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Rasmussen's honored for 25 years of service

Over the Labor Day weekend, The Meagher County Rodeo Club in White Sulphur Springs recognized Stan and Tootie Rasmussen for 25 years of service at their Labor Day event.

The following is a portion of the speech that

was given by Eldonna Pierce while Bert Williams presented the Rasmussen's with a placque.

"Congratulations, Stan and Tootie on your 25 years of service at the Meagher

County Rodeo in White Sulphur Springs.

Stan and Tootie are vital forces in the NRA. They are two reasons why the Association has progressed, grown, and built to the level as we know it today. Stan and Tootie have added professionalism, humor, and realism, too.

Borrowing a quote from Tootie which appeared in the October 1988 NRA News, 'Without all the loyal members of the Northern Rodeo Association who donate so unselfishly of their time and talents, the wheels of progress would not turn so smoothly.' And that right there says alot about Stan and Tootie.

As newsletter editors, their first stint lasted ten years...and included scrounging for news, taking photos, compiling, editing, labeling,



They have both served on the NRA Board

of Directors, Stan has served this Association as President for two terms, currently serves on the Board as the Director at Large, Tootie has put together the first-ever approved timer's program, in between she has timed and timed and timed and timed rodeos, Stan has announced, announced, and announced rodeos, sold calcuttas, they have raised four children, and worked full-time.

Thank you, Stan and Tootie."



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1997 SEASON WRAP-UP

Congratulations, top ten!

With the third best year on record coming to a close, congratulations to the top ten NRA competitors who have qualified for the NRA Finals set for Feb. 6-8, 1997 at the METRAPARK Arena in Billings.

With 1,108 members this season, the statistics look like this: 38 approved rodeos throughout the state of Montana with 22 different bareback riders placing this season; 29 saddle bronc riders, 84 bull riders, 57 steer wrestlers, 62 calf ropers, 124 team ropers, 51 ladies barrel racers, 56 breakaway ropers, 35 junior breakaway ropers, and 37 junior barrel racers all took home a paycheck from an NRA rodeo.

In three events the leaders going into the NRA Finals already have over \$6,000 won! In the steer wrestling 29 guys won over \$1,000 and in the team roping 30 competitors took home summer totals over \$1,000.

Your NRA Finals is shaping up, too. The NRA salutes our NRA Finals presenting sponsor, CONOCO, for their continued support of our event.

We tip our hats to our Montana Chevy Dealers who will sponsor the contestant and personnel jackets awarded to each competitor.

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Watch the December news for complete NRA Finals info. Good Luck to all who will be competing at the World Finals.

Attention, Barrel Racers:

Your vote counts! Hoglund's Western Wear in Great Falls is the proud sponsor of the "Best Ground" award which will be awarded at the NRA Finals in February. If you are an NRA member who competed in the Ladies Barrel Racing event this season, please cast your ballot for the committee who you feel took the time and effort to make the conditions ideal for your event. Return the ballot to the NRA Office by December 1. Thanks and thank you to all the NRA committees who worked hard to keep fair and consistent ground conditions for this event.

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Thank You

Our sincere thanks to the Meagher County Rodeo Association for recognizing us during the annual Labor Day Rodeo at White Sulphur Springs for our 25th consecutive year at that rodeo.

Labor Day at White Sulphur Springs has become a tradition in our family and over those 25 years we have developed many continuing friendships there. The rodeo committee has made a concerted effort over the years to improve not only the rodeo grounds, but also the event itself, to make it one of Montana's best rodeos.

In return, we thank them for having us back year after year, and hope we can continue the tradition of celebrating Labor Day (and Stan's birthday) at White Sulphur.

Tootie and Stan Rasmussen.

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Nominations are open through December 1 for the open positions on the NRA Board of Directors this term. The open event directorships include: Bareback Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Ladies Barrel Racing, Ladies Breakaway Roping, Calf Roping, Stock Contractor Director, Contract Personnel, and three western committee reps. If you or someone you know would like to serve your Association

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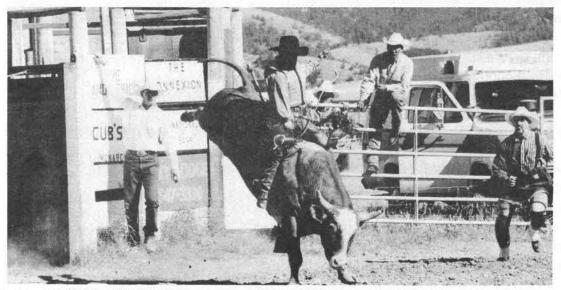
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Cut Bank bullrider Philip Hofer, currently ranked fourth in the year-end standings, aboard Newman Rodeo Company's N13 - Slap Happy - at the annual Meagher County Rodeo in White Sulphur Springs. Jeanne Carpenter photo.

ARENA DUST

ongratulations!

NRA Junior barrel racer Olivia Lee of Billings for winning the saddle in the youth barrel race at the Fizz Bomb Futurity held September 13-14 in Gillette, WY.

