### Extreme Cowboy Association Brave Horse



#### **December 2023**

#### **Welcome to the Extreme Cowboy Association**

This is the latest issue of your monthly newsletter, *The Brave Horse*.

You will receive it each month electronically around the middle of the month. The Brave Horse will be full of interesting stories, EXCA event results, point standings, human interest stories about EXCA members and Tips and Tales from our founder, Craig Cameron. We encourage you to communicate your suggestions for stories and ideas that will make The Brave Horse fun, better and more informative. The Brave Horse: the best newsletter in the equine world.

Please forward your ideas and suggestions to Tracy Pinson at <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/j.com/">TLPinson@aol.com</a>

## MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO OUR EXCA FRIENDS AND FAMILY!



#### **2024 EXCA News and Reminders**

We are thrilled to announce the start of a new Extreme Cowboy Association competition year. 2024 promises to be an amazing year with the

introduction of the Open Division, which will offer another opportunity for competitors. The Pro Division will be exclusively for professionals this year.

Also, we kindly remind all EXCA Clubs to renew their affiliation as soon as possible, since the 2024 competition year begins right after the World Championship concludes.

Here is the link to renew your affiliation.

https://www.extremecowboyraces.com/product5.html

#### Major Rule Changes for 2024

- Youth Minimum age of 12- maximum age of 17 Eligible Youth may ride up to Non-Pro and Open with parental approval
- Novice 18 years & Over. Novice riders are allowed to ride "up" into higher Divisions of competition except the Pro Division. Novice riders may ride in the Open Division.
- Intermediate 18 years & Over. Intermediate riders are allowed to ride "up" into higher Divisions of competition except the Pro Division. Intermediate riders may ride in the Open Division.
- Non- Pro 12 years & Over. Non-Pro riders are allowed to ride in the Open Division. Non-Pro riders may not ride in the Pro Division.
- Pro Pro riders may ride in the Open Division.
- Ride Smart 55 years & Over. Ride Smart riders may ride in the Open Division. Ride Smart riders may not ride in the Pro Division.
- Open Division 12 Years & Over. The Open division is created for Youth, Novice, Intermediate, Non-Pro, Ride Smart and Pro riders. The Open Division shall always be last to compete in an EXCA event.

We appreciate your support.

#### **Attention EXCA Clubs!**

Don't forget to renew your EXCA club affiliation for the 2024 competition year:

https://www.extremecowboyraces.com/product5.html



# EXCA Clubs: Please submit news from your region!

We are asking that all clubs submit results, pictures and any news from your region so we can share with the EXCA membership. Please send them to Tracy Pinson at TLPinson@aol.com.



#### **EXCA Dues**

Make sure your dues are paid so that all points earned at the races count toward qualifying for the World Finals! Please check your membership card for the expiration date.

### 2024 National Point Standing Through 12-15-23

Hili Bogod on Rooster Like A Diamond - 612.585

Stav Hertz on Phantom Chex Straight - 596.655

Nina Israel on Pepsi Hahoresh - 582.795

Rona Latz on Jonny - 524.67

Rania House on Starlight Boon Smart - 484.98

Ashir Kol on Rooster Like a Diamond - 353.355

Michael McGhee on Senors Dynasty - 348.121

Walid Hleihel on MS Jimmy Chulas - 338.4

Ashir Kol on Starlight Boon Smart - 335.565

Itai Shavit on Golani - 332.04

#### 2024 EXCA Calendar Of Events

11/11/2023 – MIA Bootleggers Round 3 Battle of the Borders, Albury Equestrian Center, Albury, NSW

11/18/2023 - Tasmanian Extreme Cowboy Association Spring Classic, Longford, Longford, TAS

