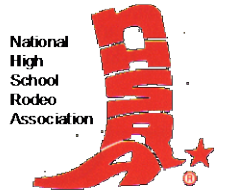




Georgia High School Rodeo Association

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Southeastern Showdown 2023

You must be an NHSRA competing member to enter the Southeastern Showdown

You must be entered in the Southeastern Showdown to enter the Qualifying events

The Southeastern Showdown has been designated as a NHSRA Western Legacy Series Rodeo. This means that the NHSRA will supplement each rodeo in the series with additional funding. All the money will be paid out to contestants. GHSRA will use this money to add \$1,000 to the payout for each High School event including reined cow horse. There will also be a \$1000 scholarship given to the All-Around Cowboy and Cowgirl. GHSRA will not retain or use any of the money.

HOOEY JUNIOR PATRIOT

Barrels will only be offered in high school

High School: SESD will once again be a Hooley Junior Patriot Qualifier for the following events: Barrels, Poles, Team Roping, Calf Roping, Breakaway, Goat Tying, Steer Wrestling. New this year we are adding rough stock events Bareback, Saddlebronc and Bull Riding. You must enter online with the Junior Patriot prior to SESD starting. Please check their website to make sure you don't miss their deadline. You will qualify by NHSRA rules on the 2 runs total, except for barrels and poles which will be calculated on your first run. **High School contestants must enter in the 19 and under category, 15 and under will not be offered for high school contestants.**

Junior High School: New this year, SESD-JH will also be a Hooley Junior Patriot Qualifier for the following events: Poles, Team Roping, Calf Roping, Breakaway, Goat Tying. You must enter online with the Junior Patriot prior to SESD starting. Please check their website to make sure you don't miss their deadline. You will qualify by NHSRA rules on the 2 runs total, except for poles which will be calculated on your first run. **Junior High contestants must enter in either the 15 and under or the 12 and under categories.**

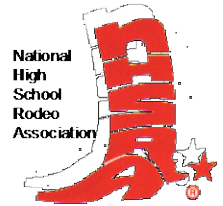
WCRA

The SESD will be a qualifier for the WCRA event in Guthrie, OK in the summer of 2024. This will be open to contestants 13 years of age and up. More information is on the WCRA website and will be posted when it becomes available to us.



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33rd Annual Southeastern Showdown
Georgia High School Rodeo Association
Perry, Georgia
November 9, 10, 11 and 12, 2023

** Everyone has 2 go's and All inclusive payout

BACK AGAIN THIS YEAR, CINCH TEAM CHALLENGE RODEO
(See attached flier for details)

OVER \$20,000 ADDED FOR THE WEEKEND

The Georgia High School Rodeo Association would like to invite you to our annual Multi-State High School Rodeo. The location, as before will be at the GEORGIA FAIRGROUNDS & AGRICENTER <https://www.gnfa.com/> 401 Golden Isles Pkwy, Perry, GA. This is a two go rodeo. The rodeo is in Reaves Arena which is an enclosed climate controlled building.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

(Could be changes depending on number of entries)

WEDNESDAY 12:00 pm FAIRGROUNDS OPEN

ROUND 1

THURSDAY 9:00 am ROUND 1 STARTS

FRIDAY 8:00 am ROUND 1 CONTINUES

Both Rounds of Reined Cow Horse will be held during the first round (times will be determined when we see number of entries)

7:00 pm CINCH TEAM CHALLENGE RODEO

ROUND 2

SATURDAY 8:00 AM ROUND 2 STARTS

**SUNDAY 8:00 AM CHURCH SERVICES AT ARENA
9:00 AM ROUND 2 CONTINUES**

JACKPOT ARENA SCHEDULE –

Thursday November 9th -- Breakaway (time TBD, will not be before 12 noon – will start after 1st round of RCH)

Thursday November 9th -- Breakaway (time TBD, will start immediately after 1st Breakaway jackpot)

Thursday November 9th -- Barrel Race (time TBD, will not be before 7 pm – will start after the 2nd Breakaway jackpot)

Friday November 10th -- Team Roping will start after Junior High Performance

Saturday November 11th -- Team Roping will start after Junior High Performance

Jackpots will be run in Southerland arena where the junior high performances will be.