To Laramie and Jennifer Baumann on the birth of their baby boy Treven Dean on August 19. Treven joins brother Lane.

To Lisa Walter and Kenny Nutting on the arrival of their baby boy, Samuel James on August 6. Lisa assists in the NRA office on an "as needed" basis!

To June Pasha and Justin Blatter on their marriage August 9.

Rodeo Announcer, Ray Tully, has relocated from Cody, WY to Whitehall, MT. Ray's new phone number is 406-490-0245. See his ad in this issue.

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Watch for the new Montana Chevy Dealers television commericals. One features the Joe Planichek's from Absarokee, another was shot at the Broken Horn Stampede grounds with Taylor Brown, and the ad which will run the month of October features the Stan Rasmussen family of Choteau!

The NRA is proud of Chevrolet's support
- Chevy Trucks "The Official Truck of the
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Thank you!

I would like to personally thank Vi, Herb, Stacy, and Josh Harris for coming to our rescue when our truck broke down outside of Polson on our way to the Columbia Falls rodeo. They hauled Melanie up with them while I waited for someone to tow me back to Missoula.

Vi, Herb, Stacy, and Josh - you don't know how much we appreciate taking Melanie "under your wing", helping her get ready for the Junior Barrels and helping both of us get through this trying time.

I would also like to thank Sheena, Ruby, and Joe Berry for hauling Melanie's horse home that weekend and Zana Lytle for her offer to come rescue the horse if need be.

It's times like this that you know how much the rodeo people are more like family than just co-competitors.

Again thank you so much for your over and above board generosity.

Ginny and Melanie Schuler.

TRA Committees:

To those of you who will attend the Rocky Mountain Association of Fairs convention set for Nov 12-16 in Coeur d' Alene, the NRA extends to you an open invitation to stop by our hospitality room. We look forward to seeing you and visiting.

The RMAF rodeo meeting is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. on Friday, November 13. Hope to see you there. For more information on RMAF, contact their office at 406-734-5395.

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If you have not already done so, please send in your tickets. Remember, these funds pay for your judging program and the remaining dollars will go into the NRF added money.

office.

Don't miss out on your chance to win \$1,000 cash during the first perf of the NRA Finals. USTRC and proud sponsor of the NRA.

thank you to all Northern Rodeo \$2,500 cash during the second perf, and ultimately the brand new Logan Coach Competitor II Horse Trailer during the final performance.

With the additional \$1,000 added money compliments of this program the Logan Coach Bonus Bucks rodeos were a success with a total of 1,059 contestants entering the five rodeos which included Upper Yellowstone Roundup in Gardiner (256 contestants), Opheim Saddle Club Rodeo in Opheim (96 up 25%), Marias Fair NRA Rodeo in Shelby (280 up 18%), Superior More tickets are available, please contact the Lions Club Rodeo in Superior (263 up 10%). and St. Ignatius Rodeo (164).

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With \$80,000 total added money, the World Finals Rodeo scheduled for November 10-15 at the North Charleston Coliseum in Charleston, South Carolina will feature top competitors from regional associations across the USA and Canada.

Entries for those NRA competitors who

wish to compete will be taken on MONDAY, September 29 from 10 a.m. -4 p.m at the NRA Office.

Eligiblity for the 1997 World Finals remains the same as in the past. The top three (3) members in each event are eligible. Alternate entries are also taken and are importants, so if you wish to compete, please enter.

A "Welcome Party" hosted by radio station 107.5 Country will kick off the rodeo on Monday, November 10 at the North Charleston Coliseum.

Host motel is the Ramada Inn. Call 1-803-744-8281 for reservations

This year the WFR adds another bonus for the contestants. The short round will see the top 12 as in year's past but the consolation round will see the next eight contestants that did not make the shourt round, compete for another chance at more money. The consolation round will be held Saturday afternoon, November 15, with a purse of \$5,400. Two places will be paid in each event. The consolation round will be paid on the

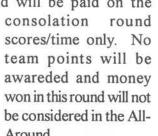
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Friday, October 10 11 am (Enter 10 am) All number ropings & Draw Pot: Enter all ropings

Awards

4 times. All ropings are 3 steers, progressive after 1. Entries for number ropings close at end of let go of roping in progress.

Shoot Out Handicaps: #10 team +4 secs, #9 team +2 secs, #8 team straight time, #7 team 2 secs off, #6 team 4 secs off, #5 team 6 secs off, #4 team 8 secs off, #3 team 10 secs off, #2 team 12 secs off.

