



May 2016 Newsletter



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Entries Abound At The April SOCA Events!

April Events

Barbara and Joel Mobley are always the best hosts!! More than 60 top entries from 8 states competed on the fun and challenging courses created by judge Diane McMurtrey at Green River Farm in Gaffney, SC on April 9th. Mother Nature kept us dry, but sure put a chill in the air! **Thanks** to all the volunteers that jumped in to help us in the frigid cold!

The April 23rd Obstacle Challenge was held at McCulley Farms in Jasper, FL. This new venue brought several new faces from North Florida and South Georgia – We welcome you all. Thanks to our hosts, judges, volunteers and competitors that made this a successful event. Team SOCA is second to none!

Complete results and pictures for both events are later in the newsletter.

May and June Are All About Racing!

May 14th is the date for the Mississippi State Championships at Pontotoc Agri Center. Thanks to Vaudry Edge and John Hodges, there will be buckles for all divisions!!!

The EXCA National Championships will once again be at Circle E Guest Ranch in Belvidere, TN – We have over 100 entries already!!!

Flyers and entry forms are attached. Enter now if you don't want to run first!!!

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

2016 Events

- 1/16-17/16** – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday & Obstacle Challenge on Sunday
- 1/30/16** – Schooling Day – Darby Oaks Stables
- 2/27/16** – Obstacle Challenge – Hillsborough County Fairgrounds in Dover, FL to benefit the Special Olympics.
- 4/9/16** – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) - Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC
- 4/23/16** – Obstacle Challenge – McCulley Farms, Jasper, FL
- 5/14/16** – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) – Pontotoc Agri-Center, Pontotoc, MS (**Flyer attached**)
- 6/3-4/16** – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA Nationals (Triple Points), Circle E Guest Ranch, Belvidere, TN (**Flyer attached**)
- 7/9/16** – Schooling Day - Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL TN (**Flyer attached**)
- 8/13/16** – Extreme Cowboy Race (Double Points) – Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA
- 9/10/16** – Obstacle Challenge - Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL
- 9/24/16** – Extreme Cowboy Race SE Regional Championships (Triple Points)- Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC
- 11/12/16** – Obstacle Challenge Championships (double points) – TBD

Events flyers are on the website at
www.southernobstaclechallenges.com

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SOCA NEWS & MEMORIALS

YOUTH RIDERS

Bernie Duncan Memorial

Educational Fund

Starting with the 2016 show season, SOCA will award \$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 2016 SOCA Obstacle Challenges to be eligible for the \$500 Challenge Fund Award.

The youth/horse combination must compete in all 2016 SOCA Extreme Cowboy Races to be eligible for the \$500 Race Fund Award.

The Youth must be a paid member of SOCA for the 2016 season. The same youth can win both awards if they attend all races and challenges.

Following are the standings after the first months:



IN MEMORY OF TIM EDGE

Heaven gained another Cowboy angel. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Edge family for the tragic loss of a beloved son, nephew, cousin, friend, father and husband. Tim will be missed by all of his EXCA and SOCA family.

Youth Obstacle Challenges

1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	437.00
2	Mackensie Brown	Cricket	409.00
3	Emily Cook	Scarlet	331.00
4	Jazmyn Durgin	Snazzy	320.00

Youth Extreme Cowboy Races

1	Casey Hiser	Chrome Faith	666.425
2	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	533.383

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

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Extreme Cowboy Race National Championships To Be Held at Circle E Guest Ranch in Belvidere, TN in Conjunction With Equestrian Legacy Radio's Rendezvous 2016 Music, Art & Crafts Festival

Craig Cameron's Extreme Cowboy Association and the Southern Obstacle Challenge Association are pleased to announce that the EXCA National Championships will be held at the Circle E Guest Ranch in Belvidere, Tennessee, June 3rd and 4th, 2016. The Nationals will be once again be held in conjunction with Equestrian Legacy Radio's Rendezvous 2016 Music, Art & Crafts Festival. Judges again this year will be Peter Fraser, Alberta, Canada and Diana McMurtrey, Winter Garden, Florida – both are Calgary Stampede and level 5 EXCA judges. Also joining the judging panel this year is Kim Hazlett, Ontario, Canada – Level 4 and World Finals Judge. SOCA President and Nationals judge, Diana McMurtrey said "SOCA is proud to once again have the opportunity to host the EXCA Nationals." She added, "We are so excited to be working with a great charity and expect to see some of the best horse and rider teams in North America at this event".

