



November 2019 Newsletter



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Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family!!

October Race

For those of you that braved the weather and made it to the October 19th Extreme Cowboy Race, we thank you for cowboying up. It turned out to be a great day and old and new racers had fun! Thanks to Diane McMurtrey for judging the races and to all the great volunteers that made this event happen! We hope to see everyone at the January race and obstacle challenge! Winners and pictures are in this newsletter.

EXCA WORLD FINALS IN TEXAS
Congratulations to all the SOCA members who competed at the EXCA World Finals this month. Details are on page 2.

Remaining 2019 Event

Our last event for 2019 is an obstacle schooling day on November 30th at Darby Oaks Stables in Bushnell, FL. After you eat too much on Thanksgiving, come work it off playing on our obstacles! Flyer and registration form are attached to this newsletter. Hope to see everyone there!

**THANKS TO ALL OUR SPONSORS THAT
MAKE OUR EVENTS POSSIBLE!**

If you are interested in becoming a 2020 sponsor, please let us know...we would love to have you!

Tentative 2020 Events

**Craig Cameron is coming back
to Florida in January!!!
Details attached!**

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

1/10/20 – Craig Cameron Clinic

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)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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PICTURES FROM THE 10/19/19 EXTREME COWBOY RACE AT DARBY OAKS STABLES



Young Guns



Novice



Green Horse



Non Pro



Intermediate



Youth



Ride Smart



Pro



EXCA WORLD FINALS IN TEXAS

Congratulations to all the SOCA members who competed at the EXCA World Finals this month. Following are those that made the top 10 in each division:

- Novice – Gregg Moore (6th place)
- Mustang – Nicola Bolt (1st place)
- Intermediate – Bob Hill (8th place)
- Non Pro – Leanne Hale (Reserve World Champion)
- Non Pro – Kirsten Mew (3rd place)
- Non Pro – Kelsie Yates (5th place)
- Non Pro – Tracy Pinson (6th place)
- Non Pro – Steve Barrett (9th place)
- Ride Smart – Steve Barrett (Reserve World Champion)
- Ride Smart – Vaudry Edge (3rd place)
- Ride Smart – Rick Peniston (4th place)

- Futurity – Vaudry Edge's horse (Willie John) – 1st
- Futurity – Kirsten Mew (6th place)
- Youth – Josh Sandness (5th place)
- Youth – Shelby Keeker (10th place)
- Youth Go Round World Champ – Josh Sandness
- Pro – Leanne Hale (7th place)
- Pro – Kelsie Yates (8th place)
- Non Pro Go Round World Champ – Kirsten Mew
- High Point World Champion – Bob Hill
- High Point Res World Champ – Gregg Moore
- Hall of Fame – Jason Keeker

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RESULTS FROM THE 10/19/19 EXTREME COWBOY RACE

	Young Guns Divison Results		Round 1	Round 2	Total
1	Jenna Grijalva	LEO's Pride	51.465	0.000	51.465
	Novice Divison Results				
1	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	85.264	84.345	169.609
2	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	77.185	79.419	156.604
3	Krystal Loos	Cody	75.365	80.277	155.642
	Green Horse Results				
1	Shelby Ratliff	Dangerous Da Vinci	83.710	67.757	151.467
2	Breanna Bork	Simba	70.745	76.937	147.682
3	Rebecca Adams	Tucker	62.592	59.991	122.583
	Non Pro Divison Results				
1	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	99.616	102.560	202.176
	Intermediate Divison Results				
1	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	95.938	91.975	187.913
2	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	95.220	90.949	186.169
3	Vicky DeArmond	Roxie Rose	85.753	98.766	184.519
4	Krystal Loos	Cody	91.352	86.110	177.462
5	Bobby Jo Martinez	Oops	41.403	0.000	41.403
	Youth Divison Results				
1	Breanna Bork	Diego	83.575	103.007	186.582
2	Bobby Jo Martinez	Oops	59.170	51.809	110.979
3	Jenna Grijalva	LEO's Pride	45.102	49.000	94.102
4	Breanna Bork	Texan At The Ritz	0.000	90.526	90.526
	Ride Smart Divison Results				
1	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	92.172	97.086	189.258
2	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	95.441	92.191	187.632
3	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	92.605	85.119	177.724
4	Vicky DeArmond	Roxie Rose	85.404	92.110	177.514
	Pro Divison Results				
1	Bret Lambdin	LEO's Pride	80.612	95.977	176.589





