## Rodeo Austin Breakaway Qualifier

## 2024 Ground Rules Rodeo Austin - WPRA Qualifier February 25, 2024

- 1. All participants agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of the PRCA and WPRA By-laws and Official Rodeo rules and by these Ground Rules
- 2. The management reserves the right to refuse the completion of any contestant who has violated the general rules or has been dishonest in the competition of Rodeo Austin.
- 3. Rodeo Austin is hosting a qualifier for contestants not already pre-seated in the rodeo. The rodeo will consist of a total of 56 contestants 36 from pre-determined rankings (see below) and 20 from the qualifier.
- 4. Entries taken Through ProCom.

## Entries to Fill this Order:

- 1. The top 25 from 2023 Pro Rodeo Breakaway World Standings. Drop down until filled.
- 2. The top 11 from 2024 Pro Rodeo Breakaway World Standings (based on based on winnings 7 days prior to Rodeo Austin entries closing not already qualified through above criteria.) Drop down until filled.
- 3. FORMAT: 20 qualifying contestants from the qualifier will be placed in the performances at Rodeo Austin, along with the 36 contestants already entered. Contestants pre-seated will not be eligible to enter the qualifier.
  - a. Qualifier open to cards only.
  - b. One entry per contestant.
  - b. The top 20 qualifying contestants will be the top 5 placings from round one and the top 5 placings from round two, after filling from round one contestants already qualified. The remaining ten spots will be filled from the top ten in the average on two runs after filling from round one and round two contestants who already qualified in the first and second rounds.
  - c. Any ties in the qualifier which exist for advancement into performances at Rodeo Austin will be broken in the order as follows:
    - 1. The first tie breaker will be broken based on the published 2023 official WPRA Pro Rodeo Breakaway Final World

Standings.

- 2. The second tie breaker will be a flip of coin by a judge or a drawing by a judge if more than two contestant's ties.
- 3. Decatur Qualifier will be held at 309 CR 4228, Decatur, TX 76234 at the NRS Arena February 25, at 12:00 pm. In conjunction with The Cowgirl Channel Cowgirl Challenge Event Series.
- 4. FEES Entry Fee & Procom fees to be determined by the WPRA and approved by Rodeo Austin. A fifteen-dollar (\$15) ground fee will be added to each contestant's entry fee. 2 for \$216.00 \$155.00 + 21.00 ProCom + 25.00 stock charge + 15 Ground/Arena Fee
- 5. WPRA rules apply reverting to PRCA rules if needed.
- 6. Qualifier will count for world standings
- 7. Qualifier does not count for Texas Circuit Standings.
- 8. Check-In All contestants must check-in with the rodeo secretary's office prior to running and sign a release liability before competing in this qualifier.