

# November 2017 Newsletter



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## SOCA 2018 Season is nearing the end!

### Final Event of 2017

The final event of 2017 is the obstacle challenge at the Florida Horse Park on November 11<sup>th</sup>. The flyer and entry form is attached.

This event will be held in the Live Oak Arena area, near the cross country course. Many natural and man made obstacles will challenge you and your horse.

We hope to see everyone at the Horse Park and don't forget to get your entries in!!!

[NOTE: There are limited campsites available for this event, so if you plan to camp, please let us know immediately, so we can reserve a spot for you!](#)

**High Point buckles will be awarded at the November 11<sup>th</sup> Obstacle Challenge – You must be present to win!!!!**

**GOOD LUCK TO ALL SOCA COMPETITORS HEADED TO THE EXTREME COWBOY RACE WORLD FINALS IN HAMILTON, TEXAS!!!**

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

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

### Remaining 2017 Event

11/11/17 – Obstacle Challenge – Florida Horse Park, Ocala, FL ([Flyer Attached](#))

### 2018 Events

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

2/24/18 – Obstacle Schooling Day, Bushnell, FL  
March - TBD

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

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

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

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

7/7/18 – Obstacle Schooling Day – Bushnell, FL

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

9/8/18 – Obstacle Schooling Day – TBD

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

11/10/18 – Obstacle Challenge – Florida Horse Park, Ocala, FL

**Events flyers are on the website at [www.southernobstaclechallenges.com](http://www.southernobstaclechallenges.com)**

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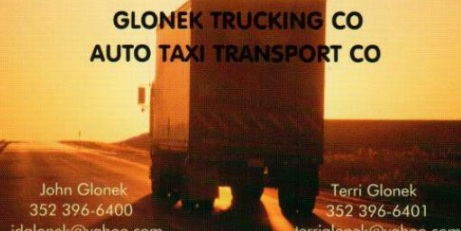
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## YOUTH RIDERS CORNER

### YOUTH RIDERS

#### 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

Continued prayers for one of our favorite cowboys, Cullen Green, and his family. Cullen is doing better daily!!!



#### 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

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

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## High Point through 10/31/17 (Race Highpoint is Final for 2017)

SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2017			
	Rider	Horse	Total
<b>Novice Division</b>			
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
<b>Youth Division</b>			
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
<b>Intermediate Division</b>			
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
<b>Posse Division</b>			
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
<b>Open Elite Division</b>			
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
<b>Young Guns Divison Results</b>			
1	Dakota Jeffers	Champ	547.046
<b>Novice Division Results</b>			
1	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	2199.397
2	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	2066.180
3	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	2040.516
4	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	1889.968
5	Sherry Garman	Stormy	1392.407
6	Angela Graham	Dancer	1180.192
<b>Green Horse Results</b>			
1	Rick Peniston	Savvy	2227.488
2	Demetrio Alvarez/Jason Hiser	Cruz	1605.639
3	Jade Walker	Bamalamadingdong	799.167
4	Joyce Elledge	Sunshine N Whiskey	340.797
5	Tania Morton	Christy Gotta Gun	288.941
6	Kiana Bolognese	Apache	267.612
<b>Non Pro Division Results</b>			
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	3018.477
2	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	2267.098
3	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	2257.228
4	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	2133.186
5	Rick Peniston	Smoochie	1961.312
6	Jason Hiser	Delgado	1752.773
<b>Intermediate Divison Results</b>			
1	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	2864.635
2	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	2656.399
3	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	2305.606
4	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	2267.489
5	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	2194.907
6	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	2136.896
<b>Youth Division Results</b>			
1	Casey Hiser	Faith	1695.369
2	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	1443.715
3	Kirsten Mew	Master Twister	1430.081
4	Dawton Davis	Trinity	1278.147
5	Jade Walker	Colonel	1001.169
6	Kirsten Mew	Diamond Dee O'Lena	980.043
<b>Ride Smart Division Results</b>			
1	Rick Peniston	Smoochie	2848.944
2	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	2596.998
3	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	2452.449
4	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	2297.597
5	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	2139.576
6	Steve Barrett	Mr. Geniune Doc	1792.975
<b>Pro Division Results</b>			
1	Joel Mobley	Chic	2154.085
2	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	1909.536
3	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	1406.066
4	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	1401.042
5	Jason Hiser	Delgado	1390.922
6	Bret Lambdin	Tug	964.204

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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 6<sup>th</sup> 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.

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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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