



2024 Austin County Fair Lil' Wrangler Rodeo Rules



Saturday, October 12th, 2024

Event- 2:00 pm

In the Big Red Livestock Barn

Ages: 3-4 yrs., 5-6 yrs., 7-8 yrs.

- ❖ Overall Champion in each age group.
 - The lowest total of all scores added up will receive a Little Wranglers Champion buckle.
- ❖ 1st place of each event – Buckle
- ❖ 2nd place of each event – Plaque
- ❖ 3rd place of each event - Rope
- ❖ Best Dressed cowboy/cowgirl in each age group will get 3 seconds/points knocked off overall score.

Stick Horse Racing: (3-4 yrs. Old and 5-6 yrs. Old)

1. This will be a timed event.
2. In the 3-4 yrs. old group, the contestants will go from the starting line, around one barrel and then back to the finish line.
3. In the 5-6 yrs. old – Start at the starting line and complete the clover leaf pattern and come back across the starting line.
4. If a contestant breaks the pattern a 5 second penalty will be added.
5. If need be, a tiebreaker will be held.
6. Fastest time wins.
7. The Rodeo judge's time is final.

Calf Ribbon Pulling: (3-4 yrs. Old)

1. This event will be done on foot.
2. This is a timed event.
3. The contestant will run from the starting line, pull a ribbon from calf, and return to the starting line.
4. One contestant will go at a time.
5. If need be, a tiebreaker will be held.
6. Fastest time wins.
7. The Rodeo judge's time is final.

Calf Mopping: (3-4 yrs. Old and 5-6 yrs. Old)

1. The contestant will start at the starting line, run to the mop bucket, run and mop the calf, return mop to the bucket and run back to starting line.
2. This is a timed event, and the judges time is Final.
3. If there is a tie, there will be a rerun for the tiebreaker.
4. The clock will start when the contestant takes off running.
5. 3-4- and 5-6-year-olds will do the same exact event
2. Fastest time wins.
3. The Rodeo judge's decision is final.

Feed the Horses: (5-6 yrs. Old)

1. Feed bags will be placed on the start line, and panels down the arena.
2. Contestants will fill one feeder then return to the feed bag to fill the second bucket.
3. Must have scoop in each bucket and make two trips.
4. Once the second bucket is filled with one scoop, the contestant will run across the start line.
5. This will be a timed event.
6. Tiebreaker will be held need be.
7. The fastest time wins.
8. The Rodeo judge's decision is final.

Saddle Race: (5-6 yrs. Old)

1. A saddle will be placed down the area with a stand.
2. An empty stand will be placed at the starting line.
3. Contestant must start at the starting line, go get saddle and carry it to the stand at the starting line.
4. 2 contestants will run at the same time.
5. This is a timed event.
6. Tiebreaker will be held need be.
7. The fastest time wins.
8. The Rodeo judge's time is final.

Dummy Roping: (7-8 yrs. Old)

1. Contestants will have three opportunities to try and rope a dummy.
2. Only head catches will count.
3. Contestant must stand behind barrier line for loop to count.
4. Catch = 0 points added
5. Miss = 1 point added
6. Each loop can help or hurt your score.
7. The lowest score will win the event.
8. Tiebreaker will consist of two tries to rope the dummy (most catches wins).

Hay Hauling: (7-8 yrs. Old)

1. Each contestant will start at the designated start and finish line.
2. Contestants must pull the wagon from the start line to the stack of hay, load 3 bales of hay, and then pull the hay back to the finish line. Once the wagon crosses the finish line, the hay must be unloaded off the wagon.
3. The timer will stop when the last bale touches the ground.
4. This is a timed event.
5. Fastest time wins.
6. If need be, a tiebreaker will be held.
7. The Rodeo judge's decision is final.

Steer Wrestling: (7-8 yrs. Old)

1. Contestants will run from the starting line to steer and knock it over.
2. Once that is complete, the contestant must run back across the designated start line.
3. Clock will stop when the contestant crosses the starting line.
4. This is a timed event.
5. Fastest time wins.
6. The Rodeo judge's decision is final.

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Lil Wrangler Entry Form
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No Entry Fee

**Automatically entered in all events **

Child's Name _____ Child's Age _____

3-4 yrs. old- Stick Horse Race, Calf Ribbon Pull, Calf Mopping
5-6 yrs. old-Feed the Horses, Stick Horse Race, Saddle Race, Calf
Mopping
7-8 yrs. old-Dummy Roping, Hay Hauling, Steer Wrestling

I, _____, am the parent or legal guardian of said minor,

_____ .

I agree to hold harmless the Austin County Fair Association, the County of Austin and the City of Bellville, et al for any and all loss of property and/or person and from all accidents that may result from our child's participation in the Austin County Fair Little Wrangler Contest or said activities surrounding the Austin County Fair in Bellville, Texas.

We further agree that by signing this agreement, do hereby grant the Austin County Fair Association and its legal representatives and assignees the irrevocable and unrestricted right to use and publish photographs of us, or in which we may be included, for editorial, trade, advertising, and any other purpose and in any manner or medium. We hereby release the Austin County Fair Association and its representatives and assignees from all claims and liability relating to said photography.

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian _____

Printed Name _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number _____

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