# 49er's Saddle Club July 2023 Newsletter

July 12, 2023

Next meeting will be Monday August 14th, 6pm

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## JULY

I hope you all had a wonderful 4<sup>th</sup> of July. Summer is upon us and is definitely bringing the heat. Please check our Facebook page for any cancelations but since most of our events begin 6-7pm there is rarely a need to cancel.

We have had some amazing turnouts for our Jr. Rodeo, Playnights, and Barrel and Pole Series this year and have been running late into the evenings. Thank you all for your support and for all our volunteers. Your help ensures we can all get home at a reasonable hour! These fun summer nights make so many memories!

Please send your favorite pictures to me to be included in our newsletters and year end sponsor thank you cards.

Our royalty director and families have been running the cookshack this summer to raise funds for their program so thank you all so much for supporting them.

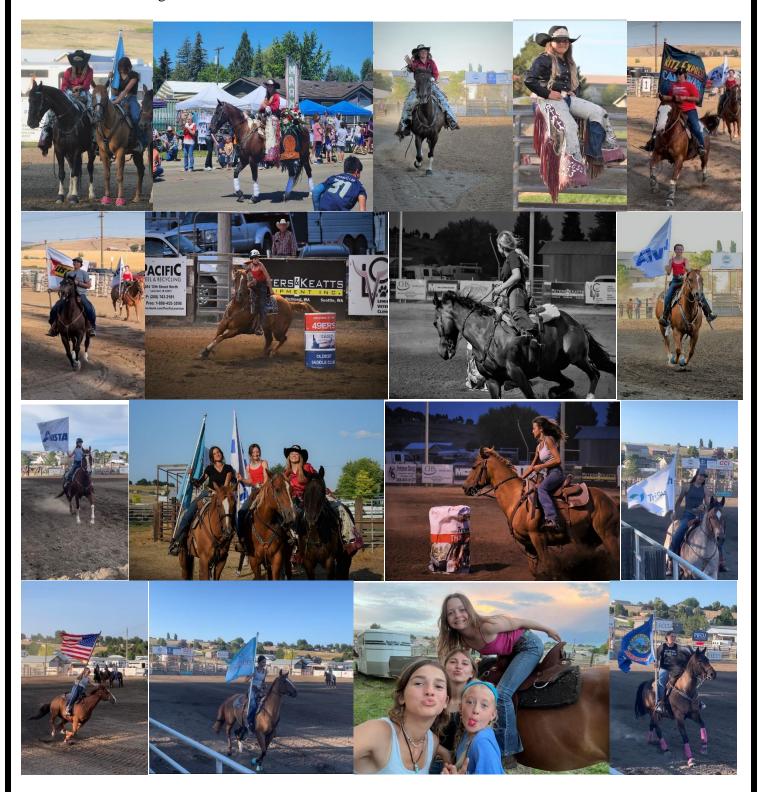
July 14<sup>th</sup> they are hosting a Glow in the dark pole bending and barrel race jackpot and will have a best glowing horse and rider costume contest as well. Signups begin at 7pm with poles beginning at 8 pm, followed by barrels and finally the best glow in the dark costume judging.

Kati Wilson has been taking some great pictures of our Jr. Rodeo contestants and offering some great deals if you'd like to purchase some. Check out our Facebook page to see them and message her to purchase:)

Our beautiful Queen Corlene Gibleau represented our club at Grangeville Border days as well as the Winchester Parade and took 1<sup>st</sup> place. We are so proud of her. Her and Princess Cahira Harding grace our arena at each of our events and precede our sponsor flags, 49er's flag, Idaho State flag, and finally the American flag carried by our 2018 49er's queen Kenzie Triplett.

Kenzie oversees the flags and grand entry so contact her if interested in carrying a flag and sign up at the office 30 minutes prior to the event.

We love featuring our kids in our monthly newsletter. Please send us your favorite pics via email the 49ers saddleclub@gmail.com or text Rena Cook 208-310-4148



Thank you ladies for a wonderful job representing our Saddle club and our awesome sponsors!

You may have noticed the new big sponsor signboards over the bucking chutes. We want to thank our sponsors for supporting the 49ers and for all the hard work behind the scenes to get them installed. Mark Cook, Dakota Cook, Caleb Peterson, and Steve Szasz. We appreciate you guys so much!

