

CCBRA RULES

All participants must sign they have received, read, and understand these rules AND sign a release of liability form BEFORE they may participate in any part of an CCBRA event, including just time only (EXHIBITION) runs. PRINTED WAIVERS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE OFFICE OR ONLINE

SPORTSMANSHIP There is zero tolerance for mistreatment of horses at any point during the event, this includes, but not limited to, stall area, warm up arena, holding pen & main arena. Mistreatment includes, but not limited to, excessive jerking, spurring, whipping, slapping, abuse with any device, or any other act intended to cause trauma or injury to horse. Contestant will be disqualified.

Misconduct or abusive comments spoken to any contestant, spectator, staff member or volunteer will result in immediate contestant disqualification and no refund of any fees. Contestants are also responsible for traveling companions and family members.

BARREL RACE

- 1. Barrel racing is a timed event, using 55 gallon steel drums, with both ends of the barrel enclosed.
- 2. No rubber or plastic barrels or barrel pads used.
- 3. One horse in the arena during the barrel race without exception.

 Starting gate or gates will remain the same throughout the entire race go-rounds.

 It is the contestant's responsibility to run in the correct draw number. If the horse competing is in the wrong draw number (without prior written approval from CCBRA) it is a "no time" for that run.
- 4. -The horse must enter the arena in forward motion and continue in forward motion. He may be required to run in and out of the arena only when an acceptable centrally located gate or gates safely permits.
- 5. A contestant cannot train or circle during competition. No more than one circle on each barrel while competing.
- 6. No stopping or whipping a horse in the alley upon completion of the run. The alley belongs to the next contestant.
- 7. Any time contestant crosses the starting line, time will begin.
- 8. Contestant will be assessed a five second penalty for knocking over a barrel. Touching a barrel is permitted.
- 9. Should barrel be knocked over and it sets up on opposite end, the five second penalty will be assessed.
- 10. During competition if barrel is moved off marker, judge must oversee re-setting downed barrel correctly.
- 11. Assistance in the alley way is allowed (horseback or on foot), but contestant & assistant assume all risk and liability.
- 12. Reruns shall be given if a timer fails to work or if barrels are not placed properly on markers at the discretion of CCBRA. No penalties will carry over to rerun. Contestant shall be given the choice to rerun immediately or at the end of the class.
- 13. Time only runs are limited to 60 seconds
- 14. Horses may not be in any arena with the tractor
- 15. Riders must wait for the signal from the official before entering the arena.
- 16. Only one horse and rider are allowed in the arena at any given time during the race.

- 17. If a horse knocks over a barrel, the rider should maintain control of the horse and not attempt to correct or replace the barrel.
- 18. Do not attempt to dismount to adjust a barrel during the race
- 19. Parents and guardians must supervise children closely to prevent them from wandering near the arena or horses
- 20. DO NOT Climb the fence or allow pets to bark or run through the fence
- 21. Riders exhibiting reckless behavior, or who compromise the safety of others, may be disqualified
- 22. In the event of a rider fall or horse injury, all racing will halt until the situation is addressed by arena officials or medical personnel
- 23. Timing. All runs must be timed utilizing electronic eyes.
- 24. ENTER on Saddlebook unless specified otherwise
- 25. Pets must be leashed/restrained at all times & are never allowed in any arena
- 26. Clean up after yourselves and your pets
- 27. Do not block other vehicles' ability to leave the facility with your truck, trailer, car, animals, or equipment
- 28. Any contestant/ guest/ spectator or volunteer may be asked to leave the arena facility or parking area by a representative of CCBRA
- 29. NO TIME Contestants will receive a no time within the round for the following reasons:
 - Failure to be ready to compete when your name is called. Announcer will call your name 3 times and if you do not present yourself to compete you will receive a no time.
 - · Horse refusing to gate. If your horse refuses to enter the alleyway to compete, the alley judge will say '60 second warning' and the announcer will announce '60 second warning'. If the 60 second time limit elapses before your horse attempts to begin the run, it will result in a no time.
 - · Off pattern. If you do not complete the pattern or go off pattern, it is a no time.
 - · Running in a different order than what you have drawn will result in a no time.
 - Failure to compete on the correct horse. If you have correct draw but are riding the wrong horse according to official draw and you run, it is a not time.

All applicable fees must be paid in full to be eligible to participate in any CCBRA barrel race. MONIES OWED RESULT IN DISQUALIFIACTION AND OR FORFEIT OF ANY PAYOUT. CREDIT CARD DISPUTES RESULT IN DISQUALIFCATION AND FOREFEIT OF ANY PAYOUT 1099 MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO RECEIVING PAYOUT \$50 fee for Returned Checks or Declined Credit Cards.

Violations of rules may result in disqualification from the race or future events. CCBRA/ Arena officials have the final say in enforcing safety measures. All decisions made by CCBRA are final – we reserve the right to refuse entry to any horse or individual. Any rules herewith can be changed, added to, or denied at the discretion of CCBRA. CCBRA will have the final word in interpreting or supplementing the rules and conditions of race if the need arises.

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