

## **Rule Proposals for 2019**

**To be voted on at the Annual General Membership Meeting November 17<sup>th</sup> at the Casey Tibbs Center in Ft. Pierre**

### **Board of Directors**

#### Rule Proposal # 1

This is an attempt to clean up the rule book: There are 21 board members.

Change Article IX to 21 (instead of 18)

Article VI is correct and already says 21.

### **General Membership**

#### Rule Proposal #2

This is an attempt to gain more members to increase prize money and also be able to fill the events at the SDRA finals. This is also directly in line with the mission statement of the SDRA which states "The SDRA will strive to enhance the dedication and growth of the sport of rodeo with the increased involvement of today's youth."

Add to Bylaw 1-3 Any youth that rodeos under their parent/guardian's SDRA card may purchase a membership card for half price.

Add to Bylaw 1-8c Any youth belonging to a SD Little Britches, 4H or High School rodeo association may purchase a membership card for half price.

Submitted by Mary Pat Fawcett

### **Finals**

#### Rule Proposal # 3

The SDRA will allow college rodeo students to enter the finals and will work with those students at the finals if the finals conflicts with a college rodeo. Those contestants must be there for the first performance.

Submitted by Tommy Crane

## **Mixed Team Roping**

### **Rule Proposal # 4**

May enter with a partner for regular rodeo, but if you cannot both be drawn up at the same time you may switch partners. However, for the finals you must be entered by entry deadline with partner. Points/ money will be kept for both males and females. Points/money for men will be counted for all-around money. The top twelve females entered at the finals must choose male partner from the top twelve entered with money won.

Submitted by Gary Zilverberg

## **Team Penning**

### **Rule Proposal #5**

Addition and alteration to the SDRA Rule Book 35-16 for Team Penning. Delete the first four line of Rule 35-16. Add in “if 17 or less teams are entered in a rodeo, at least 27 head of cattle must be used, but 30 is preferred.”

Explanation: It makes the team penning event a cattle sorting and moving event, not a horse race. It also makes it easier on the cattle as the riders cannot charge the heard as fast because of located their numbered cattle. There are more cattle to search through.

### **Rule Proposal #6**

Rule 35-16 will be altered to require 30 head for the finals (not 36). Rule 35-18 states (in multiple go-rounds, such as the finals, no team shall draw the same cattle twice.) With the attached formula for the draw, the confusion of the draw is eliminated.

\*\* Because all teams know their draw numbered cattle, only one (1) draw is necessary, that being the first go round.

The following I the formula for the draw. For Day 1 Team A is the 12<sup>th</sup> place, Team L is the 1<sup>st</sup> place team. In the cattle draw, substitute the draw number for the numbers 1-10. On Day 2 the teams order of the go is reversed, BUT the cattle sequence continues. On Day 3, the team order of go is again reversed, BUT the cattle sequence continues. 6 numbers are used 4 times and 4 numbers are used 3 times.

See Attached.

Submitted by Tom Jones

## **Team Penning**

### **Proposal #7**

14-5 : Up to five individuals contestants (exception of team penners 6) can be entered together as a buddy group to be guaranteed the same performance draw.

### **Proposal #8**

35-1 In addition to the finals the time will be 90 secs with a warning will be given at 60 secs with 30 remaining.

### **Proposal #9**

35-16 Delete lines 1-8. Insert if more than 10 teams entered in a rodeo 30 cattle must be provided. If less than 10 teams a min of 24 cattle must be used.

Submitted by Doni Zeller