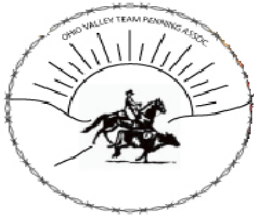


# OVTPA Newsletter

January 2010

Welcome to the  
2010 OVTPA  
Show Season!!



## AROUND THE CORRAL

### NEW BUSINESS:

**Ratings Committee update:** Bob Jamison, Tori Hogg, & Rex Davis are finalizing 2010 ratings. K. Hogg made a motion to include current members in the ratings evaluation. J. Lyons seconded the motion and the motion carried. New/returning members will be rated at the first show they attend.

### Other Business:

It will be determined at a later date if we will go forward with ordering the 3 saddles for top money winners in the Open, Amateur, and Novice divisions. This will largely be based on the amount of sponsorships received.

### Important Notes:

- Please check out the community events on the OVTPA website – Many local arenas are making an effort to put on ranch sorting and team penning shows this winter – Support Them! Doing so will help to ensure that we continue to have a place to practice and compete!
- 2010 show season to start on March 13<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am @ Simmons Equestrian Center (formerly Wildhorse Hollow, Negley, Ohio).

### Show Committee Report:

2010 Dates have been finalized:

March 13 - Simmons Equestrian Center  
April 10 - Armstrong Arena  
May 22 - Buckhorn  
June 12 - Armstrong Arena  
July 10 - Buckhorn  
August 14 - Armstrong Arena  
September 11 - Buckhorn

\*\*\*ALL SHOWS START AT 10:00AM

### OVTPA OFFICERS:

President: Bob Jamieson  
Vice President: Tori Hogg  
Treasurer: Debra Lyons  
Asst. Secretary: Sheryl Plona  
Point Secretaries: Jennifer Lyons & Kathy Hogg

### OVTPA Directors:

Natalie Beight, Rex Davis, Jim Dillaman, Karen Dillaman, Kathy Hogg, Adam Hogg, Larry Kroh, Joe Sheffler

The Board is thinking about having another End of Year Blast – Ranch Sorting show. We will ask general membership for additional input.

There will be no Day Pass or Free Pass in 2010. All individuals who want to participate in an OVTPA show must join.

Dave Treharne is finalizing details about office staff for the March show, he may ask OVTPA office to assist.

A motion was made by S. Plona and seconded by R. Davis, to offer a discount to new members, the motion carried. New member rates are as follows: \$25.00 – Individual, \$50.00 – Family, \$10.00 Youth.

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## Show Committee Report Cont.

A motion was made by T. Hogg and seconded by J. Dillaman to add a Youth class during the 2010 season, and the motion carried.

## Youth Penning Class details:

- 12 and under
- Youth to ride with Open rider (Open rider to hold herd only, Youth will cut and pen)
- 90 second clock
- Class will run after the #11
- \$10 per rider, per ride
- Pays 2 places

The Board agreed to keep 6-1 rating system.

A "Looking for Rides" sign up will be available at each show. This will assist new members in finding rides.

Top 10 Notes: Teams will be drawn for run order. Cattle #'s will not be redrawn. There will be a 60sec gap between each to 10 go.

Sponsorship Notes: We need your help locating sponsors for 2010. Please pass along the enclosed sponsorship packet to anyone you know that may be interested in sponsoring OVTPA.


If you need additional packets please contact Jen Lyons or Sheryl Plona.

Sponsorship forms can also be found on our website at [www.ovtpa.com](http://www.ovtpa.com).

Smile for the camera, but don't take your eye off that cow!!!



More to come in 2010.....



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If you would like to become a sponsor for OVTPA please contact Jennifer Lyons at 724-789-1169 or visit our website for a Sponsor form at [www.ovtpa.com](http://www.ovtpa.com). Thank you!

# Ohio Valley Team Penning Association Events/Practices:



## Buckhorn Ranch, West Sunbury, PA

Winter Jackpot @12 Noon  
Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>...March 6<sup>th</sup>...April 3<sup>rd</sup>

Practices @1:00pm  
Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>&28<sup>th</sup>  
March 14<sup>th</sup>&28<sup>th</sup>, April 25<sup>th</sup>

## Rich Bradshaw, Geauga Fairgrounds, OH – Sorting Practice

Jan. schedule please contact Rich for details (440) 834-1201

## Simmons Equestrian Center, Negley, OH

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of every month (7:00 pm)  
49053 Fredericktown Clarkson Road (724) 350-9977

## Willow Creek Stables

Team Penning and Sorting Clinic - Saturday, February 27<sup>th</sup> 2010  
Indoor Warm-up only 10:30am - Clinic 11:00am – 4:30pm- \$70/Rider \$25/Non-Rider  
\$25/Non-refundable deposit due with reservation  
Clinic includes 4 ½ hours of professional instruction designed for the  
*beginner* to *novice* penner. Hot beverages served throughout the day, light breakfast and a lunch included.  
*Clinic limited to the first 30 riders.* Contact: Beth McKee – (412) 736-9252 [www.willowcreek-stables.com](http://www.willowcreek-stables.com)



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