

FLORIDA TRIALS ASSOCIATION NEWS

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Next Event

Promise Ranch is the place for Round 4 of the FTA Championship series. Near Webster, Florida it will be hosted by Fubar. If you need directions please e-mail me or call your club's director.

AMA new or renewal membership fee is \$39.00. Rider fee is \$15.00, youth 16 and under is \$5.00 and FTA membership is \$20.00 single \$30.00 family.

Remaining Schedule

*Round 4 – December 11, 2005 –

Promise Ranch – FUBAR

*Round 5 – January 8, 2006 – Hard Rock – Central Florida

*Round 6 – February 5, 2006 – Hard Rock – West Coast

**Fun in the Sun Two-Day – March 4-5, 2006 – Hard Rock – All Clubs

*Round 7 – April 2, 2006 – Promise Ranch – Cahills

*Round 8 – May 6, 2006 – Promise Ranch – FUBAR

**Fun Trials/Awards Banquet – May 21 – Crooms – All Clubs

FTA ROUND THREE by “Tim Cone”

The Promise Ranch greeted riders to beautiful weather and (9) nine exciting sections, set up by Dudley Cullum and the Cahills club. It's nice to ride events where it is a dedicated trials site and the terrain makes the Promise Ranch an excellent location.

Tyler Burnette won beginner for the second time this season, with Dave and Nick Hall in 2nd and 3rd.

Not only was novice the largest class of the day but also had the most unique finishing results. Ryan Davis and Cathy Priest tied for the win with 0 points for the day; setting the stage for a “ride off”, with the absence of Cathy for the run off, the win was given to Ryan and second place points given to Cathy. Isaiah Cullum was a close third.

Clark Meyers won his 2nd consecutive Intermediate event with only 4 points with Jeff Janecek only 3 points behind in 2nd. Chip Golden edged his brother Darren out of 3rd place by only 4 points.

In the Sportsman class Jeff Meyers took the win over Jerry Colson by only 2 points with Dudley Cullum riding to 3rd in his first ride of this year. Sportsman A saw Brian Jones win with a 14 point spread to 2nd place Barry Florin with Donny Smith 2 points behind on third, and Jack Hutson 1 point behind in 4th. This is one of the most competitive classes going with almost any rider capable of winning at any given event.

Tim Cone took first place in Advanced with John Farish taking 2nd place honors over Dan Kozlowski by one point. Karl Davis Jr rounded out the class after equipment failures and finished the day on his dad's bike.

Chuck Walker burned em up in the expert with only 14 points, (Chuck could probably hold his own in the Pro Class at a national level, but seldom competes outside of the state). Matt

Cullum proved to them that he is a contender by finishing 2nd and Bob Micket edged Karl Davis out of 3rd by 1 point.

Looking forward to seeing everyone out there again on Dec 11th for round four at the Promise Ranch.

2005/2006 FTA Championship Preliminary Results

Beginner	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	Wrk
Burnette, Tyler	30		30						60	0
Rose, Tom		25							25	0
VanHoten, Michael	25	30							55	0
Novice	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	Wrk
Croteau, Ed	25								25	0
Cullum, Isaiah			21						21	0
D'Agati, Philip	18	21	13						52	0
Davis, Brooks		15	16						31	0
Davis, Ryan		18	30						48	0
Delmain, Kevin			15						15	0
Epperson, Peter	21	16	14						51	0
Jones, Brian Jr.*		25	18						43	0
Priest, Cathy	30	30	25						85	1
Starnes, Tom	16	14	12						42	3
Intermediate	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	Wrk
Flannigan, Kevin	13	16	15						44	1
Golden, Chip	15		21						36	1
Golden, Darren	16		18						34	1
Janecek, Jeff	18	25	25						68	1
Jones, Brian Jr.*	14								14	0
Matheu, David		21	dnf						21	0
Myers, Clark	25	30	30						85	2
Storey, Charles	21	18	16						55	0
Vennel, Bob	30								30	0
Sportsman	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	Wrk
Brown, Troy	15								15	1
Catogni, Bill	25	15	15						55	1
Colson, Jerry	21	25	25						71	2
Cullum, Dudley			21						21	2
Duncan, Brooks	30								30	0
Lykins, Lonnie	16	16	16						48	1
Myers, Jeff	18	30	30						78	2
Nutting, Bill		21							21	1
Rodriguez, Eloy		14							14	1
Sheffield, Bill	dnf	18	18						36	0
Smith, Larry	14		dns						14	1
Sportsman A	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	Wrk
Berry, Jim	25	16	16						57	1
Brown, Troy		14	14						28	1
Duncan, Brooks		15	15						30	1
Florin, Barry	16	21	25						62	1
Hutson, Jack	21	18	18						57	0

Jones, Brian	30	25	30						85	0
Smith, Donny	18	30	21						69	1
Advanced	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	Wrk
Cone, Tim	30	30	30						90	1
Davis, Karl Jr.	18	25	18						61	1
Farish, John	21	18	25						64	0
Kozlowski, Dan	25	21	21						67	0
Expert	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	Wrk
Cullum, Matt	21	16	25						62	1
Davis, Karl	15	18	18						51	1
Florin, Chris			exh						0	0
Jenkins, Doc	16	15	16						47	1
Micket, Bob	25	25	21						71	1
Walker, Chuck	30	30	30						90	1
Waller, Mark	18	21							39	1

dnf=did not finish; exh=exhibition; Rd=round; Wrk=number of events worked;

Total=total points for the 7 best rides; * = Rode more than 1 class.

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1st=30, 2nd=25, 3rd=21, 4th=18, 5th=16, 6-20=1pt less, 21-29=.1 pt less, 30-39=.01 pt less.

All non members will be dropped and the remaining riders will be moved up at each event.

All non qualifying riders will be dropped after round 8 and the remaining riders will be moved up.

Riders may only qualify for one class and must work at least two events.

Jack Hutson is the official Championship Points keeper—notify him of any errors or concerns.

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