



## March-April 2026 Newsletter

### What A Weekend!

The 2026 SOCA show season has officially kicked off with a bang! Competitors came from all over the Southeast to participate in this annual event with 63 entries in the Extreme Cowboy Race and over 70 in the obstacle challenge.

Thanks so much to our judges, volunteers, announcer, obstacle re-setters and everyone else that made the weekend a success. TEAM SOCA rocks!

#### UPCOMING EVENTS!

April 4<sup>th</sup> – Obstacle Challenge, Southern Roe's Ranch, Groveland, FL

May 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> – Extreme Cowboy Race at the Canyon Lodge in Hodges, AL

Flyer and entry forms are attached.

**Flyers for all 2026 events are on the SOCA website. It is never too early to enter! For the races, first to enter is last to run. For the challenges, early entries given order of go preference.**

### 2026 Events

- 2/28-3/1/2026** – Florida Horse Park – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) on Saturday & Obstacle Challenge on Sunday..
- 4/4/2026** – Obstacle Challenge, Southern Roe's Farm, Groveland, FL
- 5/2/2026** – Extreme Cowboy Race (double points) The Canyon – Hodges, AL
- 5/29 – 5/31/2026** – Extreme Cowboy Race – EXCA National Championships, Champions Arena, Celebration Grounds, Shelbyville, TN (5X Points)
- 9/11/2026** –Clinic – Lee Hart
- 9/12/2026** – Extreme Cowboy Race –SE Regional Championships - (Triple Points) Chicopee Agricultural Ctr, Gainesville, GA
- 10/10/2026** - Obstacle Schooling Day – Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL
- 11/14/2026** – Obstacle Challenge, Darby Oaks Stables, Bushnell, FL

We need 2026 sponsors....Can you please help!?!? Every little bit helps pay for awards, buckles, ribbons, etc. The sponsorship form is attached and donations are tax deductible. Thanks!!

**THANK YOU TO ALL THE VOLUNTEERS THAT MAKE THESE EVENTS HAPPEN!!!!**

## FLORIDA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE – 2/28/26



Young  
Guns



Green Horse



Novice



Non Pro



Intermediate



Ride Smart



Pro



Youth



Open

## FLORIDA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE – 2/28/26

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## FLORIDA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EXTREME COWBOY RACE – 2/28/26

Young Guns Divison Results			Round 1	Round 2	Total
1	June Trommsdorff	LEO's Pride	116.007	124.447	240.454
Green Horse Results					
1	Hannah Howe	Sugar Pep Kingwood	170.098	178.555	348.653
2	Tyler Howe	Starlight Kingwood	161.708	165.469	327.177
3	Jazzy Durgin	Only 2X The Money	154.088	154.792	308.880
4	Carly Renault	Drover	143.634	151.397	295.031
5	Meredyth Crews	Dibs	144.970	140.232	285.202
6	Tim Haupt	Heavens Echo	132.786	148.942	281.728
7	Jazzy Durgin	Two X Metallic Sage	125.697	148.271	273.968
8	Jenna Bishop	Raven	132.362	135.647	268.009
9	Tim Haupt	Tucker	128.584	137.274	265.858
10	Edward Brown	Boons Royal Gypsy	115.959	106.179	222.138
11	Lisa Santoro	Zeus	67.000	0.000	67.000
Novice Divison Results					
1	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	153.224	157.367	310.591
2	Cullen Green	Buster	156.762	152.439	309.201
3	Rebecca Hurm	Lovealottajack	144.462	152.803	297.265
4	Carol Yapolo	Smart Brow Cat	141.416	151.647	293.063
5	Tiffany Wooldridge	Mickey	135.226	157.191	292.417
6	Renee Mims	Rooster Playboy Poco	131.128	152.295	283.423
7	Terri Glonek	Tuff Lil Texan	145.091	134.970	280.061
8	Diane McMurtrey	I'm Gonna Rip It Up	143.453	134.349	277.802
9	Lynne Langston	Annie	123.513	140.282	263.795
10	Allison Liaosa	Doc Holiday	122.219	134.692	256.911
Non Pro Divison Results					
1	Tyler Howe	Indiana Cowgirl	224.539	223.359	447.898
2	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	220.639	225.490	446.129
3	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	225.816	217.669	443.485
4	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Struck Gold	215.057	207.345	422.402
5	Laura Green Hart	ShesaOsaLenaCat	204.619	199.343	403.962
6	Gina Gatto	So Charming	196.621	171.058	367.679
7	Karen Huey	Buck	159.410	175.713	335.123
8	Meredyth Crews	Dixie	159.746	169.636	329.382
9	Kat Wiegand	WHR Tiny Dancer	157.506	171.783	329.289

