



IFYR Ground Rules



(Violations of these RULES will result in Removal from the Rodeo)

1. All Contestants must be prepared to compete at the call of the arena director. Three (3) calls and you are Officially Out.
2. **Back Numbers Issued to Contestants must be worn by the contestant on the back at all times, for as long as the contestant wishes to remain eligible for competition.**
3. Back numbers are required for contestant admission to grandstand. Western Dress Code will be enforced within the competition areas.
4. All IPRA Permit or card holders shall be subject to all rules governing IPRA members regarding contesting, dress & conduct.
5. No horses or goats allowed in parking or camping area. All dogs must be on leashes.
6. Horse wash area to be East of Fred Humphrey Pavilion- **NOT IN GRASSY AREAS!!!!**
7. Barrel Racing and Pole Contestants Must Run In, Gate will be closed to prevent running out.
8. Girls break away string to be picked up from the barrier judge prior to each performance.
9. All Team Roping will be Dally.
10. Girls Break Away Roping will be one loop. One loop allowed in the Short-Go.
11. Tie Down Calf Roping allowed one loop. One loop allowed in the Short-Go.
12. Team Roping allowed two loops. Two loops allowed in the Short-Go.
13. No Contestant shall have in his or her possession any alcohol, narcotics, drugs, or other hallucinatory substances. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!**
14. All Contestants must adhere to all humane rules of rodeo as included in the IPRA Rule Book.
15. One Helper shall be allowed to assist a contestant during his or her event.
 - a. Anyone assisting a participant will adhere to the IPRA Rule Book including conduct and dress code rules. The participant will be responsible for his or her assistant's dress and conduct. This rule shall be enforced by the rodeo officials and/or rodeo management.
 - b. All Helpers/Hazers must have a PAID ADMISSION to the rodeo.
16. Individual Championships will be determined by the fastest accumulated times on three rounds or highest total points accumulated on three rounds (average winners to be event champions.) In case of a tie for an event championship, the title will be decided by the contestant who wins the most money in that event.
17. **The IFYR ALL AROUND COWBOY & COWGIRL will be the contestant winning the most money in two or more events during the rodeo. If no one placed in two events, the ALL AROUND will be determined by the contestant winning the most money in one event but was entered in two or more events prior to the first performance.**
18. NO golf carts or crickets allowed on the fairgrounds. Segways, bicycles, scooters are allowed as long as they are not abused or used improperly. The fairgrounds and IFYR staff have the right to confiscate at any time and keep until the remainder of the event.
19. **NO DOGS allowed in the Tradeshow Area or Grandstand Area** & All Dogs Must be on a leash anywhere on the IFYR Grounds- **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
20. Arena complaints will be discussed with youth director representatives immediately after each performance. Youth Directors can make suggestions only about judgment calls. Direct Rule violations are Cut & Dry.
21. All contestants participating in the three rough stock events (Saddle Bronc, Bareback & Bull Riding) Will be required to wear an approved protective vest. For any additional information, contact Dale Yerigan (IFYR Event Director) dale@iprarodeo.com