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Dear LRC Member,

Thank you for supporting the Lafourche Roping Club! We have great plans for 2021 and are gearing up.

As we all know, our 2020 season presented unique challenges, but your 2020 Board kept moving forward - even if only in the background. When mandates prevented us from meeting in person, we held monthly meetings and Board meetings via Google Meet. We spent our time listening and identifying our business needs and gaps.

As a non-profit, we have certain parameters in which we must operate. We want to meet/exceed these business obligations without overburdening our Chairpersons/Event Organizers/Board Members. We are working towards fine-tuning and streamlining our internal processes for all to operate effectively and efficiently.

Since LRC was shut down for most of 2020, a motion to extend the 2020 season into and through 2021 was proposed and passed. Membership dues paid in 2020 will be honored through December 31, 2021. Barrels on the Bayou (BOTB) points earned by members during 2020 will roll into the 2021 season.

One of the ongoing issues was the ability to identify members vs non-members at events/practices. To remedy this problem, it was proposed that each of our members would be issued a membership card each year with an assigned membership number. Each member would then be able to present their card at a LRC function/event when 1) entering an event, 2) signing in at a practice, meeting, or 3) asked by Chairpersons/Event Organizers/Board Members. The motion passed.

Please find the enclosed 2021 Membership Card(s) issued to you, and your family members - if applicable. Present your card at a LRC function/event when 1) entering an event (Horse Show, BOTB, etc – Entry Forms will require a Member ID#), 2) signing in at a practice (roping, bucking, barrel/poles, etc – Release Forms will require a Member ID#) or meeting, or 3) asked by Chairpersons/Event Organizers/Board Members.

We ask you to join us at our General Membership Meetings because we are still listening and moving forward! A meeting notice, along with an Agenda and Minutes from the last meeting, will be distributed via email. If you did not provide an email address, you can find the meeting details on our website, [LafourcheRopingClub.com](http://LafourcheRopingClub.com). A meeting notice will also be posted on our LRC Facebook page.

Please bear with us as we move forward both organizationally and with our facility improvements.

Sincerely,

*Al Legendre, President*

*Tony Stein, Vice-President*

*Rhealyn Legendre, Secretary*

*Gwen Richoux, Treasurer*

*Dwain LeBouef, Parliamentarian*

*Steven Hebert, General Board Member 1*

*Craig Dufrene, General Board Member 2*