

September 2022 Newsletter

**HAPPY
10TH
BIRTHDAY!**



Georgia State Championships

Thanks to everyone that came to the Georgia State Championship Extreme Cowboy Race at the Chicopee Woods Agri Center. The turnout was awesome! We had a great clinic with Lee Hart on Friday, then he judged the race on Saturday. The courses were fast and fun! Complete results are in the newsletter and on the website.

Thank you so much to all the volunteers that make our events happen – We absolutely cannot do it without all of you! Special thanks to Joe Holloway and Dennis Tipton for all your work in hosting this event!

Upcoming Events

9/10/22 – Obstacle Challenge at Darby Oaks Stables in Bushnell, FL

9/16/22 – Cole Cameron Clinic (only one spot left!)

9/16-17/22 – SE Regional Championship Extreme Cowboy Race SE NC Ag Center, Lumberton, NC

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

**2023 Dates will be published soon,
along with the event flyers!**

2022 Events

1/15-16/22 – Craig & Cole Cameron Clinic – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

2/26-27/22 – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday & Obstacle Challenge on Sunday

4/9/22 – Obstacle Challenge – Southern Roe's Ranch, Groveland, FL

5/14/22 – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) The Canyon – Hodges, AL

6/4-5/22 – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA National Championships, Celebration Arena, Decatur, AL (5X Points)

7/9/22 - Obstacle Schooling Day – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

8/12/22 – Lee Hart Clinic, Gainesville, GA

8/13/22 – Extreme Cowboy Race – Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA (Double Points)

9/10/22 – Obstacle Challenge - Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL **High Point Buckles!**

9/16/22 – Cole Cameron Clinic – Lumberton, NC

9/16-17/22 – Extreme Cowboy Race SE Regional Championships (Triple Points) – Southeastern NC Agri Center, Lumberton NC – **Race & High Point Buckles**

HIGH POINT STANDINGS AS OF 9/1/22

SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2022

		Total
Young Guns Division Results		
No Buckle		
1	Jordan Jeffers	Champ 249.885
2	Braxton Leggett	Toby 231.532
3	Charlotte Kelley	Fitz 214.656
4	Ella Laioa	Doc Holiday 195.812
5	Ashlyn Kelley	Snazzy 175.606
Novice Division Results		
1	Danny Inman	Bourbon 1724.417
2	Edward Brown	Spook 1560.340
3	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl 1369.406
4	Alecia Gissett	Pepper 1261.514
5	Danielle Varn	Drifting Pick 1170.960
6	Mike Willy	Rock N Blue Maiden 1165.108
7	Ashley Wallace	CLR Shesa Bonita 1120.270
8	Elizabeth Faber	Billie The Whiz Kid 922.594
9	Laurin Whitaker	Reyce 889.496
10	Shelly Franklin	AR Bourbon N Branch (B) 620.872
Green Horse Results		
1	James Huey	Feona 1850.984
2	Holly Rosenau	Faline 1544.837
3	Tim Haupt	Race 1317.537
4	Mike Jeffers	Sugar 1027.880
5	Leanne Hale	Vega 867.493
6	Lee Hart	Toby 684.040
7	Kelsie Yates	Belle 631.935
8	Jazzy Durgin	Dreamer 329.195
9	Katie Morris	Prince Caspian 317.045
10	Tracy Pinson	One Tuff Cowboy 310.237
11	Shelby Ratliff	Tuff's Golden Girl 310.195
12	Cheryl Wadman	TP Harley Daniels 291.548
13	Lindsey Partridge	Elon 291.053
14	Lindsey Partridge	Elysia 270.290
15	Nicola Bolt	Polar 267.483
16	Sarah Sheets	RBV Toorowdytoohold 191.635
Non Pro Division Results		
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Struck Gold 2410.413
2	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck 2373.987
3	Rick Peniston	Savvy 2322.832
4	Steve Barrett	Echo 2273.379
5	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2 2265.424
6	Karen Huey	Pepite 2234.862
7	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey 2002.720
8	Dennis Tipton	Roos Pine Olena 1918.723
9	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shan) 1728.375
10	Courtney Pearre	Tuff 1686.284
Intermediate Division Results		
1	Karen Huey	Pepite 2303.571
2	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold 2201.434
3	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit 2054.120
4	Danny Inman	Bourbon 1921.614
5	Courtney Pearre	Tuff 1803.269
6	Lesa Roe	Cat 1769.985
7	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl 1661.029
8	Jenna Bishop	J-Low 1630.517
9	Danielle Varn	Drifting Pick 1290.852
10	Ashley Wallace	CLR Shesa Bonita 1249.492
Youth Division Results		
No Buckle		
1	Hayden Fukes	Jake 919.915
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 2421.232
2	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck 2362.996
3	Steve Barrett	Echo 2362.713
4	James Huey	Tickle 2341.300
5	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2 2314.804
6	Rick Peniston	Savvy 2286.105
7	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold 2242.124
8	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit 2209.728
9	Dennis Tipton	Roos Pine Olena 2082.597
10	Bob Hill	RJ Freckles Jewel (Shan) 1809.690
Pro Division Results		
1	Carly Renault	Cat N Sugar 2347.464
2	Holly Rosenau	SB Shaney Face Dunit 2332.996
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
7	Laura Green Hart	Ruthie 848.240
8	Holly Rosenau	Dillon 746.394
9	Jazzy Durgin	Bulletproof 422.846
10	Lee Hart	Crimson Contender 409.858

SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2022

	Rider	Horse	Total
Novice Division			
1	Nichole Vandenbossche	Chip	250.00
2	Carol Felder	Dillon	136.00
3	Phyllis Kirby	Patrone	134.00
4	Jenna Bishop	J-Low	130.50
5	Elizabeth Yorke	Harry Potter	127.00
6	Iris Glick	Luminosa	127.00
7	Stacy Chambers	Sparkles	122.50
8	Monica King	Jack's Primetime Pride	119.00
9	Edward Brown	Spook	114.00
10	Janet Bozeman	Fergie	110.50
Youth Division			
1	Ella Laioa	Doc Holiday	205.50
2	Alexa Jackson	Sunshine N Whiskey	137.00
3	Charlotte Kelley	Fitz	111.50
4	Gina Gatto	Patch	97.00
5	Daisy Jones	Kit Kat	92.00
6	Findley Frost	Ghost Rider	91.00
7	Ashlyn Kelley	Snazzy	81.00
8	Lydia Sias	Oops	81.00
9	Sophia Johnson	Fergie	79.00
Intermediate Division			
1	Susan King	Sir Prize	264.50
2	Garey Wallace	Breeze	255.50
3	Susan Walters	Arrow	253.50
4	Karen Olsen	Wilbur	248.00
5	Anne Hanley	Spirit	245.50
6	Marilyn Loaces	Manolo de Erimar	239.00
7	Mo Earle	Whodat	216.00
8	Barbara Van Winkle	Pepper	214.50
9	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip (Eli)	142.00
10	Judy Fuller Brown	Tennessee Wind Chimer	132.50
Open Elite Division			
1	Cathy Rotola	PSU He's Smart N Peppy	291.50
2	Traci Woodard	Montana Nickajack (Sprite)	280.50
3	Donna Schnieder	Hey Gotcha	270.50
3	Briana Tribett	Imheirissitbletoo	264.50
5	Connie Lloyd	Larks Grey Twist	250.00
6	Renee Lewis	TR Really Splendid "Ace"	248.50
7	Shelby Ratliff	Drifting Thru Poco	140.00
8	Holly Rosenau	SB Shaney Face Dunit	133.00
9	Katie Morris	Prince Caspian	133.00
10	Lesa Roe	Cat	132.50

RESULTS FROM THE AUGUST 13TH GEORGIA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE

			Round 1	Round 2	Total
	Young Guns Divison Results				
1	Jordan Jeffers	Champ	118.626	131.259	249.885
	Novice Divison Results				
1	Angela Graham	Jack	162.243	164.539	326.782
2	Mary Jo Veluzat	Boom Jac Kid	162.534	159.311	321.845
3	Alecia Grissett	Pepper	142.484	159.378	301.862
4	Danny Inman	Bourbon	144.339	155.732	300.071
5	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	136.671	152.345	289.016
6	Carol Felder	Dillon	124.793	154.933	279.726
7	Sandra Baird	Cody	133.064	143.483	276.547
8	Mike Willy	Rock N Blue Maiden	130.803	143.226	274.029
9	Janet Bozeman	Fergie	129.999	142.485	272.484
10	Jamie Caldwell	Crimson Contender	118.437	153.977	272.414
11	Edward Brown	Spook	124.404	145.371	269.775
12	Betsy Faber	Billie The Whiz Kid	134.502	124.570	259.072
13	Maggie Young	Lets Face It	109.113	116.248	225.361
14	Laurin Whitaker	Reycee	73.217	148.381	221.598
15	Kim Sheets	Moves Like Swagger	84.651	109.164	193.815
	Green Horse Results				
1	James Huey	Feona	158.488	166.443	324.931
2	Mike Jeffers	Sugar	142.142	165.124	307.266
3	Nicola Bolt	Polar	119.663	147.820	267.483
4	Tim Haupt	Race	114.600	134.836	249.436
5	Holly Rosenau	Faline	111.944	132.689	244.633
6	Sarah Sheets	RBV Toorowdytoohold	84.324	107.311	191.635
	Non Pro Divison Results				
1	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	221.122	221.024	442.146
2	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Struck Gold	220.579	217.686	438.265
3	Rick Peniston	Savvy	215.541	216.029	431.570
4	Steve Barrett	Echo	208.187	221.615	429.802
5	Karen Huey	Pepite	202.518	223.544	426.062
6	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	195.864	210.044	405.908
7	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	200.135	205.541	405.676
8	Josie Wilson	Kash	183.411	183.443	366.854
9	Dennis Tipton	Roos Pine Olena	165.686	195.108	360.794
10	Josie Wilson	Bailey	150.287	171.407	321.694

