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FEBRUARY 2025

Membership Dues:

New \$100.00, Renewal \$100.00, Youth (age 16) \$30.00, Family \$160.00 (Parents + High School & under 16), Day Permit \$40.00 and Associate (bulletin only) \$30.00

Notes:

- Jackpots can be cancelled without notice due to inclement weather, i.e. extreme heat or cold – please call ahead if doubt.
- Negative Coggins required at all roping functions
- Western attire is appreciated at all roping events
- Dogs must be on leash
- Deadline for the Bulletin due by the 20th of the month

Rosebud Ranch

February 22nd

March 8th +++++NOTE DATE CHANGE+++++

7440 Cox Rd. Bellevue, MI 49021

Rob Pyne 269-720-6503

A.J. O'Heran 269-838-6636

Jason O'Heran 269-838-7518

11:00 AM

Open -5 Hd Progressive \$40/man \$24cc. Payoff:1st go- 1 pl/50 teams, Avg.- 1/15 teams up to 4, 6 if over 100

11PT W/#9 Incentive- 4 Hd Progressive \$40/man \$24 cc. Payoff: 70% to the 11pt. 30% to the Incentive.

11pt-1st Go-1/50 tms, Avg - 1/15 teams up to 4, 6 if over 100 Incentive on 3 Hd-Avg-1/25 up to 75, 4 if over 100

4 and Below Draw- Enter 1 Draw 1 or Draw 2— 4 Hd Progressive \$80/man \$24 cc.

Payoff: 1st Go-1/50 tms, Avg - 1/15 teams up to 4, 6 if over 100

Novice –2 Hd \$30/person \$13 cc. Payoff: 1/10 entries, each side (header & heeler)

Youth Steer Stopping

*****BANQUET INFORMATION*****

February 8th 2025

Banquet, Soaring Eagle Casino, Mt. Pleasant, MI

More details below

Hotel Reservation Information:

Reservation can be made online at www.soaringeaglecasino.com

Once on the website choose the book now tab and change promo code to group code and then enter group code MRA020825. You can also call 877-232-4532, press option #1 for reservations, and refer to Michigan Ropers' Association for arrival on Saturday February 8th, 2025. Reservations must be made by Saturday January 18th, 2025

Thank You to our 2024 Season Year End Award Sponsors!

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Rosebud Ranch

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Rule Proposals

4th Time Posted *These will be voted on at the February General Membership Meeting*

I. Ratings:

7. M.R.A. rating numbers are not related to USTRC or any other association's rating system.

Add:

A) If a roper holds a current or past USTRC card above a #7 that roper ropes as their number given by the USTRC. This is only valid for numbers above a 7. All others will be according to the current MRA Team Roping Ratings Guidelines.

G. State Finals:

1. A member, **and in the novice their partner**, must compete in at least three (3) M.R.A. Approved jackpots in the current year to be eligible (qualified) for State Finals.

Submitted By: Kacie Worgiss

ARTICLE VIII – TEAM ROPING

A. General Rules:

1. There will be a minimum of \$4.00 per team and \$1.50 per entry in the Novice put into the M.R.A. Treasury.

Change to:

1. There will be \$6.00 per team per team and \$3.00 per entry in the Novice put into the M.R.A treasury.

If rule passes it will be put into effect immediately.

Submitted By: Joe Crawford

Rosebud Ranch**1/25/25****Secretaries: Kelly O'Heran, AJ O'Heran****Open 1st Go 15 Teams**

Rob Pyne	7.37	\$42.50	Jake Hawkins	7.37	\$42.50
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Open Average 15 Teams

Jason O'Heran	52.32/5	\$384.50	Jake Hawkins	52.32/5	\$384.50
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11PT 9 INCENTIVE 1st Go 52 Teams

Rob Pyne	8.14	\$57.50	Nick O'Heran	8.14	\$57.50
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Jason O'Heran	8.42	\$38.00	Jake Herr	8.42	\$38.00
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11PT 9 INCENTIVE Average 52 Teams

Jason O'Heran	43.73/4	\$242.00	Jake Herr	43.73/4	\$242.00
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Gabriel Hobbs	45.06/4	\$181.50	Jake Hawkinnss	45.06/4	\$181.50
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Jason O'Heran	50.78/4	\$121.00	Mark Herr	50.78/4	\$121.00
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Lane Yoder	38.10/4	\$60.50	Jake Herr	38.10/4	\$60.50
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9 INCENTIVE

Nate Yoder	43.14/3	\$129.50	Jeff Lelito	43.14/3	\$129.50
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Mark Herr	20.15/2	\$77.50	Rob Pyne	20.15/2	\$77.50
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Jack Boyd	35.48/2	\$51.50	Jeff Lelito	35.48/2	\$51.50
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4 and Below Draw Headers 90 Heelers 90