Proceeds from Rendezvous 2016 will benefit the Fiona Rose Murphey Foundation and will feature a live auction, cowboy up ball, arts & crafts festival and award winning entertainers from across the U.S. and Canada will be performing as well as some of the finest artisans and craftsmen in North America presenting art for sale. For full details visit www.equestrianlegacy.net.

The beautiful Circle E Guest Ranch (www.circleeguest ranch.com) is located in the Cumberland Mountains on highway 16, just 8 miles from Winchester, Tennessee. Nestled on the fringe of over 100,000 acres of uninhabited mountain lands, Circle E offers 120 miles of marked trails with breathtaking views of the mountains, caves, waterfalls, creeks, four seasons of color and an abundance of wildlife. Circle E has 240 campsites with water and electric, as well as 400 stalls with shavings.

The Fiona Rose Murphey Foundation (<http://www.fionarosemurpheytrust.org>) was established by singer Michael Martin Murphey and named after his granddaughter Fiona who was born with Osteogenesis Imperfecta. The Fiona Rose Murphey Foundation Charitable Trust helps children with bone diseases and other debilitating conditions. With more than 10 years of experience, Fiona Rose Murphey Foundation Charitable Trust provides aid to families and children with Osteogenesis Imperfecta and similar conditions.

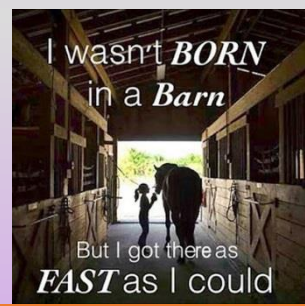
Extreme Cowboy Racing combines horsemanship with speed. The event is judged, as well as timed. Horse and rider teams must execute a series of obstacles that represent trail or ranch work. Obstacles may include water crossing, shooting, roping, negotiating trash or dead fall, ground tying, jumping, dragging and always includes the signature free ride. Horses must be able to run wide open and then rein back to perform slow, technical maneuvers or obstacles. Horses can be of any breed, age, size and sex. The cowboys and cowgirls range in age from 8 to 80!

There will be world champion riders and horses competing for over \$4,000 in prize money, various prizes and the coveted EXCA Nationals belt buckles that are awarded to the champions and reserve champions in each of the divisions including Pro, Non-Pro, Ride Smart (55 & Over), Novice, Intermediate, Youth, Young Guns (11 & Under) and Green Horse. Each division will run once on Friday and then again on Saturday, with the scores from both runs being totaled to determine the winners. The course will be different each day and riders do not know what the obstacles will be until the morning of the race.

On top of all the awards, this will be a triple point event to earn those coveted points toward qualifying for the World Finals in Hamilton, Texas. Additionally, SOCA has successfully negotiated with the famed Calgary Stampede to, once again, give an automatic invite to the 2016 EXCA Nationals Pro Champion to participate in the 2017 Cowboy Up Challenge, a by invitation only event. Come see why Extreme Cowboy Racing is the fastest growing equine sport - It is almost as exciting for the spectators as it is for competitors. For more information, volunteer opportunities, entry forms, or sponsorship packages, please email southernobstaclechallenges@gmail.com or go to www.extremecowboyassociation.com or www.southernobstaclechallenges.com.



