



# June 2014 Newsletter



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## The Extreme Cowboy Race Nationals Hosted By SOCA Rocked!

### Extreme Cowboy Race National Championships

Over 100 entries competed at the EXCA National Championships. Folks came from 16 states to take home the buckles, prize money, awards and ribbons that were given.

In addition to the great competitors that showed up, SOCA wants to give a huge THANK YOU to all of the sponsors and volunteers that helped make the event such a huge success. People came running each time we needed help and it is always appreciated.

We received many great comments about the good group we have within SOCA....We can't agree more!

Results and pictures are in this newsletter, as well as the SOCA website.

### Next SOCA Event: Extreme Cowboy Race MS State Championships in Pontotoc, MS

Vaudry Edge and his crew are planning another great race at the Pontotoc Agri-Center in Mississippi. Last year, we had close to 60 entries and expect at least that many again this year. There will be buckles for the winners of each division, plus payback, prizes and ribbons.

The flyer and entry forms are attached, so please make your plans and get your entries turned in so you don't have to run first!

See everyone in Mississippi!!!

### 2014 Events

**1/4/14** – Schooling Day/Judges Clinic at Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

**1/18-19/14** – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday and Obstacle Challenge on Sunday.

**3/8/14** – Obstacle Challenge – Greene Acres Stables, Plant City, FL

**4/5/14** – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) - Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC

**4/26/14** – Obstacle Challenge – Rocking K Ranch, Hernando, FL

**5/23-24/14** – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA Nationals (Triple Points) Shelbyville, TN

**6/28/14** – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) – Pontotoc County Agri-Center, Pontotoc, MS (**Flyer attached**)

**9/13/14** – Obstacle Challenge – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL (**Flyer attached**)

**9/27-28/14** – Extreme Cowboy Race SE Regional Championships (Triple Points)- Green River Farm, Gaffney, SC (**Flyer attached**)

**11/15/14** – Obstacle Challenge Championships (double points) – Rocking Horse Stables, Altoona, FL

**SOCA dues (\$10) are due January 1<sup>st</sup>!**  
**Please renew at your first event of each year.**





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## Member News & Information

### Results - EXCA National Championships Hosted By SOCA

Young Guns Divison Results		Round 1	Round 2	Total
1	Bennett Green Chloe	234.563	233.687	468.250
2	Dana Fleming Destiny	231.761	223.174	454.935
3	Kaleb Hartley TTR Boon Dozer CD	168.214	219.685	387.899
4	Shelby Keeker Zanna Rose	129.245	200.313	329.558
5	Bennett Green Briggan	126.959	142.286	269.245
Novice Divison Results				
1	Joe Holloway Solano's Moonlite Run	218.464	291.122	509.586
2	Jane Peniston Seven	249.555	248.821	498.376
3	Courtney Pearre Hawk	238.994	245.770	484.764
4	John Hodges Bud	207.661	259.700	467.361
5	Jennifer Forge Tag	208.058	252.043	460.101
6	Terri Glonek One Tuff Cowgirl	230.444	222.525	452.969
7	Rhiannon Cain Teddy	235.981	216.921	452.902
8	Alison Stewart Doc	172.555	218.693	391.248
9	Pat Keck Sandy	194.294	186.532	380.826
10	David Burgard Annie	188.295	186.505	374.800
Green Horse Divison Results				
1	Annie Chance Top Gunner in Black	274.389	306.042	580.431
2	Tracy Pinson Tuff Night At The Ritz	274.414	269.625	544.039
3	Josiah Hood Sarah	251.471	277.614	529.085
4	Bernie Duncan Delta Dawn	256.435	260.911	517.346
5	Jason Keeker TTR Dry River CD	251.631	253.141	504.772
6	Shelby Ratliff Brad Pitt	231.426	246.383	477.809
7	Tammy Burgard Cola	176.785	181.140	357.925
8	CC Metzler Abby	170.162	187.029	357.191
Non Pro Divison Results				
1	Leanne Hale Slick	355.102	346.529	701.631
2	Kelsie Graham Flower	347.059	354.448	701.507
3	Tracy Pinson Texan At The Ritz	355.693	338.195	693.888
4	Vaudry Edge Drifting Thru Poco	332.249	354.919	687.168
5	Steve Barrett Mr. Genuine Doc	338.991	342.815	681.806
6	Cullen Green Tater	323.970	329.896	653.866
7	Sally Addington Ghost of a Chance	297.724	354.115	651.839
8	Michael Lindsey Ace	313.591	329.896	643.487
9	Leanne Hale Brandy	293.369	346.529	639.898
10	CC Metzler Shelby The Mustang	305.239	330.855	636.094
Intermediate Divison Results				
1	Dennis Tipton Goodbar's Sonny (Zippy)	342.319	340.470	682.789
2	Kimberly Brown NCIS In Dixie	324.675	323.789	648.464
3	Dennis Robinson Threat's Dark Reflection	319.953	318.602	638.555
4	Lisa Steinbach Texan At The Ritz	305.221	317.759	622.980
5	Pam Greene Bacon Peyton	318.111	283.718	601.829
6	Danielle Cain The Buckskin Lady	316.575	285.005	601.580
7	Tammy Burgard Annie	286.244	303.274	589.518
8	Shelby Ratliff Dillion	292.106	296.882	588.988
9	Joe Holloway Solano's Moonlite Run	308.265	279.374	587.639
10	Gloria Jan Neeley Toby McQuire	301.421	284.469	585.890

