

APRIL 2011

SHERYL LYNDE & RICK HOFFMAN FOUNDATION TO FINISH TRAINING

Hello Everyone

APRIL NEWS

Triple Crown Buckle Series Clinic and Novice Only Race #2 was held at Cameron Ranch in Rosamond, California.

The clinic was the day before the Race and Bill and Rick helped each participant work on their individual challenges, building their confidence and control. Kari Smith received the most improved rider prize the day of the clinic. Kari was experiencing speed control issues – Cheyenne wanted to run off but by the end of the clinic she was loping at a nice relaxed speed on a loose rein – way to go.

The day of the race each rider had 3 go's and as the day went on – with each go the riders improved tremendously. Times were faster - scores increased.

I'm really proud of each rider and how far they have come on their horses – it's great to see. I think everyone was a winner that day. Kari had a tough 1st go – but she pulled it together and had incredible 2nd and 3rd go's. That to me is a winner – to overcome your individual challenge – identify it, improve it and move forward.

It's not so much about the obstacles, the race or the buckle it's about the partnership between the horse and rider and riding where your horse is – meaning not pushing your horse beyond where you can bring him back under control and these riders get that. Their focus is control – control of emotions and speed giving the horse more confidence to do what is asked of them.

With each race the riders have grown in their horsemanship abilities and that is so rewarding to watch.



Laura Roberts from Bishop, California finished first on her Mustang



Robin Moxley also from Bishop, California finished 2nd on her Quarter Horse Mare



Devon Camilleri from Bonsall, California finished 3rd on her Quarter Horse Gelding

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Looking forward to the 3rd and final Clinic and Race of the Triple Crown Series at our ranch in Anza where the Series Champion Buckle will be awarded, June 25th and 26th.

Improving your horsemanship skills takes desire, commitment and a passion to always strive to be better. I know the dedication and work it takes and that is why I'm thankful to our sponsors who reward the efforts of these riders who come out and give these events their best.

Thank you to Triple Crown, Uckele, Horse Sense, Ice Horse and Farnum.



Rick & Cash
2011 Futurity Prospect
Full brother to Gypsy Chic, winner of the EXCA
2010 World Champion Futurity

Upcoming Events

Best of America on Horseback will be filming a segment for RFD-TV at Reed Valley Ranch

April 29th – May 1st

Rick and I will be there giving a Demo and helping out the Managers, Don and Janet Moore.

Best of Trail
Soft Horse equals Safe Horse

1-Day clinic

9 am - 4 pm at Reed Valley Ranch
\$125.00

May 2nd

Beginning Cow Workshop
1-Day Clinic

9 am - 4 pm at Reed Valley Ranch

May 30th

Learn the maneuvers it takes to work cows
Learn how to use your legs and seat more effectively and a more responsive horse
(2 spots left)

Triple Crown Series
Clinic and Race #3

June 25th (Clinic)
June 26th (Race)

5-Day Ultimate Camp Clinic at
Historic Reed Valley Ranch

June 6th – 10th
June 13th – 17th

This is 5 days of instruction while staying at Reed Valley Ranch, an 835 Acre working cattle ranch in Hemet, Calif. Instruction includes Round Pen Training, Arena Work, Obstacle Maneuvers, Trail Instruction and gathering and working cattle.

Check Website

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event or call 760-285-0160