Intermediate Divison Results			Round 1	Round 2	Total
1	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	193.492	200.000	393.492
2	Jen Casey	Leanne Peppy	192.519	196.074	388.593
3	Jen Casey	PR Driftin Doc	186.347	170.590	356.937
4	Danielle Sandvick	Titan	171.222	184.812	356.034
5	Tiffany Wooldridge	Mickey	177.385	178.320	355.705
6	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	181.107	174.298	355.405
7	Jamie Caldwell	Crimson Contender	185.220	169.634	354.854
8	Renee Mims	Rooster Playboy Poco	165.540	172.341	337.881
9	Stephanie Suarez	Bogey	163.033	168.020	331.053
10	Tim Haupt	Mercy Reigns	156.616	164.976	321.592
11	Jen Casey	Xena	151.267	114.792	266.059
12	Lisa Steinbach	Blue Shakerag	126.614	114.039	240.653
Ride Smart Divison Results					
1	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	235.638	246.816	482.454
2	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	234.010	220.655	454.665
3	Laura Green Hart	ShesaOsaLenaCat	228.071	216.298	444.369
4	Dennis Tipton	Trendys Classic Jac	203.540	191.444	394.984
5	Karen Huey	Buck	176.011	193.359	369.370
6	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	186.614	177.998	364.612
Pro Divison Results					
1	Jazzy Durgin	BulletProof	214.149	218.362	432.511
2	Hannah Howe	AR Bourbon N Branch	219.295	213.106	432.401
3	Jazzy Durgin	Blue Shakerag	188.129	196.260	384.389
Youth Division					
1	Gina Gatto	So Charming	195.150	200.152	395.302
2	Meredyth Crews	Dixie	184.025	180.569	364.594
3	Meredyth Crews	Clark	164.681	169.507	334.188
4	Dixie Cassavoy	Sally	150.089	128.591	278.680
Open Divison Results					
1	Tyler Howe	Indiana Cowgirl	233.753	223.340	457.093
2	Jazzy Durgin	BulletProof	227.836	204.835	432.671
3	Gina Gatto	So Charming	193.761	195.835	389.596
4	Kat Wiegand	WHR Tiny Dancer	167.094	182.699	349.793
5	Jazzy Durgin	Thirteen Diamonds	173.532	162.430	335.962
6	Tim Haupt	Mercy Reigns	146.082	150.653	296.735