Youth Divison Results		Round 1	Round 2	Total
1	Eliza Green Lightnin'	329.109	350.070	679.179
2	Cullen Green Tater	323.520	338.704	662.224
3	Dana Fleming Destiny	315.304	306.090	621.394
4	Elizabeth Roten Belle	258.380	304.440	562.820
5	Rhiannon Cain Teddy	284.895	271.097	555.992
6	Elizabeth Roten Allie	290.684	257.628	548.312
7	Kaeshia Smith TTR Boon Dozer CD	238.978	227.462	466.440
8	Taylor Harer Shortcake	207.043	172.614	379.657
Ride Smart Divison Results				
1	Steve Barrett Mr. Genuine Doc	373.821	367.080	740.901
2	Vaudry Edge Drifting Thru Poco	362.774	360.870	723.644
3	Rick Peniston Jake	348.178	355.804	703.982
4	Dennis Robinson Threat's Dark Reflection	333.774	366.718	700.492
5	Dennis Tipton Goodbar's Sonny (Zippy)	355.094	343.425	698.519
6	Jim Ochs Buster	336.921	354.696	691.617
7	Vaudry Edge Drifting Pick	304.840	361.879	666.719
8	James Best Honey Miss America	320.528	337.169	657.697
9	James Best Little Black Skids	332.024	316.604	648.628
10	Gloria Jan Neeley Toby McQuire	319.049	306.641	625.690
Pro Divison Results				
1	Tim Edge Drifting Pick	340.364	360.009	700.373
2	Kelsie Graham Flower	330.507	369.243	699.750
3	Leanne Hale Brandy	332.931	353.687	686.618
4	Laura Green Chloe	335.087	350.971	686.058
5	Tim Edge Mr. Lil Blue Tom	319.080	346.246	665.326
6	CC Metzler Shelby The Mustang	303.430	352.956	656.386
7	Annie Chance Electric Scooter	317.393	317.453	634.846
8	Kimberly Brown NCIS In Dixie	276.706	351.884	628.590
9	Josiah Hood Honey	302.039	323.919	625.958
10	Luke Reinbold Lontree Setfree	306.513	312.516	619.029

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**Pictures From May 23-24<sup>th</sup> Extreme Cowboy Race Nationals in Shelbyville, TN  
(Thanks to Jr. Adams, Serenity Ranch Photography, for the great photos!)**



Young Guns



Novice



Green Horse



Non Pro



Intermediate



Youth



Ride Smart



Pro







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## The Buckle Race High Point Standings through May 31st