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Results from April 9th Extreme Cowboy Race

Young Guns Divison Results			Total	Intermediate Divison Results			
1	Casey Hiser	Faith	256.017	1	Kirsten Mew	Trinity	391.973
2	Jay Peniston	Seven	222.463	2	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	389.303
Novice Divison Results				3	Jason Hiser	Caballo	387.646
1	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	320.736	4	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	383.614
2	Anna Gay	Peppy's Cat ICHI (Catman)	317.375	5	Courtney Pearre	Jack	383.358
3	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	302.357	6	Lisa Steinbach	Texan At The Ritz	379.072
4	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	292.658	7	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	374.330
5	Joyce Elledge	Back In Dixie	287.397	8	Joe Holloway	Solano's Moonlite Run (Annie)	368.388
6	Angela Graham	Jack	280.135	9	Anna Gay	Peppy's Cat ICHI (Catman)	365.867
7	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	268.265	10	Kirsten Mew	Mister Twister	361.613
8	Lance Miller	Baily	255.158	11	Shelby Ratliff	Back In Dixie	353.531
9	Gregg Moore	Primer	253.492	12	Carol Hiser	Delgado	343.784
10	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	251.792	13	John Hodges	McSteamy	341.450
11	Jack Winner	Bailey	237.023	14	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	296.899
Green Horse Results				15	Bret Lambdin	Tug	172.845
1	Tim Edge	Tickle 4865	346.439	Youth Divison Results			
2	Demetrio Alvez	Chip	161.006	1	Kirsten Mew	Mister Twister	385.854
Non Pro Divison Results				2	Kirsten Mew	Trinity	382.932
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	439.555	3	Casey Hiser	Faith	319.860
2	Rick Peniston	Jake	435.587	4	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	129.000
3	Steve Barrett	Mr. Geniune Doc	428.545	Ride Smart Divison Results			
4	Kelsie Graham	Whiskey	427.569	1	Steve Barrett	Mr. Geniune Doc	432.303
5	Leanne Hale	Jigsaw	417.453	2	Rick Peniston	Jake	425.188
6	Leanne Hale	Brandy	416.203	3	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	419.841
7	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	416.171	4	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	414.791
8	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	401.483	5	Joe Holloway	Solano's Moonlite Run (Annie)	391.111
9	Jason Hiser	Delgado	401.050	6	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	344.115
10	Jason Hiser	Caballo	378.153	7	John Hodges	McSteamy	176.154
11	Courtney Pearre	Jack	365.628	Pro Divison Results			
12	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	365.408	1	Rick Peniston	Jake	442.910
				2	Kelsie Graham	Whiskey	435.616
				3	Dennis Tipton	Goodbars Sonny	428.686





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Pictures from the April 9th Extreme Cowboy Race



**Green
Horse**



**Young
Guns**



Youth



Novice



Pro



Intermediate



Non Pro



Ride Smart



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	RIDER	HORSE	POINTS
GREEN HORSE DIVISION			
1	Margo Cook	Luna	93.00
2	Anne Hanley	Lucky Chance	93.00
3	Mo Earle	Who Dat	77.00
YOUTH DIVISION			
1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	145.00
2	Mackensie Brown	Cricket	128.00
3	Emily Cook	Scarlet	102.00
4	Jazmyn Durgin	Snazzy	101.00
5	Cory Stemerick	Ranger	91.00
6	Ashleigh Williams	Dorado	90.00
7	Elizabeth Bazemore	Cookie Monster	87.00
8	Paisley Broussard	Gypsy	71.00
9	Kaden Payne	Sugar Rush	65.50
FIRST YEAR DIVISION			
1	Donna Calloway	Surely A Legacy (Rain)	118.50
2	Kelsey Varn	Susie Q	115.00
3	Hannah Thomas	Holly	107.50
4	Bailey Anderson	Bud	101.00
5	Jayde Pike	Pistol	99.00
6	Norma Frost	Luna	97.00
7	Martie Frazier-Stern	MMS She Lopes Alone	95.00
8	Andrea Barstow	JS Golden Whisperwind	93.00
9	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid (Ace)	89.00
10	Randy King	Bandit	87.00
11	Michelle Stemerick	Linc	86.50
12	Beverly Grisek	Double Flirt (Dixie)	83.00
13	Marnie Smith	Lil Bit	80.00
14	Catherine Howell	Dixie's Morning Skye	77.00
15	Stacy Fehr	Leaguer's Blue Pearl	75.50
16	Gett Johnson	Big John	75.00
17	Christina Loun	Addy	75.00
18	Kathy Curry	Dazz	75.00
19	Rachel White	Nina	74.00
20	Kelsey Varn	Rojo	73.50
21	Austin Roberts	Ima Tari King	55.00

