## **BARREL RACE -3-1-24**

- 1. WPRA rules and Cheyenne Frontier Days Ground Rules for this contest apply.
- 2. Entry fee will be \$375. Cheyenne Frontier Days will take unlimited entries.
- 3. All entries will compete in the qualifying round July 17. Fastest 72 times will advance to the Quarter Finals. July 20-25.
- 4. Upon completion of the Qualifying Round trades will be accepted for one hour. All notified turn outs and releases from the qualifying round/slack will be taken out of the draw after the turn out deadline. Positions will move up and be posted at slack. I.E. if you are number 9 and there are 2 releases prior to you, you will be draw number 7.
- 5. No Replacements. Non-notified turnouts will result in a \$100 Cheyenne Frontier Days fine in addition to WPRA fine.
- 6. Contestants making the short round at another rodeo will NOT be moved.
- 7. There will be a ride time, Wednesday, July 10 from Noon to 3 pm. Barrels will be on the markers and only WPRA members entered in Cheyenne will be permitted in the arena for this ride time.
- 8. Contestants will enter the arena from the north end. Entry gate will remain closed. No foot traffic through T-5 Gate.
- 9. Finals positions will be random draw.
- 10. In the case of a tie for first place in the Finals, the money allocated for the tied places will be split evenly among the tied contestants. The event champion to receive awards (which may include saddles, buckles, etc.) will be the tied contestant with the most dollars won. If still tied, the tie will be broken by fastest time in the Semi-Finals, if still tied the fastest time in the Quarter Finals will break the tie.

#### FORMAT:

QUALIFYING ROUND - July 17 (Wed) no earlier than 9:00 am

All entries will compete in the qualifying round. Fastest 72 times will advance to the Quarter Finals, July 20-25. Tractor drag after 8 in Qualifying round (Condensed). All notified turn outs and Releases will be taken out of the draw after the turn out deadline. Positions will move up and be posted at the rodeo office before the rodeo begins. I.E. If you are number 9 and there are 2 releases prior to you, you will be draw number 7. Committee will drag at 8 or fewer. \*\*any notified turnouts who do reverse their turnout will run at the end with no additional dragging for them.

Qualifying Round Ties: If there is a tie from the progressive round moving to the second round/Quarter Finals the contestant placing highest in the 2023 Pro Rodeo World Standings as of time of entry will advance.

QUARTER FINALS • July 20 - 25 (Sat - Thu) at 12:45 pm

The top 72 times will advance to the first six performances. The Quarter Finals consists of twelve competitors each day. Quarter Finals performance positions will be random draw. Trades must be completed with the secretary one (1) hour after the first go-round ends. Will draw for position after trades are complete.

Top four fastest times from each perf advance to the Semi-Finals, July 26 & 27.

Tractor drag after 6 in Quarter Finals, Semi Finals and Finals (Condensed). All notified turn outs and Releases from each performance will be taken out of the draw after the turn out deadline. Positions will move up and be posted at the rodeo office before the rodeo begins. I.E. If you are number 9 and there are 2 releases prior to you, you will be draw number 7. Committee will drag at 6 or fewer. \*\*any notified turnouts who do reverse their turnout will run at the end of their performance with no additional dragging for them.

Quarter Finals Ties: Ties will be broken by taking the lady with the fastest time from the progressive round.

#### SEMI-FINALS • July 26 & 27 (Fri & Sat) at 12:45 pm

The top four from each of the first six performances will advance to the semi-finals rounds on July 26th and 27th. Semi-Finals consist of twelve competitors each day. The semifinals performances will be filled as follows. 1st place and 3rd place from performances 1, 3, and 5 and 2nd and 4th places from performances 2, 4, and 6 will compete in the semifinal round on Friday July 26th. 1st place and 3rd place from performances 2, 4, and 6 and 2nd and 4th places from performances 1, 3, and 5 will compete in the semifinal round on Saturday July 27th. Trades will be handled by the rodeo secretary. Once all trades are complete the Semi Finals running positions will be a random draw. To trade contestants must fill out a trade form at the Cheyenne rodeo office. Six fastest times from each Semi-Finals perf advances to the Finals, July 28th.

Semi Finals Ties: Will be broken by taking the lady with fastest total time on the two previous runs. If still tied, the contestant placing highest in the 2024 Pro Rodeo World Standings at the time of entry will advance. If still tied, the contestant placing highest in the 2023 Year-End Pro Rodeo World Standings will advance.

### FINALS - July 28 (Sun) at 12:45 pm

Finals consists of twelve competitors. The top 6 from each semifinals round will advance to the final round for a total of twelve competitors. Finals positions will be a random draw. In the case of a tie for first place in the Finals, the money allocated for the tied places will be split evenly among the tied contestants. The event champion to receive awards (which may include saddles, buckles, etc.) will be the tied contestant with the most dollars won. If still tied, the tie will be broken by fastest time in the Semi-Finals, if still tied the fastest time in the Quarter Finals will break the tie.

Qualifying Round	Quarter Finals							Semi Finals	
7/17	7/20	7/21	7/22	7/23	7/24	7/25	7/26	7/27	7/28
Wed	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	Perf 1	Perf 2	Perf 3	Perf 4	Perf 5	Perf 6	Perf 7	Perf 8	Perf 9
All Entries	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
72	4	4	4	4	4	4	6	6	

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# CHEYENNE FRONTIER DAYS™ 2024 GROUND RULES - ALL EVENTS 3/5/2024

#### **GENERAL**

The Cheyenne Frontier Days™ Committee assumes no responsibility or liability for injury or damage to the person, property, or stock of any participant, whether a contestant or not. Each participant, by the act of participation, waives all claims against the committee for injuries he/she or his/her property may sustain.

