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A reminder to PRCA Members and other persons who call the PRCA National Office: In order to enhance the quality of service provided by the PRCA National Office staff and to ensure the accuracy of matters communicated between PRCA staff and PRCA Members and other persons calling the PRCA National Office, the PRCA (and PRCA Properties) may record telephone conversations which come into, originate from or involve someone in the PRCA National Office.

PRCA HOLIDAY CLOSURES
PROCOM will be open for turn outs, doctor releases, etc. only.
Memorial Day - May 26
Independence Day - July 4
Labor Day - September 1
Thanksgiving Day - November 27
Day After Thanksgiving - November 28
Christmas Eve - December 24
Christmas Day - December 25
New Year's Eve - December 31
New Year's Day - January 1, 2026

ON THE COVER

Steer wrestler Eli Lord clocks a 4.3-second run to win the NILE PRORODEO on Oct. 12, 2024 in Billings, Mont. in PRCA photo by Kristen Schurr

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2025 REQUIRED PARTICIPATION RODEO RULE BASED ON 2024 RODEO COUNT AND 2023 CARRYOVER (B14.4.3.1)

To qualify for a circuit finals, circuit residents must compete at a minimum of 15 rodeos or 40 percent of all rodeos in their circuit, which ever is less. Circuit non-residents must compete at 15 rodeos, or 40 percent (or 50 percent if so elected by the Circuit Board of Directors) of all rodeos in their circuit, which ever is more. Beginning March 1, 2019, co-approved rodeos no longer count toward meeting the required participation count. Please note: **Non-residents must compete at 50 percent of all rodeos.

2025 REQUIRED PARTICIPATION CIRCUIT

	NO. OF RODEOS	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
BADLANDS			
STANDARD	33	13	15
STEER ROPING	3	2	3

CALIFORNIA			
STANDARD	35	14	15

**COLUMBIA RIVER 50%			
STANDARD	42	15	22
STEER ROPING	10	2	3

FIRST FRONTIER			
STANDARD	49	15	20

GREAT LAKES			
STANDARD	63	15	25

**MONTANA 50%			
STANDARD	35	14	18
STEER ROPING	1	1	1

MOUNTAIN STATES			
STANDARD	51	15	21
STEER ROPING	5	2	5

PRAIRIE			
STANDARD	49	15	20
STEER ROPING	12	5	12

**SOUTHEASTERN 50%			
STANDARD	62	15	31

TEXAS			
STANDARD	87	15	35
STEER ROPING	16	7	15

TURQUOISE			
STANDARD	27	11	15
STEER ROPING	5	2	5

**WILDERNESS 50%			
STANDARD	46	15	23

100%

100% of all donations go to eligible athletes.

JUSTIN COWBOY CRISIS FUND MISSION: To provide need-based financial assistance to athletes injured through their participation in professional rodeo.

JCCF has awarded nearly \$9.6 million in need-based financial assistance to approximately 1,500 injured rodeo athletes and their families.

EMAIL jccfinfo@prorodeo.com to make a donation



RODEO ENTRY INFORMATION

30-HOUR REPLACEMENT POLICY

ALL EVENTS: A DR, VIR, or a notified TO can be replaced by an alternate from a list of contestants that were drawn out as a result of using the “no same day” or no same performance” preferences or due to qualifications or permit maximum, as long as the notification is made through PROCOM at least 30 hours prior to the scheduled performance (or slack) in which the contestant is being replaced. Notifications made after the “30-hour” deadline will not be replaced and notifications on record with PROCOM at the 30-hour deadline will be final. Replacements must be made prior to the first round of competition. In the team roping, a team will only be replaced if both partners of the team notify a DR, VIR, TO or DO following the same guidelines as applied in the other events. If only one member of the team notifies and his partner chooses to compete, his partner can find a replacement partner per rule R6.4. If stock has already been drawn in the riding events, the judges will draw an animal for the alternate contestant, after the TO deadline for that performance, from a pool consisting of the animal drawn by the contestant that he is replacing, any other turned out animals (which includes NTO’s, DR’s, and VIR’s), and the first designated re-ride for that performance that is still available. If stock has not yet been drawn, the contestant will be drawn an animal by PROCOM during the scheduled stock draw time. Animals that are turned out (includes NTO’s, DR’s, and VIR’s) will not be included in the re-ride draw until after the TO deadline (3 hours prior to the performance) and replacements for that performance have been made, to insure that there are the same number of animals and contestants for that performance.

ALTERNATE LIST (for events that add \$5,000 or more)
Contestants who were drawn out due to using the “NSD” or “NSP” preferences or who were drawn out due to using the “replace me if I don’t get my preference” parameter will be the first to be considered as alternates in the order that they

originally qualified for the rodeo or event. Contestants who entered during the original entry period and were drawn out due to qualifications will be considered next. For rodeos or events that start prior to May 1, 2025, alternates will be selected based on 2024 money won. For rodeos or events that start on or after May 1, 2025, alternates will be selected based on 2025 money won, as of 7 days prior to entry closing. If an alternate is scheduled to compete at another PRCA rodeo or event during a performance that has a “same day” conflict with the position for which he is being considered as a replacement, he will not be eligible to be an alternate for that position. If a contestant does not accept an available position or is not eligible for a position due to a conflict during a performance, he will remain on the alternate list in the same order for any other positions that may become available. If the alternate accepts a position, he must turn out of the conflicting position at that time.

ALTERNATE LIST (for events that add less than \$5,000)
Contestants who were drawn out due to using the “NSD” or “NSP” preferences or who were drawn out due to using the “replace me if I don’t get my preference” parameter will be the first to be considered as alternates in the order that they originally qualified for the rodeo or event. Next in the order, on the alternate list, will be a random draw of all contestants with “money won”, followed by a random draw of all contestants with no “money won”. Only contestants who entered during the original entry period will be considered as alternates.

RE-ENTRIES POLICY
Due to “featured” events and “equal money” in the team roping, some rodeos may be using both types of alternate lists for different events.

RE-ENTRIES POLICY

Each committee will have the option to implement the “Re-entries Policy” at its rodeo at the time of approval.

RIDING EVENTS: Re-entries will be accepted at limited entry rodeos where the actual entries accepted during the original entry period were less than the limit. Also, if there was not a limit for an event, and there were not enough entries after the original entry period to place at least 12 contestants in each performance, re-entries will be accepted. A time period will be designated and published in the Business Journal in the ground rules of each rodeo for the entries to be re-opened sometime prior to the riding event stock draw. Contestants that enter during the re-entry period will be placed in the remaining available positions. All re-entries will be accepted to fill the performances not to exceed the original limit defined in the ground rules (based on “money won” qualifications) or 12 per performance at a rodeo that did not limit its entries (based on a random draw.)

TIMED EVENTS: Re-entries will be accepted for events that

did not have enough entries to place at least 10 contestants in each performance. Contestants that enter during the re-entry period will be placed in the remaining available positions. All re-entries will be accepted to fill the performances not to exceed the original limit defined in the ground rules (based on “money won” qualifications) or 10 contestants per performance at a rodeo that did not limit its entries (based on a random draw.)

ALL EVENTS: A contestant that re-enters will not be placed in a position that conflicts with his position at another PRCA rodeo or event. Further, a contestant placed in slack during the original placement of a rodeo may request a trade into an open position in a paid performance during the re-entry time. Re-entries will not be accepted if an event is declared “no contest” due to the lack of entries at the original entry closing time.

At the sole discretion of the PRCA, a re-entry may not be accepted.

RODEO ENTRY INFORMATION

WALK-UP REPLACEMENT POLICY

Committees will have the option to implement the following “walk-up” replacement policy to the ground rules of their rodeo:

“In addition to the ‘30-hour replacement’ policy, Procom will replace TO’s, DR’s, VIR’s, and DO’s in compliance with the “30-hour replacement” policy up to the turn out deadline for each performance (3 hours prior to the performance). At this point in time, the secretary will receive the notified TO’s and DR’s for that performance along with the alternate list established by Procom for each event in which contestants were drawn out due to qualification or due to using the ‘no same day’ preference or the ‘or out’ parameter. All TO’s, DR’s, and VIR’s (including contestants who notified after the 30-hour deadline, but before the 3 hour turn out deadline) may be replaced by contestants on the alternate list. If a riding event contestant turns out or doctor’s releases his position at a rodeo prior to the stock draw for that rodeo and an animal is not drawn for that contestant (see R3.2.1), that position will not be filled by an alternate contestant to insure that there are not more replacement contestants than there are animals available. Contestants who turn out or doctor’s release in a slack will not be replaced, with the exception of a two go-round contest where the 2nd go-round is guaranteed to compete in a performance (the second go-round position cannot be traded to the slack). Contestants who desire to be accepted as alternates must physically check in with the rodeo secretary no later than 2 hours prior to the performance. All alternate contestants will be required to pay entry fees. Stock for the Riding Events will be drawn for the “30 Hour Replacement” and the “Walk Up Replacement” contestants after the check in deadline, from a pool of animals consisting of the animals drawn by the contestants who notified turn outs through Procom (includes DR’s, VIR’s, and DO’s) and the first available designated re-ride for that performance. If more than one position is being replaced within a performance or slack, the order that each are replaced will be determined by random draw. If more contestants check in with the rodeo secretary than there are positions available, the contestants accepted will be determined by their order on the alternate list (established by Procom). A contestant who did not enter the rodeo and who does not have a position on the alternate list, can also check in with the rodeo secretary prior to the walk up deadline by presenting his current active PRCA membership card to the rodeo secretary. If more contestants who are not on the alternate list check in with the secretary than there are positions available, a random draw by the judges will determine which alternates will be accepted. After all of the turned out positions have been replaced by contestants who did have a position on the alternate list, any remaining turned out positions may be filled by current active PRCA contestants who did not have a position on the alternate list and who did check in with the rodeo secretary by the walk up deadline. If a contestant, who was not originally entered in the rodeo, is ineligible and competes at the rodeo, will have any money owed to the PRCA retained by the PRCA from his money won at that rodeo. Contestants who are placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event on the same day as the position being replaced will not be eligible to be an alternate for that position with the following exception. A contestant can compete at a rodeo as a replacement and at another rodeo with a “same day” conflict as long as he does not turn out of either rodeo. The contestant must notify the secretary that he has already competed at the conflicting rodeo or will actually be competing at the conflicting rodeo that is flagged on the secretary’s alternate list and therefore will be eligible to be used as an alternate. For example, if a contestant competes during a performance or slack at one rodeo then arrives and physically checks in with the rodeo secretary prior to the “walk up” deadline at another rodeo with a same day conflict, he will be allowed to compete at both rodeos. Or a contestant may be used as an alternate at one rodeo and then compete at another rodeo with a same day conflict in which he was already entered as long as he competes at both and does not turn out of the conflicting rodeo. Conflicting positions for each alternate will also be flagged with an “X” on the alternate list. A contestant will be responsible to know his conflicting rodeos and will be disqualified and fined \$ 100 if he checks in with the secretary and competes as a replacement and then turns out of the rodeo with the “same day” conflict. Positions at other rodeos that are turned-out will be considered conflicts.

STOCK DRAW AT TOUR RODEOS

Riding event stock for “Tour” rodeos will be drawn 7 days prior to the first performance of the rodeo with the following exception. If the stock contractor or a sub-contractor for a given rodeo is supplying stock for another rodeo that is not completed prior to the stock draw 7 days prior to the given rodeo, stock for the given rodeo will be drawn per the PRCA Rule Book (no later than 72 hours prior to the first performance).

RODEO ENTRY INFORMATION

ATTENTION CONTESTANTS

NSD (“NO SAME DAY”) AND NSP (“NO SAME PERFORMANCE”) PREFERENCES

The NSD (“No Same Day”) and NSP (“No Same Performance”) preferences can ensure that a contestant will not be placed to compete at two or more different PRCA rodeos either on the same day or within the same performance time frame. For the purpose of the NSP (“No Same Performance”) preference, performance (or slack) start times will be defined as: 12:00 AM through 11:59 AM as a morning performance or slack, 12:00 PM through 5:59 PM as a matinee performance or slack, and 6:00 PM through 11:59 PM as a night performance or slack. Only conflicts with other PRCA sanction rodeos or events will be checked. Conflicts with Canadian rodeo will NOT be checked.

The contestant must give, at the time of entry, a specific performance or slack, generic slack, or the middle as a first preference to use the NSD or NSP as a second preference. Conflicts will not be checked if a contestant receives his first preference (the contestant will be responsible for not creating a conflict by giving a conflicting first preference). If a contestant does not receive his first preference, he will be placed in the first available non-conflicted position or be drawn out (if a non-conflicted position is not available), if and only if he gives an NSD or NSP as a second preference. Only the first go-round of a two or more go-round rodeo will be checked for conflicts with the exception of back to back formats or where the second or subsequent go-round cannot be traded. If trades for subsequent go-rounds at a specific rodeo will not be allowed, conflicts will be checked for all go-rounds at that rodeo (this does not apply to progressives and finals). Where the PRCA rulebook allows, second and subsequent go-round trades will be done through the rodeo secretary. If the NSD or NSP is used while entering a given rodeo, only the original position (drawn by PROCOM) at a rodeo with conflicting dates will be checked for conflicts, if a first go-round trade has not been finalized and processed by PROCOM. Once the first go-round trade has been verified and processed by PROCOM, then conflicts with the new traded position can be checked.

If a NSD or NSP preference is used, a contestant will not be placed in a conflicted position, he will be drawn out. If any one contestant in a buddy group has a conflict, the entire buddy group will be drawn out. If either team roping partner has a conflict, both team roping partners will be drawn out. This does not apply to multi-event buddy groups, since the same performance or slack in all events is not always guaranteed. The contestant may receive a nonconflicted position in one event and not in another. In this case the contestant can add a parameter with his entry at the time of entry to “draw out of all events, if drawn out of one due to the NSD or NSP preferences.”

