

Newsletter – August 2016



What an Awesome Finals! We can't say "thank you" enough to our members, producers, sponsors and staff for all of your involvement and contributions. With all the options and choices out there of places to go rope, we are so very grateful to those of you who choose to support Original Team Roping. We dedicated Finals this year to OTRA founder Digger Howard. He would certainly have enjoyed all the fun and fellowship – kids running around everywhere - men and women from old to young playing and roping and having a good time -- golf tournament & washer pitch (thanks Kent Lynch!!) – and just everyone being together and making new memories!

Our grand prize truck race was absolutely the closest it has ever been....we had a tie on points and had to go to our first tiebreaker which was total Finals money won. After triple-checking all the results, Criquett Lehman from Vernon, TX came out on top -- our first lady roper in OTRA history to win the prize truck! We commend all of you on a battle well fought.....get ready for next year and give it another shot!!

Trophy trailers (along with Bob Berg belt buckles) were won by the following first place winners: Criquett Lehman & Caleb Bursey (#1.0), Devon Thrash & Evan Hays (#1.5), Kade Cotton & Gage Davis (#2.0).

Cactus Saddle Winners were:

Luke Hisel (#1.0), Gary Jacobs (#1.5), Cory Miller (#2.0), Criquett Lehman (Mixed Jr Sr), Catherine Hisel & Trevor Peterson (#2.5), Tel Trammell (#3.5), and Denton Parish (Dummy Roping).

Glen Springer and Tom Monroe were our Century Winners receiving Buckles and Cactus Saddle Pads. Our Beginner ropers winning their graduate buckles included Tyler Rogers, Kye Burris, Bryce Case, Hunter Corbell, Reggie Herring, Zack Keasler, Cort McFadden and Cali McQueen!

John Hisel was our high money youth – he won the Full Size "Drifter" Roping Dummy sponsored by Heel-O-Matic.

We had a great Open roping this year! Father and son team Tyler and Truman Magnus won the Open Jackpot. Tee Woolman and Ty Arnold were the Open 1 Header winners. And our #4.5 winners were Matt Neff and Sloan Hendley!

Full Results are listed on our website, our Facebook page and in Dally Times!

All Our Best to All of You!
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