



We would like to take a moment to congratulate everyone for working hard this year to qualify for the IMRA Finals. Mr. Mike Latting & Mr. Keith Wooten would like to take a moment to thank everyone that has joined the International Miniature Rodeo Association this year and all the parents for working hard to make your kids dreams come true. The IMRA Finals will be held on November 2-6, 2022 at Gordyville USA in Gifford, IL during Central Region Tour Finale. As an association we have done our best to keep our entry fees at an affordable price but due to the increased cost of our jackets, awards, etc. we have no choice but to raise our fees this year however we are doing our best to keep our fees at the most reasonable price possible.

The following is a list of towns in the area for you to book your rooms your convenience:

Champaign, IL
Urbana, IL

Danville, IL
Paxton, IL

Rantoul, IL
Savoy, IL

Electric hookups and stalls will be available for purchase at Gordyville. Electric hookup will be \$120.00 and stalls will be \$80.00 both starting Wednesday 11/2/22 through Sunday 11/6/22. Stalls will not include shavings however; shaving will be available for purchase at the facility for \$9.00 a bag or you may bring your own. Please note NO straw is allowed in stalls. Arrival time for contestants will be Wednesday 11/2/22 at 8:00am. Please note anyone who arrives before 8:00am on Wednesday will not have stalls or hookups available due to the facility finalizing setup. **All electric hookups and stall assignments will be done by the IMRA Secretary.** If you are needing a hookup for the finals, please include that all on your finals form along with payment. Stalls and hookups will be assigned at a later date. If you prefer to be stalled or parked next to someone, please note that when completing your finals forms. In the event that all hookups are sold you will be notified immediately and redirected to the overflow campground facility 5 miles down the road. Prairie Pines Campgrounds, 711 E. Chandler Road, Rantoul, IL (217)893-0438. They offer full hooks ups for \$26.50 a night and reservations can be made at Reserveamerica.com.

All contestants entering the finals will need to complete and send in an entry form and bio sheets along with a money order or cashier's check to the IMRA secretary. ALL forms and fees must be received in the office by **August 26, 2022**. All forms and payment must be mailed into the office at: IMRA, 18179 State Highway H, Glen Allen, MO 63751. No forms will be accepted by email and no payment will be received by PayPal for this year's finals.

Just A Reminder: If there are qualifiers you plan to attend after the finals deadline in August to make your 5 qualifiers, you are still required to enter and mail in your finals form with your entry fee money by the above deadline. If you do not meet the requirements to qualify for the finals the entry fee is non-refundable.

Finals Schedule:

Wednesday, November 2, 2022

6:00 pm – **CHECK IN CEREMONY MANDATORY FOR ALL CONTESTANTS**

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CHECK IN - Finals Meeting all parents and contestants MUST attend

Location:

Gordyville USA Arena

2205 County Road 3000 N.

Gifford, IL 61847

(ALL CONTESTANTS MUST ARRIVE TO CHECK IN CEREMONY IN WESTERN ATTIRE)

Thursday, November 3, 2022

8:00 am – 1st go for all age divisions in all Rough Stock Events

Immediately Following the 1st go - 2nd go for all age divisions in all Rough Stock Events

Friday, November 4, 2022

8:00 am – 1st go for all age divisions in Breakaway and Barrel Racing

Immediately Following the 1st go - 2nd go for all age divisions in Breakaway and Barrel Racing

Saturday November 5, 2022

12:00pm – Short go for PeeWee, Junior, Senior & Super Senior rough stock, barrel racers and breakaway ropers.

(Only the top 5 on average will move on to the short go round)

After the short go round is completed, only the top 2 on average in the PeeWee, Junior, Senior and Super Senior age divisions will come back for the Championship Round during the Central Tour Finale Performances.

Saturday, November 5, 2022

7:00pm – Championship go for PW and Super Senior rough stock, barrel racers and breakaway ropers.

(Only the top 2 on average will move on to the championship go round)

Sunday, November 6, 2022

2:00pm – Championship go for Junior and Senior rough stock, barrel racers and breakaway ropers.

(Only the top 2 on average will move on to the championship go round)

Ticket Information:

- Thursday Morning and Friday Morning Performances are FREE of charge.
- Friday Evening 7:00pm Central Region Tour Finale Performance: \$15.00 for adults, \$10.00 kids (5-12) 4 and under free.
- Saturday Noon IMRA Performance: \$10.00 for everyone, ONLY IMRA contestants who are competing that day get in free
- Saturday Evening 7:00pm Performance: \$15.00 for adults, \$10.00 kids (5-12) 4 and under free. ONLY IMRA contestants who are competing that night in the top 2 get in free.
- Sunday Afternoon 2:00pm Performance: \$15.00 for adults, \$10.00 kids (5-12) 4 and under free. ONLY IMRA contestants who are competing that night in the top 2 get in free.

Tickets will be available for purchase at the event from the IMRA Secretary. Everyone including contestants will have to have a ticket to enter into the grandstands to watch any event that requires a ticket if they are not competing. Contestants who are competing will receive a free ticket for that performance. Any questions may be directed to the IMRA Secretary.

Entry Fee Information:

- Tiny Tots rough stock fees will be \$175.00
- All other rough stock divisions will be \$300.00 for the first event you enter and \$200.00 for each event after that.
- Barrel Racing fees will be \$225.00 for the first event you enter and \$200.00 for each event after that.
 - Prices for stalls will be \$80.00 for the event starting Wednesday until Sunday.
- Breakaway Roping fees will be \$275.00 for the first event you enter and \$200.00 for each event after that.
 - Prices for stalls will be \$80.00 for the event starting Wednesday until Sunday.

(Please be mindful that when entering more than one event to pay the higher event amount as your initial fee and the extra event as your second. This will ensure the correct amount of money gets put back into the pot for payout in those events)

Anyone wanting to purchase additional IMRA jackets can do so by including the information on the entry form and including the money for the jacket with finals fees when mailed. The cost for the additional jackets will be \$95.00.

All contestants **MUST** also bring a \$100.00 sponsorship for the IMRA Finals. Sponsorship money will be collected at time fees are paid. It can be included in the money order/cashier's check or can be made out separately. It can be mailed to IMRA the office at 18179 State Highway H, Glen Allen, MO 63751. All sponsorship money must be received at the IMRA office by **August 26, 2022**.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the IMRA secretary at (217)260-6852 or by email. Safe travels and hope to see you all at the IMRA Finals in November.