For rodeos that have conflicting dates, the entries for the rodeos with the largest amount of total added money will generally close first. Therefore, a contestant will be placed in a rodeo with a larger purse first and then placed in the rodeo with the smaller purse if a non-conflicting position is available. Contestants who give slack as a first preference are no longer required to give a performance as a second preference. Instead, contestants will also be allowed to give a specific slack, generic slack, or the middle for their first preference and another specific slack for a second preference. All other preferences and parameters that have been allowed in the past will remain the same.

X-BULLS EVENTS WITH A FINALS

GROUND RULES: The 30-Hour and Walk-Up Replacement Policies will be in effect. The check-in deadline for Walk-Up Replacements will be one hour prior to the performance.

ALL CONTESTANTS: Re-entries will be accepted for available positions on XXX, XXX XX between 9:00 AM and 11 AM. See Rodeo Entry Information page of the Business Journal.

TRADE DEADLINE: (if two performances) XXX, XXX XX at 4:00 PM. All confirmed trades will be final and processed immediately after both involved parties have confirmed through PROCOM.

GRACE PERIOD: will expire one hour after entries close.

FORMAT: XX minimum entries. One go-round with a top XX finals (will not exceed XX). If there are not XX qualified rides in the first go-round to fill the finals all remaining positions will be filled based on a random draw back list established by the judges prior to the start of the event. If ties result in more than 12 to advance to the finals the back judge will break the tie. If the back judge cannot break the tie, the random draw back list will determine which of the tied contestants will advance.

QUALIFICATIONS: Qualifications will be listed in the long listings for each individual X-Bulls Event. No Exemptions. A contestant will not be accepted as an entry at an X-Bulls Event if he is already placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event on the same day as the X-Bulls Event. If a contestant turns out of a PRCA rodeo that has a same day conflict as the X-Bulls Event, and competes at the X-Bulls Event, he may be disqualified at the X-Bulls Event.

CHECK-IN: Contestants must check-in or notify the rodeo secretary one hour prior to the start of the performance. Failure to do so may result in an alternate contestant being selected and allowed to compete. Animals that were drawn by contestants who did not check in by the deadline and were replaced by alternate contestants will be included in the draw for replacement contestants.

ALTERNATES: Alternates will be selected based on previous year money won for events occurring prior to May 1 or current year money won (as of 7 days prior to entry closing) for events on May 1 or later. A contestant who is placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event that conflicts with the X-Bulls Event will not be eligible to be used as an alternate. Contestants may check-in with or call the rodeo secretary no later than one hour prior to the start of the event to confirm his availability and desire to be an alternate. If selected, the alternate will assume the competition position of the contestant that he is replacing. If there are more than one available position, random draw by the judges will determine which position will be filled by the alternate contestant(s). Alternate contestants who accept a position as a "30 Hour" replacement after being contacted by Procom will be informed that their stock will be determined by a judge's draw. The stock for the "30 Hour" and Walk-Up" replacements will be drawn by the judges after the "Walk-Up" replacement deadline which is one hour prior to the event from a pool of animals that will include all the animals that were notified through Procom as turn outs (includes DR's and VIR's), any animals that were drawn by contestants who did not check in by the deadline and were replaced, and the designated re-ride(s) only if needed. If a contestant turns out (notified or non-notified) or visible injury releases, he will be responsible to pay entry fees whether he is replaced or not. The alternate contestant will also be responsible to pay entry fees. Also, if a contestant turns out of an X-Bulls Event and is not replaced, he will receive a \$250 fine (does not include DR's and VIR's).

STOCK DRAW: Stock will be drawn no later than 72 hours prior to the performance. The Event Representative may designate the re-ride animals. The event will count towards the official rodeo count for any contestant who turns out after stock callbacks.

FINALS STOCK: The order of the bulls to be used in the finals will be randomly drawn by the judges and listed in order on the judges' sheets prior to the first go-round of competition. The contestant with the lowest score will be placed first on the list and the contestant with the highest score will be placed last on the list with an animal already drawn to that position. The order of any ties will be randomly drawn by the judges.

RE-RIDES: After all replacements have been made, any remaining available animals that were notified as turn-outs (includes DR's and VIR's) will be used prior to using the designated re-ride(s).

PAYOFF: 6% of the total amount (added money plus entry fees) will be deducted prior to the payoff and sent in with the results. Of the remaining amount, 30% will be allocated to the long go-round (pays 8 places), 20% will be allocated to the finals (pays 6 places), and 50% will be allocated to the average (pays 8 places). All percentages will be divided in accordance with the Rule Book. Contestants who did not have a qualified score in the long go-round and are drawn back to compete in the finals will be eligible to place in the average. Money won by any contestant in the finals will count towards PRCA World Standings, X-Bulls Standings, and Rookie of the Year Standings.

NOTE: In order for money won at X-Bulls Events to count towards PRCA World Standings and Rookie of the Year Standings, a contestant must have competed at a minimum of 40 PRCA rodeos during that current rodeo season. Money won will count towards X-Bulls Standings for that respective X-Bulls season. Money won will not count towards All Around or Circuit Standings, nor will the event be applied to a contestant's required participation count.

NOTE: Any deviation from these ground rules will be listed in the long listings of the Business Journal for that specific X-Bulls Event.

ENTRY FEES: Events that add \$20,000 or more --\$250 (plus \$35 supplemental fee); Events that add \$19,999 or less --\$100 if one/\$150 if two (plus \$35 supplemental fee.)

X-BULLS EVENTS WITH NO FINALS

GROUND RULES: The 30-Hour and Walk-Up Replacement Policies will be in effect. The check-in deadline for Walk-Up Replacements will be one hour prior to the performance.

ALL CONTESTANTS: Re-entries will be accepted for available positions on XXX, XXX XX between 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM. See Rodeo Entry Information page of the Business Journal.

GRACE PERIOD: will expire one hour after entries close.

FORMAT: XX minimum entries. One go-round. May be two go-rounds, back to back, same performance, depending on the number of entries. If two go-rounds, the number of entries accepted during the re-entry period will not exceed one half the original limit.

QUALIFICATIONS: Qualifications will be listed in the long listings for each individual X-Bulls Event. No exemptions. A contestant will not be accepted as an entry at an X-Bulls Event if he is already placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event on the same day as the X-Bulls Event. If a contestant turns out of a PRCA rodeo that has a same day conflict as an X-Bulls Event, and competes at the X-Bulls Event, he may be disqualified at the X-Bulls Event.

CHECK-IN: Contestants must check-in or notify the rodeo secretary one hour prior to the start of the performance. Failure to check in may result in an alternate contestant being selected and allowed to compete. Animals that were drawn by contestants who did not check in by the deadline and were replaced by alternate contestants will be included in the draw for replacement contestants

ALTERNATES: Alternates will be selected based on previous year money won for events occurring prior to May 1 or current year money won (as of 7 days prior to entry closing) for events on May 1 or later. A contestant who is placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event that conflicts with the X-Bulls Event will not be eligible to be used as an alternate. Contestants may check-in with or call the rodeo secretary no later than one hour prior to the start of the event to confirm his availability and desire to be an alternate. If selected, the alternate will assume the competition position of the contestant that he is replacing. If there are more than one available position, random draw by the judges will determine which position will be filled by the alternate contestant(s). Alternate contestants who accept a position as a "30 Hour Replacement" after being contacted by Procom will be informed that their stock will be determined by a judge's draw. The stock for the "30 Hour" and Walk-Up" replacements will be drawn by the judges after the "Walk-Up" replacement deadline which is one hour prior to the event from a pool of animals that will include all the animals that were notified through Procom as turn-outs (includes DR's and VIR's), any animals that were drawn by contestants who did not check in by the deadline and were replaced, and the designated re-ride(s) only if needed. If a contestant turns out (notified or non-notified) or visible injury releases, he will be responsible to pay entry fees whether he is replaced or not. The alternate contestant will also be responsible to pay entry fees. Also, if a contestant turns out of an X-Bulls Event and is not replaced, he will receive a \$250 fine (does not include DR's and VIR's).

STOCK DRAW: Stock will be drawn no later than 72 hours prior to the performance. The Event Representative may designate the re-ride animals. The event will count towards the official rodeo count for any contestant who turns out after stock callbacks.

RE-RIDES: After all replacements have been made, any remaining available animals that were notified as turn-outs (includes DR's and VIR's) will be used prior to using the designated re-ride(s).

PAYOFF: 6% of the total amount (added money plus entry fees) will be deducted prior to the payoff and sent in with the results. Payoff will be in accordance with the PRCA Rule Book.

NOTE: In order for money won at X-Bulls Events to count towards PRCA World Standings and PRCA Rookie of the Year Standings, a contestant must have competed at a minimum of 40 PRCA rodeos during that current rodeo season. Money won will count towards X-Bulls Standings for that respective X-Bulls season. Money won will not count towards All Around or Circuit Standings nor will the event be applied to a contestant's required circuit participation count.

NOTE: Any deviation from these ground rules will be listed in the long listings of the Business Journal for that specific X-Bulls Event.

ENTRY FEES: Events that add \$20,000 or more --\$250 (plus \$35 supplemental fee): Events that add \$19,999 or less --\$100 if one, \$150 if two (plus \$35 supplemental fee)

X-BRONCS WITH A FINALS

GROUND RULES: The 30-Hour and Walk-Up Replacement Policies will be in effect. The check-in deadline for Walk-Up Replacements will be one hour prior to the performance.

ALL CONTESTANTS: Re-entries will be accepted for available positions on XXX, XXX XX between 9:00 AM and 11 AM. See Rodeo Entry Information page of the Business Journal.

TRADE DEADLINE: (if two performances) XXX, XXX XX at 4:00 PM. All confirmed trades will be final and processed immediately after both involved parties have confirmed through PROCOM.

GRACE PERIOD: will expire one hour after entries close.

FORMAT: XX minimum entries. One go-round with a top XX finals (will not exceed XX). If ties result in more than XX to advance, a random draw by the judges will determine who advances.

QUALIFICATIONS: Qualifications will be listed in the long listings for each individual X-Broncs Event. No Exemptions. A contestant will not be accepted as an entry at an X-Broncs Event if he is already placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event on the same day as the X-Broncs Event. If a contestant turns out of a PRCA rodeo that has a same day conflict as the X-Broncs Event, and competes at the X-Broncs Event, he may be disqualified at the X-Broncs Event.

ALTERNATES: Alternates will be selected based on previous year money won for events occurring prior to May 1 or current year money won (as of 7 days prior to entry closing) for events occurring on May 1 or later. A contestant who is placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event that has a "same performance" conflict as the X-Broncs Event will not be eligible to be used as an alternate. Contestants may check in with or call the rodeo secretary no later than one hour prior to the start of the event to confirm his availability and desire to be an alternate. If selected, the alternate will assume the competition position of the contestant that he is replacing. If there are more than one available position, a random draw by the judges will determine which position will be filled by the alternate contestant(s). Alternate contestants who accept a position as a "30 Hour" replacement after being contacted by PROCOM will be informed that their stock will be determined by a judge's draw. The stock for the "30 Hour" and "Walk-Up" replacements will be drawn by the judges after the "Walk-Up" deadline which is one hour prior to the event from a pool of animals that will include all the animals that were notified through PROCOM as turn outs (includes DR's and VIR's) and the first available designated re-ride. If a contestant turns out (notified or non-notified) or visible injury releases, he will be responsible to pay entry fees whether he is replaced or not. The alternate contestant will also be responsible to pay entry fees.

STOCK DRAW: Stock will be drawn no later than 72 hours prior to the performance. The Event Representative may designate the re-ride animals. The event will count towards the omcial rodeo count for any contestant who turns out after stock callbacks.

FINALS STOCK: The order of the animals to be used in the finals will be randomly drawn by the judges and listed in order on the judges' sheets prior to the first go-round of competition. The contestant with the lowest score will be placed first on the list and the contestant with the highest score will be placed last on the list with animals already drawn to those positions. The order of any ties will be randomly drawn by the judges.

PAYOFF: 6% of the total amount (added money plus entry fees) will be deducted prior to the payoff and sent in with the results. Of the remaining amount, 60% will be allocated to the long go-round (pays 8 places), and 40% will be allocated to the finals (pays 4 places). There will be no average payoff. All placing percentages will be in accordance with the Rule Book.

NOTE: Money won at X-Broncs Events will count towards X-Broncs Standings which will be used for qualifying for the Finale. Money won at this event will count towards XXXX World Standings and XXXX Rookie of the Year Standings, as long as the contestant has entered and competed at a minimum of 40 PRCA rodeos during the XXXX rodeo year. Money won at this event will not count towards All Around or Circuit Standings, nor will the event be applied to a contestant's required circuit participation count.

NOTE: Any deviations from these ground rules will be listed in the long listings of the Business Journal for that specific X-Broncs Event.

ENTRY FEES: \$100 if one/\$200 if two.

X-BRONCS WITH NO FINALS

GROUND RULES: The 30-Hour and Walk-Up Replacement Policies will be in effect. The check-in deadline for Walk-Up Replacements will be one hour prior to the performance.

ALL CONTESTANTS: Re-entries will be accepted for available positions on XXX, XXX XX between 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM. See Rodeo Entry Information page of the Business Journal.

GRACE PERIOD: will expire one hour after entries close.

FORMAT: XX minimum entries. One go-round.

QUALIFICATIONS: Qualifications will be listed in the long listings for each individual X-Broncs Event. No Exemptions. A contestant will not be accepted as an entry at an X-Broncs Event if he is already placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event on the same day as the X-Broncs Event. If a contestant turns out of a PRCA rodeo that has a "same day" conflict as the X-Broncs Event, he may be disqualified at the X-Broncs Event.