One of our amazing rodeo families' son was badly injured in a car accident a few weeks ago and could use all our prayers and support. Please pray for the Goeckners and their son's full recovery.

We are so grateful for the volunteers that stepped up as event directors and made this possible and to all our sponsors that provide the buckles and awards for the entire series. If you have a kiddo interested in participating, the next rodeos will be July  $26^{th}$  and August  $2^{nd}$ .

Each contestant's top 4 times of the 5 rodeos will be counted towards series end awards so it's not too late to enter. No entry fees, must be a current member. Buckles, and awards to 6<sup>th</sup> place in each event, as well as All Around Champion Buckles and Reserve All Around Champion Buckles awarded. The buckles are on their way here now and absolutely beautiful.

We have Dummy Roping, Breakaway Roping, Goat Tail Undecorating, Goat Tying, Barrel Racing, and Pole Bending and 4 age groups. 8 and under, 9-11, 12-15, and 16-18. No minimum number of rodeos entered to qualify for points.

Parents, please remember that we need volunteers at our rodeos and barrel and pole series to keep things moving in a timely manner. Gate openers, arena set up, barrel and pole setters etc.



#### Sneek Peek at a couple of our 2023 Jr. Rodeo buckles



A friendly reminder to put away the practice poles and barrels when you are finished, always use the reverse barrel pattern for practice to preserve the ground, and if you are the last one there, close the gate when you leave. We do not have a grounds keeper at the 49er's so please help keep the facilities looking their best by picking up and disposing of any garbage.

**Absolutely no horses are allowed** beyond the gold fence surrounding the bleachers, cookshack, or playground area. We have several small kids playing there and that is their safe space:)

The 49er's is a great place to get those community service hours in. We are always in need of volunteers and have several projects from painting, cleaning, minor repairs, to helping during one of our many events.

This is a family-oriented saddle club, and we are all responsible for making it the best it can possibly be. If you want to be more involved or offer suggestions on how we can improve, our monthly meetings are the second Monday of the month at 6pm (except June and July).

We are still looking for someone to help organize a float for the Lewiston Roundup Parade, Veterans Day Parade, as well as the Clarkston Lighted Christmas parade this year.

Our members and past royalty are invited to ride in the Lewiston Roundup Parade on horseback and will need volunteers to carry 7 flags as well so make sure your horses are ready for the fun.

# 49er's Schedule of Events

## **Summer Playnights**

Mondays at 6:30 pm

Check our Facebook page for cancellations.

### Thursday Night Barrel and Pole Series

June 8th June 22nd July 6th July 20th August 3rd August 17th

Money added and awesome buckle and award series. Beautiful buckles and awards for each Division in the Open. Buckles for Youth, Senior, Novice, and Peewees in both Barrels and Poles.

Our Big 3 Barrel Race will be August 25th Contact Lisa Hawkins for more info 509-780-1828

#### 49er's Junior Rodeo Summer Series

Scheduled Wednesdays 6pm. The Rodeo will consist of Dummy Roping/Breakaway, Goat Tail undecorating/Goat Tying, Pole Bending, and Barrel Racing. *Rodeo dates subject to change Contact Mark Cook* 907-385-2841 *or Rena Cook* 208-310-4148

June 7<sup>th</sup> June 28<sup>th</sup> July 5<sup>th</sup> July 26th August 2<sup>nd</sup>

### Don't Forget about these scheduled events

Royalty Glow in the Dark Barrel and Pole Jackpot and best glow in the dark horse and rider costume

July 14<sup>th</sup> at 8pm Signups begin at 7pm *Contact Yolanda Blackwell 208-790-6881* 

**Breakaway Mini Clinics July 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> 8:30 -11:30am hosted by David and Scotti Erickson** Ground Dummy, horsemanship, and sled work. No experience required \$120 per day limited to 7 participants each day. Sign up for 1 or both days. *Text 208-305-3484* 

Breakaway lessons at the 49er's arena on Tuesdays at 6-7pm for a max of 6 people. The cost is \$40. If interested, contact *Scotti or David Erickson 208-691-8653* 

Team roping Jackpot Friday August 18th

CIRA finals August 19th and 20th

Stay tuned for info on our Fall Omoksee and annual Spooktacular Royalty Barrel race and costume contest

We want to thank our Annual 2023 Jr. Rodeo Sponsors!



























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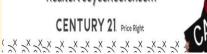
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