	RIDER	HORSE	POINTS
NOVICE DIVISION			
1	Gwenn Muller	Chip	124.00
2	Joyce Elledge	Back In Dixie	104.00
3	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	100.00
4	Mo Earle	Cabo	99.00
5	Bill Jasewicz	Dollar	93.00
6	Grace Leonard	Better To Be Famous	84.00
7	Felicity Beech	Brecon	77.00
8	Darcy Cartwright	Jasper	60.00
9	Bill Muller	Lindy	52.00
10	Jamie Kiernan	Allie	46.00
POSSE DIVISION			
1	Barbara Jasewicz	Durango	136.00
2	Cathy Rotola	PSU He's Smart N Peppy (Cas)	128.50
3	Connie Lloyd	Chance	123.50
4	Pat Cason	Sinforoso	116.00
5	Anne Hanely	Conrad's Debonaire Gentleman	103.00
6	Warren Cason	Kevin	92.00
7	Karen Ketchum	Executive Gold Pride	78.00
NON PRO DIVISION			
1	Vickie Oliva	Peppy's Foolish Fancy (Champ)	133.00
2	Lesia Roe	Cat	125.50
3	Karen Giroux	B. Willy	122.00
4	Anna Gay	ICHI Valentina (Miss Kitty)	121.00
5	Tirina Miller	The Wrangler	120.00
6	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgril	117.00
7	Briana Tribett	Imheirrisistibletoo	109.00
8	Denise Brown	Gismos Candy Two	102.00
9	Maggie Young	Jackson's Rascal	97.00
10	Tracy Bazemore	T	96.00
11	Savannah Dobbs	Lady's Big Leaguer	72.00
12	Milly King	Jasper	70.00
OPEN ELITE DIVISION			
1	Jan Garvin	Peponitas Top Gunner	138.00
2	Traci Woodard	Rusty Executive	131.00
3	Celina Murray	Sally Too	130.50
4	Jan Garvin	Peponitas Shot Gun	120.50
5	Joyce Tyson	Scooter	115.00
6	Renee Stafford	Pie	107.00

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Green Horse



First Year



Youth



Novice



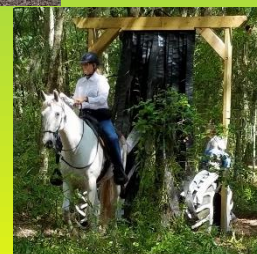
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Non Pro



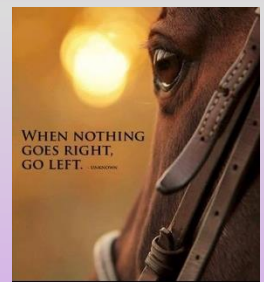
Open Elite





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High Point Standings Through 4/30/16

SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2016			
	Rider	Horse	TOTAL
First Year Division			
1	Donna Callaway	Surely A Legacy (Rain)	332.50
2	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid (Ace)	213.00
3	Amber Duncan	Houdini	134.50
4	Kelsey Varn	Susie Q	115.00
5	Bunny Joseph	Dickens	112.00
6	Hannah Thomas	Holly	107.50
7	Bailey Anderson	Bud	101.00
8	Jayde Pike	Pistol	99.00
9	Robin Carter	Buckley's Gold Seeker (Cowboy)	97.00
10	Norma Frost	Luna	97.00
Youth Division			
1	Stephanie Walters	Destiny	437.00
2	Mackensie Brown	Crocket	409.00
3	Emily Cook	Scarlet	331.00
4	Jazmyn Durgin	Snazzy	320.00
5	Elizabeth Bazemore	Cookie Monster	198.00
6	Quiana Krabec	Gunner	122.00
7	Stephanie Walters	Autumn	111.00
8	Izzie Best	Breezy	103.50
9	Quiana Krabec	Anoki	102.00
10	Cory Stemerick	Ranger	91.00
Novice Division			
1	Joyce Elledge	Back In Dixie	348.00
2	Mike Elledge	Dancing In Dixie	304.00
3	Bill Jasewicz	Dollar	267.00
4	Becky McDowell	Renny	251.00
5	Mo Earle	Cabo	207.00
6	Jena Parnell	Bella	160.00
7	Felicity Beech	Brecon	158.00
8	Doris Salter	Lil' Yellow Doll	143.00
9	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	138.00
10	Gail Ransco	Dee Dee	130.00
Non Pro Division			
1	Vickie Oliva	Peppy's Foolish Fancy (Champ)	414.00
2	Lesia Roe	Cat	395.50
3	Briana Tribett	Imheirristibletoo	383.00
4	Tirina Miller	"The" Wrangler	376.50
5	Denise Brown	Gismos Candy Ttwo	362.00
6	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	362.00
7	Brice Ehrich	Pusher's Iron Eagle	278.00
8	Karen Giroux	B. Willie	255.00
9	Leslie Kingree	Scamp's First Hit	243.00
10	Roseanne Moorland	Pie	235.00
Posse Division			
1	Barbara Jasewicz	Durango	412.00
2	Connie Lloyd	Chance	407.50
3	Cathy Rotola	He's Smart N Peppy (Cas)	398.00
4	Pat Cason	Sinforoso	355.00
5	Anne Hanley	Conrad's Debonair Gentleman	329.00
6	Warren Cason	Kevin	324.00
7	Ann Simonsen	Indi	266.00
8	Julia Marshall	Tai	235.00
9	Karen Ketchum	Executive Gold Pride (Millie)	206.00
10	Sharon Carty	Kitty's Fantasy	138.00
Open Elite Division			
1	Traci Woodard	Rusty Executive	410.00
2	Jan Garvin	Peponita's Top Gunner	408.00
3	Jan Garvin	Peponita's Shot Gun	392.50
4	Renee Stafford	Jazzy	261.00
5	Joyce Tyson	Scooter	244.00
6	Bret Lambdin	Tug	190.00
7	Robin Coleman	Harley	144.00
8	Rick Peniston	Jake	143.00
9	Pam Bacon	Duncan	140.50
10	Phala Wriston	Winn Blue Pardner	137.00

SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2016			
	Rider	Horse	TOTAL
Young Guns Division Results			
1	Casey Hiser	Chrome Faith	506.169
2	Jay Peniston	Seven	222.463
Novice Division Results			
1	Anna Gay	Peppy's Cat ICMI	626.283
2	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	600.983
3	Joyce Elledge	Back In Dixie	579.251
4	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	531.683
5	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	510.190
6	Gregg Moore	Primer	473.662
7	Holly Bacola	Yoshi	320.736
8	John DeArmond	Roxie Rose	302.419
9	Erik Herndon	Royal Nurse Pepto	292.658
10	Michael Garman	Stonewall	285.352
Green Horse Results			
1	Tim Edge	Tickle 4865	346.439
2	Jason Hiser	Caballo	279.938
3	Jena Parnell	Bella	238.136
Non Pro Division Results			
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	875.211
2	Rick Peniston	Jake	860.601
3	Jason Hiser	Delgado	787.778
4	Steve Barrett	Mr. Geniune Doc	428.545
5	Kelsie Graham	Whiskey	427.569
6	Leanne Hale	Jigsaw	417.453
7	Leanne Hale	Brandy	416.203
8	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	416.171
9	Dennis Tipton	Goodbar's Sonny	401.483
10	Jason Hiser	Caballo	378.153
Intermediate Division Results			
1	Lisa Steinbach	Texan At The Ritz	783.127
2	Shelby Ratliff	Back In Dixie	736.517
3	Carol Hiser	Delgado	667.537
4	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	612.549
5	Bret Lambdin	Tug	512.932
6	Kirsten Mew	Trinity	391.973
7	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	389.303
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3	Kirsten Mew	Mister Twister	385.854
4	Kirsten Mew	Trinity	382.932
5	Stephanie Walters	Autumn	311.435
Ride Smart Division Results			
1	Rick Peniston	Jake	834.876
2	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shango)	657.881
3	Steve Barrett	Mr. Geniune Doc	432.303
4	Dennis Tipton	Goodbar's Sonny	419.841
5	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco	414.791
6	Joe Holloway	Solano's Moonlite Run (Annie)	391.111
7	Brice Ehrich	Pusher's Iron Eagle	367.594
8	Sherry Garman	Stormy	355.369
9	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	307.376
10	John Hodges	McSteamy	176.154
Pro Division Results			
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Obstacle Practice/Schooling Directory