ALTERNATES: Alternates will be selected based on previous year money won for events occurring prior to May 1 or current year money won (as of 7 days prior to entry closing) for events occurring on May 1 or later. A contestant who is placed in a position at another PRCA rodeo or event that has a "same performance" conflict as the X-Broncs Event will not be eligible to be used as an alternate. Contestants may check in with or call the rodeo secretary no later than one hour prior to the start of the event to confirm his availability and desire to be an alternate. If selected, the alternate will assume the competition position of the contestant that he is replacing. If there is more than one position available, a random draw by the judges will determine which position will be filled by the alternate contestant(s). Alternate contestants who accept a position as a "30 Hour" replacement after being contacted by PROCOM will be informed that their stock will be determined by a judge's draw. The stock for the "30 Hour" and "Walk-Up" replacements will be drawn by the judges after the "Walk-Up" deadline which is one hour prior to the event from a pool of animals that will include all the animals that were notified through PROCOM as turn outs (includes DR's and VIR's) and the first available designated re-ride. If a contestant turns out (notified or non-notified) or visible injury releases, he will be responsible to pay entry fees whether he is replaced or not. The alternate contestant will also be responsible to pay entry fees.

STOCK DRAW: Stock will be drawn no later than 72 hours prior to the performance. The Event Representative may designate the re-ride animals. The event will count towards the official rodeo count for any contestant who turns out after stock callbacks.

PAYOFF: 6% of the total amount (added money plus entry fees) will be deducted prior to the payoff and sent in with the results. Payoff will be in accordance with the Rule Book.

NOTE: Money won at X-Broncs Events will count towards X-Broncs Standings which will be used for qualifying for the Finale. Money won at this event will count towards XXXX World Standings and XXXX Rookie of the Year Standings, as long as the contestant has entered and competed at a minimum of 40 PRCA rodeos during the XXXX rodeo year. Money won at this event will not count towards All Around or Circuit Standings, nor will the event be applied to a contestant's required circuit participation count.

NOTE: Any deviations from these ground rules will be listed in the long listings of the Business Journal for that specific X-Broncs Event.

ENTRY FEES: \$100 if one/\$200 if two.

Rodeo Entry Information

The Rodeo Entry Information listed on the following pages provides members with dates, times and other pertinent details regarding upcoming rodeos.

PROCOM NUMBERS: 800.234.PRCA (7722) • PROCOM LOCAL LINE: 719.548.4800. RESULTS LINE: 719.548.4848 • Trade Line: 719.548.4877. PROCOM Hours: 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM. PROCOM will be open each day until the last rodeo turn out deadline.

TD ENTRY FEE SCALE

From	To	EF's
\$500	\$999	\$40 if 1 head \$80 if 2 head
\$1,000	\$1,999	\$50 if 1 head \$100 if 2 head
\$2,000	\$3,999	\$75 if 1 head \$150 if 2 head
\$4,000	\$6,999.99 added	\$150 if 1 head \$300 if 2 head
\$7,000	\$9,999.99 added	\$200 if 1 head \$350 if 2 head

\$10,000 added and above to be set by director
\$250 for 1 head (Minimum)
\$400 for 2 head (Minimum)

Representative and Director of Rodeo Administration. These EFS shall stand unless otherwise approved by the Board of Directors.

TD ENTRY FEE SCALE AT RODEOS USING THE DAY-MONEY SYSTEM

From	To	EF's
\$ 500	\$ 999.99	\$80 (\$40/\$40)
\$ 1,000	\$ 1,999.99	\$100 (\$50/\$50)
\$ 2,000	\$ 3,999.99	\$150 (\$75/\$75)

SW ENTRY FEE SCALE

From	To	EF's
\$500	\$999	\$40 if 1 head \$80 if 2 head
\$1,000	\$1,999	\$50 if 1 head \$100 if 2 head
\$2,000	\$3,999	\$75 if 1 head \$150 if 2 head
\$4,000	\$7,999	\$100 if 1 head \$200 if 2 head
\$8,000	\$9,999	\$125 if 1 head \$250 if 2 head
10,000 or more		Set by Event

Representative and Director of Rodeo Administration. These EFS shall stand unless otherwise approved by the Board of Directors.

TEAM ROPING ENTRY FEE SCALE

Entry fees (per man) are based on combined added money for the header and the heeler.

\$500 to \$1,999	\$100 per man if 1 head \$150 per man if 2 head
\$2,000 to \$4,999	\$125 per man if 1 head \$200 per man if 2 head
\$5,000 to \$7,999	\$150 per man if 1 head \$250 per man if 2 head
\$8,000 to \$9,999	\$200 per man if 1 head \$300 per man if 2 head
\$10,000 or more	to be set by the Event Representative and the Director of Rodeo Administration.

SR ENTRY FEE SCALE

The stock charge shall be \$60 per go-round.

From	To	EF's
\$500	\$4,999	\$100 if 1 head \$200 if 2 head
\$5,000	\$9,999	Set by ER if 1 head \$250 if 2 head
\$10,000 and above		\$300 \$25 added for finals

Entry fees will increase by \$100 per additional long go-round beyond two head. Entry fees will increase by \$50 for a rodeo with a progressive go-round. Only rodeos with at least \$3,000 added in the steer roping may have more than three long go-rounds. No stock charge will be assessed for progressive go-rounds or finals/short go-rounds.

BB & SB ENTRY FEE SCALE

From	To	EF's
\$500	\$999	\$30 if 1 head \$50 if 2 head
\$1,000	\$1,999	\$40 if 1 head \$60 if 2 head
\$2,000	\$2,999	\$50 if 1 head \$70 if 2 head
\$3,000	\$3,999	\$60 if 1 head \$80 if 2 head
\$4,000	\$4,999	\$70 if 1 head \$90 if 2 head
\$5,000	\$6,999	\$80 if 1 head \$100 if 2 head
\$7,000	\$9,999	\$90 if 1 head \$100 if 2 head

\$10,000 and above set by the Event Representative and Director of Rodeo Administration.

BR ENTRY FEE SCALE

From	To	EF's
\$500	\$999	\$40 if 1 head \$60 if 2 head
\$1,000	\$1,999	\$50 if 1 head \$75 if 2 head
\$2,000	\$2,999	\$60 if 1 head \$90 if 2 head

\$3,000 and above, entry fees set by the Event Representative and Director of Rodeo Administration.

BR ENTRY FEE SCALE AT RODEOS USING THE DAY-MONEY SYSTEM

From	To	EF's
\$500	\$999	\$30-\$30 If 1
\$1,000	\$1,999	\$40-\$40 If 1
\$2,000	\$2,999	\$50-\$50 If 1
\$3,000	\$3,999	\$60-\$60 If 1
\$4,000	\$4,999	\$70-\$70 If 1
\$5,000	\$9,999	\$100-\$100 If 1

\$10,000 and above set by the Event Representative and Director of Rodeo Administration.

HOW TO READ RODEO LISTINGS

Events

BB - Bareback	TR - Team Roping
SB - Saddle Bronc	HD - Header
BR - Bull Riding	HL - Heeler
TD - Tie-down Roping	SR - Steer Roping
SW - Steer Wrestling	GB - Girls Barrel Racing
LB - Ladies Breakaway Roping	

Other abbreviations

NPP - No Priority Positions	EC - Entries Close
E00 - Entry Office Opens	EF's - Entry Fees
MT - Mountain Time	W/F's - With Finals
MDT - Mountain Daylight Time	

The 2026 season begins Oct. 1, 2025.

The 2025 rodeo season will end with rodeos ending on or prior to Sept. 30, 2025.

ALL 2025 RODEOS WITH QUALIFICATIONS FOR ALL EVENTS:

If a contestant qualifies in both the 2024 and 2025 categories for money won, he will be accepted in the 2024 category for money won.

ATTENTION: At all rodeos in California, there will be a disqualification for a jerk down as long as all criteria are in compliance with the jerk down policy.

2025 PRCA EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ELECTION

Final election ballots for Executive Council positions will be emailed no later than Feb. 25, 2025, and are due by 5 pm MT, March 25. The following categories will not have ballots mailed out, as positions are filled for the following:

Rodeo Committee Executive Council \$10,000.01-\$20,000

To be determined by the Rodeo Committee Executive Council

Contract Personnel Representative At-Large – Cindy Rosser – Incumbent

Timer/ Secretary Representative – Sunni Deb Backstrom – Incumbent

Arena Pickup Man/Labor/Specialty Act/ Photographer/Miscellaneous Representative

Josh Edwards – Incumbent

Bareback Riding Representative – Caleb Bennett -Incumbent

Tie-Down Roping Representative – Shane Hanchey – Incumbent

Team Roping Representative – Kaleb Driggers – Incumbent

RODEO COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE \$20,000.01-\$50,000

BRYANT NELSON – Incumbent

Dear PRCA Committee Members, I am asking for your support as I seek re-election to the Rodeo Committee Executive Council. As a proud PRCA member since 1988, I believe committees are the backbone of the PRCA, and I am committed to ensuring your voices are heard. Currently, I serve on the By-Laws Subcommittees focused on rule changes for hardship time and turnouts. This work has strengthened my understanding of how policies impact committees and contestants alike. My goal is to ensure rules are fair, clear, and beneficial for everyone involved. If re-elected, I will continue to advocate for committees and work hard to strengthen their role within the PRCA. I will always strive to make sure committees have a voice in shaping the future of our sport. It has been an honor to serve on the Executive Council, and I would be grateful for the opportunity to continue representing you. Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions or would like to discuss my goals further. Sincerely, Bryant Nelson

DOUG BEEHLER

Doug Beehler co-founded the Meridian Lions Rodeo (now the Treasure Valley Rodeo) in Meridian, ID in 1989. He served as Rodeo President/Production Director for the first 30 years. He now serves as the Production Director and Treasurer. The Treasure Valley Rodeo will hold their 36th annual rodeo in 2025. Doug has helped take the Rodeo from an amateur rodeo to a PRCA rodeo. Doug is a Financial Advisor and has been with Waddell & Reed/LPL Financial since 1986. He specializes in financial planning, retirement planning, wealth management, and estate planning. Doug also served on the Executive Board of Miss Rodeo America, Inc. He is a Gold Member of Miss Rodeo America and has volunteered for the Miss Rodeo America pageant for 25 years. Other Board positions are Past President of the Meridian Chamber of Commerce, past board member of West Ada Education Foundation, and Past President of the Meridian Lions Club. He is also Past District Governor and Past Council Chair, the highest position you can hold for the Lions Clubs in Idaho and Eastern Oregon. Doug would be honored and privileged to serve as the Rodeo Committee Executive Council Representative for rodeos 20K-50K.

BULL RIDING REPRESENTATIVE

CODY ROSTOCKYJ – Incumbent

Bull Riding director has always been a task I take seriously. Whether it's helping solve a problem or staying out of one, I have proudly devoted countless hours to representing your thoughts and concerns. This has often meant giving honest answers to stock contractors and competitors alike, but I have always remembered I was out here to represent the bull riders first and foremost. From Rule changes to helping young guys figure out how to navigate the industry of Pro Rodeo, my phone has always been open to anyone and will continue. I appreciate all of your support and input over our last few years and look forward to continuing to improve our event and working with all of you, whether you are a first-year guy or a multi-time world champion. Feel free to reach out anytime. Just remember to vote. Every vote matters. Ask Kamala.

JESSE POHLMANN

I have been involved with rodeo and bull riding my entire life. I served as the Prairie Circuit bull riding director and was the rough stocked representative on the Prairie circuit board of directors. Currently help several contestants with entering and schedules. Helping several guys go on to make the NFR. I feel I'd be a great voice for the bull riders and help to make changes for the improvement of rodeo and bull riding. Working with other event reps to get new rules passed. I have a great knowledge of bucking bulls and a passion for them. I think that would be a major asset towards improving stock selection and rodeos in general. Thanks for your time and I would appreciate your vote and support.

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP REPRESENTATIVE TO THE COMPETITION COMMITTEE

JOHN FRANZEN - Incumbent

I gladly accept the incumbent nomination and would like to continue to serve on the Competition Committee representing the

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General Membership. As a Contestant, Stock Contractor, Former Contract Personnel, and Committee Member, I feel I am the best candidate to represent all four parties which consist of making our general membership. I feel my job is to represent everyone who is a card member and considering I am affected by all decisions made in one way or another. I can make thoughtful and meaningful decisions for the betterment of all of our members. Feel free to call me with any questions, concerns, or rule proposals you may have.

JOHN GWATNEY

I grew up in the rodeo world and I am a PRCA Gold Card member with over 40 years of experience as a contestant, chute boss, rodeo committee, and producer. I am passionate about communication in all facets of rodeo. I will keep up with the rules, changes, and proposals, working for contestants and committees to help continue the growth of the PRCA without losing the integrity of our history. Thank you for your consideration.

STOCK CONTRACTOR EXECUTIVE COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE (3 positions)

JERRY DORENKAMP – Incumbent

No statement provided

DAVID MOREHEAD – Incumbent

No statement provided

STEVE SUTTON – Incumbent

I am the fifth generation of the Sutton Rodeo Company, started by my great grandfather, Edwin, on our ranch in South Dakota in 1926. My grandpa James Sr and Father Jim Jr are in the ProRodeo Hall of Fame, so I learned from the best about rodeo livestock, breeding programs and how to keep a business running for the next generation. While my heart is for the livestock, I know rodeo production from the smallest event to 48 years of producing one of the largest, the six-time Large Indoor Rodeo of the Year, Rodeo Rapid City. I wear many hats as a committee man, former contestant, and rodeo producer. Knowledge of all positions makes a rodeo successful. I will work hard to keep stock contractors in a position to be successful. I have served on the PRCA Executive Council, Badland Circuit Board, State High School, and Regional College Rodeo boards with an eye to growing our sport from the ground up. Rodeo is my life, and I want my children and grandchildren to have a future in the PRCA. I want to serve on the PRCA Executive Council to make that happen and appreciate your vote.

CULLEN PICKETT

No statement provided

MARTY BARNES

I'm honored to be nominated for a position on the Stock Contractor Executive Council.

I've been a member of the PRCA since 1976. In that time, I was a pickup man, timer, judge, contestant (both timed events and roughstock), rodeo committee chairman, and Stock Contractor. I've been involved in three different Circuits' Finals as either a pickup man, contestant, chute boss, board member, or Stock Contractor. My diverse range of experiences makes me a uniquely qualified nominee. Having been a Stock Contractor since 1984, I've seen many changes and challenges to our sport, association, and Stock Contracting business. That exposure reinforces the fact that we must be able to continually adapt to our world while at the same time maintaining the history of our sport. If elected, I'll do more than fill a position. I will serve to provide an ear for Stock Contractors from across the country and be a voice of their concerns and ideas.

