

Tri-State High School Rodeo Association and Region 1

Welcome to the 2019-20 season of the Tri-State Region 1. You will find several items to look over, and a few to fill out. Completed membership forms must be uploaded to the NHSRA website, and in hands along with the dues by Saturday, August 30th, which is two weeks prior to the first rodeo, September 14th & 15th in Perryton.

Below is a list of the items you must return in order for your membership to be complete:

- 1) National High School Membership form (with \$300 included)
- 2) National Junior High Membership form (with \$220 included)
- 3) Minor's release (EVERYONE must fill one out)
- 4) W-9 Form (All High School Contestants)
- 5) Contestant's Approval Form
- 6) Birth Certificate
- 7) Last year's report card

(YOU MUST TURN THIS IN BEFORE YOU CAN RODEO!!)

New for 2019-20 when you join Region 1 THSRA you are also joining Tri-State High School Rodeo Association, this makes you eligible for 2 finals. The top 10 after Vernon qualify for the Texas State Finals in Abilene and the top 15 qualify for Tri-State Finals in Levelland. The entry process will also be consolidated. We now have only 1 entry form for both associations in High School, entry fees have been combined and there will be only 1 payout as well. There will also be only 1 calf roping run in High School and the team roping will now be like the Junior High with 1 run for points in both association and you may have a 2nd run as a jackpot run. For the rodeos where there will be a Saturday & Sunday performances we have added the option of a Sunday morning 8am slack for \$150 for the first family member and \$50 for additional family members.

Unless otherwise noted, rodeo performances will start at 2 pm on Saturdays and 10 am on Sundays. On double rodeo weekends we will start Saturday with Junior High followed by High School no earlier than 2pm, and Sunday we will start with the High School followed by Junior High no earlier than 1 pm. You are responsible for checking the Tri-State website and Facebook for additional rodeo information. It is your responsibility to be aware of new information or changes. Rodeo entries are due in the office 1 week prior to

the rodeo you are entering. Entry forms will be available at the rodeos so that you may enter the next one before you leave.

****Cutting and/or Reined Cow horse events (Please be aware of the following.)**

****Cuttings:** We will have as many cuttings as we do the rodeos so it can be counted in the ALL Around for points. The Cutting events may or may not be held along with our rodeos depending on the location and cattle available. Please watch the website, FB, and information boards located at the rodeos for this information. **YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE** for knowing when and where these will be held and the deadline to be entered by to compete at that cutting.

****Reined cow horse:** RCH will also be run the same way, but we **WILL NOT** have the same number of these and the points **WILL NOT** be counted in the All-Around, until the State Finals. Again **YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE** for knowing when and where these will be held and when you have to be entered by to attend that RCH event. These will be posted on and at the various locations as stated above for the cutting events. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Our 1st rodeo is at Perryton September 14th for Junior High and September 15th for High School. There will be a mandatory contestant meeting at 9am both days in the stands. We strongly encourage Parents to attend this meeting to be aware of requirements and responsibilities of your child. You will receive your back numbers, fundraising items and all other contestant information at this meeting.

*****All Fundraising items will be due Saturday November 2, 2019 at the Amarillo National Center rodeo. These items must be turned in before you can compete on Sunday. You will not be allowed to compete until ALL fundraising is turned in.**

If you need anything from the Board or myself, please let us know. Please be sure to watch the website or our Facebook page for updates and any changes that might be made. www.Tri-Statehsrodeo.com. Once again welcome to Tri-State High School Rodeo Association and Region 1 and Good Luck!!!!

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