

EVENT RULES

Sort & Rope Two-person team. (#6 & over/#5+ & under)

Time starts when the team crosses the line in the middle of the arena. The team will ride to where steers are being held, and be given a number for the steer they are to bring back down the arena across the middle line and rope. Designated number steer must be FIRST across the line or will result in disqualification. The steer must be headed across the line and heeled anywhere around the neck only. A five-second penalty for one hind or front leg catch. 2 loops. May rope twice with different partners or must switch ends. One-minute time limit.

Ladies Breakaway Women only.

The loop must go over the head and break away from the saddle horn. Legal head catch-neck only. A Bright flag must be tied to the end of the rope. 1 loop. A broken barrier is a 10-second penalty. One run only. The calf's whole head must pass through the loop or the contestant will be disqualified. The loop must be drawn up around the neck with no extremities in the loop and in front of the tail head, when string breaks.

Reverse Team Roping

Ropers will start from behind a line. When the ropers cross-line time starts steer will be released from the roping chute. Three legal head catches- horn, ½ head, and neck. Time will stop when horses are facing and ropes are tight. May enter twice with different partners (#6 & Over/ #5+ & under). Two Loops. 1 leg catch = 5 second penalty.

Sort & Brand (2 ropers must be #5+ or under)

Four-man team. One loop per person, designated number steer must be first across the line. Headed across the line and heeled anywhere. Both front and hind legs must be stretched before the iron leaves the pot. Around the neck only. The front leg is legal. Time called when the iron is back in the pot. One run only. One loop per person. One-and-a-half minute time limit.

Ladies Barrels ****Straight Pay Format****.

No circling. Must keep forward motion at all times. No assisting persons or horses to enter the arena. Down barrel will result in No Time. WPRA rules apply. The arena is to be dragged between sets. One horse and one run only. The horse may only be entered once.

Team Sorting **** Slack Only Event****

Three-person team. Time starts when the team crosses the line in the middle of the arena. The team will be given a number for the steer they will need to bring back across the line and hold. Then continue to bring the rest of the steers over in consecutive order by number. If steers are brought over line out of order it will result in no time. One run only. Time will be kept as each cow crosses the line. If not all 10 crosses, time will be at last head crossed and that number of head. One-minute time limit.

Ladies Ribbon Dogging

Timed event. While on horseback, the contestant is to take the ribbon from the back of the steer and then time is called. One run only.

<u>Amateur Team Roping</u> #8.5 (capped at #4.5) USTRC numbers used.

Contestants may rope twice with different partners or must switch ends if with the same partner. 3 legal head catches. 1 hind leg-5 second penalty. Broken barrier 10-second penalty. 2 loops

Open Team Roping USTRC numbers used.

Contestants may rope twice with different partners or must switch ends if with the same partner. 3 legal head catches. 1 hind leg-5 second penalty. Broken barrier 10-second penalty. 2 loops.

All Girl Team Roping Open. USTRC numbers used.

Contestants may rope twice with different partners or must switch ends if with the same partner. 3 legal head catches. 1 hind 5 seconds. Broken barrier 10-second penalty. 2 loops

Double Mugging

2-man team. The team must head the cow, the rope must clear the horse before the roper dismounts, must tie down any 3 legs of the cow, and wave for time. Roper ropes, mugger mugs, roper ties. Catch as can, but rope must go over the head. One loop. One run only.

Mixed Ribbon Roping

Two-Person team, one man one woman. Either person can rope. Roper will come from the roping box. Partner must start from a designated area pull the ribbon or part of it off the steer's tail and return to the designated starting point. The steer must be standing when the ribbon is pulled. The runner will pull the ribbon from the cow's tail and return to the designated area. One run only. One loop only. One-minute time limit.

Steer Riding

8-second time event. The contestant must ride with one hand free. Bull rope or loose rope only. Fanning steer with a hat will not be considered a disqualification. The rider must supply their bull rope.

Relay Race

Two-man teams. The team starts at the same end of the arena. The first rider rounds the barrel, comes back, hands the baton, and sends the second rider to complete the race around the barrel and back across the line. It cannot be thrown MUST be handed off. Time stops when 2nd rider passes the original starting line where time started.

Time will start and stop when the line is crossed.