DANNY REAGAN

I proudly accept this nomination for Stock Contractor Executive Council Representative. An ideal candidate for this nomination needs passion, experience, the ability to think objectively and have a good relationship with others as well as integrity. I have all these attributes and more. I have over 20 years of experience in the rodeo business and have had my PRCA card for the past 10 years. Countless hours have been spent studying, observing and thinking about ways to keep rodeo progressing. My passion runs deep for the sport of rodeo and constantly building a vision for the future of rodeo. It would mean a lot to be given the opportunity to work with the Executive Council and represent our Stock Contractors with the PRCA. My ability to be objective and think strategically would be an asset to this Council. My history with rodeo is self-made and learning for the ground up. I have worked every aspect of a rodeo and feel there is always something to learn or collaborate to make it better. I am excited to be nominated and hope to earn your vote. Thank you for your consideration, Danny Reagan - United Pro Rodeo Co.

SHAWN GRAHAM

I am owner and operator of The Painted Pony Championship Rodeo in Lake Luzerne, NY. I am honored to have been nominated as a candidate for the position of Stock Contractor Executive Council Representative. I feel I would prove to be a valuable asset in supporting all Stock Contractors from the east coast to the west coast. As a businessman for over 30 years, I believe I am well respected and would be 100% dedicated to the growth of our future. Our goal...to keep The Western Heritage Alive! Thank you for your time and consideration.

PRCA MEMBER BULLETIN BOARD

PHOTOGRAPHY NOTICE

It has been reported to the PRCA by member photographers that there have been incidents in which PRCA members may have misused photographs taken by a PRCA Photographer at a PRCA-sanctioned event without permission of the PRCA Photographer or properly purchasing the photograph. Such reported misuse of photographs includes, but is not limited to posting to, online websites (including Facebook), providing 10 sponsor(s) for use, printing of photographs, providing photographs to news media, photographing the photograph with a cell phone, or any other use without proper purchase or written permission of the PRCA Photographer. As a member-driven organization, the PRCA encourages and expects all members to act with fairness and respect regarding their actions and dealings with fellow members.

ATTENTION SADDLE BRONC RIDERS

For 2025: Qualifying for the XBroncs Finale: Qualification will be based off of XBroncs Standings only.
At XBroncs events with \$35,000 added money or higher: Qualifications will be 100% top money.

ATTENTION CONTESTANTS

All Event Representatives now have their own e-mail address if you would like to contact them directly.

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ATTENTION MEMBERS

No duplicate award buckles (i.e. NFR go-round) will be made by Montana Silversmiths except under extenuating circumstances, and then a letter will have to be submitted to the Properties Dept. If a request is accepted, the charge for the buckle will be retail. There will be no award buckles made that are not listed in the PRCA/Montana Silversmiths contract. Then again, if an exception is to be made, it will have to be authorized by the Properties Dept.

THE FOLLOWING WILL BE EFFECTIVE FOR THE 2024/2025 SEASON

The 2024 individual Circuit Finals Steer Roping events (Badlands, Columbia River, Montana, Mountain States, Prairie, Texas, Turquoise) and the 2024 National Circuit Finals Steer Roping will count toward the 2025 World Standings and qualifications. These events will be Official Entry Rodeos (contestant must designate unofficial). If a contestant has not met the required participation count it will be an automatic unofficial entry rodeo for that contestant and will not count toward 2025 World Standings or qualification rodeos. For any Steer Roping Circuit Finals Rodeo that occurs prior to the 2024 regular season cutoff date, money won at those circuit finals rodeos will count toward the 2024 World Standings and qualifications. In 2025, it will count toward the All-Around.

ATTENTION TEXAS CIRCUIT CONTESTANTS

The 2024 Texas circuit cutoff date will be Sept. 23rd. The 2025 Texas Circuit Cutoff date will be Sept. 7th, in accordance with the PRCA rulebook. Any rodeo ending between Sept. 8 - Sept. 30th will be a carry-over rodeo and count into the 2026 Texas Circuit standings (rodeos will still count toward current year World Standings).

ATTENTION CONTESTANTS

2024 season Circuit Finals Rodeos and the 2024 NFR Open WILL count toward PRCA World Standings.

ATTENTION

X-Bulls events with \$35,000 or more added will be Division 1 events. X-Bulls events with less than \$35,000 added will be Division 2 events.



ALL CONTRACT PERSONNEL:

The 2025 PRCA Contract Personnel Special Events application program will open on January 9th, 2025 and will remain open until 5:00 p.m. mt, May 1st. This application process will be available 24 hours a day. This program includes the process for applications/specialty act submissions for Year End Awards as well. This process is open to First-Year and Card holding PRCA Contract Personnel Members only.

No other forms of application will be considered for any special events or year-end award nominations. No paper applications will be sent to members.

To access the program please log on to your account on prorodeo.org.

- Click the “My Account” tab if not taken to it directly
- Look under the Profile Section and Box and you will see underlined “Contract Personnel Special Event Application” Please click on this.
- A new page will appear and you will see a drop down menu of the different categories/positions you can apply for. Once you have selected that category you will see boxes below for the different special events of which to apply for.

You will need to apply and submit an application successfully for each event, separately. If you chose to apply for more than one position/category (for example Secretary and Timer) an application must be completed for each position/category.

Contract Personnel - Specialty Acts/Year-End Awards

- To be eligible for year-end award voting, the 2025 Year-End Awards application must be submitted.
- Each member of a group must fill out and submit the application. Each member of the group must list the other group members in their application.

It is the member's individual responsibility to assure their application is submitted correctly and within the timeline.

The system will not accept any applications after 5:00 PM (Mountain Time) on May 1, 2025. If you are in the system and in the process of applying and your application is not completed before the deadline, you will not be able to submit after the deadline. If you have any questions regarding an application, nomination, or the process to do so, please contact Rodeo Administration at 719.548.4870 by 12:00 p.m. mt on April 29th.

2025 Rule Proposals

New R4.11.9 Replay Challenge. Any contestant in said event, up in that performance or set (if more than one performance) and whether or not they are the ride/run in question, may ask for a run/ride replay at rodeos with a purse of \$50,000 added or larger (in every event). The challenge must be called prior to the next run/ride. If replay challenge is won, there will be no cost to contestant; however, if the call stands and is not overturned, the contestant who called the challenge will be billed \$500 to their PRCA account. The replay judge's ruling will be final and irrefutable.

Qualifying challenge infractions include:

- Mark out Rule (rough stock)
- Called for a slap (rough stock)
- (Close Call) for making whistle (rough stock)
- Intentionally catching knots in the chute (bull riding)
- Barrier malfunction (timed events)
- Clean catches (team roping)
- Crossfire (team roping)
- Jerk down (calf roping)
- Knock down – (steer wrestling)
- Contestant Touching Steer when flat (steer wrestling)

(Competition Committee 03/2023)

Tabled by BOD 08/2024

2025 Bylaw Proposals

Change B9.4.6.1 Selection and Qualification. Contract Personnel are eligible to accept any one U.S. Circuit Finals Rodeo of his/her choosing. Participation in more than one U.S. Circuit Finals Rodeo by any Contract Personnel without prior written permission, approved by the PRCA Circuit Coordinator, will constitute an automatic \$1,000 fine to the individual accepting his/her second U.S. Circuit Finals Rodeo contract, as well as forfeiting all bonus money and advancement to the NCFR as referred to in all other rules. Contract Personnel for a U.S. Circuit Finals Rodeo, except for bullfighters and pickup men, shall be selected by the Circuit Board of Directors from among those Contract Personnel who are Financially Eligible and must have participated in at least four PRCA – approved rodeos with a minimum of ten total rodeo performances in the category applied for in the current (applicable) PRCA Rodeo Year. For purposes of this Bylaw, rodeos at which a Contract Personnel Member works only in a slack, shall not count towards the minimum number of rodeos or performances required to participate at a circuit finals. Bullfighters and pickup men shall be selected by the vote of the eligible contestants in their respective events. (CPEC 03/2023)

Approved as amended by BOD 12/2024 to be effective October 1, 2024

Change B9.4.6.2 Announcers. To be eligible to participate as an announcer at a U.S. Circuit Finals Rodeo, that announcer must have participated in at least four PRCA-approved rodeos with a minimum of ten total rodeo performances in the category applied for in the same Rodeo Year the U.S. Circuit Finals Rodeo is being held. For purposes of this Bylaw, rodeos at which a Contract Personnel Member works only in a slack shall not count towards the minimum number of rodeos or performances required to participate at the circuit finals. Any announcer that does not meet this requirement and announces at a U.S. Circuit Finals Rodeo will be fined \$500 per offense.

(CPEC -3/23)

Approved as amended by BOD 12/2024 to be effective October 1, 2024

Change B2.5.6.3 Application Applicants for Noncontestant Card Member-Announcer status must submit a completed PRCA application to the PRCA. At least three letters of recommendation must accompany the application, a minimum of one letter each from a qualified person in each group specified below:

Group 1 (a former): NFR, NFSR, or NFBR Announcer, or Top 5 PRCA Announcer of the Year in the past 10 years.

Group 2 (a former): NFR Barrelman or alternate, or Top 5 PRCA Clown of the Year in the past 10 years.

Group 3 (a former): Top 5 PRCA Dress Specialty Act of the Year or Top 5 PRCA Comedy Special Act of the year in the past 10 years

Prospective Announcers must be reviewed and approved by the PRCA before the applicant will be considered for permit membership. A nonrefundable \$500 fee must be submitted to the PRCA with the membership application to defray the costs of the review. Applicant must provide a list of rodeos for evaluation. Upon evaluation and approval, applicant will be issued a Noncontestant PRCA Permit Membership. If approved, and if all other membership requirements are satisfied, an announcer applicant will be granted First-Year Announcer status.
(CPEC 03/23)

Approved as amended by BOD 01/2025 to be effective October 1, 2025

Change B2.5.6.5 Requirements to Become a Full Announcer. New announcers will become full announcers after the first Dues-Paying Year. Surveys sent to the 5 PRCA rodeos completed by applicant will serve as the applicant's review for a membership card. The Contract Personnel Executive Council will review the surveys after the 5 PRCA rodeos or at the end of the PRCA season; whichever comes first, and vote on full membership status of the applicant, with a simple majority vote determining if membership is approved or denied.

(CPEC 03/23)

Approved as amended by BOD 01/2025 to be effective October 1, 2025

New B2.5.6.6 Minimum Contracts. The Announcer Permit Member can work on their permit until completing 5 PRCA rodeos or until the end of the PRCA season. Surveys will be sent to the Stock Contractor, Contract Personnel, and Rodeo Committee Chairman the applicant worked with at each of the 5 PRCA rodeos. These surveys will be kept on file until completion of 5 PRCA rodeos or until the end of the PRCA season.

(CPEC 03/23)

Approved by BOD 01/2025 to be effective October 1, 2025

New B10.4.5 Tournament Style Format. Must have added money of \$130,000 per event (with equal money in team roping). The payoff structure must be approved by the event representatives. Contestants are placed in brackets, advance to a Semi-Finals or Progressive Round based on highest scores or fastest times, or in some cases based on money won, and then advance to a Finals and possibly also a Shoot-Out round. Each bracket may consist of one or more performances. A specified number of contestants advance from each bracket or performance to the Semi-Finals performances (or Wild Card Round in some cases). A specified number of contestants advance from the Semi-Finals to the Finals. In most cases, there is no average payoff at a Tournament Style rodeo. There is a separate payoff for the brackets, the Semi-Finals, the Wild Card Round, the Finals, and the Shoot-Out Round. Details for advancement and payoff for each individual rodeo will be outlined in the ground rules for that specific rodeo. Stock is drawn 24 hours prior to first performance and stock needs to be turned in and screened 48 hours before the first draw.

(C. Rostockyj 3/23)

No action taken by BOD 12/2024 – Denied.

2026 Rule Proposals

Change R1.2.15 Limited Entry Qualifications The entry qualifications for limited rodeos will be as follows, provided that in no case will the Rodeo Committee be charged for more than 20 draw outs, except for Bull Riding and are otherwise subject to the requirements for early season limited rodeos set forth in R1.2.15 below:

COMPENSATION

EVENTS

Bareback and, Saddle Bronc, Tie Down, Steer Wrestling and Team Roping

ADDED MONEY \$2,500 or less

ENTRY FEE INCREASE \$10 per card holder drawn out. No entry fee increase.

All permits will be accepted first. If the number of permit entries exceed the limit, a random draw will determine which entries will be accepted. If there are remaining available positions after all permits are accepted, a random draw of all circuit entries will fill the remaining positions. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill the remaining positions. At one performance rodeos, all circuit permits will be accepted first. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw from all permits entered will fill any remaining available positions. If there are still positions available a random draw from all circuit entries will fill the available positions. And finally, if there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill any remaining positions. No exemptions.

ADDED MONEY \$2,501 to \$5,000
QUALIFICATIONS 40% top money
 40% top circuit
 10% top first year
 10% permits
ENTRY FEE INCREASE \$30 per card holder drawn out. Entry fees increase \$30 per man.

ADDED MONEY \$5,001-\$10,000
QUALIFICATIONS 60% top money
 30% top circuit
 10% top first year

ENTRY FEE INCREASE \$40 per card holder drawn out. Entry fees increase \$40 per man. Note: If these rodeos are approved to take permits, any void will be filled by a random drawing of permit entries.

ADDED MONEY \$10,001 or more
QUALIFICATIONS 80% top money
 20% top circuit

Bull Riding

ADDED MONEY \$2,500 or less

All permits will be accepted first. If the number of permit entries exceed the limit, a random draw will determine which entries will be accepted. If there are remaining available positions after all permits are accepted, a random draw of all circuit entries will fill the remaining positions. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill the remaining positions. At one performance rodeos, all circuit permits will be accepted first. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw from all permits entered will fill any remaining available positions. If there are still positions available a random draw from all circuit entries will fill the available positions. And finally, if there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill any remaining positions. No exemptions.