## FLORIDA HORSE PARK OBSTACLE CHALLENGE – 3/1/26

Youth



Novice



Green Horse



Intermediate



Open-Elite

## FLORIDA HORSE PARK OBSTACLE CHALLENGE – 3/1/26

Place	Rider	Horse	Div	TOTAL	Total Time	Place	Rider	Horse	Div	TOTAL	Total Time
1	Alexa Jackson	Willow	GH	137.50	53.87	1	Jen Casey	PR Driftn Doc	I	138.00	29.7
2	Tim Haupt	Heavens Echo	GH	137.50	54.66	2	Elizabeth Yorke	Harry Potter	I	136.00	32.92
3	Jazzy Durgin	Only 2X The Money	GH	136.00	55.63	3	Stephanie Suarez	Bogey	I	134.50	41.1
4	Karen Gauthier	Kid	GH	132.50	69.11	4	Mo Earle	Whodat	I	131.00	53.82
5	Anna Gay	Hank	GH	125.50	71.53	5	Rebecca Hurm	Lovealottajack	I	121.50	48.31
6	Anne Hanley	Cvervo	GH	114.00	56.2	6	Julie Testa	Boone	I	119.50	53.33
7	Vickie Williams	Cisco	GH	109.00	58.81	7	Greg Eastwood	Blu	I	118.00	33.84
8	Allison Laiosa	Dragon	GH	94.00	77.5	8	Tim Haupt	Mercy Reigns	I	117.00	41.72
9	Madison Gulley	BayMax	GH	89.00	80.6	9	Helen Goszkowski	Mr. LR Bee Doc Bars	I	114.00	67.05
10	Jan Garvin	Shiney CO	GH	86.00	96.12	10	Madison Gulley	Rockette	I	111.50	32.01
11	Alyssa Redding	Jax	GH	66.00	70.93	11	Joni Nathanson	Blue	I	108.50	40.01
1	Jackson White	Sunny	Y	144.00	44.25	12	Jen Casey	Xena	I	107.50	80.84
2	Gina Gatto	So Charming	Y	138.00	57.9	13	Jen Casey	Leanne Peppy	I	105.50	69.8
3	Maddie Jones	Drifting Thru Poco	Y	137.00	69.1	14	Phyllis Kirby	Elliott Rancher	I	102.50	48.85
4	Mason Jones	I'm Gonna Rip It Up	Y	134.00	52.3	15	Nancy Biddinger	Rooster	I	90.00	109.06
5	Meredyth Crews	Dibs	Y	120.00	60.83	1	Cathy Rotola	Cas	O	145.00	25.16
6	Coraline Bracco	Bronson	Y	119.50	65.15	2	Margo Cook	Luna	O	141.00	29.36
7	Jade Rinna	Roxy	Y	115.50	75.68	3	Jazzy Durgin	Bullet Proof	O	138.00	26.22
8	Jordyn Blomer	Patches	Y	95.00	109.75	4	Chris Larson	Catman	O	138.00	40.86
9	June Trommsdorff	LEO's Pride	Y	93.00	77.8	5	Kat Wiegand	WHR Tiny Dancer	O	134.00	25.93
10	Sadie Reilly	Patch	Y	81.00	103.6	6	Lisa Cusimano	Sierra	O	130.50	26.56
1	Allison Laiosa	Doc Holiday	N	140.00	38.1	7	Alexa Jackson	BiBi	O	130.50	38.79
2	Laura Sirak	Chief	N	139.00	45.57	8	Carol Yapaolo	Smart Brow Cat	O	130.00	39.22
3	Caroline Knor	Indy	N	136.00	105.98	9	Connie Lloyd	Larks Grey Twist	O	118.50	31.87
4	Renee Mims	Rooster Playboy Poco (Aught)	N	134.50	58.8	10	Kelby Farnsworth	Sassy	O	117.00	58.25
5	Christian Keen	Creek	N	130.00	36.07	11	Terri Glonek	Tuff Lil Texan	O	108.50	42.03
6	Kimberly Whitmore	River	N	127.00	52.75	12	Karen Ketchum	Bindi	O	103.00	50.82
7	Lynne Langston	Annie	N	124.00	37.27						
8	Jennifer Linn	Azim	N	119.00	60.35						
9	James McLeod	Ranger	N	118.00	61.48						
10	Cherie Keith	King Wimpy Diamond	N	117.50	138.42						
11	Mary McLeod	Talk About Prince	N	116.00	71.38						
12	Daisy Jones	Hottie	N	114.00	50.74						
13	Marie Whitney	Lacey	N	104.50	77.1						
14	Frances Hamlett	Fate	N	99.50	94.28						
15	Sara Aldridge	Jac Sings The Blues	N	95.50	62.06						
16	Tiffany Williams	Phoenix	N	69.50	150						
17	Becky Haupt	Tucker	N	52.50	107						





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## 2026 HIGH POINT STANDINGS THROUGH 3/2/26

### SOCA RACE HIGH POINT - 2026

		Total	
<b>Young Guns Divison Results</b>			
1	June Trommsdorff	LEO's Pride	240.454
<b>Novice Divison Results</b>			
1	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	310.591
2	Cullen Green	Buster	309.201
3	Rebecca Hurm	Lovealottajack	297.265
4	Carol Yapolo	Smart Brow Cat	293.063
5	Tiffany Wooldridge	Mickey	292.417
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5	Meredyth Crews	Dibs	285.202
6	Tim Haupt	Heavens Echo	281.728
7	Jazzy Durgin	Two X Metallic Sage	273.968
8	Jenna Bishop	Raven	268.009
9	Tim Haupt	Tucker	265.858
10	Edward Brown	Boons Royal Gypsy	222.138
<b>Non Pro Divison Results</b>			
1	Tyler Howe	Indiana Cowgirl	447.898
2	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	446.129
3	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	443.485
4	Tracy Pinson	Tuff Struck Gold	422.402
5	Laura Green Hart	ShesaOsaLenaCat	403.962
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1	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	393.492
2	Jen Casey	Leanne Peppy	388.593
3	Jen Casey	PR Driftn Doc	356.937
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5	Tiffany Wooldridge	Mickey	355.705
6	Terri Glonek	One Tuff Cowgirl	355.405
7	Jamie Caldwell	Crimson Contender	354.854
8	Renee Mims	Rooster Playboy Poco	337.881
9	Stepahnie Suarez	Bogey	331.053
10	Tim Haupt	Mercy Reigns	321.592
<b>Youth Divison Results</b>			
1	Gina Gatto	So Charming	395.302
2	Meredyth Crews	Dixie	364.594
3	Meredyth Crews	Clark	334.188
4	Dixie Cassavoy	Sally	278.680
<b>Ride Smart Divison Results</b>			
1	Tracy Pinson	2X T-Buck	482.454
2	Vaudry Edge	Rojo Willy John 2	454.665
3	Laura Green Hart	ShesaOsaLenaCat	444.369
4	Dennis Tipton	Trendys Classic Jac	394.984
5	Karen Huey	Buck	369.370
6	Lisa Steinbach	Tuff Struck Gold	364.612
<b>Pro Divison Results</b>			
1	Jazzy Durgin	BulletProof	432.511
2	Hannah Howe	AR Bourbon N Branch	432.401
3	Jazzy Durgin	Blue Shakerag	384.389
<b>Open Divison Results</b>			
1	Tyler Howe	Indiana Cowgirl	457.093
2	Jazzy Durgin	BulletProof	432.671
3	Gina Gatto	So Charming	389.596
4	Kat Wiegand	WHR Tiny Dancer	349.793
5	Jazzy Durgin	Thirteen Diamonds	335.962
6	Tim Haupt	Mercy Reigns	296.735

