

# SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY RANGERS NEWSLETTER



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well, here we are coming to the end of another great year with a great club. The barrel program has made some changes this year that have been positive for the program. The gymkhana program brought out a lot of new faces and some from the past. The drill program stayed steady and true all year. The Junior program is getting back into the swing of things, as we know they will be our future leadership. All in all, it has been a busy and rewarding year. I for one am looking forward to the future of this club.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

To promote all horsemanship, to sponsor horse shows, rodeos, race meets, and/or a combination of these entertainments. To promote club organized events.  
To participate in activities pertaining to the welfare of the community.

## NEXT CLUB MEETING: NOVEMBER 3 AT 7:30PM

### NOVEMBER 2023

Nov 12—Calendar of Events Meeting  
Nov 16—Ag Venture—Manteca

### DECEMBER 2023

Dec 2—Paint & Poker  
Dec 9—Manteca Parade  
Dec 9—Lathrop Parade  
Dec 10—Christmas Caroling  
Dec 16—Christmas Social



# 4D BARRELS

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## Happy Birthday



Donna Cohn 11-2

Paige Conrad 11-9

Rochelle Kunselman 11-13

Kelly Rocha 11-15

Klarissa Stramel 11-15

Trina Homer 11-22

Connor Boling 11-28

Alaina Rond 11-2

Clay Kruse 11-13

Craig McGurn 11-14

Eric Montiel 11-15

Lisa Butler 11-17

Bob Engle 11-23

Bristol Lockwood 11-30

Thank you to everyone who came and supported our 2023 barrel racing season. Our October 21st race was our final of the season but we are planning to start the 2024 season in March with a 6 race buckle series. Keep posted for additional details. For our final race on October 21st we had \$1,000 added to the open, \$1,500 added to a members old side pot, and \$250 added to youth and novice.

### Open

- 1D Top 3
- 17.804 Faby Arias on LF Raise Your Fame
- 17.858 Rachel Myllymaki on Judge
- 17.862 Mary Jo Camera on Fairlea Lucky Gun
- 2D Top 3
- 18.431 Rachel Illia on a Dash of Mustard
- 18.467 Jenica Parson on Stix
- 18.485 Gaby Arias on LF Fame
- 3D Top 3
- 18.855 Tracy Griffin on Docs Dash of Perry
- 18.892 Jennifer Gilliam on Pickles
- 19.061 Christina Rohrbah on Master Cowboy
- 4D Top 3
- 19.892 Taryn Bruner on Buzzy
- 20.051 Rosie Hollman on Smooth Sailing
- 20.150 Kate Pence on Shootin Fire N Fame

### Members Only Side Pot

- 1D - 17.862 Mary Jo Camera on Fairlea Lucky Gun
- 2D - 18.431 Rachel Illia on a Dash of Mustard
- 3D - 18.892 Jennifer Gilliam on Pickles
- 4D - 20.150 Kate Pence on Shootin Fire N Fame

### Novice

- 1D – 19.607 Josie Giliam on Feline
- 2D – 20.211 Charley Hopkins on Chicks Niccers
- 3D – 21.014 Courtney Sturgill on Jackson
- 4D – 21.961 Emma Reis on Glory

### Youth

- 1D – 18.180 Gianna Carroll on Honky Tonk
- 3D – 19.239 Georgia Carter Castro on Bruno
- 4D – 20.852 Samantha Munoz on Chip



# DRILL TEAM

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Logistics Engineering, Inc specializes in designing and engineering new office spaces, production facilities, commercial warehousing and distribution centers. Their project management services include space planning, interior building design, demo, construction, procurement and equipment installation.

In October, the team competed at the famous Cow Palace. The team was the first team scheduled for the morning and performed their long drill. The team wore their teal uniforms to support the rodeos “Teal Foundation”. Next the team performed their themed drill and choose the animated movie “Rio” as their theme. Their performance showcased 7 tropical birds attempting to escape capture from the mean bird catcher.

The competition also had a special event called “who did it better”. Two drill masters and 24 drill riders from all teams were drawn at random to make up two teams. Each team got the same 3 required maneuvers, wrote their drills, walked it a few times, then performed it. Six of Spurs N’ Lace were selected to participate in this competition.