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase

ADDED MONEY \$2,501 to \$5,000
QUALIFICATIONS 40% top money
 40% top circuit
 10% top first year
 10% permits

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase

ADDED MONEY \$5,001-\$10,000
QUALIFICATIONS 60% top money
 30% top circuit
 10% top first year

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase. Note: If these rodeos are approved to take permits, any void will be filled by a random drawing of permit entries.

ADDED MONEY \$10,001 or more
QUALIFICATIONS 70% top money
 30% top circuit

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase. Note: If these rodeos are approved to take permits, any void will be filled by a random drawing of permit entries.

For all Limited Entry Bull Riding Events, Committee compensation requirements shall be as follows:

Cost per Contestant/perf.	Contestant drawn out
10-11.....	\$50
12.....	\$35
13-14.....	\$30
15-16	\$25
17-19	\$20
20-24	\$15
25 or more.....	\$10

Supplemental requirements:

- A) The money generated by this formula will be added to the committee purse and the entry fees will be based on that new total.
- B) If 16 or more contestants are out in the bull riding per performance, there may be two sections.
- C) No contestant may be held until after a performance, except for rerides, unless otherwise approved by the Event Representative.

Note: At rodeos that add \$5,000 or less per event, rodeos may utilize all Permits, Permits Maximum, Circuit Permits Maximum, or Circuit Permits if they do not limit entries.
(PRCA Staff 3/2024)

Change R1.3.2.7 Tie-Down Roping and Steer Wrestling. Tie-down roping and sSteer wrestling entry fees shall be based on the following scale:

FROM	TO	EFS
\$500	\$999.99	\$40 if one head
		\$80 if two head
\$1,000	\$1,999.99	\$50 if one head
		\$100 if two head
\$2,000	\$3,999.99	\$75 if one head
		\$150 if two head
\$4,000	\$7,999.99	\$100 if one head
		\$200 if two head
\$8,000	\$9,999.99	\$125 if one head
		\$250 if two head

\$10,000 or more to be set by the Event Representative and the Director of Rodeo Administration.
(PRCA Staff 03/2024)

New R1.3.2.8.1 – Tie Down Entry Fee Scale

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>EF's</u>
\$500	\$999	\$40 if 1 head
		\$80 if 2 head
\$1,000	\$1,999	\$50 if 1 head
		\$100 if 2 head
\$2,000	\$3,999	\$75 if 1 head
		\$150 if 2 head
\$4,000	\$6,999.99	\$150 if 1 head
		\$300 if 2 head
\$7,000	\$9,999.99	\$200 if 1 head
		\$350 if 2 head

\$10,000 or more to be set by the Event Representative and the Director or Rodeo Administration

\$250 for 1 head
(Minimum)
\$400 for 2 head
(Minimum)

(PRCA Staff 03/2024)

Change R1.3.3.5.1 Steer Ropers. Unless otherwise stated herein, the stock charge in the steer roping will be \$45 ~~60~~ per go-round. For purposes of calculating the stock charge only, no stock charge will be assessed for progressive go-rounds or finals/short go-rounds. A contestant with a non-notified turn out for any go-round will be required to pay the applicable stock charge for the rodeo. A contestant with a notified turn out, doctor’s release, visible injury, or draw out for every go-round of the rodeo will not be required to pay the applicable stock charge.
(PRCA Staff 03/2024)

New R1.7.2.1.1 Unofficial Entry in Riding Event Walkup – In the event of a walkup, a contestant may compete and be able to enter as an “unofficial entry.”
(Z. Dallas 02/2024)

Change R1.7.3.1 Conflict Due to Qualification for a Progressive Go-Round, or a Finals or a Series Semi-Finals or Finale. A contestant who qualifies for a progressive go-round, or a semi-finals, or a finals or a contestant who qualifies for a “tour” or “series” play-off or finale, resulting in a conflict with another “official entry” PRCA rodeo at which he has not yet competed, may request that the Central Entry Office draw him out to be drawn out of the of the conflicting rodeo or have his position moved at the conflicting rodeo to a non-conflicted position at the conflicting rodeo. The committee for the conflicting rodeo will have the option to accept or deny some or all of the position moves and will identify which non-conflicted performances will be made available for the moved contestants. Position moves that create conflicts with other PRCA rodeos or events will not be granted. In the riding events, if the stock drawn for the moved contestants is not available, an animal will be drawn for the contestant for the reride procedure outlined in R9.3.4. The request to be moved must be made through Procom prior to the turn out deadline for the conflicted position. This notification must be no later than the turn out deadline of his scheduled competition at the conflicting rodeo. Contestant shall pay \$5 Central Entry Office charge.
(J.D. Hamaker/C. Johnson 01/2024)

Change R4.7.3 Photographers. In selecting a photographer or photographers, the a rodeo committee should give first right of refusal to a ~~must hire a Member Photographer or Photographers, where such Photographers have applied to cover the rodeo before selecting non-Member Photographers.~~ This Rule shall not apply to photographers covering the rodeo for legitimate news purposes with the proper media credentials applied for through the PRCA office and/or the rodeo committee. Any committee or stock contractor allowing a non-member photographer to photograph a rodeo and post on social media sites or the sale of photos, the committee is subject to a \$1,000.00 fine per rodeo.
(W. Kierce 6/2023)

Change R6.5.1 Procedure. A contestant wishing to make a notified turn out must notify the Central Entry Office no later than ~~three~~ eight hours prior to the performance of which he is turning out, unless an earlier deadline applies pursuant to Part R6.5.1.1. Should circumstances change that make it possible for a contestant to compete after a turn out notification has been made, it will be his responsibility to notify that rodeo’s representative individually. If his stock is available, contestant may be allowed to compete. If timed event stock has already been drawn excluding this contestant, he shall not be allowed to compete.
(J. Hamaker/ C. Johnson 01/2024)

New R.6.5.1.3 Turn Out Fines. If a contestant turns out of a rodeo no later than 30 hours prior to the start of the performance of slack in which he is scheduled to compete, there will be no turn out fine. If a contestant turns out later than 30 hours prior to the start of the performance or slack in which he is scheduled to compete but prior to the eight-hour turn out deadline, he will be fined \$100. If a contestant turns out after the eight-hour turn out deadline or is a non-notified turn out, he will be fined \$200.
(J Hamaker/ C. Johnson 01/2024)

If R6.5.1 passes

Change R11.2.7.4 Non-Performance-Preference Rodeo. At a non-Performance-Preference Rodeo, if stock is turned out during a paid performance, contestant shall be fined \$10, provided he notified the Central Entry Office no later than ~~three~~ eight hours prior to the performance in which he is scheduled to compete. If he fails to notify the Central Entry Office at least ~~three~~ eight hours prior to the performance in which he is scheduled to compete, contestant shall be fined \$50 per go-round. This fine includes \$10 of the \$20 possible mount-out charges on the first head of stock turned out. In the case of a turn out in the second or subsequent go-rounds, there shall be a \$10 turn out fine or \$20 mount money charge if stock is drawn.
(J Hamaker/ C. Johnson 01/2024)

If R6.5.1 passes

Change R11.2.7.5 Performance-Preference Rodeo. At Performance-Preference Rodeos, contestant will receive an automatic \$25 fine if he receives either of his requested preferences and then turns out but notifies the Central Entry Office no later than ~~three~~ eight hours before the performance in which he is scheduled to compete that he is turning out. If he fails to notify the Central Entry Office by the required deadline, contestant will be fined \$100. This fine includes \$10 of the possible \$20 mount-out charges on the first head of stock turned out. If contestant does not receive either requested preference, he shall pay only the applicable mount-out charges, provided he notifies the Central Entry Office, no later than ~~three~~ eight hours prior to the performance in which he is scheduled to compete, that he is turning out. If he fails to notify the Central Entry Office by the required deadline, contestant will be fined \$100. If the contestant notifies the Central Entry Office of a turn out and stock draw has not been drawn for the second or subsequent go-rounds, there may only be a mount-out charge or turn out fine assessed for that go-round. If contestant notifies the Central Entry Office of a turn out by the required deadline and stock has been drawn for the second or subsequent go-rounds, he will be fined \$10. If he does not notify the Central Entry Office by the required deadline, the fine shall be \$100.

(J Hamaker/ C. Johnson 01/2024)

Change R7.3.2 Steer Wrestling Cattle. Steer wrestling cattle must be identified either with a permanent brand on the left side ~~or a horn brand on the left side~~ shoulder or hip and an ear tag in the left ear that matches the branded number. In addition, all steers must have a ~~right horn brand 1-2 inches from the base with a year brand~~ on the left shoulder or hip in which they are used at PRCA rodeos.

(J. Mooney 03/2024)

Change R7.3.3 Team Roping and Steer Roping Cattle. Team roping and steer roping cattle must be identified with a permanent brand on the right side. All brands on steer roping steers must include an “S” as well as a number. All brands on team roping steers must include a “T” as well as a number.

(J. Mooney 03/2024)

New R7.9.3.4 Timed Event Animal Standards. Timed event stock shall be condemned or rejected if they fail to meet stock standards. Steer wrestling cattle shall not be allowed at a rodeo after the first fine has been given, until cattle satisfy the stock standards.

(J. McGinn 02/2024)

Change R8.13 Mistreatment of Animal. Any member who mistreats an animal anywhere on the grounds of a facility in which a sanctioned PRCA rodeo is being held shall be fined no less than \$500 and, depending on the severity of the offense, may be declared ineligible, suspended, suspended from PRCA privileges and/or expelled. Compensation of any mistreatment of an animal resulting in an injury in the riding events, shall be owed to the stock contractor or record. Compensation of any mistreatment of an animal resulting in an injury in the timed events, shall be owed to the rodeo committee or stock contractor or record.

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New R9.1.9 No Throwing Objects. During competition, chaps or other objects may not be thrown at animals to induce performance. If an object is thrown at an animal, the stock contractor and/or the contestant may receive a \$100 fine. The contestant involved may also be subject to disqualification.

(PRCA Staff 01/2024)

Change R9.2.1 Spur Out Rule. ~~To qualify for a marking,~~ Bareback or saddle bronc rider must have the rowels of the spurs touching the horse above the break of the shoulders when horse’s front feet hit the ground on its initial move out of the chute. Failure to do so shall result in a five (5) point deduction to score.

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If R9.2.1 passes as amended

Change R9.1.1 Markings. The ride and animal are to be marked separately. Beginning with the initial move out of the chute, the ride will be marked according to how much the rider spurs the animal. Figures used in marking the riding events shall

range from zero to 25 per judge for both bucking animal and rider. By using the full spread, the total may reach a maximum of 100 points.

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If R9.2.1 passes as amended

R9.4.7 Disqualification of Rider. Any of the following shall immediately disqualify a rider:

- A) Riding with rowels too sharp or locked;
- B) Being bucked off;
- C) Touching animal, equipment, or person with free hand (one arm must be free at all times);
- D) Rigging comes off horse, with or without breaking;
- E) ~~Violating the spur-out rule;~~
- F) Taking any kind of finger tuck, finger wrap, or use of finger tape (violators shall be disqualified and may also be subject to fine); and
- G) If rider has been advised he is next to go, failing to be above the animal with his glove on when previous horse leaves the arena.

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If R9.2.1 passes as amended

Change R9.5.5 Disqualification of a Rider. Any of the following shall disqualify a rider:

- A) Changing hands on rein;
- B) Losing or dropping rein before pre-designated time;
- C) Wrapping rein around hand; D) Losing stirrup; E) Being bucked off;
- F) Touching animal, equipment or person with free hand;
- G) Riding with locked rowels, or rowels that will lock on spurs, and/or rowels not dulled;
- H) ~~Violating the spur-out rule.~~

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Change R9.6.1.8 No Sharp Spurs. Rider shall not use sharp spurs. Must be self-locking. ¼ inch-thick-rowels with a 1/8-inch-thick groove (e.g. Koschel rowels).

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R10.6 Tie-down Roping.

R10.6.1 General Requirements. Contestant must rope animal, dismount, throw animal by hand and cross and tie any three legs. To qualify as a legal tie, there shall be at least one wrap around all three legs and a half-hitch. If animal is down when roper contestant reaches it, the animal must be let up to his feet and be thrown by hand. If roper's hand is on the animal when animal falls, animal is considered thrown by hand. Rope must hold animal until roper gets hand on animal. Three legs must remain crossed and tied for six eight seconds, as timed by the judge, ~~from the time the rope horse takes his first step forward after the roper has remounted, until approved by the judge. Roper must not touch animal after signaling that he is finished until after the judge has completed his examination. Rope must remain slack until field judge approves the tie. Unless instructed to do so by the judge, roper will be disqualified for removing rope from animal after signaling for time, until the tie has been passed on by the field judge. In the event a contestant's catch rope is off an animal after completion of tie, the six-second time period is to start when roper clears animal. Flag judge must watch calf during the six-second period and will stop watch when an animal kicks free, using the time shown on the watch to determine whether animal was tied long enough to qualify. If tie becomes illegal by animal kicking, or animal gets to his feet before tie has been approved by the judge, the roper will be marked "no time."~~ Time will start when the contestant clears the calf. Within eight seconds, the contestant must remount and ride forward at least one step and the rope must remain slack. If the contestant fails to do so or the calf becomes untied within

the eight seconds, the contestant will receive a NO-TIME. Ropers must not touch the animal after signaling for time.
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New R10.7.1.1 Clean Run. If a clean fall is not achieved and the motion stops for approximately two seconds, the steer should be allowed to regain his feet before being thrown. If the steer is not allowed to regain his feet when instructed by the judge, a no time will be awarded. In the extreme instance of a dog fall, the run should result in a no time. A dog fall shall be deemed to occur when the hip of the steer falls in the opposite direction of the intended throw. Should that hip come in contact with any other part of the steer or the ground, the judge will flag the contestant out, require the contestant to assist the steer to its feet and assign a no time on the run.

