

2014 TOP TEN

YOUTH 13 & UNDER

RIDER	HORSE/OWNER	POINTS
1. Madeline R. Bomba	Brennas Sugarlena Madeline R. Bomba, Bloomington, IN	112
2. Emmy-Lu Marsh	Who Whiz Who Emmy-Lu Marsh, Tallulah, LA	66
3. Madeline M. Kimbrough	Slide Me A Bud Madeline M. Kimbrough, Oniowa, NE	48
4. Kaylee L. Naylor	Peppy As Einstein Top Fuel, LLC, Cave Creek, AZ	47
5. Courtney Blumer	Imasmart Tipolena Courtney Blumer, Monroe, NC	46.5
6. Evie L. Laney	Miss 8650 Todd Laney, Monroe, NC	41.5
7. Kate Buchanan	In It For The Chics Kate Buchanan, Scottsdale, AZ	39
8. Kenleigh N. Wells	The Ultimate Magnum Rayelynn Wells, Valley View, TX	37.5
9. Paris R. Elton	Spook Goes Hollywood Paris R. Elton, Scottsdale, AZ	37
10. Jennifer Kasper	Along Comes El Fifty Jennifer Kasper, Elgin, IL	35.5

YOUTH 14-18

RIDER	HORSE/OWNER	POINTS
1. Blair McFarlin	Whiz Boom Bang Mike McFarlin, Franklin, TN	158.8
2. Savannah Grace Ostner	Mr Crometastic Savannah Grace Ostner, Memphis, TN	109.5
3. Emily A. Morris	Wimpys Little Boss Emily A. Morris, Davenport, IA	96
4. Alexandra M. Britt	HA Steady Freddy Alexandra M. Britt, Johnson City, TN	85
5. Amanda Hurd	Whale Of A Whiz S. Mark Hurd, Wilmington, DE	78.5
6. Natalie N. Campbell	Mega Fashion Natalie N. Campbell, North Richland Hills, TX	71
7. Alana S. Ballew	Spookaretta Alana S. Ballew, Rocky Face, GA	63
8. Terri June Granger	Surely A. Smartpepto Terri June Granger, Dothan, AL	54.5
9. Claire C. Ditttrich	Whiz N Chica Dee Keith J. Ditttrich, Tilden, NE	54
10. Amber Edmonds	Haidasrodeatidalwave Amber Edmonds, Pepperell, MA	52

# CENTRAL PLAINS REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION

## Platte Valley Classic

BY SHEALYN VERING

Have you ever felt like you were on top of the world? Like nothing was going to stop you from walking into the arena and scoring a 72? Well, after Central Plains Reining Horse Association's Platte Valley Classic show, all of our youth could answer those two questions with a resounding yes. With a draw including thirty-six entries, the largest class of the show, we felt like we owned it, and not just in the show pen. We held two very successful fundraisers and celebrated them at our annual bonfire.

It all began at our last show, held in McCook, when we had our first youth meeting of the year and elected officers. We also discussed whether we wanted prizes at every show or just year-end prizes. The vote was clear; youth want prizes at every show! So, we needed to raise money in order to fund these awesome prizes. Brilliant ideas were passed around and eventually we came up with a simple tag sale for show clothes that we've grown out of or don't wear anymore and a pancake feed. Both fundraisers went well; we feel like we now have a good handle on our prizes for the next few shows.

Not only were out fundraisers



CPRHA Youth members



CPRHA pancake feed fundraiser

successful, but our runs were too! The day was very competitive with many of our youth achieving scores of 70 or above. Then, just when we thought the fun was over, we still had the bonfire! Our youth bonfire is something that all the youth look forward to as a chance to catch up with friends after a busy day and enjoy some wonderful s'mores.

Even though we were sad to see our favorite and most fun show end, we're still looking forward to the next one in July, with great prizes and more great runs. ♦