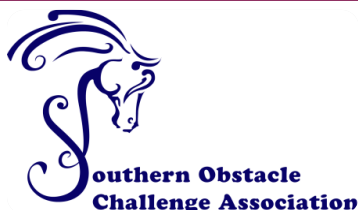


# October 2022 Newsletter

HAPPY  
10TH  
BIRTHDAY!



## Southeastern Regional Championship

Thanks to everyone that came to the Southeastern Regional Championship Extreme Cowboy Race held at the Southeastern North Carolina Agriculture Center in Lumberton, NC. What a nice facility! Thanks to Paul, Regina and Kirsten Mew for securing the venue and supplying all of the great obstacles. We know how much work goes into that and it is much appreciated! Thank you so much to all the volunteers that make our events happen.

We had a great clinic with Cole Cameron on Friday, then he judged the race on Saturday. The courses were fast and fun! Complete results are in the newsletter and on the SOCA website.

## September 10<sup>th</sup> Obstacle Challenge

Mother Nature tried to threaten us, but she held out until we finished! We appreciate everyone that took a chance and enjoyed the day of friendly competition. We certainly appreciate all of our volunteer judges that give so generously of their time to help with our events. Also thank you to all of the competitors that keep our events going. We appreciate you all!

Complete results are in this newsletter and on the SOCA website.

## Tentative 2023 Events

**1/14-15/23 – Craig & Cole Cameron Clinic – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL**

**3/4-5/23 – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday & Obstacle Challenge on Sunday**

**April 2023 – TBD**

**5/6/23 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) The Canyon – Hodges, AL**

**6/3-4/23 – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA National Championships, TBD (5X Points)**

**7/8/23 - Obstacle Schooling Day – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL**

**8/11/23 –Clinic TBD, Gainesville, GA**

**8/12/23 – Extreme Cowboy Race – Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA (Double Points)**

**9/16/23 – Clinic TBD**

**9/17/23 - Cowboy Race SE Regional Championships - TBD (Triple Points)**

**November 2023 - TBD**

**Congratulations to all the high point winners for 2022!**

**The top six for each division are in the newsletter and complete results are on the SOCA website.**

## FINAL 2022 HIGH POINT STANDINGS

### SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2022

#### Young Guns Division Results

	No Buckle	Total
1	Jordan Jeffers Champ	249.885
2	Braxton Leggitt Toby	231.532
3	Charlotte Kelley Fitz	214.656
4	Ella Laiosa Doc Holiday	195.812
5	Ashlyn Kelley Snazzy	175.606

#### Novice Division Results

1	Edward Brown Spook	2039.494
2	Terri Glonek One Tuff Cowgirl	1881.051
3	Danny Inman Bourbon	1724.417
4	Danielle Varn Drifting Pick	1706.016
5	Laurin Whitaker Reycee	1352.396
6	Alecia Gissett Pepper	1261.514

#### Green Horse Results

1	James Huey Feona	2387.396
2	Holly Rosenau Faline	1972.843
3	Tim Haupt Race	1317.537
4	Mike Jeffers Sugar	1027.880
5	Leanne Hale Vega	867.493
6	Lee Hart Toby	684.040

#### Non Pro Division Results

1	Tracy Pinson Tuff Struck Gold	3047.460
2	Tracy Pinson 2X T-Buck	2997.409
3	Rick Peniston Savvy	2960.092
4	Vaudry Edge Rojo Willy John 2	2861.159
5	Karen Huey Pepite	2810.276
6	Dennis Tipton Roos Pine Olena	2456.882

#### Intermediate Division Results

1	Karen Huey Pepite	2903.972
2	Lisa Steinbach Tuff Struck Gold	2799.263
3	John Hodges SB Shaney Face Dunit	2653.157
4	Terri Glonek One Tuff Cowgirl	2207.838
5	Jenna Bishop J-Low	2184.249
6	Danny Inman Bourbon	1921.614

