

71st Annual Florida
Horsemen's Association

3-DAY 100 MILE
COMPETITIVE
TRAIL RIDE

February 5 – 7, 2021

1 Day 40 mile ride—February 5, 2021

1 Day 35 mile ride—February 6, 2021

1 Day 25 mile ride—February 7, 2021

IDR/Fun rides all 3 days

AHA Region 12 Championship (40
miles)—February 5, 2021

AHA Region 15 Championship (35
miles)—February 6, 2021

FHA RIDE STAFF

Ride Manager/Secretary: Carol Thompson

SEDRA Steward: Susan Kasemeyer

AHA Steward: Susan Kasemeyer

Vet Judge: Dr Nick Kohut, DVM

Vet Judge: Dr Patrick Biegel, DVM

Special Awards Judge: Sandy Terp

P&R/CRI: Roxanne Ciccone

Scribes: Vickie Griffis & Lindsay Campbell

Trail Masters: Debbie Walker, Doug Shearer

Hospitality: Chris Littlefield

Volunteers: Many!

FHA 100 GRAND CHAMPIONS

- 1951 Rocket--Edith Whiting
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Jimmy Rozar (tie)
1954 Shortcake--Telfair Mahaffey
1955 Lippit Bob Kennuck--Lucille Kenyon
1956 Michael--Max Culpepper
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1958 Shortcake--Bill Bauman
1959 Michael--Max Culpepper
1960 Blaze--Andy Pascual
1961 Beautiful Belle--Lucille Kenyon
1962 Jodie--Mrs. Loyd Lord
1963 Mister--Eva Ressenyej
1964 Jet--Judy Bogle
1965 Jan's Parade Socks--Mary White
1966 Kamin Ku--Sky Hopper
1967 Cherie--Valerie Yelvington
1968 Kamin Ku--Sky Hopper
1969 Pazzam--Lucille Kenyon
1970 Soxaaral--Ira Gordon
1971 Ibn Aahdin--Harvey Amster
1972 Kamin Ku--Sky Hopper
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1974 Al Yacca--Erika Svore
1975 MPR Mandarin--Debbie Smith
1976 Blanc Seurat--Jan Worthington
1977 Mister Whisque--Marilyn Rothman
1978 Shamenta--Shirley Nolt
1979 Patchy's Fancy 2LK--Gary Miller
1980 Fab A Hal--Joyce Thompson
1981 Kaz Gal--Martha Clark
1982 Patton's Pride--Fraces Grant
1983 King's OCS Lad--Norma Caron
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1985 Roman Shamraff--Debbie Kolody
1986 Desert Mist--Jewell Griffin
1987 Miska Malika--Eileen Cornwall
1988 Samia Emira--Wes Maillard
1989 Smokey Delight--Marilyn Horstmeyer
1990 Ivanoff--Dianne Waldron
1991 Sage--Kathy Paul
1992 Perigrine Hawk--Steve Rojek
1993 Count Mark--Linda Durkee
1994 Galena Al Surat--Vicki Castro
1995 Latraub--Dianne Waldron
1996 Larca--Barbara Madill
1997 April--Marion Hawthorne
1998 Runabunch--Dianne Waldron
1999 Baywind Adar--Donna Curtin
2000 Moyle Miles--Becky Siler
2001 Caveletti--Sue Greenall
2002 Polaris--Bill Schnuerie
2003 DA Al Capone--Cheryl VanDeusen
2004 The Living Proof--Jewel Griffin
2005 Ebony Cassanova--Cheryl VanDeusen
2006 Smoke Rise Barong--Hernan Barbosa
2007 Sebec--Louise Townsend
2008 The Living Proof--Jewell Griffin
2009 Finch--Steve Rojek
2010 Smoke Rise Finally--Kyle Gibbon
2011 Amal's Sandi Ballerina--Cheryl
VanDeusen
2012 Jasper's Magique Man--Stephanie Bishop
2013 SES Dreamweaver--Sherry Moseley
2014 Jasper's Magique Man--Stephanie Bishop
2015 Tupelo Ace--Kyle Gibbon
2016 AM Safe Bet Camille--Robin Malkasian
2017 A Fair Chance--Maris Ramsay
2018 Roamer--Spencer McCleery
2019 Lucky Jody--Pat Robinson
2020 CCA Good Omen--Heather Reynolds

FHA 100 TROPHIES

In addition to weight division first place trophies, the following trophies will be awarded:

KAMIN KU CHALLENGE TROPHY (for Grand Champion)** - Donated in 1974 by Sky Hopper. The trophy has yet to be won three times by the same horse and rider team as of 2006.

