

TENNESSEE HIGH SCHOOL RODEO - 2026 STATE FINALS RODEO

West TN Agricultural Pavilion
on the University of TN at Martin campus
111 MOODY ST, MARTIN, TN 38238
Friday, May 29 - Sunday, May 31, 2026

READ THESE PAGES COMPLETELY (before entering) AND ASK ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE.

Contact Holly @ tnhsrodeosec@gmail.com or 731-747-1683

ENTRIES

The deadline for Entries/Stalls and Hookups is **MONDAY, May 18, 2026 at Midnight**. Be sure to read the explanations regarding fees and armbands below! Also, there will be a team meal so be sure to mark if you are coming and how many plan to attend so we can plan accordingly. Be sure to read the Schedule! It has lots of info!

FEES

State Finals is 3 rounds. You must compete in all three rounds. There is a Stock/Arena Fee of \$45 for each event you enter and a one-time \$20 office fee. The \$45 fee will get you entered into all three rounds. It is **optional** to enter the jackpot; if you want a chance to receive a payout in an event, you will need to enter the jackpot in that event. You may enter the Jackpot by paying \$50 per event you choose to Jackpot. You may elect to jackpot in any OR all of your events. IT IS OPTIONAL.

****Please note, if you do NOT pay the Jackpot Fee you will NOT receive any payout for your placing****

The jackpot fee will be paid out \$10 for each of the three go rounds and \$20 for the average. The number of places paid in each event will be determined by the number of entries that choose to jackpot.

GUARANTEED 15,000 IN ADDED MONEY TO FINALS JACKPOT

TICKETS/ARMBANDS/MEAL

EVERYONE (except contestants) must purchase tickets or armbands for the performances. You can do this ahead of time on the stall/hookup entry. Please mark how many adult and youth wristbands you need; we will give them to the contestant at check-in. Pre-orders are \$15 per adult per weekend & \$8 per youth (12 and under) per weekend. Kids 4 and under are free. We will have admission tables set up at the door if you miss early prices. On site, prices for the weekend will be \$20 for Adults & \$10 for Youth (12 and under). Individual performance tickets will be \$10 for Adults and \$5 for Youth at the door. Meal tickets also available on stall/hookup entry.

DRAW and CHECK IN

The running order draw will not be posted. You will pick up your day sheets at check in. The draw order will be random for Friday and reverse order Saturday. On Sunday, we will run in reverse standings order (as of points prior to finals). Barrels and poles will be randomized, but the top 10 will run last and on fresh ground; this may mean an odd drag. It will be explained at the mandatory meeting.

CHECK IN WILL BE 4:45-5:30 p.m. FRIDAY.

Contestants must be in dress code at check in and pay stall/hookup/armband/meal fees and T-Shirts at that time with a Check or Cash. Checks need to be made to TNHSRA

Stalls & Hookups

Stalls are required overnight. Stalls are \$50 for the weekend. Stalls are on dirt and include 1 bag of shavings. Extra shavings are \$12; you can pre-order extra or get more on site during daytime working hours. OUTSIDE SHAVING ARE NOT ALLOWED

Hookups are optional and include water and electricity; generators allowed. Hookups are \$70 for the weekend and will assigned based on order received; we will post a list.

STALL AND HOOKUP PRICES ARE FOR FRIDAY-SUNDAY - if you plan to come in on Thursday night you will be charged extra. They will not be unlocked on Thursday unless Holly is notified 731-747-1683.

Adult members may turn in their membership form & fees at CHECK-IN in order to vote at meeting Saturday.

Please Turn in *auction items* at Check in on Friday

2026 TNHSRA Finals Schedule

Friday, May 29, 2026

- 1:00 pm **Officer & Board Meeting (In Classroom)**
3:00-4:00 Student Officer Candidate set-up in the check-in area.
4:45-5:30 **Rodeo Contestant Check in** (in dress code & all fees to be paid)
(turn in Adult Membership forms/fees at this time AND Auction Items).
5:45 pm Raffle Drawing
5:45 pm **MANDATORY contestant meeting – (Roll will be called. If you are not there, you will be disqualified)**
7:00 pm **Rodeo Performance - 1st Go**– Everyone will run in draw order, no slack.

Saturday, May 30, 2026

- 9:00 am **Officer and Board Meeting (At Church)**
10:00 am **ADULT MEMBERSHIP MEETING at Shepherd's Field Church** (500 Fowler Rd, Martin @ the intersection of Hwy 43 and Elm St) : This includes membership election for 2026-27 Adult Officers and Board (Must be adult member to vote or serve in office or board)
12:00 pm **Team Lunch** (Shepherd's Field Church, 500 Fowler Rd)– Everyone is invited & encouraged to attend. There will be a lunch fee on each entry form to cover cost of lunch for immediate family (grandparents & friends will need to give a donation at the meal) and we ask that you estimate how many plan to attend so we can plan accordingly.
12:30 pm **AUCTION** immediately following lunch, followed by **SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATIONS, & SENIOR RECOGNITION** (Be sure to bring your auction donations to office/check-in on Friday.)
NEW BOARD Meeting immediately following these activities.
7:00 pm **Rodeo Performance – 2nd Go** (Reverse order from 1st go)

Sunday, May 31, 2025

- 8:30 am **Cowboy Church**
10:00am **Rodeo Performance - 3rd Go**
Award Ceremony within 1 hour after performance. New student Officers Announced

The Top 4 in each event after Sunday will be eligible to go the Nationals. If you do not plan on going to Nationals please let Holly or Justin know so we can take the next person. Contestants qualifying for Nationals must stay and complete all Paperwork before leaving SUNDAY! NO EXCEPTIONS!!! You must make your payment (check) for your camping spot, and stalls. Entries (Jackpot) will be done on Equest Event (Credit Card). We will have Notaries present. If you are planning to go to Nationals, be sure you have BOTH parents there to sign forms in front of Notary. You will also need to know your child's social security number if entering the jackpot at Nationals. Please bring your Check Book, Credit Card, Contestants Social Security # and know your user name and login for Equest Event. You will have to log into Equest Event 2 times and the 2nd time will not auto fill so you must know it. Please get on Equest before finals weekend and get your information.

*****TNHSRA FINALS POINTS*****

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Points for EACH performance will be awarded as follows:

10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

Points for AVERAGE total 30 and will be awarded as follows:

30-27-24-21-18-15-12-9-6-3