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# 2010 CHAMPIONSHIP NEWSLETTER

National Versatility Ranch Horse Association

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## Here we go...again!

This is it - your chance to win a Championship Title and custom belt buckle! The third annual NVRHA Championship Event will be held September 24-26 at the Norris Penrose Event Center in Colorado Springs.

All NVRHA members who have competed in a minimum of two approved events in 2010 are eligible to participate. Amateur divisions will include Novice, Intermediate, and Advanced. Division assignments are explained in detail in the NVRHA Rulebook. All NVRHA rules will apply. We will also host an Open Division, for any horse/rider pair, which will take the place of the World's Greatest VRH Competition.

The affiliate challenge is returning this year - a good chance to show off your team spirit!



Event Judges will be Jimmie Flores from California and Lori Walton of New Mexico. Both Jimmie and Lori are professional horsemen and avid supporters of the NVRHA.

Complimenting the event will be the annual year-end awards banquet and benefit auction held Saturday night at Ghost

Town Wild West Museum. This is a night of food, fun, and celebration as we look back at the past year, recognize the outstanding achievements of members, and dream big for next year! If you haven't attended one of our auctions before, don't miss the chance to bid on some amazing and unique artwork, activities, horse gear, and saddle time with popular ranch horse clinicians. All proceeds benefit NVRHA programs.

Thanks to the generous sponsorship of NVRHA members and businesses, our year-end and array of ranch horse champion awards include an outstanding quality collection of saddles, buckles, breast collars, blankets, and spurs.

See inside for complete schedule and event details. See you there!

# National Versatility Ranch Horse Association

## 2010 National Championship

**JUDGES:**  
Jimmie Flores  
&  
Lori Walton

**September 24-26, 2010**  
**Norris Penrose Event Center**  
**Colorado Springs, CO**

~~~Friday~~~

Check In/Membership and Board Meetings

