack	325.000
2	Anna Gay	Catman	321.421
3	Lesia Roe	Cat	312.514
4	Mackensie Brown	Bella	311.001
5	Teresa Cone	Peppin Dually	310.062
6	Jovie Lawrence	Levi	302.644
7	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	300.932
8	Krystal Loos	Cody	300.559
9	Terri Glonek	I'm Angelina Jolie	297.358
10	Meggan Young	Dreamer	291.653
Green Horse Results			
1	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	307.558
2	Stacy Chambers	Sparkles	301.985
3	Jazzy Durgin	Shadow	290.847
4	Jovie Lawrence	Cutom Out	269.809
5	Kiana Bolognese	Blue Steel	233.397
6	Sade Cain	At First Sight	225.088
7	Faith Myron	Boon	208.907
Non Pro Division Results			
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	447.342
2	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shan	412.035
3	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Struck Gold	401.477
4	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	395.073
5	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willie John 2	379.136
6	Shelby Ratliff	Dangerous Da Vinci	350.632
7	Tim Haupt	Parking N Grimes	262.055
Intermediate Divison Results			
1	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shan	414.217
2	Anna Gay	Catman	402.588
3	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	397.415
4	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	389.885
5	Kiana Bolognese	Santana Red	385.454
6	Lesia Roe	Cat	375.964
7	Krystal Loos	Cody	369.679
8	Jovie Lawrence	Levi	369.156
9	Karen Huey	Roanie	344.694
10	Meggan Young	Dreamer	343.655
Youth Divison Results			
1	Breanna Bork	Diego	340.472
2	Jazzy Durgin	Maverick	333.010
3	Meredyth Crews	Misty	312.558
4	Bobbi Jo Martinez	Oops	301.865
5	Jenna Grijalva	LEO's Pride	291.012
6	Cassandra Gordon	Koda	246.330
Ride Smart Divison Results			
1	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shan	416.953
2	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	406.417
3	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	405.493
4	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willie John 2	387.483
5	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid (Ace)	318.405
Pro Divison Results			
1	Holly Roe	Boo Man Choo	370.700
2	Bret Lambdin	LEO's Pride	357.067
3	Tim Haupt	Parking N Grimes	274.632

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SOCA Member News



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.

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.

If you have news that you would like to submit to the SOCA newsletter, please email it to southernobstaclechallenges@gmail.com

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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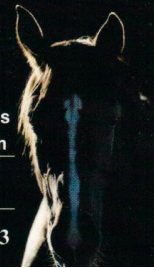
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2020 SPONSORS NEEDED!

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THANK YOU!!!

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2020 High Points

In 2020 SOCA will award high point obstacle challenge winners in the following divisions: Novice, Youth, Intermediate and Open Elite. Points from each of the 2020 SOCA Obstacle Challenges will be totaled and the horse/rider team with the most points will be the high point champion. Please make sure you see the "moving up" rules on the event flyers.

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 5 times points at the Nationals in June and triple points at the Regional Championship races in September, as well as double points for all State Championships) will be awarded the high point buckle in the following divisions: Pro, Non-Pro, Ride Smart, Novice, Green Horse, Intermediate, Youth and Young Guns. The March and October FL races do not count toward this high point.

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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.



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