ENTRIES –

FOR STATES COMING AS A STATE APPROVED POINTS RODEO: You should have your call-in early enough so that you will be able to e-mail your entries to our Rodeo Secretary, Leisa Haslerig, no later than Monday, October 9, 2023.

All events will be offered both days of each round. There will not be a performance except for the CINCH Varsity Challenge on Friday.

ENTRY FEES– NC Call In Monday October 2 @ 8:00 AM-Wednesday October 4 @ 8:00 PM

Entry Fee/ Round - \$ 50.00 (all but reined cow horse) total of \$ 100.00 for the weekend

Entry Fee/ Round - \$ 90.00 (reined cow horse has a cattle charge added) total of \$ 180.00 for the weekend

There is a \$ 20.00 per contestant grounds fee

We will take entries at rodeo's or you may mail or pay C/C

NCHSRA
215 Button Branch Lane
La Grange, NC 28551
Attn April Williams

OPTIONAL SIDE POT -

There will be an optional side pot in each event in high school this year, cost per event is \$100.00. This will be split with \$50.00 going to each round and paying out 100%. This will not pay out on the average, only on the 2 rounds.

T-SHIRTS –

Each state is asked to send a list of contestants in ABC order (by last name) for the back of the T-Shirts, preferably by e-mail in an excel format, to Leisa Haslerig with the entries for your State.

We have a deadline with the vendor, they must have our order by Monday October 23, 2023.

Leisa's e-mail address is SESDRodeoSecretary@GMAIL.com

P.O. Box 306, Rock Spring, GA 30739

cell phone number 423-305-3692.

There will not be a vendor on site selling shirts. They will be preordered and there is a form on our website www.ghsra.com under the SESD tab for high school. Deadline for shirt orders is Friday October 20, 2023 and if you are mailing in a check or money order the deadline to receive payment is Friday October 27, 2023.

**ORDERS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP STARING THURSDAY MORNING.
ALL ORDERS MUST BE PICKED UP BY THE END OF THE FIRST GO ROUND (FRIDAY NIGHT).
SHOULD THE GHSRA HAVE TO CANCEL THIS EVENT, WE WILL SHIP T SHIRT ORDERS TO
YOUR STATE. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN.**

GOLF CARTS –

Golf carts will be offered this year through Mike's Golf Carts, and they can be reached at 478-954-3107. You need to reserve directly with them by accessing their website at www.werentcarts.com You must be 18 years of age to drive the golf carts.

ORDER OF EVENTS –

Bareback, Goat Tying, Saddle Bronc, Tie-Down Roping, Breakaway Roping, Steer Wrestling, Barrel Racing, Team Roping, Pole Bending and Bull Riding.

Reined Cow Horse will run both rounds during the 1st round on Thursday. More detail to come, specific times will depend on number of entries.

**Depending on the number of entries in Bareback and Saddle Bronc these 2 events may be run at the same time with Goat Tying to follow.

CHURCH SERVICE –

There will be a church service held on Sunday, 8:00 am at the arena

GRAND ENTRY –

Thursday morning and Saturday morning we will have grand entry with sponsor flags and American Flag.

Friday night for the CINCH Team Challenge Rodeo we will have a full grand entry with State Flags and American Flag. **Please make sure that you bring your State Flags.**

SPECIAL GROUND RULES –

1. Thirty (30) second time limits will be in effect for all times events.
2. In all roping events, the one loop rule will be in effect.
3. Western attire is required for contestants at all times in Reaves Arena along with your state issued back number.
4. NO air horns are allowed in Reaves Arena.

AWARDS

All Around Cowboy and All Around Cowgirl will receive Gist Buckles as well as a \$1,000 cash scholarship paid out at the rodeo. Reserve All Around Cowboy and All Around Cowgirl will receive Gist Buckles.