#### Youth Division Results

	No Buckle	
1	Hayden Fukes Jake	1456.933
2	Josie Wilson Kash	378.150
3	Josie Wilson Bailey	356.999
4	Taylor Layton Stone	330.464
5	Gabby Luna Pretty Pat	274.327
6	Gina Gatto Patch	267.107

#### Ride Smart Division Results

1	Tracy Pinson Tuff Night At The Ritz	3077.413
2	Tracy Pinson 2X T-Buck	3017.455
3	James Huey Tickle	2992.409
4	Rick Peniston Savvy	2955.488
5	Vaudry Edge Rojo Willy John 2	2914.225
6	Lisa Steinbach Tuff Struck Gold	2801.659

#### Pro Division Results

1	Carly Renault Cat N Sugar	3017.519
2	Holly Rosenau SB Shaney Face Dunit	2971.202
3	Lee Hart Rojo Willy John 2	1944.385
4	Lee Hart Cat5	1574.086
5	Kelsie Yates Whiskey	1564.120
6	Leanne Hale Jigsaw	1100.450

### SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2022

	Rider	Horse	Total
Novice Division			
1	Nichole Dalton (Vander)	Chip	379.00
2	Phyllis Kirby	Patrone	278.00
3	Kimberly Paquette	Absolute On The Rocks	250.00
4	Elizabeth Yorke	Harry Potter	247.00
5	Monica King	Jack's Primetime Pride	239.00
6	Denise McMeekin	Macky	233.00
Youth Division			
1	Alexa Jackson	Sunshine N Whiskey	282.00
2	Ella Laiosa	Doc Holiday	205.50
3	Meghan Maharrey	One Tuff Cowgirl	147.00
4	Sophia Johnson	Cat	131.00
5	Madison Gulley	Tank	128.00
6	Madison Gulley	Abby	125.00
Intermediate Division			
1	Susan King	Sir Prize	406.50
2	Garey Wallace	Breeze	395.50
3	Karen Olsen	Wilbur	388.00
4	Marilyn Loaces	Manolo de Erimar	376.00
5	Anne Hanley	Spirit	375.50
6	Susan Walters	Arrow	363.50
Open Elite Division			
1	Cathy Rotola	PSU He's Smart N Peppy	441.50
2	Traci Woodard	Montana Nickajack (Sprite)	425.50
3	Briana Tribett	Imheirissitbletoo	406.50
4	Donna Schnieder	Hey Gotcha	405.50
5	Connie Lloyd	Larks Grey Twist	389.00
6	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid "Ace"	380.50

\* Complete High Point Results are on the SOCA website

## RESULTS FROM THE SEPTEMBER 10, 2022 OBSTACLE CHALLENGE AT DARBY OAKS STABLES, BUSHNELL, FL

Place	Rider	Horse	Div	TOTAL
1	Meghan Maharrey	One Tuff Cowgirl	Y	147.00
2	Alexa Jackson	Sunshine & Whiskey	Y	145.00
3	Sophia Johnson	Cat	Y	131.00
4	Madison Gulley	Tank	Y	128.00
5	Madison Gulley	Abby	Y	125.00
6	Carley Carden	Breeze	Y	110.00
7	Kailey Hethernman	One Tuff Cowboy	Y	99.00
8	Emma Taylor	Uno	Y	61.00
9	Faye McGowan	Santiago	Y	60.00
1	Kimberly Paquette	Absolute on the rocks	N	150.00
2	Phyllis Kirby	Patrone	N	144.00
3	Sadie Ellerman	Boomer	N	139.00
4	Nichole Dalton (Vandenbos)	Chip	N	129.00
5	Denise McMeekin	Macky	N	129.00
6	Danielle Doorneweerd	Cowboy	N	123.00
7	Helen Boyce	Topper	N	120.00
8	Monica King	Jac's Primetime Pride	N	120.00
9	Elizabeth Yorke	Harry Potter	N	120.00
10	Billie Jo Kerrivan	Eddie	N	113.00
11	Frances Hamlett	Shez Potentially Blu	N	112.00