Kick N Back Farm has got well over 50 obstacles spread out both on and off trails. Many are in the woods and closely mimic both SOCA, as well as other trail competitions. We also have arena style obstacles. We have everything from the "scary" horse killing objects to finesse style challenges to help people at whatever level they want to work. Located in Ocklawah, FL 352-895-2564.

- Minimum of 5 to schedule weekdays or evenings. Also offer night obstacles and host clinics.
- Prices: One on one \$50; Groups of 5 plus \$40; Play days \$25
Clinics are \$40 with lots of hands on help and we serve lunch for \$5
Current SOCA members \$5 off clinics if signed up in advance
- <https://www.facebook.com/KnBFarmObstacles> (check for scheduled events)



Greene Acres Stables - Owners Pam and Ronnie Bacon 813-727-0502
Email twhcasper2@gmail.com 5041 Reece Road, Plant City, FL 33567
Cost for schooling your horse \$20.00 Per horse - Negative coggins required.
Plenty of obstacles and still adding – Schooling and lessons available.



Time to Shine Equestrian Center - Located in Lakeland, Florida. Right now practice days will only be a couple days a month, but no set schedule due to the summer rains. We will also be having scheduled obstacle challenges and will be updating our Facebook page. Phone is 863-559-4589



TROT Ranch - 25 Acres of Fun, located in Geneva, Florida. All ages and disciplines of riding are welcome. Shaded trails, open fields, over 50 obstacles providing the perfect place to, have fun, enhance confidence and build trust. We provide creative obstacles from low to high challenges that build and test your skills in a safe and controlled environment. You control the pace and intensity with expert guidance when you need it. Whether your goal is to win obstacle challenges or simply have fun with your horse TROT Ranch is here. Bring a friend or book a group. **For more information go to our webpage: www.trottranch.com. To schedule a session or lesson email jane@trottranch.com or call 407-349-9351.** Follow us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/trot.ranch



Tyson Colt Company – Ft. McCoy, FL – Training, lessons, obstacle course on premises, come practice anytime \$25 per person.
Contact: Audra Tyson 352-390-7446.



TTT Horsemanship - Join the obstacle challenge fun or win that trail class – Confidence building for you and horse. Offering private lessons on your horse or mine. Vicky DeCaro Summerfield, FL 704-953-5632



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Where you and your horse
can have fun!

2016 High Points

In 2016 SOCA will award high point obstacle challenge winners in the following divisions: First Year (Amateur), Novice, Youth, Non Pro, Open Elite and Posse. Points from each of the 2016 SOCA Obstacle Challenges will be totaled, with double points at the obstacle challenge championship in November. 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.

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 Non-Pro.

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.

Dates, details and previous months newsletters can be found on the SOCA website at

www.southernobstaclechallenges.com

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

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