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Change R11.2.6 Contestant Not Ready to Perform. In any event, a contestant not ready when called during a performance or section of slack will be fined \$25 for the first offense; \$50 for the second offense; and \$100 for the third and subsequent offenses, and/or may be disqualified from the rodeo where the offense is committed.

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New R11.2.6.1 Riding Events

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New R11.2.6.1.1 Riding Events Not Ready. If an individual is taking advantage of the contestants in that event and/or the livestock and/or the rodeo production and/or not cooperating with the chute boss’s and judges’ instructions resulting in an attempt to cheat or influence the results of the event, to include but not limited to causing an animal to act up or be unruly in the chute in order to receive a reride, that individual will be disqualified by the judges from that round and for subsequent offenses will be disqualified by the judges from that event for the remainder of the rodeo.

For contestants, the definition of “ready when called” shall be:

Bareback Riding: The contestant must be over the horse with his hand in the rigging when the previous horse leaves the arena. If the contestant is first to compete, this would be when the flag horse leaves the arena or as instructed by the chute boss and/or judges. If a contestant has a fair opportunity to compete and does not call for his competition animal, delaying the production of the rodeo, the same ruling will apply.

Saddle Bronc Riding: The contestant must have the horse cinched (front & rear) with the rein measured, and be in the chute, mounting the horse when the previous horse leaves the arena. If the contestant is first to compete, this would be when the flag horse leaves the arena or as instructed by the chute boss and/or judges. If a contestant has a fair opportunity to compete and does not call for his competition animal, delaying the production of the rodeo, the same ruling will apply.

Bull Riding: The contestant must be pulling the rope when the previous bull leaves the arena. If the contestant is first to compete, this would be when the flag horse leaves the arena or as instructed by the chute boss and/or judges. If a contestant has a fair opportunity to compete and does not call for his competition animal, delaying the production of the rodeo, the same ruling will apply.

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New R11.2.6.1.2 Contestant Not Ready to Perform in Rodeos under \$5,000 Per Event. A contestant not ready when

called during a performance or section of slack will be fined \$25 for the first offense; \$50 for the second offense; and \$100 for the third and subsequent offenses, and/or may be disqualified from the rodeo where the offense is committed.

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New R11.2.6.1.3 Contestant Not Ready to Perform in Rodeos \$5,000-\$25,000 Per Event. A contestant not ready when called during a performance or section of slack will be fined \$100 for the first offense; \$200 for the second offense; and \$400 for the third and subsequent offenses, and/or may be disqualified from the rodeo where the offense is committed.

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New R11.2.6.1.4 Contestant Not Ready to Perform in Rodeos \$25,000 and Above Per Event. A contestant not ready when called during a performance or section of slack will be fined \$250 for the first offense; \$500 for the second offense; and \$1000 for the third and subsequent offenses, and/or may be disqualified from the rodeo where the offense is committed.

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New R11.2.6.2 Timed Event

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New R11.2.6.2.1 Timed Events Not Ready- If in the opinion of the chute boss and/or the judges, if a contestant is not “ready when called” the contestant will be subject to a penalty. By definition, “ready when called” shall mean that the contestant must be riding into the box when the previous animal leaves the arena. If a contestant is the first contestant in team roping and tie-down roping, they shall be riding into the box, and in steer wrestling, riding into the arena when the flag (sponsor) horse leaves the arena or as instructed by the chute boss and/or judges.

Contestants must take their stock within 45 seconds of receiving the “all clear” from the designated judge. If the contestant exceeds the time limit, except in case of mechanical failure or a problem with the competition animal in the timed event chute in the opinion of the judges. For every 20 seconds over the 45-second limit, the fine will be progressively doubled. If a contestant exceeds two minutes in the box it will result in disqualification from the round.

Penalties are listed as follows:

Rodeos under \$5,000 Per Event. A contestant not ready when called during a performance or section of slack will be fined \$25 for the first offense; \$50 for the second offense; and \$100 for the third and subsequent offenses, and/or may be disqualified from the rodeo where the offense is committed

Rodeos \$5,001- \$25,000 Per Event with Three Judges - A contestant not ready when called during a performance or section of slack will be fined \$100 for the first offense, \$200 for the second offense, \$400 for the third and subsequent offenses, and/or may be disqualified from the rodeo where the offense is committed.

Rodeos \$25,000 And Above Per Event with Three Judges- A contestant not ready when called during a performance or section of slack will be fined \$250 for the first offense; \$500 for the second offense; and \$1000 for the third and subsequent offenses, and/or may be disqualified from the rodeo where the offense is committed.

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2026 Bylaw Proposals

Change B2.5.9.3 Application An applicant for Noncontestant Card Member-Photographer status must submit a completed PRCA application and a non-refundable \$300 fee to defray the costs of the review to the PRCA. The PRCA application form must be accompanied by a portfolio of the applicant's work and two letters of recommendation, which shall be made available to the member representative and executive council contract personnel representative for review. A minimum of one letter each from a qualified person in each category specified below:

Group 1 (a ~~former~~ current): Cardholding PRCA Photographer of the Year or a ~~finalist in the Photographer of the Year voting within the past three years.~~ Finals Photographer.

Group 2 (a current): Cardholding PRCA photographer with at least 10 years' experience as an Active Member PRCA Photographer.

The portfolio should contain 20 prints, ~~color or black and white or both,~~ in an 8x10 format, representing the sport of professional rodeo, both with strobes and without strobes, which will be judged by a panel of current PRCA Photographers on the quality of their content, creativity, sharpness and overall representation of professional rodeo. If approved, and if all other membership requirements are satisfied, a photographer applicant will be granted probationary membership status.

(W. Kierce 06/2023)

Change B2.5.9.4 Minimum Contracts. Applicant will be required to submit all work (contact sheets) from 5 rodeos, including at least 2 indoor or night events using strobes. Immediately after completion of each of the applicant's five required PRCA rodeos, all contact sheets generated at that event must be sent to the PRCA Media Department for evaluation by the Photographer Coordinator.

(W Kierce 06/2023)

Change B2.5.9.6 Requirements to Become a Full Photographer. Contact sheets for the 5 PRCA rodeos completed by applicant and the survey submitted by the arena evaluation review member will serve as the applicant's review for a permanent membership card. The [Contract Personnel Executive Council/Media Department/ Photographer Coordinator and member review panel] will review the contact sheets and survey and vote on full membership status of the applicant, with a simple majority vote determining if membership is approved or denied. All Members are subject to a review at any time their work is deemed to be non-satisfactory with the quality standards set forth by the PRCA and subject to their membership being suspended until quality standards are met. Any PRCA Member Photographer must have a contract with a rodeo either verbally or written to attend the rodeo they seek to photograph. Any PRCA Photographer that has a Media Pass for a rodeo must follow all media guidelines pertaining to a Media Photographer and can only use those photos for the media assignment only.

(W. Kierce 06/2023)

New B2.5.10.7 Youth and Age of Majority. At the time the youth reach the age of majority, the youth may be able to assume the membership status of the legal guardian at the conclusion of an accreditation process.

(J. Edwards/M. Navarre 03/2024)

Change 2.5.14.3 Dues and Fees. Annual dues for each Rodeo Committee are based on the total purse for PRCA events, in accordance with the following scale:

Committee purse.....	Dues
\$2,500 3,500 to \$4,999	\$400
\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$600
\$10,000 and above	\$800

The annual dues are separate from and in addition to the rodeo approval fee set forth in Chapter 10 of these Bylaws.

(PRCA Staff 03/2024)

Change B7.4.1 Nomination Forms. Not later than ~~November 15~~ December 10 of the calendar year preceding the year of election, all eligible Members who have an email on file on the PRCA membership portal, will be sent a notification to cast an online voting nomination for the offices for which such Member is entitled to nominate candidates in the forthcoming elections. A Member shall be eligible to nominate candidates for those offices for which that Member is entitled to vote no later than the first business day in January of the calendar year during which the candidates nominated by the Members are to stand for election.

(PRCA Staff 01/2024)

Change B7.4.4.4 Final Candidates. As soon as practicable after February 15 (and in no event later than February 25), Not later than March 10, the incumbent and all those with five or more nominations who indicated a willingness to serve if elected in accordance with the notification guidelines set in Section B7.4.4.2 of these Bylaws shall be the final candidates for the office category in question.
(PRCA Staff 03/2024)

Change B7.4.5 Election Procedure. After the nominees for each office for which an election is to be held in the current election year have been determined, the names of those nominees shall be published once in the PRCA Business Section. A notification to cast an online vote shall be sent to each Member with an email address on the PRCA membership portal, entitled to vote by ~~February 25~~ March 10 of the election year. Online voting must be completed no later than 5:00 pm MT March 25 of the election year. The results shall be tabulated no later than March 30, and reported to the PRCA CEO, who shall cause the results to be printed in the PRCA Business Section. The nominee for each office receiving the greater number of the votes cast for the particular office shall be elected to the office. Candidates who have not been nominated through the nomination process shall not be eligible to run and may not be elected for office. In the event of a tie for any office the CEO shall promptly conduct another online vote of all Members eligible to vote for such office to resolve the tie. The CEO shall announce the result when the voting is completed. Newly elected office shall take their respective office on April 1 or as soon thereafter as practical.
(PRCA Staff 01/2024)

Change B7.4.8.5 General Membership Representative to the Competition Committee. Active Card Members (including Noncontestant Card Members-Rodeo Committee or Rodeo Producer) and Active Life Members shall be eligible to vote for one nominee for the General Membership Representative to the Competition Committee.
(PRCA Staff 01/2024)

Change B10.1.3 Approval Fee. The approval fee shall be calculated based on total purse money added to all approved events according to the following scale:

Purse Bracket.....	Approval Fee
\$2,500 3500 to \$4,999.....	\$600
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	\$700
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	\$800
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	\$900
\$25,000 or more	\$1,000

Each year, at least 150 days prior to the date of the first performance of that year’s rodeo, the Rodeo Committee should file with the PRCA a confirmation form (to be supplied by the PRCA) advising the PRCA of (I) the time of performances and slack; (II) the exact amount of added purse money; (III) the Stock Contractor of record and the primary Stock Contractor (if different) for the rodeo; (IV) the Ground Rules for the rodeo; and (V) any special considerations for the rodeo. Committee dues and approval fees shall be payable annually (the dues and fees for the first rodeo covered by the application must accompany the multiyear application). If a Rodeo Committee submits an application for approval which is received by the PRCA National Office 150 calendar days or more prior to the date of the first performance of the rodeo shall be required to pay only half of the scaled approval fee. A Rodeo Committee submitting an application for approval which is received by the PRCA National Office no later than 120 calendar days prior to the first performance of the rodeo shall be required to pay only three-quarters of the scaled approval fee. A Rodeo Committee submitting an application for approval which is received by the PRCA National Office less than 120 calendar days prior to the first performance of the rodeo shall be required to make full payment of the scaled approval fee. An application for approval which is received by the PRCA National Office less than 90 calendar days prior to the rodeo may be denied but, if approved, will result in required payment of \$100 above the scaled approval fee.
(PRCA Staff 03/2024)

Change B10.1.17.1 Minimum Purse Money Added by a Rodeo. ~~To receive PRCA approval, all new Rodeo Committees must add at least \$500 per required event, per performance, or \$1,000 per required event at a one performance rodeo. All PRCA Sanctioned rodeos must add at least \$1500.00 an event. If a current PRCA Rodeo does not add \$1500.00 an event they will have 2 years to reach said goal.~~
(C. Rostockyj 06/2023)

Change B10.7.3 Contract Personnel. With the exception of riding groups and specialty act personnel under the age of majority, all Contract Personnel including Photographers and Freestyle Bullfighters hired by a Rodeo Committee or Stock Contractor in connection with a PRCA-approved rodeo shall be Noncontestant Card Member-Contract Personnel. A Rodeo Committee, Rodeo Producer or Stock Contractor which hires non-Member Contract Personnel or Freestyle Bullfighters will be subject to a \$1000 fine per rodeo, per individual hired, except in the case of Timers. Using a non-Member Timer will result in a fine of \$250 per rodeo.
(W. Kierce 06/2023)

Change B10.7.6.2 Established Rodeos. All established rodeos must pay judges' fees within 60 days from the date of the statement billing such fees. Failure to pay judges' fees by the prescribed deadline shall result in a \$25 200 fine per month such payment is delinquent. Additionally, any rodeo which fails to pay judges' fees by the prescribed deadline shall be required to deposit judges' fees in escrow with the PRCA no later than 30 days prior to the first performance of the following year's rodeo.
(PRCA Staff 01/2024)

2027 Rule Proposals

Change R1.2.15 Limited Entry Qualifications The entry qualifications for limited rodeos will be as follows, provided that in no case will the Rodeo Committee be charged for more than 20 draw outs, except for Bull Riding and are otherwise subject to the requirements for early season limited rodeos set forth in R1.2.15 below:

COMPENSATION

EVENTS

Bareback and Saddle Bronc

ADDED MONEY \$2,500 or less

QUALIFICATIONS

ENTRY FEE INCREASE \$10 per card holder drawn out. No entry fee increase.

All permits will be accepted first. If the number of permit entries exceed the limit, a random draw will determine which entries will be accepted. If there are remaining available positions after all permits are accepted, a random draw of all circuit entries will fill the remaining positions. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill the remaining positions. At one performance rodeos, all circuit permits will be accepted first. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw from all permits entered will fill any remaining available positions. If there are still positions available a random draw from all circuit entries will fill the available positions. And finally, if there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill any remaining positions. No exemptions.

ADDED MONEY \$2,501 to \$5,000

QUALIFICATIONS 40% top money
40% top circuit
10% top first year
10% permits

ENTRY FEE INCREASE \$30 per card holder drawn out. Entry fees increase \$30 per man.

ADDED MONEY \$5,001-\$10,000

QUALIFICATIONS 60% top money
30% top circuit
10% top first year

ENTRY FEE INCREASE \$40 per card holder drawn out. Entry fees increase \$40 per man. Note: If these rodeos are approved to take permits, any void will be filled by a random drawing of permit entries.