Place	Rider	Horse	Div	TOTAL
1	Susan King	Sir Prize	I	142.00
2	Garey Wallace	Breeze	I	140.00
3	Karen Olson	Wilbur	I	140.00
4	Maryilyn Loaces	Manolo de Erimar	I	137.00
5	Kerry Young	Cholo	I	134.00
6	Catherine Erickson	Bella	I	131.00
7	Anne Hanley	Spirit	I	130.00
8	Danielle Varn	Titan	I	129.00
6	Susan Walters	Arrow	I	110.00
1	Nancy Biddinger	Rooster	GH	125.00
2	Karen Ketchum	Bindi	GH	123.00
3	Terri Glonek	Sally	GH	115.00
4	Duane Young	Tobin	GH	104.00
5	Courtney Synder (Mayrane)	Finn	GH	80.00
6	Laura Sachs	Dixie	GH	75.00
7	Isabella Frazier	Pete	GH	54.00
8	Jerrilyn Taylor	Dude	GH	37.00
1	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	P	150.00
2	Cathy Rotola	PSU He's Smart N Peppy	P	150.00
3	Traci Woodard	Montana Nicajack (Sprite)	P	145.00
4	Briana Tribett	Imheirristible too	P	142.00
5	Connie Lloyd	Lark's Grey Twist	P	139.00
6	Donna Schneider	Hey Gotcha	P	135.00
7	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid (Ace)	P	132.00



## PICTURES FROM THE SEPTEMBER 10, 2022 OBSTACLE CHALLENGE AT DARBY OAKS STABLES, BUSHNELL, FL



**Green Horse**



**Youth**



**Novice**



**Intermediate**



**Open Elite**

**Novice**



**Youth**



**Intermediate**



### Obstacle Challenge High Point Winners

**Open Elite**



## RESULTS FROM THE SEPTEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup> SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE

			Round 1	Round 2	Total
Novice Division Results					
1	Danielle Varn	Drifting Pick	270.246	264.810	535.056
2	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	255.962	255.683	511.645
3	Edward Brown	Spook	233.698	245.456	479.154
4	Lauren Whitaker	Reyce	237.074	225.826	462.900
5	Jamie Caldwell	Crimson Contender	225.902	211.815	437.717
Green Horse Results					
1	James Huey	Feona	276.893	259.519	536.412
2	Holly Rosenau	Faline	221.917	206.089	428.006
3	Cindy Hahn	Wheeler	186.803	196.069	382.872
Non Pro Division Results					
1	Kirsten Mew	Oakley	316.253	348.516	664.769
2	Kirsten Mew	Mister Twister	327.720	315.903	643.623
3	Rick Peniston	Savvy Gun Play	311.935	325.325	637.260
4	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Struck Gold	314.595	322.452	637.047
5	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	316.214	317.747	633.961
6	Tracy Pinson	2X TBuck	314.326	309.096	623.422
7	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	299.011	296.724	595.735
8	Karen Huey	Pepite	279.802	295.612	575.414
9	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	267.177	284.423	551.600
10	Dennis Tipton	Roos Pine Olena	258.547	279.612	538.159
11	Hayden Fukes	Jake	0.000	269.571	269.571