11/19/2023 - Downunder Extreme Cowboys DEC Jackpot, Mt. Rown Equestrian Centre, Ballarat, VI 11/26/2023 - High Country EXCA, Gold Diggers EXCA Race, GC Natural Horsemanship, Meredith, VI 12/3/2023 - Southern Cross Xtreme Cowboy Racing Summer Show, Maryborough Showgrounds, Maryborough, QLD 12/102023 - High Country EXCA, High Country Xmas Bash, Yarck Rec Reserve, Yarck, VI 12/10-12/2023 - Israel Equestrian Federation 2023 League of Champions Regional Championship, Double K Ranch, Sharona, ISR 1/7/2024 - Southern Cross Xtreme Cowboy Racing New Year's, Maryborough Showgrounds, Maryborough, QLD 1/14/2024 - Downunder Extreme Cowboys DEC January Jackpot, Mt. Rown Equestrian Centre, Ballarat, VI 2/17/2024 - KenInTen Extreme Racing Texas State Championship, Legends Equestrian Center, Kaufman, TX 2/24/2024 - EXCA of Western Europe Winterchallenge Flanders Horse Expo, Gent, Oost-Vlaanderen, BE 3/2/2024 - SOCA Florida State Championships, Florida Horse Park, Ocala, FL 3/9/2024 - Southern Cross Xtreme Cowboy Racing Queensland State Championship, Maryborough Showgrounds, Maryborough, QLD 3/24/2024 - EXCA of Western Europe Winterchallenge - PCK Eersel, Eersel, NT 3/30-31/2024 - KenInTen Extreme Racing Kentucky State Championship, Ricky Carey Farm, Cave City, KY 4/7/2024 - Kansas Horse Mafia Buckle Series, R Bar B/Rafter 4B, Topeka, KS 4/27-28/2024 - KenInTen Extreme Racing April Race, Ricky Carey Farm, Cave City, KY 5/4/2024 - SOCA Alabama State Championships, The Canyon Lodge, Hodges, AL 5/5/2024 - Kansas Horse Mafia Buckle Series, R Bar B/Rafter 4 B, Topeka, KS 5/18-19/2024 - EXCA of Western Europe Summerchallenge, Horsemans Place, Ratingen, DEU 5/25-26/2024 - EXCA of Western Europe Summerchallenge, B & B Quarterhouse Damme, West-Vlaanderen, BE 5/25-26/2024 - KenInTen May Race, Ricky Carey Farm, Cave City, KY 6/1 -2/2024 - EXCA National Championships Hosted By SOCA, Champions Arena at the Celebration Grounds, Shelbyville, TN

6/13-14/2024 - EXCA of Western Europe Summerchallenge, Sunset Valley, Westerlo, Antwerpen, BE

6/15-16/2024 – EXCA of Western Europe Summerchallenge, PCK Eersel, Eersel, NT

6/29-30/2024 - KenInTen Extreme Racing June Race, Ricky Carey Farm, Cave City, KY

7/27-28/2024 – KenInTen Extreme Racing Southern Regional Championship, Legends Equestrian Center, Kaufman, TX

8/10-11/2024 - KenInTen Extreme Racing August Race, Ricky Carey Farm, Cave City, KY

8/17-18/2024 - EXCA of Western Europe Summerchallenge, The Stardust Ranch, Aarschot Vlaams-Brabant, BE

9/7-8/2024 - EXCA of Western Europe Cowboy Classic Jackpot Race EC Ranch, EC Ranch, Vlimmeren Antwerpen, BE

9/7-8/2024 - KenInTen Extreme Racing South Central Regional Championship, Ricky Carey Farm, Cave City, KY

9/14/2024 - SOCA Southeastern Regional Championships, Chicopee Agricultural Center, Gainesville, GA

9/28/2024 - Kansas Horse Mafia Buckle Series, R Bar B/Rafter 4B, Topeka, KS

9/29/2024 - Kansas Horse Mafia Kansas State Championship, R Bar B/Rafter 4B, Topeka, KS

10/5-6/2024 - KenInTen Extreme Racing October Race, Ricky Carey Farm, Cave City, KY

10/30-11/3/2024 – EXCA World Championship, Somervell Expo Center, Glen Rose, TX

#### **NOTICE ABOUT EVENT RESULTS**

The below results are taken from the EXCA points on the website. Only members with CURRENT PAID DUES will be listed. If something is incorrectly listed, please make sure that the member is listed on the "Current Member" page on the EXCA website. If you would like to submit pictures or other information to be included with your clubs results, please send to TLPinson@aol.com. Thanks!

