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Southeastern Regional EXCA Race Was Amazing!

EXCA SE Regionals

The Southeastern Regional Championships were held September 23rd & 24th at Barb and Joel Mobley's Green River Farm in Gaffney, South Carolina. The fast, fun outdoor course is always one of our favorites and the hospitality was second to none! Pete Fraser put on a great clinic for a racers and judges on Friday, then Diane McMurtrey and Kim Hazlett had the tough job of judging 60 of the top extreme cowboy racers in the country. Joel Mobley (and Pete, when Joel raced) did a great job of announcing the show and keeping everyone entertained!

We can't say thanks enough to Pete, Kim, Diane, Barb, Joel and ALLLLL the volunteers – Team SOCA still rocks!!!

Complete results for the race and high point can be found in the newsletter and on the SOCA website. Thanks to everyone for an awesome race year!



SOCA's last event for 2017 is the Obstacle Challenge Championships to be held at the Florida Horse Park. **Time to get those entries in – Early entries can request spots in the order of go!** [The flyer and registration forms are attached.](#)

See everyone soon!

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

2/24/18 – Obstacle Schooling Day, TBD

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 - TBD

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

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Results from the 9/23-24/17 Southeastern Regional Extreme Cowboy Race, Green River Farm, Gaffney, South Carolina

Young Guns Divison Results			Round 1	Round 2	Total
1	Dakota Jeffers	Champ	147.576	172.620	320.196
Novice Divison Results					
1	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	258.685	238.490	497.175
2	David Archie	Toby	245.760	250.127	495.887
3	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	226.810	250.668	477.478
4	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	232.158	239.794	471.952
5	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	227.192	229.483	456.675
6	Lance Miller	Koozie	215.903	227.322	443.225
7	Angela Graham	Dancer	203.209	228.560	431.769
8	Gregg Moore	Boomers Double Doc	208.631	215.896	424.527
9	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	207.702	211.953	419.655
10	Elizabeth Faber	General Appeal	198.117	186.920	385.037
11	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	171.859	198.259	370.118
12	Teresa Cone	Peppin Dually (Chevy)	151.313	174.630	325.943
13	Laurin Buckner	Reycee	152.006	125.030	277.036
Green Horse Results					
1	Rick Peniston	Savvy Gun Play	280.995	260.254	541.249
2	Jason Hiser	Cruz	237.648	257.424	495.072
3	Joyce Elledge	Sunshine & Whiskey	170.719	170.078	340.797
4	Savannah Jones	Chico	135.000	0.000	135.000
Non Pro Divison Results					
1	Jason Hiser	Delgado	332.238	341.595	673.833
2	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	335.710	336.631	672.341
3	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	333.495	336.608	670.103
4	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	346.429	310.177	656.606
5	Leanne Hale	Jigsaw	336.174	313.134	649.308
6	Steve Barrett	Mr Geniune Doc	335.837	313.346	649.183
7	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	300.203	310.072	610.275
8	Leanne Hale	Brandy	306.990	297.343	604.333
9	Holly Bacola	Chic	283.845	302.862	586.707
10	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	290.768	281.268	572.036

Intermediate Divison Results					
1	Casey Hiser	Chrome Faith	317.190	336.091	653.281
2	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	322.668	322.908	645.576
3	Mike Jeffers	Champ	312.877	317.774	630.651
4	David Archie	Toby	314.406	299.812	614.218
5	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	299.925	293.101	593.026
6	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	291.092	298.541	589.633
7	Michael Garman	Stonewall's Silver Dollar	296.399	292.493	588.892
8	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	279.043	295.918	574.961
9	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	275.568	291.611	567.179
10	Angela Graham	Dancer	234.665	277.555	512.220
11	Elizabeth Faber	General Appeal	217.516	253.955	471.471
12	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	204.750	242.809	447.559
13	Teresa Cone	Peppin Dually (Chevy)	198.814	205.868	404.682
14	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	272.384	0.000	272.384
15	Lance Miller	Koozie	251.506	0.000	251.506
Youth Divison Results					
1	Casey Hiser	Chrome Faith	331.725	325.587	657.312
2	Dustin Archie	Toby	204.000	235.046	439.046
Ride Smart Divison Results					
1	Steve Barrett	Mr Geniune Doc	338.522	350.736	689.258
2	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	331.990	346.118	678.108
3	Rick Peniston	Smoochie	319.063	324.371	643.434
4	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	314.810	319.703	634.513
5	Joe Holloway	Solanos Moonlite Run	299.084	294.836	593.920
6	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	266.034	314.557	580.591
7	Gregg Moore	Boomers Double Doc	261.597	286.887	548.484
8	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	240.389	251.817	492.206
9	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	210.536	261.899	472.435
Pro Divison Results					
1	Leanne Hale	Jigsaw	338.740	355.834	694.574
2	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	331.786	357.911	689.697
3	Joel Mobley	Chic	329.760	350.108	679.868
4	Jason Hiser	Delgado	320.879	350.615	671.494
5	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	301.769	328.052	629.821

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Pictures from the 9/23-24/17 Southeastern Regional Championship Extreme Cowboy Race



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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

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

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

High Point through 9/30/17 (Race Highpoint is Final for 2017)

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	
Young Guns Divison Results			
1	Dakota Jeffers	Champ	547.046
Novice Division Results			
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
Green Horse Results			
1	Rick Peniston	Savvy	2227.488
2	Demetrio Alvarez/Jason Hiser	Cruz	1605.639
3	Jade Walker	Balamamadingdong	799.167
4	Joyce Elledge	Sunshine N Whiskey	340.797
5	Tania Morton	Christy Gotta Gun	288.941
6	Kiana Bolognese	Apache	267.612
Non Pro Division Results			
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
Intermediate Divison Results			
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
Youth Division Results			
1	Casey Hiser	Faith	1695.369
2	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	1443.715
3	Kirsten Mew	Mister Twister	1430.081
4	Dawton Davis	Trinity	1278.147
5	Jade Walker	Colonel	1001.169
6	Kirsten Mew	Diamond Dee O'Lena	980.043
Ride Smart Division Results			
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
Pro Division Results			
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 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.

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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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