RESERVE CHAMPION 2ND HIGH POINT CHALLENGE TROPHY** came into existence in 1953. This trophy has yet to be won by the same horse/rider combination.

BEST SENIOR RIDER CHALLENGE TROPHY**- Awarded to the person having good equitation, always in balance with the horse, maintains a correct position in every gait and movement, and possesses a commanding but relaxed presence. This trophy was donated by Winburn A. Shearouse

BEST HORSE & RIDER COMBINATION CHALLENGE TROPHY - Awarded to the horse and rider that best exhibit themselves as a “team”. This trophy was donated in 1990 by Wes and Carolyn Maillard in memory of Marge Campbell. Marge Campbell was a strong supporter of distance riding. Marge was one of the founding members of the Altoona Trail Riders, a group aimed at families and riders interested in camping and she was one of the founding members of SEDRA (South Eastern Distance Riders Assoc.). Marge helped institute the very first 25 mile CTR in Florida, the Altoona 25, and she was involved in all aspects of distance riding from management to bringing the junior riders along.

PERPETUAL HORSEMANSHIP CHALLENGE TROPHY – Awarded to the person that exhibits the best care, handling, and riding of their mounts throughout the ride. This includes grooming, in-hand presentation, tack and equipment, trail care, trail safety and courtesy, and stabling. This trophy was donated by Jewel Griffin in 2005 in memory of Edith Whiting. Edith Whiting was one of the original founders of FHA along with Lucille Kenyon and others.

BEST REGISTERED TRAIL HORSE (BLOUNT CHALLENGE TROPHY) – Awarded to the best registered trail horse (any breed) that exhibits the best manners, way of going, conformation and endurance. It is not necessarily the winning horse. This trophy was originally donated by Captain Downey Blount in the 1953. Captain Blount was a friend of then FHA President, Willis McCall. Willis asked Captain Blount to serve as the trail horse judge on the 1952 3-Day 100.

BEST UNREGISTERED TRAIL HORSE – Awarded to the best unregistered trail horse (any breed) that exhibits the best manners, way of going, conformation and endurance. It is not necessarily the winning horse.

BEST REG. ARAB OR REG. HALF -ARAB (THE MISKA MILAKA CHALLENGE TROPHY)** -Awarded to the best registered Arab or registered half-Arab. This trophy was donated by Eileen Cornwell after retiring the original Best Reg. Arab or

Reg. Half -Arab Challenge Trophy. Eileen and her half Arab mare, Miska Milaka, won in 1985, 1986 and 1987. Miska Milaka passed away in 2006 at the age of 30

HISTORICAL TROPHIES NOT CURRENTLY BEING AWARDED

CHANCES R MAC BEST QUARTER HORSE CHALLENGE TROPHY - Awarded to the best overall Quarter Horse. This trophy was donated in 1992 by Sue Foust in memory of her Quarter Horse gelding, Chances R. Mac.

BEST MANNERED STALLION CHALLENGE TROPHY** – Awarded to the stallion that exhibits the best manners throughout the entire ride. This trophy was donated by the Manucy boys in 1970.

MARION “MEL” VILES HARD LUCK TROPHY – Donated by Harry Rozelle in memory Mel Viles, owner of Rocking Horse Ranch. Rocking Horse Ranch was home to the FHA 3-Day 100 from 1978-2004.

HIGH POINT FAMILY CHALLENGE TROPHY** - Donated by the Whitson Family on behalf of their trusted family steed, Trailblazer (Pal Joey to friends). Trailblazer (Pal Joey) was known as a family horse that anyone could ride. Both Mrs. Whitson and her daughter rode and competed on Trailblazer.