Kelly O'Heran	9.87	\$107.00	Kacie Worgiss	9.87	\$107.00
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Nate Yoder	10.36	\$71.00	Kacie Worgiss	10.36	\$71.00
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4 and Below Draw Average Headers 90 Heelers 90

Nate Yoder	53.30/4	\$642.50	Kacie Worgiss	53.30/4	\$642.50
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Coy O'Heran	59.29/4	\$481.50	Westin O'Heran	59.29/4	\$481.50
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Sandra Herr	67.82/4	\$321.00	Kacie Worgiss	67.82/4	\$321.00
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Taylor Pyne	84.07/4	\$160.50	Tim Wilson	84.07/4	\$160.50
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Novice Heading 13 Teams

Owen Yoder	29.69/2	\$120.00
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Colton Posthumus	40.712	\$80.00
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Novice Heeling 12 Teams

Owen Yoder	32.38/2	\$111.00
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Luke Yoder	34.52/2	\$74.00
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STANDINGS

Thru 1.25.25

5 & Above Heading			4 & Below Heading		
1	Rob Pyne	1058	1	Nate Yoder	2353.5
2	Jason O'Heran	969.5	2	Colten Pyne	1262.5
3	Cody Watts	760.5	3	Sandra Herr	1123
4	David Judah	664	4	Mark Herr	973
5	Jake Hawkins	615	5	Jake Herr	774
6	Lane Yoder	245	6	Coy O'Heran	693.5
7	Sam Silverman	165.5	7	Roscoe Judah	682
8	Jesse Hawkins	133.5	8	Dick Smith	487
9	Kacie Worgiss	68.5	9	Nick Yoder	458.5
5 & Above Heeling			10	Haley Grzesikowski	437
1	Jake Herr	1176	11	Aaron Mast	403
2	Jake Hawkins	1133	12	Brody Booth	353
3	Rob Pyne	794	13	Jaron Lincoln	303
4	Jesse Hawkins	692	14	Gabriel Hobbs	282.5
5	Cody Watts	551.5	15	Tony Lauer	259.5
6	Bill Tucker	437.5	16	Kelly O'Heran	177
7	David Worgiss	360.5	17	Taylor Pyne	160.5
8	Dusty Link	246	18	Reece Catenaro	81
9	Jeff Lelito	181	19	Chase Bachelor	67
10	Nick O'Heran	57.5	20	Jack Boyd	51.5
Novice Heading			4 & Below Heeling		
1	Kristy Brooks	257	1	Hunter Pelham	1605
2	Pyper Carhart	252	2	Kacie Worgiss	1879
3	Case Yoder	185	3	Mark Herr	1554.5
4	Owen Yoder	120	4	Jon Zorn	1423.5
5	Cross VanHouten	111	5	Case Yoder	975
6	Liz Odette	106	6	Gatlin Grove	619
7	Colton Posthumus	80	7	Westin O'Heran	585.5
Novice Heeling			8	David Hobbs	361.5
1	Wynn VanHouten	352	9	Gabriel Hobbs	359
2	Luke Yoder	401	10	Dick Smith	279
3	Owen Yoder	111	11	Tina Popour	251
5	Kyle Bossard	93	12	Hans Anderson	209
			13	Tim Wilson	160.5
			14	Nate Yoder	77.5

MRA AWARDS BANQUET RESERVATION FORM

February 8th, 2025

Soaring Eagle Casino & Resort

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING AT 4:00 PM

COCKTAIL HOUR AT 5:00 PM-6:00 PM

DINNER AT 6:00 PM

AWARDS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING DINNER

****SEMI FORMAL DRESS IS ENCOURAGED****

Reservations for the banquet **must** be sent into the office by January 24th, 2025

This year's dinner will be a Buffet Style.

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Members # _____ x \$20.00 = \$ _____

Non-Member # _____ x \$40.00 = \$ _____

MEAL TOTAL: _____

If the office does not have your reservations by January 24th, 2025, there is no guarantee you will have a plate.

Mail to: MRA Office

11520 Fairbanks Rd.

Linden, Mi 48451

Call or Text: 810-223-4045

*****PLEASE REMEMBER YOU MUST BE A CURRENT (2025) MEMBER TO VOTE ON ANYTHING AT THE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING*****

*****SILENT AUCTION: There will be a Silent Auction again this year, if you have anything you would like to donate it is greatly appreciated, all proceeds from the Silent Auction go to the Scholarship Fund.*****

HOTEL ACCOMIDATIONS:

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6800 Soaring Eagle Blvd

Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

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PLEASE VOTE FOR:

Sportsperson of the year _____

Most Improved Team Roper _____

Roping of The Year _____

Head Horse of The Year _____

Heel Horse of The Year _____

Members Name Nominating: _____

****PLEASE** send these back in with your RSVP. These will be voted on at the banquet from the names nominated. ******