	Intermediate Divison Results				
1	Karen Huey	Pepite	213.978	217.365	431.343
2	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	213.727	209.700	423.427
3	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	196.630	208.762	405.392
4	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	205.505	196.403	401.908
5	Angela Graham	Jack	185.079	192.874	377.953
6	Betsy Faber	Billie The Whiz Kid	174.007	198.783	372.790
7	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	181.048	185.831	366.879
8	Jenna Bishop	J-Low	181.965	181.499	363.464
9	Cheyenne Layton	Ace	173.628	185.655	359.283
10	Alecia Grissett	Pepper	164.334	189.704	354.038
11	Laurin Whitaker	Reycee	159.513	191.537	351.050
12	Danny Inman	Bourbon	161.231	189.508	350.739
13	Sandra Baird	Cody	153.615	184.620	338.235
14	Edward Brown	Spook	154.703	171.943	326.646
15	Carol Felder	Dillon	137.825	177.331	315.156
16	Maggie Young	Lets Face It	153.418	132.826	286.244
17	Tim Haupt	Dock Lee	134.835	137.369	272.204
	Youth Divison Results				
1	Josie Wilson	Kash	183.737	194.413	378.150
2	Josie Wilson	Bailey	173.560	183.439	356.999
3	Taylor Layton	Stone	163.700	166.764	330.464
	Ride Smart Results				
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz	209.200	230.947	440.147
2	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	214.570	221.032	435.602
3	Rick Peniston	Savvy	225.233	210.229	435.462
4	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	209.292	222.628	431.920
5	Steve Barrett	Echo	220.129	206.804	426.933
6	John Hodges	SB Shaney Face Dunit	218.218	207.000	425.218
7	Dennis Tipton	Roos Pine Olena	206.649	217.071	423.720
8	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	202.705	217.139	419.844
9	Cindy Hahn	One Hot Dancin Chip	206.294	210.530	416.824
10	James Huey	Tickle	197.240	212.145	409.385
3	Pro Divison Results				
1	Kelsie Yates	Whiskey	212.925	213.229	426.154
2	Lee Hart	Rojo Willy John 2	204.047	210.102	414.149
3	Lee Hart	Crimson Contender	196.823	213.035	409.858
4	Holly Rosenau	SB Shaney Face Dunit	205.563	200.519	406.082
5	Carly Renault	Cat N Sugar	204.460	198.206	402.666
6	Josie Wilson	Kash	178.450	203.436	381.886
7	Nicola Bolt	Dexter	176.449	188.693	365.142
8	Holly Rosenau	Dillon	175.890	178.632	354.522
9	Josie Wilson	Bailey	179.688	173.610	353.298

PICTURES FROM THE AUGUST 13TH GEORGIA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE



Young Guns



Youth



Novice



Green Horse



Intermediate



Non Pro



Ride Smart

Pro



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What Are the Signs and Symptoms of Ear Mites?

A mite infestation can make a horse extremely uncomfortable, causing intense itching and rubbing. So, if your horse has ear mites, there's a high likelihood that they'll make their displeasure known. Put simply, ear mites are annoying. They're often itchy and painful. This means there should be plenty of visual and olfactory tell-tale signs, including:

- **Shaking head** – If the horse is shaking their head frequently, it may be a sign that they're trying to dislodge mites.
- **Rubbing ears** – A horse will try their best to remove the pesky critters, and it's not discretionary about what tools they will use to do that. The most frequent ear scratchers are fence posts or the horse's stall. If you're interested in learning more about [how to treat horse scratches](#), we've written about this topic in detail on our blog as well.
- **Sensitivity around the ears** – Although some horses may already be sensitive to being touched around their ears, a mite infestation may make them extremely tender to contact.
- **Drooping ears** – One of the most common visual signs of a mite infestation may be a drooping ear, caused by an inflamed ear canal. If you notice drooping in your horse's ear, it may be caused by an ear mite infestation.
- **Discharge** – Excess ear wax, crusting, and blood are common types of discharge that may occur in or around a horse's ear. These issues are exacerbated when the horse constantly rubs their head.
- **Marks** – The horse's ears may have red, irritated skin, or even visible bite marks.
- **Odor** – The sensitivity to the mites may cause swelling and discharge, which can have a pungent smell.

When it comes to equine health issues, the quicker you can treat the problem, the better. Staying vigilant and proactive not only helps you control the severity of the outbreak in the impacted horse but also keeps it from spreading to other animals in the stable.

Even though ear mites aren't frequent issues for horses, it pays to be on alert and to regularly perform thorough inspections and cleanings. Should you notice signs of an equine ear infection or ear mites in your animal, take them in to the vet as soon as possible.

Do you want a safe way to ensure that your horse's ears are clean and hygienic?

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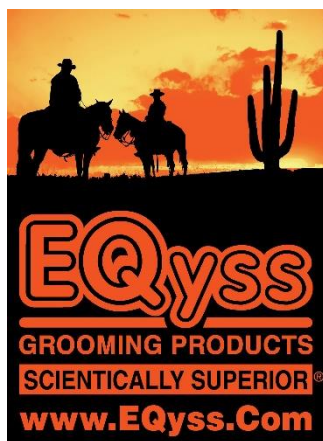
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THANK YOU!!!

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.

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