### SOCA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE HIGH POINT - 2026

	Rider	Horse	Total
<b>Novice Division</b>			
1	Allison Liaosa	Doc Holiday	140.00
2	Laura Sirak	Chief	139.00
3	Caroline Knor	Indy	136.00
4	Renee Mims	Rooster Playboy Poco (Aught)	134.50
5	Christian Keen	Creek	130.00
6	Kimberly Whitmore	River	127.00
7	Lynne Langston	Annie	124.00
8	Jennifer Linn	Azim	119.00
9	James McLeod	Ranger	118.00
10	Cherie Keith	King Wimpy Diamond	117.50
<b>Youth Division</b>			
1	Jackson White	Sunny	144.00
2	Gina Gatto	So Charming	138.00
3	Maddie Jones	Drifting Thru Poco	137.00
4	Mason Jones	I'm Gonna Rip It Up	134.00
5	Meredyth Crews	Dibs	120.00
6	Coraline Bracco	Bronson	119.50
7	Jade Rinna	Roxy	115.50
8	Jordyn Blomer	Patches	95.00
9	June Trommsdorff	LEO's Pride	93.00
10	Sadie Reilly	Patch	81.00
<b>Intermediate Division</b>			
1	Jen Casey	PR Driftn Doc	138.00
2	Elizabeth Yorke	Harry Potter	136.00
3	Stephanie Suarez	Bogey	134.50
4	Mo Earle	Whodat	131.00
5	Rebecca Hurm	Lovealottajack	121.50
6	Julie Testa	Boone	119.50
7	Greg Eastwood	Blu	118.00
8	Tim Haupt	Mercy Reigns	117.00
9	Helen Goszkowski	Mr. LR Bee Doc Bars	114.00
10	Madison Gulley	Rockette	111.50
<b>Open Elite Division</b>			
1	Cathy Rotola	Cas	145.00
2	Margo Cook	Luna	141.00
3	Jazzy Durgin	Bullet Proof	138.00
4	Chris Larson	Catman	138.00
5	Kat Wiegand	WHR Tiny Dancer	134.00
6	Lisa Cusimano	Sierra	130.50
7	Alexa Jackson	BiBi	130.50
8	Carol Yapolo	Smart Brow Cat	130.00
9	Connie Lloyd	Larks Grey Twist	118.50
10	Kelby Farnsworth	Sassy	117.00

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## THIS DOESN'T HAVE TO BE YOUR BEST RIDING DAY

Showing up gently is  
still showing up

You can let go  
of performance  
today

Some rides are  
just for  
connection

Feeling tired,  
distracted, or  
anxious is  
human

It's okay if  
nothing  
"clicks"  
today

Some days are  
for curiosity,  
not goals

Your body  
and mind get  
a vote too

Riding isn't a  
measure of  
your worth

There's no  
shame in a  
slow ride



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## 2026 SPONSORS NEEDED!

SOCA is a **501c3 Non Profit Organization**, so donations are tax deductible. Small or large, **ALL** donations are appreciated!!! Sponsorships help us provide better events for you, including prizes, donations to charities and buckles for high point awards. **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 [southernobstaclechallenges@gmail.com](mailto:southernobstaclechallenges@gmail.com)**

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