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FINAL 2019 HIGH POINT STANDINGS

SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2019

	Rider	Horse	Total
Novice Division			
1	Donna Schneider	Hey Gotcha (Superman)	393.00
2	Randy Holdaway	Hy Steppin Lil Lena	390.00
3	Catherine Erickson	Bella	376.50
4	John DeArmond	Truly Tru Titan	375.00
5	Leslie Davis	Willy	340.00
6	Vickie Sparacino	Spirit	336.00
Youth Division			
1	Mackensie Brown	Tango With A Blue Twist	407.50
2	Breanna Bork	Diego	280.00
3	Cameron Calloway	Chyenney Justice (Onyx)	269.50
4	Emily Bickel	Sunshine & Whiskey	260.00
5	Brooke Bremer	Shades	183.00
6	Jazzy Durgin	Pistol	140.00
Intermediate Division			
1	Briana Tribett	Imheirrisistibletoo	400.50
2	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid (Ace)	393.50
3	Nancy Biddinger	Splash	390.00
4	Anne Hanley	Lucky Chance	367.00
5	Karen Chadwick	Bocelli	361.50
6	Mo Earle	Whodat	301.00
Open Elite Division			
1	Jan Garvin	Peponitas Shot Gun	427.00
2	Traci Woodard	Montana Nicajack	424.50
3	Cathy Rotola	BKP Nick of Time	420.50
3	Connie Lloyd	Chance	418.00
5	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	408.00
6	Lesa Roe	Cat	404.50

SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2019

	Rider	Horse	Total
Young Guns Division Results			
NO BUCKLE			
1	Emily Ennis	Chief	399.086
2	Alyssa Young	Diablo	362.674
Novice Division Results			
NO BUCKLE			
1	Jovie Reeves	Levi	1721.712
2	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	1659.105
3	Lesa Roe	Cat	1535.812
4	Karen Huey	Roanie	1206.822
5	Gregg Moore	Boomers Double Doc	1057.378
6	Dennis Whitely	Drifting Pick	1051.149
Green Horse Results			
1	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	2629.689
2	Shelby Ratliff	Dangerous Da Vinci	2381.069
3	Mike Jeffers	Chex	1635.710
4	Kirsten Mew	Oakley	1583.002
5	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	1346.402
6	Jason Keeker	Frenchie	1176.160
Non Pro Division Results			
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	3461.528
2	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	3088.100
3	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel	2478.295
4	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Pick	2366.665
5	Rick Peniston	Savvy	2300.524
6	Mike Jeffers	Jasmine	2063.539
Intermediate Division Results			
1	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	3120.220
2	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	2966.739
3	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	2474.128
4	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel	2303.824
5	Jovie Reeves	Levi	2090.134
6	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	1782.558
Youth Division Results			
NO BUCKLE			
1	Jazzy Durgin	Pistol	2075.948
2	Dakota Jeffers	Champ	1978.278
3	Savannah French	Frank	1169.903
4	Shelby Keeker	Wonder	1084.375
5	Josh Sandness	Ocho	1079.171
6	Charlize Harper	Jack	953.757
Ride Smart Division Results			
1	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	3261.235
2	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	3035.585
3	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	2586.920
4	Rick Peniston	Savvy	2576.919
5	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel	2565.809
6	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Pick	2418.969
Pro Division Results			
NO BUCKLE			
1	Leanne Hale	Jigsaw	1877.788
2	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	1464.284
3	Jason Keeker	Dozer	1389.689
4	Rick Sandness	Sage	1021.916
5	Josh Sandness	Ocho	1018.003
6	Lee Hart	Lumpy	932.480

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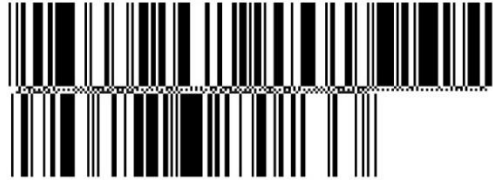


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Extreme Cowboy Racers

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.

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.

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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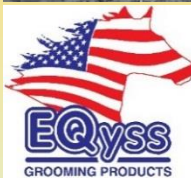
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2020 High Points

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.

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

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