11/18/2023 - Tasmanian Extreme Cowboy Association Spring Classic, Longford, Longford, TAS Non Pro Champion - Gaylene Padman on Kelsey

Non Pro Reserve Champion - Amanda Padman on Freddy

Youth Champion - Gaylene Padman on Kelsey

Youth Reserve Champion - Gaylene Padman on Freddy

# 11/19/2023 - Downunder Extreme Cowboys DEC Jackpot, Mt. Rown Equestrian Centre, Ballarat, VI

Pro Champion - Shane Woodall on Gunslider

Pro Reserve Champion 
Open Champion - Fiona Milverton on Smokin Blue Cat

Open Reserve Champion - Jorja Milverton on Alias Premium Blonde

Non Pro Champion - Fiona Milverton on Smokin Blue Cat

Non Pro Reserve Champion - Jason Smyth on Silverthor Musical Sally

Intermediate Champion - Jason Smyth on Silverthorn Musical Sally

Intermediate Reserve Champion - Diane Solomon on RL Special Magic

Ride Smart Champion - Diane Solomon on RL Special Magic

Ride Smart Reserve Champion - Suzanne Halden on Peggy

Novice Champion - Anne Smyth on Alias Premium Blonde

Youth Champion - Brianna Jones on Gunslider

#### 12/3/2023 - Southern Cross Xtreme Cowboy Racing Summer Show, Maryborough Showgrounds, Maryborough, QLD

Pro Champion – James Scott on Lady in Red

Open Champion – Michael McGhee on Senors Dynasty

Open Reserve Champion – Paul Sharp on Qmatch Cook Jake

Non Pro Champion – Paul Sharp on Shoulda Coulda Woulda

Non Pro Reserve Champion – Michael McGhee on Senors Dynasty

Intermediate Champion – Michael McGhee on Senors Dynasty

Intermediate Reserve Champion – Paul Shart on Shoulda Coulda Woulda

Ride Smart Champion – Deborah McGhee on Spoonfulla Peaches N Cream

Ride Smart Reserve Champion – Tracee Sharp on Qmatch Cool Jake

Novice Champion - Shirlene Yunus on Proud Lawson

Novice Reserve Champion - Tracee Sharp on Qmatch Cool Jake

Youth Champion - Phoebe Whitaker on Billy Brown

Youth Reserve Champion - Amy Gordon on Sundance

#### 12/10-12/2023 - Israel Equestrian Federation 2023 League of Champions Regional Championship, Double K Ranch, Sharona, ISR

Pro Champion - Ashir Kol on Rooster Like A Diamond
Pro Reserve Champion - Walid Hleihel on MS Jimmy Chulas
Non Pro Champion - Zohar Diamond on Skipexolution
Non Pro Reserve Champion - Hili Bogod on Rooster Like A Diamond
Intermediate Champion - Stav Hertz on Phantom Chex Straight
Intermediate Reserve Champion - Tamar Yanay on Honey
Ride Smart Champion - Herve Deknuydt on Smoking Gun Kozina
Ride Smart Reserve Champion - Ofer Zohar on Buda Zen Wait Nose
Novice Champion - Rona Latz on Jonny
Novice Reserve Champion - Rania Housen on Starlight Boon Smart
Youth Champion - Lanna Gobbo on Starlight Boon Smart
Youth Reserve Champion - Hili Bogod on Rooster Like A Diamond
Young Guns Champion - Shaked Zukerman on San Bonito























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