

# SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY RANGERS NEWSLETTER



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As we move into the final months of the 2025, I want to take a moment to thank everyone for their dedication, energy, and passion to SJVR. This year has been full of exciting events, fun competitions, and incredible moments of teamwork and sportsmanship.

I am especially grateful to all of our volunteers who make everything possible. Looking ahead, we have some exciting events planned to close out the year, including our upcoming parades and holiday activities. I encourage everyone to get involved, support each other, and celebrate the accomplishments of our riders.

Thank you for being part of the SJVR community. Your commitment and enthusiasm are what make this organization thrive.

Let's finish the season strong and make it one to remember!

## 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 7 AT 7:30PM

### NOVEMBER 2025

November 1—7D Barrel Race  
November 2—Drill Open Practice  
November 8—Trail Ride  
November 9—Calendar of Events  
November 16—Mounted Shooting

### DECEMBER 2025

December 5—Club Meeting  
December 6—Manteca Christmas Parade  
December 14—Christmas Caroling  
December 20—Christmas Social  
December 20—Gymkhana Awards



# 4D BARRELS

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SJVR 4D Barrels

7D Kick Off Race  
November 1  
T/O 9-11:00am  
Race at 11:30am  
Open 7D \$40 EF

Open on Saddlebook now

## 17 SECOND RUNS OF 2025

17.621 Kassi McClure on Rowdyanruff  
17.663 Kelsey Steiger on Leader by a Whisker  
17.758 Brylee Dominguez—Everybody Loves George  
17.787—Gaby Andrade on LF Fame  
17.790 Gaby Andrade—FL Fame  
17.849 Kelsey Steiger on Ct a roaring buhbye  
17.951 Kelsey Steiger on Luvers Lane  
17.976—Tracy Hart on Jackson Junior  
17.991—Gaby Andrade on LF Fame  
17.996—Faby Arias on LF Raise Your Fame



### *Happy Birthday*



Oce Doyle  
Brandon Gaines  
Trina Homer  
Whitney Monroe  
Alaina Rond  
Amy VanDykhuisen

Bob Engle  
Tina Garcia  
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Jayla Monroe  
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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Open Practice—November 2nd from 2-4pm

Kick Off Meeting—January 18th, 2026 at 2pm

Additional open practices are pending weather

The Spurs N' Lace Poker Ride at Lake Camanche was a fun and relaxed day of riding, laughter, and good company. Riders followed a scenic trail around the lake, stopping along the way to draw cards and enjoy the views. The weather was perfect, and the atmosphere stayed lighthearted, with plenty of friendly competition over who would end up with the best hand. After the ride, everyone gathered back at camp for lunch, payouts, and a lot of stories from the trail. It was a great turnout and a perfect way to spend a fall day with friends and horses.

Congratulations to our winners  
Sofia, Savannah, Hayden, and Lauren







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Gymkhana awards will be  
announced and awarded at the  
Christmas social on December 20th

## **VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION**

A huge thank-you to everyone who helped make the  
SJVR's 2025 Gymkhana season a success!

Ben and Jodi, we appreciate all the work you put into  
organizing the event and announcing throughout the day—everything has run  
so smoothly because of your effort and dedication.

Zack and Justin, thank you for judging and keeping the events moving along.

Jeanne, the food was fantastic as always, and we're so grateful for the time  
you spent in the kitchen making sure everyone was well-fed.

David, thank you for working the arena and keeping things running safely and  
efficiently.

And to all the volunteers who helped with the gate, set up courses, timed  
events, and handled all the behind-the-scenes details, we couldn't have done it  
without you. Your teamwork and positive energy made it an awesome kickoff to  
the season!





# JUNIORS

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We are looking for Juniors  
to help work the  
November 1st Barrel Race  
as barrel setters.

The SJVR Halloween Play Day was the perfect mix of fun, costumes, and friendly competition. Riders and horses came dressed in creative Halloween outfits, adding a festive touch to the arena. The day was filled with laughter as everyone took part in games like match races, rescue race and a few just-for-fun events that kept the Halloween spirit alive. The costume contest was a highlight, with so many clever and spooky entries that it was hard to pick a winner. Between the great weather, good food, and plenty of smiles, it was a fantastic way to wrap up October. Thank you to all the riders, families, and volunteers who helped make the day such a success!





## MOUNTED SHOOTING

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

November 16th—9am to 12pm

Mounted shooting is one of the most exciting activities the San Joaquin Valley Rangers host. Riders guide their horses through a set course while shooting at balloon targets with specially loaded blank ammunition.

It's a unique mix of horsemanship and marksmanship that challenges both rider and horse in a fun, supportive environment.

SJVR offers mounted shooting as a way for members to try something new, build confidence, and enjoy time in the arena with their horses.

There's no competition pressure—it's all about learning, practicing, and having a good time together. Riders of different experience levels are welcome, and the group always makes sure safety and encouragement come first.

If you've ever wanted to see what mounted shooting is all about, come out to watch or give it a try at one of our upcoming practice days. It's a great way to connect with fellow horse enthusiasts and experience the excitement of this growing sport.







# SJCHA

**Jr. Queen**  
Hailey Petersen

**Teen Miss**  
Madison Radesic

**Jr. Princess**  
Madacyn Schoonover

**Teen Princess**  
Addison Siemietkowski

Thank you to everyone who came out to support the St. Jude Ride! Your participation helps make a difference and is truly appreciated. A special thanks to Madison Radesic and Addison Siemietkowski for proudly representing SJCHA and showing great dedication to the cause.

## MEET YOUR ROYALTY

### SJCHA JR PRINCESS MADACYN SCHOONOVER



Madacyn Schoonover is 16 and has been riding horses since she was 2 years old. She has a passion for helping others and enjoys spending time with her horse, Whiskey.

Madacyn loves both teaching and learning new things, but no matter the time or weather, she's happiest in the saddle.



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