

2026 Abdallah Shrine Junior Rodeo Rule Book



**ALL CONTESTANTS SHALL OBSERVE RULES SET BY THE
ABDALLAH SHRINE YOUTH RODEO COMMITTEE**

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Timed events only no rough stock

1. AGE DIVISION: Will be divided as follows:

- a) Open division up to 19 years of age on or before January 1 of the season who have provided proof of high school enrollment will be eligible.
- b) Senior division ages 11-14.
- c) Junior division ages 7-10.
- d) Peewee division ages 6 and under.

2. SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS:

The Abdallah Shrine Rodeo Chairman reserves the right to make accommodations for riders with disabilities. The Abdallah Shrine Rodeo Committee strives to make rodeo competition accessible for all young people, including those with special needs. Requests for special accommodations must be made in writing to Abdallah Shrine 5300 Metcalf Ave Overland Park Kansas 66202 or by email abdallahshrineroдео@gmail.com at least 30 days in advance.

3. PAYOUTS:

- a) There will be a 40% payout of all the entry monies collected for each event, after stock charges. The number of contestants will determine the PAYBACK.

<u># of Contestants</u>	<u>Places Paid</u>	<u>Percent of Prize</u>
1-3	1	100%
4-7	2	60%-40%
8-10	3	50% - 30% - 20%

Each event will max out at 10 contestants.

- b) All contestants are to be paid prize money after the last performance of the rodeo if they are present. If they are not present, prize money will be held for pickup at the Abdallah Shrine Rodeo office, unless it is requested to be mailed to the contestant.

4. COMPLAINTS:

- a) During an event must be presented to the Abdallah Shrine Rodeo chairman.
- b) Chairman will be the go-between of contestants, judges and stock contractor. Contestants only -- will be allowed to present a complaint to the chairman.
- c) Complaints must be made during the event in question and before the next event starts.
- d) Any un-sportsman like conduct where a committee member feels they are disrupting the rodeo may be disqualified and removed from the rodeo.

5. ENTRY FEES WILL NOT EXCEED THE BELOW:

a) EVENT	TOTAL FEE
Peewees and juniors	\$20 per event
Seniors and open	\$25 per event

- b) All insufficient checks received will be subject to a \$30.00 charge.
- c) At the discretion of the Abdallah Shrine Rodeo Committee, any rodeo or event may be canceled or postponed due to inclement weather.
- d) Contestants MUST pay fees at least one hour prior to the start of the rodeo.

6. INJURY AND WAIVER:

- a) Any contestant who is injured should contact the Abdallah Shrine Rodeo Chairman.
- b) A release waiver will be required to be signed by parent or guardian.

7. VETERARIAN RELEASE:

- a) Contestants may be required to provide a Med/Vet Release.

8. DRESS CODE: Will be in effect one hour prior to the beginning of the rodeo. All contestants must follow:

- a) Dress Code: Long-sleeved, collared shirt tucked in, sleeves rolled down, cowboy hat or protective headgear, long pants and western boots in the arena (to be specified as the area within the arena fencing including the bucking chutes; alleyway to the entry and exit arena gates; back pens, holding pens, and stripping chutes) during the performance. The only exception, parents and helpers inside the arena and alleyway to the arena.

9. CONTRACTORS AND COMMITTEES:

- a) Medical – Local medical facilities will be notified prior to the rodeo, and an event specific emergency plan will be reviewed, and medical personnel will be onsite for the duration of the event.
- b) Stock contractors will be selected by the Committee using a process considered reasonable by the current Committee.