Event winners will receive Gist Buckles.

Event reserve winners will receive a CINCH certificate.

In case of a tie for event champions, awards will be duplicated for winners and Reserve champion ties will be broken by a flip of a coin.

PAYOUT –

Jackpot will be paid on each go as well as the average.

The money for the first go will be ready to pick up by Saturday at noon, after the start of round 2. The money for the second go will be ready to pick up within 30 minutes of the event completing on Sunday.

If you are not going to be present on Sunday afternoon, we will mail your money to you or send it via your State designee (national director, president, secretary).

ADMISSION –

Contestants are free with back number.
Children 12 and under are admitted free.

Advance weekend admission armbands can be purchased on the pre order link on the GHSRA Website www.ghsra.com under SESD tab in the top bar under high school tab for \$15.00. Armbands purchased in advance will be available for pick up at the arena entry door from barn 1 during each round.

Admission at the door will be \$8.00 per day.

Each State will receive 4 rodeo personnel passes and these must be picked up at the announcers stand from the rodeo secretary by either the national director, state president or secretary. If they are going to be picked up by another designee, then please notify Leisa Haslerig who that will be in advance via email at SESDRodeoSecretary@GMAIL.com

ADVANCED PURCHASED ARMBANDS MUSTS BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 27, 2023 and if purchasing after October 23rd you will be required to pay through PayPal

HORSE STALLS –

There is a stall order form on the GHSRA website www.ghsra.com under SESD tab in the top bar under high school tab.

EACH CONTESTANT MUST PUT THEIR HORSE OR HORSES IN A STALL WITH ONLY ONE HORSE PER STALL. NO HORSES CAN BE TIED TO TRAILERS AND NO PENS CAN BE SET UP AT TRAILERS. THIS IS AN AGRICENTER RULE.

Stall cost is \$110.00 per stall for the 4 nights in advance and needs to be pre ordered through the link. Each stall comes with 3 bales of shavings that will be in your stall when you arrive.

If you need more than the 3 bales of shaving's you can purchase them from the fairgrounds on their website <https://www.gnfa.com/> or there is a form on the GHSRA website www.ghsra.com under the SESD tab for high school that you can print and fax into them.

If you want to rent stall mats, contact Lisa Slaton at 478-952-6251. She will coordinate with the fairgrounds to have the mats in your stall when you arrive.

<https://www.greenbrokefarmservices.com/services.php>

We will assign stalls according to the reservations and all States will be together if received by the deadline. High School will be in Barn 1 and overflow to Barn 2 if necessary.

If you have a late stall request you may or may not be with your State or your other stalls. Stalls will be \$150.00 after the cut-off date of Friday October 27, 2023. After this date you will need to contact Leisa Haslerig at SESDRodeoSecretary@gmail.com or 423-305-3692 to reserve additional stalls.

Stall fees will not be refunded without a Vet or medical excuse.

Stall reservations must be received no later than Friday, October 27, 2023.

RV HOOK-UPS –

There is plenty of campsites with full hook-up. Arrange directly with the Georgia National Fairgrounds and Agricenter to make your reservations. Your reservation can be made through their website, <https://www.gnfa.com/> No generators are allowed.
30amp - \$40.00 / night plus tax 50amp - \$55.00 / night plus tax

Please advise your contestant's and their families that they will not be permitted admittance to the fairgrounds before 12:00 noon on Wednesday, November 8th.

The Agricenter has a security gate with personnel on duty 24 hours. In an emergency you can call 1-478-988-6557. They are there only for assistance and have no connections with the rodeo and cannot answer any questions regarding the rodeo.

HOST HOTEL – Ask for Rodeo Rate

Jameson Inn Perry \$80.00 plus tax / night
200 Market Place Drive
Perry, GA 31069
478-987-5060

HORSE HEALTH PAPERS –

Be sure you have a *NEGATIVE COGGINS* on your horse. Also, check with your state regarding health papers required when crossing state lines, to and from the rodeo.