



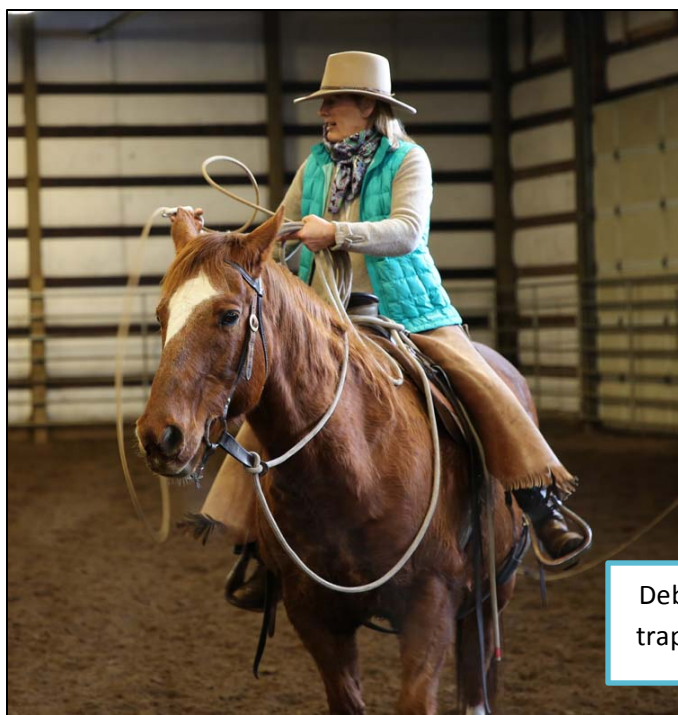
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Hey guys!

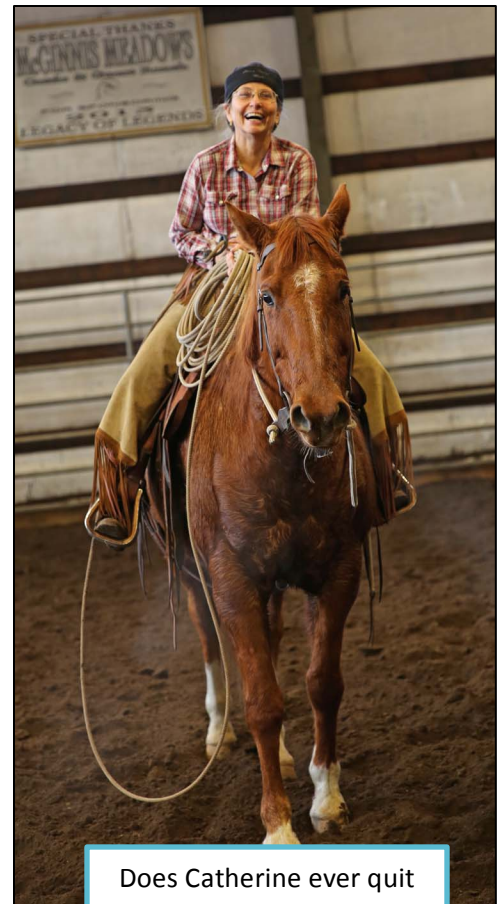
Shayne and I returned from a nearly month long vacation in Costa Rica. There were large changes in temps and landscapes for sure! It's definitely good to be back at the ranch though. Surfing has its perks for sure, but Montana in the wintertime offers so much FUN!

It's not just a plus that we get to ride horses in the heated indoor each day, but there's heading out on mountain trails (and viewing spectacular wildlife) in a 4WD vehicle, snowshoeing, cross-country skiing and pristine views no matter where you go.

While we were getting back into the swing of things at the ranch, Roby headed up most of the horsemanship with our



Deb on Jack. She got her trap shot down in 2 days!



Does Catherine ever quit smiling?!

one guest Catherine, interns Riley and Deb, and Eden and Nathan. They all looked pretty dang good

practicing their riding while roping! Nathan spent a bit of time doing handyman "stuff" this week too. He's keeping arena heaters working, stove doors closing, vehicles safe and more.

We're looking forward to meeting yet another

intern this weekend! Meike is coming all the way from Germany and we're excited to have her here for a few months.

That's about all the news that's fit to print this week!

Have a great weekend guys!

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Nathan the buckaroo!



Jeep in the deep snow!



Moose calf. His mother was nearby keeping an eye on him.



Little Buzz!