HIGH POINT FLORIDA BRED (DOYLE CONNER FLORIDA BRED CHALLENGE TROPHY) - Donated at the Sewell Ranch by Doyle Conner, Florida Secretary of Agriculture, in the 1960s.

BUBBA MANUCY VOLUNTEER TROPHY - Awarded to the individual who puts in 110% at the ride like Bubba would have. This trophy was donated by Steve and Dinah Rojek in 2007 in memory of Bubba.

SIENNA CHALLENGE TROPHY-Awarded to the Junior that exhibits the best horsemanship and sportsmanship skills throughout the ride. Donated in 1971 by Sgt. Rose B. Murphy, USMC.

EASTERN STATES CHALLENGE TROPHY (FLORIDA CUP)** - Awarded annually to the rider, with the same horse, who has completed and accumulated the most points in any three of the now five 100 mile 3-Day rides in the East in one calendar year. The Florida Cup was originally sponsored by FHA starting in 1966. This award has been considered the ultimate challenge for competitive trail riding. 3-Day 100 mile rides were modeled after the US Cavalry remount tests (1913-1922). The oldest 3-Day 100 mile ride, held over Labor Day weekend since 1936, is still managed by the Green Mountain Horse Association in South Woodstock, VT. The circuit of 100 mile rides starts in Florida and then works its way north to Virginia, New Jersey, Vermont and then Maine. The North Carolina 100 no longer exists as of 2006. The rides are still judged much like the original remount tests— 100% on the condition of the horse completing the ride within a prescribed window of time (15 hrs, 45 min.—17 hrs). Points scored are 10 for winning a light, middle or heavyweight division, 7 for a second place, 5 for third, and 3 for fourth, with 5 additional for Grand Champion and 3 for Reserve Champion. Maximum possible is therefore 45 points.

Challenging as this is, it is interesting to note that in many years there have been at least 4 horses that are so close in points that it often comes down to the last ride of the season before the winner is declared. The trophy has been retired twice by horses that earned the

title three times. The first was in 1972 by Sky Hopper riding Kamin Ku (NJ) and again in 1990 by Web Coleman riding Arabel (VT). Many others have come close by winning the award twice. You will recognize many well-known competitors... Lucille Kenyon on Pazzam, Judy Voll on Cobblebeck Juniper, Maggie Price on Ramegwa Priceless, Robin Culver on Cricket, Donna Smith on Smithshire Honey Glo, and Steve and Dinah Rojek on a multitude of horses. Dinah's Atilanch earned the award in 1981 and four of his offspring took home the trophy 6 times.

RETIRED TROPHIES

The JOHN BECKER CHALLENGE TROPHY (for Grand Champion)** came into existence in 1953. This was the very first challenge trophy. It is not known if the trophy was donated by an individual or purchased outright by FHA. The trophy was won by Max Culpepper and his dark bay, Arab gelding, Michael in 1956, 1957, and 1959. By winning grand champion three times, Max and Michael were able to retire the trophy. To replace the trophy, Max donated the "Michael Challenge Trophy" in 1960.

MICHAEL CHALLENGE TROPHY (for Grand Champion)** - Retired by Sky Hopper and his leggy dark chestnut Arab gelding, Kamin Ku. Sky and Kamin Ku were grand champions in 1966, 1972, and 1973. Sky then replaced the Michael Challenge Trophy with the "Kamin Ku Challenge Trophy".

**Trophy may be retired if won three times by the same rider/horse combination

2021 FHA 100 MILE AWARDS

DIVISION AWARDS

Lightweight Division

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

Middleweight Division

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

Heavyweight Division

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

HIGH POINT AWARDS (*Determined by the overall score of the horse and rider at end of ride*)

Grand Champion

Reserve Champion

SPECIAL AWARDS

Horsemanship

Best Horse & Rider Combination

Best Registered Trail Horse

Best Unregistered Trail Horse

Best Registered Arab

Best Registered Half-Arab

Best Rookie Horse

Best Rookie Rider