			Round 1	Round 2	Total
Intermediate Division Results					
1	Karen Huey	Pepite	276.441	323.960	600.401
2	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	286.001	313.036	599.037
3	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	300.316	297.513	597.829
4	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	273.495	297.750	571.245
5	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	279.861	279.819	559.680
6	Jenna Bishop	J-low	245.618	308.114	553.732
7	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	271.538	275.271	546.809
8	Danielle Varn	Drifting Pick	243.193	290.899	534.092
9	Edward Brown	Spook	264.109	251.723	515.832
10	Lauren Whitaker	Reyce	250.884	253.922	504.806
11	Jamie Caldwell	Crimson Contender	216.946	215.817	432.763
Youth Division Results					
1	Hayden Fukes	Jake	240.611	296.407	537.018
Ride Smart Division Results					
1	Rick Peniston	Savvy Gun Play	330.847	338.536	669.383
2	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	323.541	332.640	656.181
3	Tracy Pinson	2X TBuck	308.678	345.781	654.459
4	James Huey	Tickle	330.806	320.303	651.109
5	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	284.986	317.965	602.951
6	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	279.591	319.830	599.421
7	Dennis Tipton	Roos Pine Olena	292.858	298.083	590.941
8	Jane Peniston	Smoochie	274.542	285.975	560.517
9	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	274.179	285.356	559.535
10	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	241.061	304.526	545.587
Pro Division Results					
1	Carly Renault	Cat N Sugar	319.229	350.826	670.055
2	Holly Rosenau	SB Shaney Face Dunit	315.149	323.057	638.206



## PICTURES FROM THE SEPTEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup> SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE

**Novice**



**Green Horse**



**Non Pro**



**Youth**



**Intermediate**



**Ride Smart**



**Pro**



**Extreme Cowboy  
Race High Point  
Winners**

**Novice**



**Green Horse**



**Non Pro**



**Youth**



**Intermediate**



**Ride Smart**



**Pro**



**First Time  
Buckle Winners**



**Cole Cameron  
Judge &  
Clinician**



**Lisa Steinbach  
& Tracy Pinson**



**SOCA  
Announcer  
John Glonek**



## The Morning Before A Show

**Good morning! It's time to go horse showin'! Let's start the day off right.**



### **Wake Up to Your First Alarm**

*Just five more minutes* quickly turns into ten minutes, which turns into 15... and the story goes on. Next thing you know, half a boot is on and you're wobbling out the door 30 minutes behind schedule. Your blood is pumping and your heart is racing. That's no way to start the morning of your show. Snoozing your alarm = being late = stress. It's a lose-lose situation.

### **Take Some Deep Breaths**

After waking up (without hitting snooze), it's time for some deep breaths. Before the excitement tickles your toes, itches your knees, and puts butterflies in your stomach, give yourself a moment to calmly and slowly wake up. Your mind and body will thank you later for stopping the panic jolt of waking up early for a horse show, especially when it's 3:30 am.

### **Begin Positive Thoughts Right Away**

Between each deep breath, tell yourself something positive. Visualize the best run you've ever had and tell yourself you can do it. Your mindset for showing begins hours before stepping foot into the arena.

### **Drink Some Water and Coffee**

It's better to start your hydration early because chances are we'll leave the day dehydrated (we all do it). And how else do you start an early morning without some caffeine!?

### **Eat Breakfast**

How do you fill a stomach full of butterflies with food? Take some breaths and have something that sounds good to eat to entice you! I know it's hard to eat on a show day, but your body and mind need nutrition. Plus food means brain power. And brain power means memorizing all those patterns throughout the day!

### **Start Getting Ready, You're Going to Go Kick Butt!**

A great morning equals a great day. You've got this! Show them what you've got!



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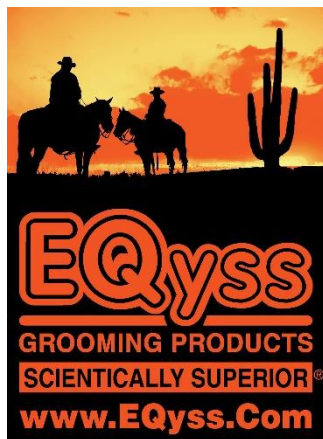
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**THANK YOU!!!**

## SOCA NEWS

### 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.

**THANKS TO ALL OUR  
SPONSORS, JUDGES &  
VOLUNTEERS THAT MAKE OUR  
EVENTS POSSIBLE!**

#### 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 1<sup>st</sup>!**

**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**

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