

October Hoofprints

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Howdy Yall! We have a busy fall ahead and I want to make sure everyone knows about everything! Our last show of the year is this weekend! I appreciate everyone's participation and all the new faces this year. I have loved seeing all the new walk and whoa kids!

As a reminder, you must be a member to qualify for daily high points as well as end of the year prizes. While our rules state that you must be a member before

your can start earning points, the board agreed that we have so many new people who do not understand or know about our rules (can be found on our website), that we will allow exhibitors to become a member now and all of their 2021 points will

count. Please know that we give many year-end award! A top 5 in each age group of each discipline! Buckles for champion in all halter, ranch, English and western! Top 5 in Walk & Whoa! Plus, all youth exhibitors who have participated in at least four shows or activities (trail rides, meetings, clinics, etc) will earn a youth participation award. Each exhibitor is required to volunteer six hours and there are many volunteer opportunities still to come.

Below please find a sign-up genius for both this weekend's show and the youth show.

See you at the October shows!

Keep your heels down,
Julie

Fall Show Date Info



Lone Star Cowboy Church, Red Oak, TX

October 9 – DOUBLE JUDGED –
Reggie Barnett and Heather Young

[online entry](#)

[Volunteer Sign Up](#)

Youth FUNdraiser Show

On October 30, join the ECEA youth for a day of horse showing and speed events at the Flying Dollar Ranch, 230 Chambers Drive, Italy, TX.

Prizes given throughout the day. Halter, Western, English, over fences, speed, lead line. Proceeds go towards the youth sportsmanship buckle, year-end participation awards and year-end field trip.

It's HALLOWEEN so be prepared for a costume contest with your horse! This show is always a youth favorite! Official showbill TBA. Youth will be seeking donations for the prize table. ECEA's former youth and current exhibitor Fallon Owen is judging for her volunteer



hours.

Show flyer, donation letter and showbill can be found on website under Youth shows [here](#).

YOUTH Trail Ride and Camping Trip

YOUTH FAMILIES - Save the date for our year-end youth camping trip and trail ride! November 12 - 14 at Reynolds Creek Equestrian sites at Lake Waco. We have 10 RV sites with hookups at 20 stalls reserved for this trip. It's a great time! This is paid for by money the youth earn at the FUNdraiser show on Oct. 30. Dinner Friday night, and Saturday night, as well as breakfast Saturday and Sunday morning is paid for by the club. Ricky is the head cook at his RV, but he doesn't mind help. We usually ride at at 10 am Saturday and Sunday morning, and might do a quick ride Saturday evening. This trail ride is specifically for YOUTH members and their families. Please RSVP to Julie at 469-337-9413 (text so I have it in writing). I need to know if you are needing hook-ups, how many people in your party, and how many horse stalls you need. Jennifer Damours is the trail ride chairman and can also answer questions.

2022 Show Dates



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR 2022 DATES!!

We have loved showing at the Lone Star Cowboy Church in Red Oak, and we are pleased to say that we have secured dates for 2022 and will be back! The secret didn't stay quiet for long and the arena is booking up quickly. We do not have any wiggle room on these dates. I pray they don't conflict as we tried to look up conflicts, but we had to also take the dates we could get.

April 2, May 7, September 24, October 22

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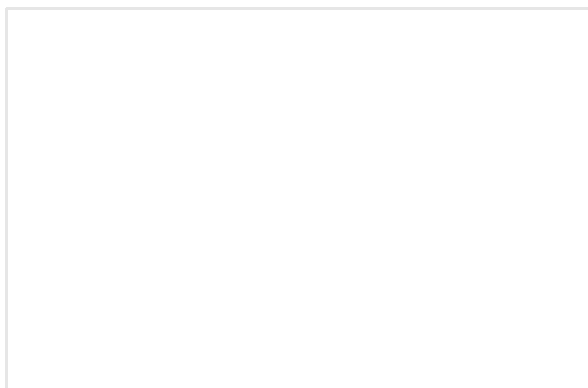


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Thank you to Flying Dollar Ranch, Joe Howard Electric and the Sipes Family, the Tucker Family and the Jenner Family for their Buckle sponsorships!

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