

September 2026 UCSC Club News

Hello Fall! I don't know about y'all but I am looking forward to a little cooler weather! This summer has been brutal!

Up coming events....

- Buckle & Awards Series Shows - October 3
- Tough Enough to Wear Pink Fall Classic - October 24
- Club Awards Banquet - December 12
- **Tough Enough to Wear Pink Fall Classic - October 24th**

Y'all mark your calendars... On October 24th we will be having a big added money barrel race! \$2,500 added for 50 riders and \$5,000 added for 100 riders... awards will be given to 1st place in each division. The official flyer is on our facebook page. Event T-shirts are for sale now! Pre-orders must be placed by 10/4. We will have several vendors set up as well!

- **Tuesday Night Ropings**

Matt Pankey will be bringing his cows to the arena on most Tuesdays for roping practice. The arena will close at 5:00 pm so Shane can prep the ground. Ropings will be from 6:00-8:30. The gate will still close at 9:00 sharp on those days. Remember you must pick up all trash before you leave. **EVERYONE MUST BE A MEMBER OF THE CLUB TO PARTICIPATE! The \$10 non member fee DOES NOT APPLY TO THE ROPINGS!** The online club calendar will be updated weekly on Sundays. Be sure to check it weekly as to the happenings that coming week.

- * **WINTER RIDING HOURS**

The time will change on November 1st so that means the winter riding hours will go into effect... Riding hours will be from 9:30 am to 8:00 pm. Please be off the grounds by 8:00 sharp. Be sure to check the calendar before coming down to ride to make sure the arena is open for riding. The calendar stays updated on the website! Link is below.

- **CLUB CALENDAR**

Be sure to watch the calendar for arena closures, club meetings and events!

www.unioncountysaddleclub.org/calendar You can even subscribe to our calendar now and it adds to your calendar on your phone.

- **MONTHLY CLUB MEETINGS**

Our monthly club meetings are on the 3rd Thursday at 7:00 pm! Please Join us! We would love to have you there!

- **As always... Reminder of our Arena RULES**

- If you turn on the arena lights please turn them off when you leave! **Do not run the lights during daytime hours if it is sunny outside!** This includes the run out and warm up area lights!
- Even though the lights are on a timer, there is no reason they should be running for hours when no one is at the arena riding, we still have to pay a power bill....
- NON MEMBERS must pay \$10 each time they come to ride at the arena. IT IS PER PERSON not per Trailer!
- Do NOT tie any horses to the loose panels in the warm up area, holding pen or run out! Those panels are not secured in the ground and will move if a horse sets back on the halter!
- No horses on concrete areas.
- Help us to keep our arena clean from trash! Please clean up after yourself and your kids!
- **Keep dogs on a leash at all times! Do NOT let them run loose at the arena!**
- We have a practice set of poles, cones and barrels out for you to use. The poles and cones are located between the bleachers near the middle of the arena gate. If you break a pole or other equipment please tell us so we can fix it. Don't just leave it without saying anything.
- If you move barrels, use the poles and cones or open gates please put everything BACK where it belongs for the next person to use!
- The security cameras are monitored so please help us with following the rules. We know who comes and goes. :)

- Please do not let your kids climb on the tractors!

Reach out with any questions or concerns!

Sincerely,
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