ADDED MONEY \$10,001 or more

QUALIFICATIONS 80% top money

20% top circuit

Bull Riding

ADDED MONEY \$2,500 or less

All permits will be accepted first. If the number of permit entries exceed the limit, a random draw will determine which entries will be accepted. If there are remaining available positions after all permits are accepted, a random draw of all circuit entries will fill the remaining positions. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill the remaining positions. At one performance rodeos, all circuit permits will be accepted first. If there are still remaining available positions, a random draw from all permits entered will fill any remaining available positions. If there are still positions available a random draw from all circuit entries will fill the available positions. And finally, if there are still remaining available positions, a random draw of all other entries will fill any remaining positions. No exemptions.

QUALIFICATIONS

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase

ADDED MONEY \$2,501 to \$5,000

QUALIFICATIONS 40% top money
40% top circuit
10% top first year
10% permits

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase

ADDED MONEY \$5,001-\$10,000

QUALIFICATIONS 60% top money
30% top circuit
10% top first year

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase. Note: If these rodeos are approved to take permits, any void will be filled by a random drawing of permit entries.

ADDED MONEY \$10,001 or more

QUALIFICATIONS 70% top money
30% top circuit

ENTRY FEE INCREASE No entry fee increase. Note: If these rodeos are approved to take permits, any void will be filled by a random drawing of permit entries.

For all Limited Entry Bull Riding Events, Committee compensation requirements shall be as follows:

Cost per	
Contestant/perf.	Contestant drawn out
10-11.....	\$50
12.....	\$35
13-14.....	\$30
15-16	\$25
17-19	\$20
20-24	\$15
25 or more.....	\$10

Supplemental requirements:

- A) The money generated by this formula will be added to the committee purse and the entry fees will be based on that new total.
- B) If 16 or more contestants are out in the bull riding per performance, there may be two sections.
- C) No contestant may be held until after a performance, except for rerides, unless otherwise approved by the Event Representative.

Note: At rodeos that add \$5,000 or less per event, rodeos may utilize all Permits, Permits Maximum, ~~Circuit Permits Maximum~~, or Circuit Permits if they do not limit entries.
(PRCA Staff 08/2024)

Change R6.4.2 Draw out, Doctor Release or Visible Injury Turn out by a Partner. If a team roper doctor releases, draws out or turns out with a visible injury prior to the first go-round in accordance with the regulations of these Official Rodeo

Rules, the individual entered with him ~~may draw~~ will be drawn out if the individual does not notify the Arena Secretary prior to the cattle draw of the first go-round competition. ~~draw out or may get another partner from among any of the PRCA event contestants entered at the rodeo, except team ropers already scheduled to compete in the event.~~ If a team roper notifies of a turn out prior to first go-round competition, in accordance with PRCA turn out procedures, the individual entered with him may select another partner from among any of the PRCA event contestants already entered at the rodeo, except those scheduled to compete in the event, or that individual may draw out if and only if he is present at the rodeo and personally notifies the rodeo secretary prior to the cattle draw of first go-round competition.
(PRCA Staff 06/2024)

Change R6.4.4 Notification to Arena Secretary. If the Arena Secretary has been notified of a team roper’s turn out, doctor release, or draw out, and the partner ~~must~~ does not notify the Arena Secretary prior to the cattle draw of first go-round competition his partner if he is drawing out or if he is replacing his partner and who his replacement partner will be will automatically be drawn out. If the secretary is not notified, the contestant will be subject to entry fee payment, will be disqualified from the team roping for that rodeo, and no cattle will be drawn.
(PRCA Staff 06/2024)

Delete R9.5.6 Only Rosin Allowed. ~~Rosin may be used on chaps and saddle. Anyone using excessive rosin or any other foreign substance, in the sole discretion of a rodeo judge, shall be fined \$250 for the first offense, \$500 for the second offense, \$1,000 for the third offense, and a 30-day suspension and \$1,000 fine for the fourth and subsequent offenses within a given rodeo year. The judges will examine clothing, saddle, and rein.~~
(B. Cress 01/2025)

New R10.9.14 Falling Steer. In the steer roping, if in the opinion of the line judge, if the animal falls before it crosses the scoreline, the contestants shall be entitled to a rerun on the original stock, provided that the contestants declare immediately. There will be no penalty added to the rerun if, in the opinion of the judge, the contestants did not deliberately beat the barrier and if the contestants declare immediately. If the originally drawn animal cannot be reran, the contestants will run the extra (where an extra is available) or have a steer drawn according to the Misdraw procedure.
(D. Eddleman 05/2024)

Change R11.2.4 Failure to Make an Honest Effort. All contestants are required to make an honest effort. Failure to do so shall be reported by the judge or judges and shall result in a ~~\$10 fine:~~ non-notified turnout being recorded for the score/time.
(PRCA Staff 10/2024)

Change R2.12.1 Second and Subsequent Go-Rounds [Trading Positions]. At Performance-Preference Rodeos, positions in subsequent go-rounds may be traded by contestants upon obtaining, from the Arena Secretary, a trade form and submitting said form to Arena Secretary prior to the specified deadline. At no time will a contestant be allowed to trade, man-for-man or into an open position, within the same section of slack or within the same performance. Arena Secretaries may trade a contestant into an open position created by a turn out, doctor release, visible injury or draw out, provided this is done prior to the time indicated below. A trade to an open position which would move a contestant from a performance to a section of slack will not be allowed, nor will a trade to an open position within the same performance or section of slack be allowed. No second go-round trades will be allowed if an event is back-to-back. A contestant will be allowed only two trades for each of the second or subsequent go-rounds. PROCOM will accept valid second go-round trades until the riding event callbacks are available and will provide those detailed trades to the Arena Secretary at the time the rodeo is made available to be checked out.
(O. Hannum 08/2024)

If R2.12.1 Passes...

Change R2.12.3 First Go-Round. Contestants may trade positions in the first go-round for a PRCA-sanctioned event only in accordance with the terms and conditions of Rules R2.12.1, R2.12.3-R2.12.3.4.
(O. Hannum 08/2024)

New R2.12.2.2.1 Turning Out of Finals at a Tour Rodeo. If a contestant turns out of the finals due to a PRCA sanctioned conflicting rodeo, that contestant shall be subject to a \$1000 fine and a deduction of 25 tour points. If a contestant turns out of the finals, competing instead at a conflicting event not sanctioned by the PRCA, that contestant shall be subject to a \$5000 fine, a deduction of 100 tour points and a 30-day ineligibility period beginning the day of said finals.
(O. Hannum 08/2024)

2027 Bylaw Proposals

Change B1.0.1.26 “Print” means any form of notification for informational purposes whether it be text appearing in printed publication or made available online.

(PRCA Staff 01/2025)

If B1.0.1.26 (change) passes, the current B1.0.1.26 “Rodeo Year” becomes B1.0.1.27

B1.0.1.27 “Serious Crime” becomes B1.0.1.28

B1.0.1.28 “Slack” becomes B1.0.1.29

B1.0.1.29 “Special Event” becomes B1.0.1.30

B2.5.13.4 Probationary Stock Contractors.

Change B2.5.13.4.1 Application. The requirements in this section apply to new Stock Contractors aspiring to Full PRCA Stock Contractor Member Status, not Full PRCA Stock Contractors who have been placed on probation under terms of B2.5.13.3.4 To receive a Probationary PRCA Stock Contractor Card, the applicant must: (1) submit an application to the PRCA; (2) pay a \$15,000 25,000 non-refundable inspection fee to the PRCA; (3) pay an additional \$25,000 50,000 onetime membership fee in addition to yearly dues; and (4) post a refundable, interest bearing, \$25,000 100,000 bond (to remain in place at all times for a 3-year period) with the PRCA to ensure that funds are available to cover rodeo related debts the Probationary Contractor may incur during the 3-year period. If the Probationary Contractor successfully completes the probationary period and becomes a Full Stock Contractor Member, the bond, with all accrued interest, shall be returned to the Probationary Stock Contractor after one year of Full Stock Contractor membership. If the Probationary Contractor fails to achieve Full Stock Contractor Member status, the bond shall be forfeited to the PRCA. The probationary period for a Probationary Stock Contractor shall be for ~~two~~ three consecutive Rodeo Years. The Probationary Stock Contractor must be the primary Stock Contractor for at least six PRCA approved standard rodeos with a minimum purse ~~in accordance with B10.1.17.1 of \$2500 added per event and~~ in each of the probationary years. The six rodeos must be new PRCA rodeos that have not been sanctioned by the PRCA. Within 36 months of the year the Probationary Stock Contractor applies for their Probationary Stock Contractor Card. The Director of Rodeo Administration or his designee shall inspect at least one of the Probationary Stock Contractor’s rodeos per year during the probationary period.

(SCEC 02/2025)

Change B2.5.13.4.3 Voting Rights. Probationary Stock Contractors shall have no voting rights on matters pertaining to Stock Contractors ~~only during the first year of their~~ during Probationary Stock Contractor membership, but will have voting rights beginning in their ~~second fourth~~ year of after Probationary Stock Contractor membership.

(SCEC 02/2025)

Change B2.5.13.4.4 Special Events Eligibility. Probationary Stock Contractors ~~in their first year of membership~~ are not eligible to provide riding event livestock to Special Events, such as the Circuit Finals Rodeos, National Circuit Finals Rodeo, Tour Finales, National Finals Rodeo, etc. Full Status Probationary Stock Contractors ~~in after their probationary second or third year of membership~~ shall be eligible to provide riding event livestock to Special Events, provided that all other applicable requirements are met.

(SCEC 02/2025)

Change B2.5.13.5.2 Requirements for Maintaining Full Stock Contractor Status. A Full Stock Contractor must comply with the following requirements in order to maintain Full Stock Contractor status: A) Primary Stock Contractor. A Full Stock Contractor must serve as the Primary Stock Contractor at PRCA approved rodeos with a minimum accumulated total of \$25,000 50,000 in added prize money during each Rodeo Year. B) Financial Capability. A Full Stock Contractor must have the financial capability to serve as a PRCA member Stock Contractor. C) Supply of Equipment. A Full Stock Contractor must supply equipment and stock necessary to conduct each rodeo at which the Full Stock Contractor is the Stock Contractor of record. D) Quality of Production. A Full Stock Contractor must produce each and every rodeo in a high quality manner consistent with the standards of the PRCA. E) Compliance with Other Bylaws and Rules. Full Stock Contractors must comply with those bylaws and rules which apply to all PRCA Stock Contractors including, but not limited to, Bylaws B2.5.13.3 through B2.5.13.3.5. F) Stock Inspections. The Director of Rodeo Administration shall have the authority to inspect a PRCA Stock Contractor member’s stock at any time. Riding event livestock on record at the PRCA National Headquarters must be available for inspection at the home base within 14 days after notice is delivered to the home base. If the Director of Rodeo Administration, during the course of an inspection, discovers that the PRCA Stock Contractor member is not in compliance with the requirements for PRCA Stock Contractor members (including requirements for First Year and Probationary Stock Contractor, if applicable) as set forth in these Bylaws and/or Official Rodeo Rules, that Stock Contractor will be assessed a \$1,000 fine per animal short of the minimum requirements and will have membership status changed to Probationary Stock Contractor.

3/21/2025

G) Ranch Inspection. An Active Member Stock Contractor may elect to have a ranch inspection of their livestock's brand and numbers in lieu of inspections at rodeos. Such inspections shall be a minimum of two weeks prior to the Stock Contractor's first rodeo and shall not exceed reasonable cost agreed on by Rodeo Administration and said Stock Contractor. It shall be at a time and place mutually agreed with the Director of Rodeo Administration.

(SCEC 02/2025)

B2.5.13.6 Transfer/Sale of Stock Contracting Firm.

Change B2.5.13.6.1 Transfer of Stock Contracting Firm. Only a Full Stock Contractor's PRCA membership card may be transferred to a new firm (individual, partnership, corporation or other legal entity), and only in connection with the sale of all or substantially all of the transferring firm's livestock, equipment, rodeo contracts and other business assets to the transferee firm, with the transferee firm continuing the stock contracting business as a going concern. Such sale must include a minimum of 25 bareback horses, 25 saddle bronc horses and 25 bulls. In the case of a qualifying sales transaction, the prospective new owner must be inspected by the PRCA and a licensed state brand inspector of the home base state. Not applicable in states without livestock brand requirements (Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Rhode Island, and West Virginia) ~~and~~. Prospective new owners must pay a non-refundable inspection evaluation fee of \$2,500 to the PRCA prior to inspection evaluation to cover the PRCA's anticipated costs in connection with that inspection evaluation, in order to have the transferred card re-issued to the transferee's designated operating officer. In addition as a condition to the transfer and re-issue of the Stock Contractor card in question, the PRCA shall require (i) that all debts owed by the transferor to the PRCA are paid in full, and (ii) proof of bill of sale for all riding event livestock involved in the sale transaction and may require review of all terms and provisions of the contract documents concerning the transferor's sale of all or substantially all of its business assets as a going concern to the transferee as well as all other contractual relationships created or affected in connection with the transfer of the subject Stock Contractor card. A transferee pursuant to this Section B2.5.13.6.1 shall be subject to inspection during the first year of ownership, and thereafter as a Full Stock Contractor.

(SCEC 02/2025)

Change B8.3.2 Qualification to Provide Riding Event Livestock. To qualify to provide riding event livestock to the NFR, a Stock Contractor must serve as the Primary Stock Contractor at three PRCA approved rodeos with a minimum accumulated total of \$50,000 in added prize money, ~~or five PRCA approved rodeos with a minimum accumulated total of \$25,000 in added prize money~~ during the corresponding Rodeo Year. If an approved barrel race or breakaway roping is held at that PRCA approved rodeo, barrel racing and breakaway roping prize money will be included in the accumulated total.