~~~Saturday & Sunday~~~

NVRHA Competition

Amateur Divisions - Novice, Intermediate, Advanced // Open Division

\$250.00 per Horse-Rider Entry

*Must be a current NVRHA member and have shown in two NVRHA competitions during the 2010 event season to be eligible for participation in the Championship event*

~~~Awards Banquet and Auction - Saturday Night~~~

Ghost Town Wild West Museum

\$36.00 per person

(Drink Coupons \$5.00 - good for one mixed drink, one glass of wine, or two beers.

Pre-purchase drink tickets - there will be no cash exchange at bar.)

**Costume Contest!!!**

Prize awarded for the most authentic western period costume at the Banquet!

**JACKPOT**

**\$75.00 Entry**

Open to All Competitors

Complete Schedule Details at [www.nvrha.org](http://www.nvrha.org) or contact Bill Hauschildt 719-499-1666

Hotel recommendations: Doubletree Hotel 719-576-8900; Comfort Inn 719-579-6900

Indoor Stall fee: \$20.00 per day // Shavings \$9.00 per bag // User supplied shavings \$1.50 per bag // Stall Stripping \$6.00

Camping Electric Hookup \$30.00 per day // No hook up \$25.00 per day



## 2010 NVRHA National Championships - Schedule of Events

September 23rd - Thursday:

3:00pm - 10:00 pm - Check In - NVRHA Trailer in Main Arena Parking Lot

September 24th - Friday:

8:00am - 10:00 pm - Check In - NVRHA Trailer in Main Arena Parking Lot

10:00am - 12:00pm - General Membership Meeting - Norris Penrose Meeting Room

2:00pm - 5:00pm - Board of Directors Meeting - Norris Penrose Meeting Room

5:00pm - Welcome and Social Hour - Lower Level Snack Bar Area Main Arena

September 25th - Saturday:

6:00am - 7:00am - Check In - NVRHA Trailer in Main Arena Parking Lot

8:00am - Welcome and Posting of Colors - All horses to be in Main Arena

8:15am - Ranch Conformation

Order: Amateur Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Open - Main Arena

11:00am - Judges Meeting with Exhibitors - Main Arena

Amateur Ranch Cutting - West Main Arena (1st half of draw followed by 2nd half)

Open Ranch Cutting - West Main Arena

Amateur Ranch Riding - East Main Arena (2nd half of draw followed by 1st half)

Open Ranch Riding - East Main Arena

6:00pm - 7:00pm - Banquet Cocktail Hour - Ghost Town Wild West Museum

7:00pm - 10:00pm - Dinner and Awards Banquet - Ghost Town Wild West Museum

\* 2010 NVRHA Year in Review

\* Live Auction

\* 2010 Year End Awards

\* NVRHA Ranch Horse and Special Awards

September 26th - Sunday:

8:00am - Judges Meeting & Posting of Colors - Main Arena

Amateur Working Ranch - West Main Arena (1st half of draw followed by 2nd half)

Open Working Ranch - West Main Arena

Amateur Ranch Trail - East Main Arena (2nd half of draw followed by 1st half)

Open Ranch Trail - East Main Arena

Est. 5:00pm - 2010 National Championship Award Ceremony - Snack Bar Area

\* Event Manager: Bill Hauschildt \*\* Asst. Managers: Bill Cantrell/Tim Rose

## Affiliate Challenge 2010

Last year's affiliate challenge, won by the Colorado team, was a lot of fun and another way to compete for some great prizes and recognition. Both sanctioned and future Affiliates are invited to sponsor Amateur Teams. A team consists of three Horses/Riders - one each Novice, Intermediate, and Advanced. The team with the highest combined total event scores will earn the bragging rights and award jackets for the 2010 Affiliate Challenge! Multiple teams of three from the same Affiliate Region are welcome. All team members must be from the same affiliate and an individual rider may only participate on one team. No additional fees above your individual registration fee will be charged! Awards will be presented at the conclusion of the Championship Event on Sunday afternoon.

Eligible 2010 Sanctioned and Potential Future Affiliates:

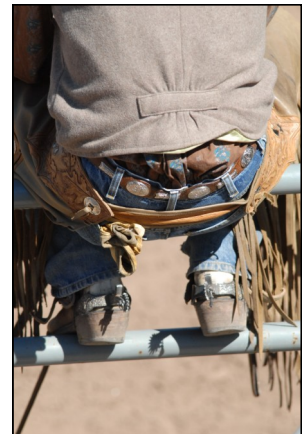
Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico, Northern Lights, Mid-South (Arkansas, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma)

Don't miss this exciting and FREE chance to join up with friends and represent your affiliate region!

**GO TEAM!!!**



If you can't come ride, then at least come watch some of the best amateur versatility ranch horse action in the country!  
This is Western at its best!!!



## Last Chance for Qualifying Events for 2010

September 10-12, 2010

T-Cross Ranch

Pueblo, CO

Clinicians: Jay and Gena Henson

September 11-12, 2010

Northern Lights

Minneapolis, MN

Clinicians: Lance Scheffel and Bonnie Minor

For Details, Fees, and Registration information, please visit [www.nvrha.org](http://www.nvrha.org)

**Don't Miss Out!!!**

# Thank you to our Sponsors and Volunteers

**Your hard work and generous donations have made possible another great National Championship Event !**

Bill & Lisa Hauschildt

Dave & Micki Currin

Bill & Beverly Cantrell

Tim & Cindy Rose

Charlie & Donna Stewart

Edgell & Marti Pyles

Debbie & Earl Raymond

Lynn Cool

Cindy Abshire

Carol Thomas

Affiliate Leaders:

Arizona- Bob and Becky Grant

California- Cece Chambliss

Colorado- Brian Thomas

Mid-South-Rich Masoner

New Mexico- Bill White

Northern Lights- Susan Heyvaert

Big Bend Saddlery

Bob Norris Family

Brighton Feed and Saddle

Candice Liddy

Cimarron River Saddlery - Pierre Lamont

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Jack McComber

Jay and Gena Henson

Mike Major

Rodney and Reilly Carter

*And to all the others we may have forgotten to mention or are yet to come -  
thank you, thank you, thank you!!!*



**A Special Thanks to our 2010  
NVRHA Year-End Championship  
Saddle Donors!!!**

**Bill Hauschildt**

**Pierre Lamont**

**Edgell Pyles**

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