Hide Race

**Rider must have rubber horn wrap. Bare horns will be disqualified due to safety. Two-person team consisting of one rider on horseback and one rider on the hide attached to the rope. The team will start with both contestants mounted on horse and hide on the west end of the arena. The horse will drag hide and rider down the arena, around the barrel, and back for a time. 5-second penalty for a knocked-down barrel. If either rider comes off the horse or hides or the rope becomes undallyed, the run will end in no time. Protective gear is optional. CCR will provide hide. May go once.

Mutton Bustin'

Contestants are not to be over 60lbs and 6 & under as of the ride date. Enter on-site. Contestants are to report to Busters Gate at 10 am Sunday. Ride at 11 a.m. Top ten to compete during the rodeo performance. Each contestant must furnish their helmet for safety (bicycle helmet acceptable). Anyone in the arena with a contestant must sign a waiver before the event. One parent per child entered. Limit the first 50 kids to sign up.

Dummy Roping

Open to any child age 12 and under as of Jan 1st of the current year. Age groups: 6 years Old & Under, 7-9 Years Old, 10-12 Years Old. Fishing is only allowed in the 6-year-old and under-age group. Any legal head catch in 6 yr & U and 7-9 yrs Only. Slick horn catch only to count for 10-12 Yrs age group. Judges have the right to proceed to Slick Horn Catch in the 7-9 Yr Old Age group if needed. This event will take place on the concert pad behind the grandstands on Saturday. Three buckles will be awarded, one for each age division winner. If the result of a tie, we will have a coin toss to determine the buckle winner.

Entries:

- Close the Sept 3rd at midnight. Opens August 9th.
- All entries are online along with fees. All major credit cards are accepted except American Express.
- The entry website is: https://entry.kcirodeo.net A link will be available on the CCR website. Along with instructions on entering if never done so before.

- * All judge's decisions are final. PRCA rules are the guidelines for CCR. Contestants enter through the contestant gate. Contestants must check in with the rodeo secretary before the rodeo starts. No refunds without a legit vet or doctor's release. Be ready by the third call or you will be turned out. The Creston Classic Rodeo reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone and/or initiate further rules on the day of the rodeo. In the event of a discrepancy, it must be submitted in writing to the CCR board on the same day the event took place.
- *40% out for office and stock charges for all events. Payback is based on the number of entries plus added money.
- * Added money is \$5,000 + prizes
- * NO ICE CHESTS, GLASS, OR OUTSIDE BEVERAGES. THIS IS BENEFIT.
- * No tying of horses behind the roping boxes.
- * No dogs allowed. They may stay inside a truck or trailer but will not be permitted around the arena, grandstands, or vendor area. Violation may result in disqualification.
- * Overnight camping free of charge.
- * Portables or tying of horses is allowed but please be responsible when setting up. No use of rodeo pens is allowed unless authorized to do so.
- * ALL CONTESTANTS must be in the Dress Code. Cowboy hats (fixed to head) or helmets, Long-sleeved shirts, Jeans, and boots. No tennis shoes(The only exception is Mixed Ribbon Roping). \$150 fine if the dress code is violated when competing. If the hat is purposely knocked off before the start line contestant will be fined \$20. All fines must be paid before any winnings are awarded.

Event placing/awards

- * Buckles to first place in each event.
- * In all events (except Ladies Barrels and Steer Riding) cut-off will be enforced after the 5th place time is achieved.

New ** All-Around Men's and Women's ** New *\$1,500 CASH and Buckle/Prizes to Men and Women's All-Around*

Awards will NOT be mailed this year. Please make arrangements for pickup if not available on Sunday after the end of the performance for the buckle ceremony. Checks do have a 90-day void. CCR is not responsible for lost or uncashed checks after said 90 days. If replacement is requested replacement fee of \$20 must be paid in advance.

*Men: Must enter Steer Riding and one-timed event to qualify for Men's All Around.*If entered in Amateur Team Roping and Open Roping you must declare which entry to be towards All-Around before the start of rodeo. If not declared first order of draw will be counted.

*Women: All-Around includes all events except the Open Team Roping. May enter Steer Riding for All-Around.

- *All Around is to be determined by points accumulated during the rodeo. As a result of a tie, the All Around prize/title will be determined by the participant with the most money won.
- * Points awarded for each top placing 5 in each event. Example: Enter twice in team roping, win two spots (1st & 4th), and receive the following points for placement (10 pts & 7 pts).

Points for All Around: 1st = 10 points, 2nd = 9 pts, 3rd = 8 pts, 4th = 7 pts, 5th = 6 pts