7. RULES OF CONDUCT:

Any contestant will be disqualified from the rodeo, event or other functions for the following offense:

- a) Having any association with alcoholic beverages, narcotics or other non-medical drugs while in attendance at the ASJR rodeo, whether at a motel/hotel or on rodeo grounds. Also includes going to or from the rodeo and any other rodeo function.
- b) Contestant's use of any tobacco product while in attendance at an approved ASJR rodeo, whether behind the chutes, or in the arena.
- c) Rowdiness, quarreling, or un-sportsman like conduct.
- d) Mistreatment of any rodeo livestock or contestant's horse, including excessive whipping, while on the rodeo grounds. No electrical devices are to be used on a contestant's horse. Changing the natural ability of any animal's performance will be grounds for disqualification.
- e) Tampering with chutes or rodeo livestock prior to and/or during any rodeo performance. Contestants will be disqualified for being in a pen with the livestock at any one time except when accompanied by a stock contractor, arena director, judge or when assigned to work in those pens.
- f) Not being ready to compete when called upon after the third and final call. Contestants must be in the arena within 30 seconds of the third call.
- g) Attempting to cheat, fix, threaten, bribe, influence, harass or coerce the judges at any time between opening and closing of a rodeo, by contestant parent or legal guardian, or helper.
- h) Vandalism on the rodeo grounds.

8. PARENT/GAURDIAN/VISITOR CODE OF CONDUCT:

The purpose of this conduct is to provide a mutual understanding to all parents/guardians and visitors to our rodeos about conduct expectations.

In order to provide the right environment for the youth, the following are prohibited behaviors by parents/guardians and visitors.

- 1) Abusive, threatening, profane or harassing communication, either in person or other written or verbal communication.
- 2) Disruptive behavior that interferes or threatens to interfere with the rodeo operations.
- 3) Damage to property.
- 4) Defamatory, offensive or derogatory comments made publicly to others.
- 5) Obvious display of intoxicated incompetence or behavior.

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9. RODEO CONTESTANT SAFETY 'INSPECTOR' STANDARDS:

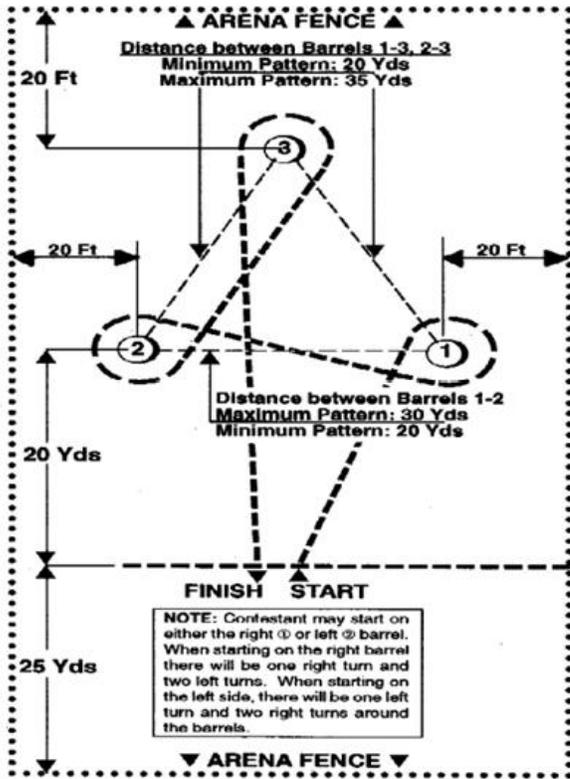
- a) The ASJR COMMITTEE must approve all inspectors.

- b) Inspectors are to remain apart and not discuss scores.
- c) The inspectors and/or the rodeo committee may inspect contestants' equipment before, during or after a rodeo performance for safety.
- d) Inspectors must remain available to the rodeo office until the rodeo secretary has made a final check of the rodeo books.
- e) The time that in the safety inspector's opinion that the rider and or their equipment are unsafe they will be removed from the event.

9. GENERAL RULES:

- a) Time Limit: There is a 45 second time limit for Mounted Dummy Roping.
- b) Contestants must have and maintain control of the end of the rope, i.e., must still have a hold of the rope at the end of the throw.
- c) Two (2) dummies may be set up and run at the same time, to expedite the rodeo.
- d) A parent can help build a loop and settle the horse prior to the designated start line. Once the contestant moves the horse forward past the start line, the parent can no longer assist the contestant.
- e) Only one contestant will be allowed in the arena at one time.
- f) The arena will be raked prior to the start of the barrel racing and pole bending events.
- g) Two contestants in the same division may not ride the same horse. This will result in both contestants being disqualified.

BARREL RACING PATTERN



POLE BENDING PATTERN

