



CAJUN RODEO ASSOCIATION

2019 Finals Information

LOCATION SugArena - New Iberia, LA

DATES 12/06/19 - 12/07/19

If you are currently in the top 20* of your event, CONGRATULATIONS!!

You may be eligible to compete at the 2019 CRA Finals.

This year's CRA Finals will be held **December 6th & 7th, 2019** at the SugArena in New Iberia, LA.

We are providing this Information Packet to outline the upcoming events and timelines.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact your Event Director.

CALL-IN: **MANDATORY Call-in** to enter the CRA Finals will be **Monday, October 28th, from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m.**

The top 15 contestants in each event who have met the 5-rodeo requirement qualify for the Finals, however if you are in the top 20 * and are interested in competing at the Finals, you MUST also call in at this time. Should someone in the top 15 not enter, you may be eligible to compete.

BOOKS for the FINALS will CLOSE at 10:00 PM on MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2019.

If you have NOT called in by the 10:00 PM deadline, you will have handed your position to the subsequent contestant in your event's standings.

FINALS JUDGES: EVERY CONTESTANT CALLING TO ENTER WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE ON JUDGES FOR THE FINALS.
PLEASE BE PREPARED TO CAST YOUR VOTE FOR 3 OF THE FOLLOWING:

Billy Joe Allemand		Trent Cormier	
Teddy Alleman		Jared Begnaud	
Stacy Touchet		Jason Beck	

BRONC RIDERS: EVERY RSBP CONTESTANT CALLING TO ENTER WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE ON PICKUP MEN FOR THE FINALS.
PLEASE BE PREPARED TO CAST YOUR VOTE FOR 2 OF THE FOLLOWING:

Rudy Austin		Lance Martin	
Justin Pender			

BULL RIDERS: EVERY CONTESTANT CALLING TO ENTER THE BULL RIDING WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE ON BULLFIGHTERS FOR THE FINALS.
PLEASE BE PREPARED TO CAST YOUR VOTE FOR 3 OF THE FOLLOWING:

Dylan Terro		Dylan Granger	
Austin Hebert		James Haley	
William Trahan			

ENTRY FEES: The entry fees for the Finals are **\$ 325.00**/contestant for each event and are **NON-REFUNDABLE!**

We will accept personal checks (\$ 35.00 fine for NSF checks), Cashier's Checks, or Money Orders.

Entry fees for each event in which you qualify to compete at the Finals must be mailed to:

**Cajun Rodeo Association
P.O. Box 209
Schriever, LA 70395**

and postmarked no later than Saturday, November 16, 2019

****Entry fees must be paid by deadline or the next in line will be called.****



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PERFORMANCES: There will be three (3) Go Rounds:

1st Go Round: Friday, 12/06/19 @ 7:00 p.m.

2nd Go Round: Saturday, 12/07/19 @ 9:30 a.m. (will be run like Slack - no Acts, no Admission)

3rd Go Round: Saturday, 12/07/19 @ 7:00 p.m.

RUNNING ORDER:

Progressive throughout weekend pending the results of each Round

1st Go: 15th position to the 1st position

2nd Go: 8th position to 15th then 1st to 7th

3rd Go: 15th position to the 1st position

BARREL RACERS: 1st Go: 15th position to the 1st position

2nd Go: 1st position to the 15th position

3rd Go: 15th position to the 1st position

NOTE: We will hand-rake after each run, and drag after 8.

POINTS: The usual 10-point system will be used for each Go-Round.

Points will be doubled for the Average, making it possible to earn up to 50 points at the Finals in one event.

PAY OUT: All three (3) Go Rounds and an Average will be paid out.

Payout for the Finals will be as follows:

20% of the total purse money will be paid out for the 1st Go Round

20% of the total purse money will be paid out for the 2nd Go Round

20% of the total purse money will be paid out for the 3rd Go Round

40% of the total purse money will go to the Average

GROUND RULES: Every contestant must be in Western attire ONE (1) HOUR before the start of each Rodeo.

If a contestant has anyone assisting them in the arena, alleyway, OR behind the bucking chutes, they too must also be in Western attire or the contestant may be subject to a fine.

All contestants must wear their Finals Jacket during the Grand Entry.

Except for Rough Stock, ALL contestants must ride in the Grand Entry.

Rough Stock contestants must be present during Grand Entry.

Failure to participate in and/or wear Finals Jacket during Grand Entry will result in a \$ 25.00 fine.

There will be ZERO tolerance for alcohol in the arena, behind the bucking chutes, behind the roping chutes, or in the alley. Anyone caught with alcohol in these areas will be subject to a \$ 25.00 fine and/or disqualification.

In addition to the Rules listed above, anyone may be subject to the respective fine and/or disqualification as outlined under UNAPPROVED CONDUCT in the CRA Rule Book.

HOST HOTEL:

Candlewod Suites New Iberia

2600 Hwy 14

New Iberia, LA 70560

ph: 337-256-8113

Group Name: Cajun Rodeo Association / Block Code: CRA

Block expires on 11/5/19 @ 6:00 p.m.

Confirmed reservations must be cancelled 24 hrs prior to expected arrival date to avoid charges.