Every contestant must pick up his/her number and sign a release at the Contestants Office prior to competing.

While competing, Contestants must wear their own numbers securely pinned on their back in a manner that is visible to the officials and event staff. WPRA will issue a \$50 fine for individuals/members who do not have their number securely pinned on their back and visible.

Only entered contestants and one companion allowed with contestant number and CFO issued companion pass. Said companion pass will be issued on request by contestant at check in. PRCA gold card holders can obtain a CFO issued companion pass for gate access at the Contestants Office.

Parking Passes will only be valid for days of competition, semi-finals and finals qualifiers will have to get another parking pass. Please check with the Rodeo Office for other local accommodations with stalls and camping facilities or for circumstances necessary for extended parking.

Due to large crowds coming and leaving Frontier Park for the rodeo and night show, Traffic will not be conducive to large vehicles and horse trailers from 4 to 5 pm and 7 pm to 1 am. Contestants can park at the CFO offsite parking lot off 1-25, 1602 Southwest Drive, Cheyenne 82007. Dry camping, stalls and water for animals will be available.

A limited number of horse stalls are available and will be available in specified barns on a first come, first serve basis for entered contestants. Feed Buckets cannot be used to "reserve" or mark a stall as taken. Buckets or any other device determined by the committee to be in stall area for sole purpose of saving a space will be removed from the stall by the Committee. Anyone altering the stall dividers will be ejected from the stall barns.

In any event, a contestant not ready when called during a performance or section of qualifying round will be fined \$100, and/or may be disqualified from that go round in which the offense is committed. Timed event contestants are required to be in the box as the preceding animal is released and in the process of leaving the\_ arena. Riding event contestants are required to be ready.

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The Cheyenne Frontier Days All Around Champion will be the Cowboy or Cowgirl who wins the most total money in two or more events. In the event no one wins money in more than one event, it will be the Cowboy or Cowgirl who wins the most total money while entered in more than one event. • •

Awards in the Wild Horse Race and the Rookie Saddle Bronc Riding will not be duplicated. Wild Horse Race and Rookie Saddle Bronc Riding will flip to determine who gets the buckle or the championship package.

(1) All Events: Contestants advancing to the Semi-Finalists from Quarter Finals, July 20, 21 & 22 will compete (slowest to fastest) in the Saturday, July 27 Semi-Final. Semi-Finalists from Quarter Finals, July 23, 24 & 25 will compete (slowest to fastest) in the Friday, July 26 Semi-Final.

- (2) In Riding Events, the re-ride pool at Cheyenne Frontier Days will be created with animals previously available in the draw before using animals selected as re-rides in the forward performances.
- (3) No horses are permitted in the arena on qualifying round mornings prior to the start of qualifying rounds. There will be no exercising of horses in the arena prior to rodeo, night show or qualifying rounds. PRCA, WPRA Arena Rules and CFO ground rules are in effect in the ready area, Chute 9 area and north end of the arena.
- (4) Rule R11.1.2.1 pertaining to timed event chute gate has been waived and will not be applied at Cheyenne.
- (5) TD, SW, TR, SR, Breakaway <u>Qualifying/Performances</u>: Pens of animals for all qualifying rounds or performances will be set by the event rep or designee in conjunction with stock contractor, chute boss, arena director and PRCA judges. To best ensure an even set for each day the animals will be visually inspected and set accordingly and may be done prior to the first performance or first qualifying round as long as there is one animal per entry plus adequate extras.
- (6) The timed event stock draw may be done the evening prior to the Qualifying Round, Quarter Finals/Performance, or Finals but the results of the draw will not be posted until one and a half hours prior to Qualifying Round, Quarter Finals/Performance, or Finals. All Timed Event stock draws are posted at Chute 9 only. All timed event draws will be done by computer in the secretary's office.
- (7) Splits for Timed Events All splits will be made at Chute 9 one hour prior to start of qualifying round and one hour before performance. Any splits not turned in as stated will be subject to not ready to compete fine. Arena size requires position splits not to be consistent with PRCA rules. Please check your position after splits, if not workable inform chute-boss prior to the loading of cattle.
- (8) Any animal in timed events that escapes from Chute 9 or must be replaced for any reason, contestant will move to the bottom of the list in all the rounds, to be drawn from extra cattle and NOT according to misdraw procedure. Escaped animals go back into the herd.

# JULY 2024

Sunday Monday		Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
						Qualifying Round/Slack	
						7 AM - Steer Roping	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
Qualifying Round/Slack	Qualifying Round/Slack	Qualifying Round/Slack	Qualifying Round/Slack			Perfonnance/Quarter Finals	
7 AM • Team Roping	7 AM • Tia Down	7 AM - Steer Wrestling	7 AM • Breakaway Wild Card			12:45 PM	
		Breakaway	9 AM - Barrel Race				
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
Performance/QuarterFlnals	Performance/Quarter Finals	Performance/Quarter Finals	Performance/Quarter Finals	Performa11C81Quarter Finals	Perfonnance /Semi-Finals	Performance /Semi-Finals	
12:45PM	12:45PM	12:45PM	12:45PM	12: <b>45PM</b>	12:45PM	12:45PM	
28	29	30	31				
Perfonnance/QuarterFinals							
12:45PM							