On team 1, Marsha McDonald, Tori Beeck, Alexis Barboza, and Amber Cunningham competed against team 2 with Joel McDonald and Hailey Petersen.

Both teams did a fantastic job but team one was victorious.

During awards the team placed 4th out of 6 teams and was just a few points shy of riding in the rodeo.

After the drill competition the team enjoyed watching the breakaway ropers, barrel racers, and a trick rider. Spurs N’ Lace own, Hailey Petersen was even called to the arena to participate in an intermission event. After the rodeo, Amber Cunningham, Christina Cunningham, Alexis Barboza, Kenzie Perdue, Hailey Petersen, Tori Beeck, and their horses participated in the rodeos meet and greet.

This was the teams final competition of 2023 but still plan to practice throughout the winter as they prepare for the 2024 season.

**Interested in joining SJVR Spurs N’ Lace drill team?  
Come join us at a practice to see what it is all about.**

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# GYMKHANA

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Gymkhana results will be announced before the December 16th Christmas Social at 4pm and awards will be presented at this time.

We appreciate all who participated and helped with our 2023 gymkhana season and we can't wait to see everyone in 2024.

## FASTEST RIDES OF THE GYMKHANA SEASON (Qualified Riders Only)

### BARRELS

19.717—Hailey Molleson & Chip  
20.909—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
21.112—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
21.216—Logan House & Maddison  
21.298—Hailey Molleson & Chip

### BIG T

17.746—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
17.764—Chance Perdue & Epona  
17.854—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
18.079—Logan House & Maddison  
18.692—Alexis Barboza & Windy

### BIRANGLE

15.715—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
16.475—Logan House & Maddison  
16.837—Kenzie Perdue & Spirit  
16.902—Logan House & Maddison  
16.922—Hailey Molleson & Chip

### FIGURE 8 STAKE

12.665—Chance Perdue & Epona  
12.785—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
13.030—Hailey Molleson & Chip  
13.037—Kenzie Perdue & Spirit  
13.065—Hailey Molleson & Chip

### HURRY SKURRY

11.480 —Hailey Petersen & Roo  
12.217—Kenzie Perdue & Spirit  
13.925—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
14.176—Kenzie Perdue & Spirit  
15.120—Logan House & Maddison

### KEYHOLE

9.262—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
9.390—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
10.261—Chance Perdue & Epona  
11.093—Chance Perdue & Epona  
11.835—Alexis Barboza & Windy

### POLES 1

12.264—Chance Perdue & Epona  
13.191—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
13.738—Chance Perdue & Epona  
13.771—Chance Perdue & Epona  
13.951—Logan House & Maddison

### POLES 2

25.596—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
27.993—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
28.886—Chance Perdue & Epona  
29.026—Samantha Munoz & Tilly  
29.120—Hailey Petersen & Roo

### QUADRANGLE

22.007—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
23.003—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
24.003—Alexis Barboza & Windy  
24.036—Chance Perdue & Epona  
24.182—Hailey Molleson & Chip

### SINGLE STAKE

10.400—Samantha Munoz & Tilly  
10.463—Samantha Munoz & Tilly  
10.475—Logan House & Maddison  
10.829—Kenzie Perdue & Spirit  
10.876—Hailey Molleson & Chip

### SKILL BARRELS

18.517 — Kenzie Perdue & Spirit  
19.092—Chance Perdue & Epona  
19.355 —Hailey Petersen & Roo  
19.600 —Hailey Petersen & Roo  
19.980—Hailey Petersen & Roo

### SPEED BALL

8.612—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
9.300—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
9.464—Tori Beeck & Maui  
9.751—Hailey Petersen & Roo  
10.051—Tori Beeck & Cooper

### SPEED BARRELS

11.505—Samantha Munoz & Tilly  
11.564—Hailey Molleson & Chip  
11.651—Chance Perdue & Epona  
11.789—Alexis Barboza & Windy  
11.844—Chance Perdue & Epona



# JUNIORS

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The Juniors had a great turn out at their first Juniors board meeting in October. There are several SJVR Junior members who are excited to take a more active role in the club and learn what it takes to run the club.