(SCEC 02/2025)

Change B8.5.1 Application. Contract Personnel must be Financially Eligible and must have participated in at least eight PRCA-approved rodeos in the Rodeo Year that they apply for the NFR position with a minimum of 20 total performances in the category applied for in order to participate at the NFR. For purposes of this Bylaw, rodeos at which a Contract Personnel Member works only in a slack shall not count towards the minimum number of rodeos or performances required to participate at the NFR. ~~A Contract Personnel Member may not work at the NFR unless he has filed an application with the Director of Rodeo Administration in accordance with this Section B8.5.1. Applications for all Contract Personnel positions to the NFR will be accepted by the Director of Rodeo Administration up to May 1 of the calendar year in which the NFR will be held. All contract personnel in good standing with the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association and who have worked a minimum of eight rodeos and twenty performances in the previous calendar year will be automatically eligible to work the NFR. If selected, that member has the right to accept or decline that position.~~ No later than October 15, the top 20 bareback and saddle bronc riders (based on the rodeo season year-end in which the current NFR is being held) will vote for two pickup men, with the voting process administered by the PRCA, for one full entry week; the top 20 bull riders (based on the rodeo season year-end in which the current NFR is being held) will vote for three bullfighters. For the one full entry week following the first vote, the same top 20 bareback and saddle bronc riders will vote for two of the top four vote-getters in the pickup men category; the same top 20 bull riders will vote for three of the top five vote-getters in the bullfighter category. The top two vote-getters and one alternate (the third-place vote-getter in the final tally) in the pickup man category and the top three vote-getters in the bullfighter categories will be selected for the NFR. All other Contract Personnel (excluding the Barrelman) for the NFR shall be selected by the National Finals Rodeo Committee no later than October 30.

(J. Hilton, 10/2024)

Change B9.4.5 Circuit Finals Rodeo Contestants. If a contestant qualifies for the National Finals Rodeo, contestant will not be allowed to compete in that event at their Circuit Finals or the NCFR for the corresponding year. Each Circuit may designate the number of contestants to be accepted (10, 12, or 15) in events held at the Circuit Finals. The number of contestants accepted will be the same for all events, except for team roping, where the number of teams shall be the same as the number of contestants for all other events. In determining the CFR Qualifiers for the team roping, Circuit Points won by a contestant as a

header and as a heeler shall be combined, and each roper shall be ranked within his respective circuit based on his combined point total. To be a “CFR Qualifier” for a Circuit Finals Rodeo event, a Contestant Card Member or Permit Member must have selected the Circuit as his Designated Circuit, must satisfy the requirements of the Required Participation Rule described in Section B9.4.5.1, must finish within the top number of contestants in the Circuit Standings equal to the number of contestants accepted in that event in the Circuit Finals Rodeo, must be Financially Eligible and Competition Eligible, and must officially enter the Circuit Finals Rodeo. If there are not enough CFR Qualifiers in an event, the remaining CFR Contestant positions shall be filled according to Section B9.4.5.3
(K. Driggers, S. Hanchey, R. Duvall 01/2025)

Change B9.4.6.4 Applications. Contract Personnel must apply with the Director of Rodeo Administration to work in a U.S. CFR. The application shall specify in which U.S. CFR the applicant desires to work. An applicant may not work in a U.S. CFR if he has not applied to work in that particular U.S. CFR. Applications for Contract Personnel positions to a U.S. CFR shall be accepted by the Director of Rodeo Administration through May 1 of the Rodeo Year for which the U.S. CFR is to be held. All contract personnel in good standing with the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association and who have worked a minimum of four rodeos and ten performances in the previous calendar year will be automatically eligible to work a U.S. CFR. If selected, that member has the right to accept or decline that position. Member photographers shall be exempt from this requirement and shall be selected at the discretion of the individual Circuit Administrators.
(J. Hilton 10/2024)

Change B10.1.15 Six Standard Events. A rodeo must shall include bareback, saddle bronc riding, bull riding, tie down roping, steer wrestling and team roping to be approved. Steer roping is an optional event. However, if a rodeo chooses to eliminate a standard event due to hardship B10.1.15.2, that rodeo’s total prize money from the previous year cannot be decreased and must be distributed evenly among the other standard events.
(RCEC/SCEC 08/2024)

Change B10.1.15.1 Minimum Added Money. A rodeo committee adding less than must add a minimum of \$1,000 per event must have equal money in the team roping.
(RCEC/SCEC 08/2024)

New B10.1.15.2 Hardship. A rodeo committee may declare “Hardship” and be considered to have their rodeo approved, or approval changed, with 5 of the six standard events. A “hardship” may be, but not limited to:

- a. If in the previous year one of the standard events had fewer than 5 participating entries, a committee may submit next year’s approval application without including the one event it desires to exclude. A letter must be submitted with the approval application stating reason(s) why they desire to exclude an event. If the request is approved, it is not grandfathered in for future years. It must be requested for each future approval application.
- b. If a rodeo event cannot be held due to local or state ordinances or laws an affected rodeo committee may declare a “hardship” and submit approval application excluding the event(s) effected. A letter must be submitted with the approval application stating reason(s) why the event should be excluded from the approval process. ALSO, if a law is enacted affecting one or more of the six standard events after the committee’s rodeo is approved, the committee may request affected event(s) to be withdrawn from the approved rodeo.
(RCEC/SCEC 08/2024)

Change B10.1.17.1 Minimum Purse Money Added by a Rodeo. To receive PRCA approval, all new and existing Rodeo Committees must add at least \$500 3,000 per required event, ~~per performance,~~ or \$1,000 per required event at a one-performance rodeo.
(L. Allen 12/2024)

Change B10.1.17.1 Minimum Purse Money Added by a Rodeo. To receive PRCA approval, all new Rodeo Committees must add at least \$500 2500 per required event, ~~per performance,~~ or \$1,000 per required event at a one performance rodeo ~~B10.3~~
Purse Money.
(SCEC 02/2025)

B10.3.1 Featured Events. For any new featured event, no PRCA required event shall have more or less money added to that event’s purse than is added to the purse of any other PRCA event at a PRCA approved rodeo unless otherwise approved by the PRCA Board of Directors or the Director of Rodeo Administration. However, a Rodeo Committee shall have the option of adding money to the purse for up to three events selected by the Rodeo Committee to be its featured event or events in an amount that is up to double the base money added by the Rodeo Committee to the purses of the other PRCA events approved

for the rodeo (such base added money in the other events shall not, for purposes of determining the double money, include those events whose purse is compensated for limited entries). The rodeo committee must provide equal money in the team roping to use this option. Any additional moneys which may be added in a featured event or events at the Rodeo Committee's election shall not be considered by the Director of Rodeo Administration in the determination of the amount of "fair and just" money to be added by the Rodeo Committee to the purses of the other PRCA events. Moreover, any Rodeo Committee electing to increase the added purse money in a given event or events may not, without the approval of the PRCA Board of Directors, reduce the base added money for the other PRCA events held at its rodeo from that which was added by the Rodeo Committee to those events in the previous year.

(K. Driggers 01/2025)

Change B10.4 Finals. A Rodeo Committee requesting to hold a finals in its rodeo must add at least \$20,000 purse money to each event which has a finals and have equal money in the team roping and have at least two complete go-rounds in each of the timed events prior to the finals. In order to maintain a finals, a Rodeo Committee must increase its purse money by a minimum of 5% per year each year following initially adding \$20,000 in purse money per event. Once the added purse money per event reaches \$25,000, a Rodeo Committee is not required to add any more money in order to continue with a finals. If a Rodeo Committee has a finals in one or more events, the Rodeo Committee must add no less than half of the money offered in the event with a finals to each of the remaining PRCA required events.

(M. Reeves, S. Hanchey, K. Driggers 05/2024)

Change B10.5.2 Permit Members Required to Contest. All rodeos that add \$5,000 or less in purse money must accept Permit Members as contestants in each event pursuant to either Circuit Permits, All Permits, ~~Circuit Permits Maximum~~ or Permits Maximum special status set forth in B10.5.4; provided, however, that rodeos with four or more performances that add \$5,000 or less in purse money per event are not required to accept Permit Members under the terms specified in this Bylaw B10.5.2 as contestants in the timed events.

(PRCA Staff 08/2024)

Change B10.5.4 Special Status Rodeos. A Rodeo Committee adding \$5,000 or more in purse money per event may request, in its application for approval, that any of its rodeo events be granted "Circuit Permits," All Permits," ~~"Circuit Permits Maximum"~~ or "Permits Maximum" status.

(PRCA Staff 08/2024)



PLAYOFF SERIES

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2025 SCHEDULE

PRCA BUSINESS

ODESSA, TX
DENVER, CO
FORT WORTH, TX
JACKSON, MS
SAN ANTONIO, TX
TUCSON, AZ
MERCEDES, TX
HOUSTON, TX
AUSTIN, TX
LOGANDALE, NV
SAN ANGELO, TX
RED BLUFF, CA
CLOVIS, CA
GUYMON, OK
REDDING, CA
WOODWARD, OK
SISTERS, OR
VERNAL, UT
PRINEVILLE, OR
RENO, NV
PECOS, TX

GREELEY, CO
MANDAN, ND
CODY, WY
LIVINGSTON, MT
BASIN CITY, WA
ST PAUL, OR
OAKLEY CITY, UT
PRESCOTT, AZ
SHERIDAN, WY
CASPER, WY
NAMPA, ID
SALINAS, CA
SALT LAKE CITY, UT
OGDEN, UT
SPANISH FORK, UT
DEADWOOD, SD
CHEYENNE, WY
HEBER CITY, UT
DODGE CITY, KS
CASTLE ROCK, CO
LOGAN, UT

LOVINGTON, NM
HERMISTON, OR
CALDWELL, ID
GOODING, ID
MOSES LAKE, WA
CANBY, OR
BREMERTON, WA
KENNEWICK, WA
TREMONTON, UT
FILER, ID
WALLA WALLA, WA
ELLENSBURG, WA
LEWISTON, ID
PENDLETON, OR
ABILENE, TX
ALBUQUERQUE, NM
MANDAN, ND
CINCH PLAYOFFS:
PUYALLUP, WA
SIOUX FALLS, SD

The Playoff Series Standings will be based on points distributed to contestants for the top 20 placings at each of the Playoff Series Rodeos. There will be three levels of points distribution based on the total payout at a Playoff Series Rodeo. Points will be distributed based on placings in the average at that respective rodeo for rodeos with a one or more go-rounds or one or more go-rounds with a Finals. Contestants with no score or no time at that rodeo will not be awarded Series points.

At tournament format rodeos, the contestants who qualify for the Finals will receive points for the highest placings. The number of placings that are distributed for the Finals will correspond with the number of contestants who advanced to the Finals. Points will be distributed based on highest scores or fastest times in the Finals. If there are less qualified scores or times than there are contestants competing in the Finals, the points allotted for the remaining places that were not distributed due to the lack of qualified scores or times in the Finals will be split evenly among the contestants with no time or no score in the Finals. After points are distributed to contestants who qualified for the finals, the remaining points will be distributed to contestants based on highest scores or fastest times in the Semi-Finals. For example, at a tournament style rodeo where there is a long go-round, followed by a Wild Card Round and a Semi-Finals Round and then followed by a top 8 Finals with a top 4 Shoot-Out round, the contestants who qualified for the top 4 Shoot-Out round will be awarded the points for the first 4 places. The remaining 4 contestants who qualified for the top 8 Finals who did not qualify for the top 4 Shoot-Out round will be awarded points for 5th through 8th places based on highest scores or fastest times in the Finals. If there are less qualified scores or times in the Finals than there are contestants competing in the Finals, the points for the remaining places will be divided evenly among the

Card Round and a Semi-Finals Round and then followed by a top 8 Finals with a top 4 Shoot-Out round, the contestants who qualified for the top 4 Shoot-Out round will be awarded the points for the first 4 places. The remaining 4 contestants who qualified for the top 8 Finals who did not qualify for the top 4 Shoot-Out round will be awarded points for 5th through 8th places based on highest scores or fastest times in the Finals. If there are less qualified scores or times in the Finals than there are contestants

competing in the Finals, the points for the remaining places will be divided evenly among the contestants with no scores or no times in the Finals. The points for the remaining 12 places (9th through 20th) will be awarded to contestants with the highest scores or fastest times in the Semi-Finals. If there are less than 12 contestants (in this example) with a qualified score or time in the Semi-Finals, the points for the remaining places (not to exceed a total of 20 places plus splits) will be divided evenly among the contestants with no score or no time in the Semi-Finals. If there are remaining points to be distributed to contestants for the top 20 places after all contestants in the Semi-Finals have been awarded points for their placings, points will be distributed to contestants with highest scores or fastest times in the Wild Card Round. If there are still points to be distributed to contestants for the top 20 places after points have been awarded to contestants in the Wild Card Round, points will be distributed to contestants based on highest scores and fastest times in the average from the Brackets. Contestants with no qualified score or time at that rodeo will not be awarded Series points. Points will count towards a contestant's ranking in the Playoff Series Standings only for Playoff Series rodeo that are designated as "official" entries.

Additionally, monetary turn out fines will be doubled at 2025 Playoff Series Rodeos. Contestants will be assessed a maximum 10-point deduction for turning out at a Playoff Series Rodeo (includes notified and non-notified TO's, does not include VIR's and DR's).



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POINT DISTRIBUTION BASED ON TOTAL PAYOUT (INCLUDES SR, GBR, & BA)

Position Rank	\$650,000 & Above 1000 POINTS	\$325,000 - \$649,999 750 POINTS	\$324,999 & Below 500 POINTS	%
1	150	112.5	75	15%
2	130	97.5	65	13%
3	113	84.75	56.5	11.30%
4	98	73.5	49	9.80%
5	83	62.25	41.5	8.30%
6	68	51	34	6.80%
7	53	39.75	26.5	5.30%
8	45	33.75	22.5	4.50%
9	40	30	20	4%
10	35	26.25	17.5	3.50%
11	32	24	16	3.20%
12	29	21.75	14.5	2.90%
13	26	19.5	13	2.60%
14	23	17.25	11.5	2.30%
15	20	15	10	2%
16	17	12.75	8.5	1.70%
17	14	10.5	7	1.40%
18	11	8.25	5.5	1.10%
19	8	6	4	0.80%
20	5	3.75	2.5	0.50%

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