### Obstacle Challenges

Youth Division Results		
1	Dana Fleming	Destiny 402.50
2	Rachel McCormick	Amber 397.50
3	Rachel McCormick	Kota 367.50
4	Mikayla Moore	Miss Face It (Mocha) 358.00
5	Stephanie Walters	Mr. Kandelite & Roses 351.00
6	Shawn Charles	Dancing Lil 348.00
7	Quiana Krabec	Puck 331.00
8	Emily Cook	Scarlet 301.50
9	Rhiannon Cain	Teddy 116.00
10	Rachel McCormick	Dena 108.50
Novice Division Results		
1	Shelly Cowart	Crystal 367.50
2	Annette Tolbert	Fancy 339.50
3	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl 330.00
4	Samantha Vitalone	A Cool Witness 262.50
5	Suzan Hunt	Windswept Silver Spector 258.50
6	Mo Earle	Cabo 254.50
7	Missy Motes	Tari 239.50
8	Margo Cook	Magic 234.50
9	Lisa Hutchinson	Dolly 225.00
10	Brianna Tribett	Im Heirrisistible Too 223.00
Posse Division Results		
1	Rebecca Adams	Generator's Tall Paul 424.00
2	Carrie Legg	Dixie 401.50
3	Sharon Carty	Kitty's Fantasy 399.50
4	Connie Lloyd	Chance 392.50
5	Lisa Wood	Caesar 391.00
6	Cathy Ulm	Spirit 388.00
7	Sharon Carty	Kate Spade 365.00
8	Rebecca Adams	A Texas State of Mind 310.50
9	Caren Risley	Honey 309.50
10	Cathy Rotola	Derringer 278.00
Non Pro Division Results		
1	Robin Coleman	Harley 409.00
2	Dorrie Krabec	Gunner 393.50
3	Tirina Miller	Wrangler 387.50
4	Bernie Duncan	Delta 381.00
5	Jami Robinson	Texas Genuine Jet 377.50
6	Joyce Tyson	Scooter 371.50
7	Pam Bacon	Peyton 267.50
8	Beverly Hartley	Maverick 265.50
9	Debbie Howell	Dakota 262.00
10	Vickie Oliva	Peppy's Foolish Fancy 246.00
Open Elite Division Results		
1	Traci Woodard	Rusty Executive 411.00
2	Traci Woodard	Montana Nicajack (Sprite) 409.00
3	Renee Stafford	Coot 406.50
4	Jimmy Risley	Star 406.00
5	Vicky DeCaro	Roxie Rose 256.00
6	Sheryl Strasster	Wut The Sign Sez 138.00
7	Windy Steele	Tango 129.00
8	Johnny McKeenan	Incredible Wolf 124.00
9	Amy Barnett	Magic's Alley Cat 123.50
10	Sean Patrick	Joker 123.00

### Extreme Cowboy Races

Young Guns Division		
1	Bennett Green	Chloe 756.699
2	Dana Fleming	Destiny 454.935
3	Bennett Green	Tater 370.914
4	Bennett Green	Briggan 269.245
5	Lilly Hite	Misty T 105.480
6	Rylee Yarbrough	Tips 95.920
Novice Division		
1	John Hodges	Bud 913.705
2	Joe Holloway	Solano's Moonlite Run 861.127
3	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl 822.997
4	Jane Peniston	Seven 795.472
5	Courtney Pearre	Hawk 789.230
6	Alison Stewart	Doc 581.698
Green Horse Division		
1	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Night At The Ritz 1005.576
2	Bernie Duncan	Delta 636.512
3	Josiah Hood	Sarah 529.085
4	Shelby Ratliff	Brad Pitt 477.809
5	Rick Peniston	Boon 319.883
6	Kelly Gifford	Boo Man Choo 86.132
Non Pro Division		
1	Tracy Pinson	Texan At The Ritz 1337.518
2	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco 1276.406
3	Michael Lindsey	Ace 1235.152
4	Dennis Tipton	Goodbar's Sonny 1217.620
5	Kelsie Graham	Flower 1165.256
6	Leanne Hale	Slick 1159.876
Intermediate Division		
1	Dennis Tipton	Goodbar's Sonny 1272.674
2	Lisa Steinbach	Texan At The Ritz 1203.648
3	Shelby Ratliff	Dillon 1140.545
4	Sarah Schlaich	Bindi 1137.948
5	Danielle Cain	The Buckskin Lady 1109.819
6	Dennis Robinson	Threat's Dark Reflection 1014.172
Youth Division		
1	Cullen Green	Tater 1091.151
2	Eliza Green	Lightnin' 1085.647
3	Elizabeth Roten	Belle 979.687
4	Elizabeth Roten	Allie 941.320
5	Dana Fleming	Destiny 776.279
6	Rhiannon Cain	Teddy 672.992
Ride Smart Division		
1	Vaudry Edge	Drifting Thru Poco 1350.615
2	Dennis Tipton	Goodbar's Sonny 1302.688
3	Steve Barret	Mr. Geniune Doc 1220.627
4	Rick Peniston	Jake 1153.630
5	Dennis Robinson	Threat's Dark Reflection 1091.774
6	Joe Holloway	Solano's Moonlite Run 1022.438
Pro Division		
1	Laura Green	Chloe 1156.138
2	Kelsie Graham	Flower 1144.771
3	Joel Mobley	Chic 723.177
4	Tim Edge	Drifting Pick 703.373
5	Leanne Hale	Brandy 686.618
6	Tim Edge	Mr. Lil Blue Tom 665.326