On October 28th, the Junior's hosted their annual Halloween Play Day and Costume Contest. The costumes did not disappoint and everyone had a wonderful time as always.

## Adopt A Family

The juniors are very passionate about giving back to their community, especially during the holiday season. For Thanksgiving, the club has adopted a family and are looking for volunteers to help provide prepared dishes the night before Thanksgiving. If you are able to help, please contact Trina at 510-910-6712.

Additionally, the juniors will continue their tradition of adopting a family for Christmas. This is a holiday program designed to assist families who otherwise would not have the resources to celebrate the holidays.

## Christmas Social

The clubs annual Christmas Social will take place on December 16. This is the clubs last get together of the year. This event includes dinner, ugly sweater contest, secret Santa, white elephant ornament exchanges, and gymkhana awards. If you wish to participate in the Juniors Secret Santa, please contact Trina. For more information, contact any member of the SJVR Board of Directors.

## Christmas Parades

December 9, 2023

Lathrop Parade—Meeting at 8:30am—Parade starts at 11am  
Staging location is TBD Parade Route: J St to 5th St to Thomsen Rd to Cambridge Dr

Manteca Parade—Leaving Lathrop and going straight to Manteca for a BBQ lunch or you can meet at 3pm—Parade starts at 5pm  
Staging at Baccileri Park 154 Stockton St Manteca  
Parade Route: Downtown Manteca Yosemite Ave



# SJCHA

## 2023 - 2024 Royalty

### Sr. Queen

Kadence Gruno

### Jr. Queen

Hailey Petersen

### Miss Teen

Kaydence Bradford

### Little Miss Queen

Mackenzie Stewart

## UPCOMING EVENTS

November 18—Stanislaus County Mounted Patrol

Dinner at the Stanislaus County Fairgrounds

December 9— SJCHA Royalty will be riding in the

Lathrop & Manteca Christmas Parades

2024—SJCHA will elect new officers

February 10, 2024—SJCHA Crab Feed

Spring 2024—SJCHA Queen Contest

## The SJCHA Royalty Update

### Miss SJCHA Queen—Kadence Gruno

Kadence had a very busy summer as Miss SJCHA. She attended several rodeos as visiting royalty including the Folsom Rodeo. When Kadence was 5 or 6 years old she would tell her mom that she would ride in that arena one day and this summer that dream came true. When Kadence isn't representing SJCHA she works at CA Horse & Pony and is on Delta's Womens Water Polo team.

### Miss SJCHA Jr Queen—Hailey Petersen

Over the summer Hailey competed in the SJVR's gymkhana award series and placed as the Division 3 Champion. Hailey is also a member to the SJVR's drill team Spurs N' Lace which competed at several events over the summer. Most recently she competed at Cow Palace and represent the SJCHA royalty during the rodeo along side Miss Grand National Rodeo and Miss Folsom Pro Rodeo. Hailey's horse Roo was very excited to meet the fellow royalty and can be seen smiling in the photo above. As the summer events wind down, Hailey looks forward to spending more time with her filly Xena and trail riding.

### SJCHA Teen Miss—Kaydence Bradford

In October, Kaydence attended the Stockton Police Departments Fundraiser with some of the SJCHA Board of Directors. Kaydence also participated in 4-H and in Diamond Ranch Field Days. She loves helping at Get Twister and baking with the owner. Kaydence also occasionally helps at her church with events and smaller children.

### SJCHA Little Miss—Mackenzie Stewart

This summer Mackenzie has enjoyed spending some her time traveling out of town to different Barrel races where her and her horse Sage have grown to become such a great team, she advanced from a pewee rider to now entering races in the Youth division. Mackenzie has also worked all summer to earn money to pay her entry fees all on her own, this is something she is very proud of. Mackenzie was able to attend Livermore rodeo and representing SJCHA as this years Little Miss and had the most amazing time spending the evening with other queens from all around the state. She looks forward to the many more adventures as 2023/2024 SJCHA Little Miss.



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