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## SOCA Member Spotlights

### Meet your fellow SOCA Members

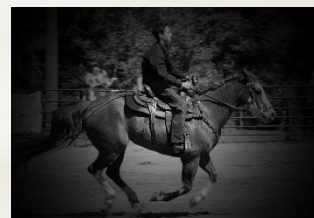


## Shawn Charles

Shawn is a fourteen old eighth grader. Living on a horse farm has given him a great opportunity to grow up around horses and get to know and ride all types and breeds. He was given his first pony at the age of 4 and has gone through several more before we found Splash. She was only three years old and green broke, yet from the beginning they were a perfect fit. Shawn, at the age of six, began riding and training her. They have grown up together. She is sweet natured and patient, yet expects to be treated with respect and kindness. Shawn's enjoyment of trail riding with Splash has developed into competing in obstacle challenges and joining SOCA.

Last year was their best year in showing. Shawn and Splash won Lynn Palm's AQHA Obstacle Challenge Series in the Intermediate Division, as well as highest score overall, for all competitors in all levels and divisions. Splash is due to foal any day now. We are all excited and hoping the foal will inherit her wonderful personality. Shawn will continue to show her next year once the foal is weaned.

Shawn doesn't just ride, he helps doing farm chores; he also loves riding his ATV (almost as much as he loves riding Splash), as well as scuba diving, skate boarding and playing basketball.



**PLEASE SEND US YOUR INFORMATION!!!**

**We need more Member Spotlight Bios.....Please email your information and pictures to [southernobstaclechallenges@gmail.com](mailto:southernobstaclechallenges@gmail.com)**





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## 2014 High Points

In 2014 SOCA will award high point obstacle challenge winners in the following divisions: Novice, Youth, Non Pro, Open Elite and Posse. Points from each of the 2014 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 SOCA EXCA race, with the triple points at the Nationals in May and Regional Championship races in September and double points for State Championships in January, April and June, 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](http://www.southernobstaclechallenges.com)**

**“When you are on a great horse, you have the best seat you will ever have.”**  
**-Sir Winston Churchill**

**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.**

**Serenity Ranch Photography By Jr. Adams**  
**Don't forget to check for your photos:**  
**[www.serenityranchphotography.com](http://www.serenityranchphotography.com)**

### **Extreme Cowboy Racers**

**Reminder to pay your dues to the EXCA before the season gets started!**

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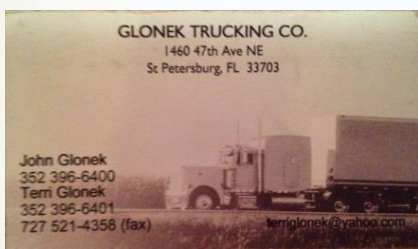
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