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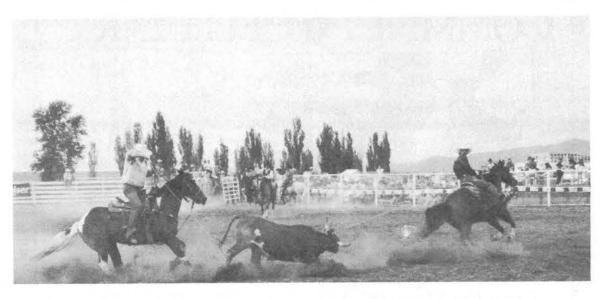
Now as we approach the turn of this century, the third generations, A. Cliff Edwards, together with his cousin and ranch manager Dwight Barber, also a third generation Central Montana Cattleman, are building a registered Angus herd. We have a clear philosophy and program: Our Ranch. cows have to calve easy, possess lots of maternal qualities, and their calves must show

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Mark the first Thursday in November of 1998 on your calendar as Dwight and Cliff have slated the first production sale at Edwards Angus

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Team ropers Damon Ward of Sula and Lyndon Williams of Blackfoot rope their steer in 7 flat good for 4th place - at the Helmville Rodeo Club's annual Labor Day event. Pat Hansen, photo.

Hotel Headquarters

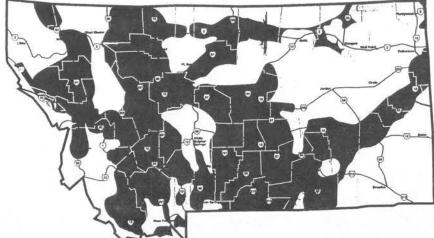
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Helmville Hosts 33rd Annual Labor Day Rodeo

by Pat Hansen Special to the NRA News

The sleepy little ranch town of Helmville, in northern Powell County, became a bustling metropolis over the Labor Day weekend as folks from throughout Montana converged with cars, pickups, campers, and trailers for the 33rd annual rodeo, sponsored by the Helmville Rodeo Club.

This year's rodeo was dedicated to Paul and Kathy Daniels who have worked on the rodeo committee for many years. Kathy began working with the committee 33 years ago when her Dad and Mom, Bill and Gerry Doney were among the founders of the event. With the exception of a couple of years, while living in eastern Montana, Kathy has worked as the local rodeo secretary and Paul has been the calf chute boss. In honor of the occasion the couple was presented with jackets by arena director Dutch Weaver.

Paul and Kathy celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary this weekend. They were married Sept. 2, 1972 at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Helmville, because "everyone would be there for the rodeo." It happened that their wedding was the weekend before Labor Day that year, but Paul says he remembers Kathy sitting on the hood of a pickup at the rodeo opening wedding presents.

When not involved in helping with the Helmville Rodeo, Paul and Kathy are managers of the Heart Bar Heart ranch where they raise bison and emus. They have two adult children who are also very active in rodeo - Jodi, a

graduate of Carroll College, his a fourth grade teacher in Lincoln; and Ty, a graduate of North Idaho College, works as a welder in Ovando. The family often team ropes together, usually once a week.

The late summer weather was perfect as large crowds enjoyed the Northern Rodeo Association approved rodeo on Sunday and Monday. The stock contractor was Gardner Rodeo Co. of Missoula and the announcer was Joe Warner.



The 33rd annual Helmville Rodeo was dedicated to Paul and Kathy Daniels. Congratulations! Photo by Pat Hansen.

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They have been doing so since 1976. Hills are among the first in the nation to be accepted in the recently established AQHA Breeders Referral Program.

To have this honor the Hills were screened for integrity in maintaining selective breeding standards and accurate records, proper treatment of their horses and conducting their affairs in an open and forthright manner.

The Hills have 26 brood mares and four stallions and their horses continue to do exceptionally well in the show and rodeo arenas besides ranch work.

They are very particular to have quality horses with excellent dispositions, great minds, athletic ability, cow sense, and exceptionally soft mouths.

Ed Forbis has been training for the Hills for over a year and has some young colts started exceptionally well.

They choose not to have a production sale but to sell the horses private treaty at the ranch so that horse and new owner have more time to be a perfect match.

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Reynolds leaves 'em in the dust

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Helmville - Talk about one last summer fling.

Josh Reynolds of Corvallis drove all the way from college in Oklahoma this weekend to pad his lead in the NRA saddle bronc standings.

Safe to say he got it done.

After a magnificent 85 point ride in Hamilton on Friday, Reynolds turned on the juice in White Sulphur Springs with a 79 on Sunday and in Helmville with a 75 on Monday.

Bottom line: Three victories in four days on the last busy weekend of the regular season.

Good move. "That's what I was thinking," said the lanky 22-year-old Reynolds, a twinkle in his eye.

He's recently enrolled in Panhandle State, a school in Goodwell, Okla., with a national rodeo reputation. Reynolds, who's father Butch was an NRA champion a dozen years ago, spent the past two school years at Dawson Community College in Glendive.

He set an NRA record for saddle bronc earnings in 1996 with \$6,270 in the regular season. After concentrating on filling his PRCA permit early this summer, Reynolds made a late rush and surpassed that mark this weekend. In doing so, he shook off Lame Deer's Philip Whiteman, who tailed him by only \$12 going into the weekend.

Only one NRA rodeo remains - a new one at St. Ignatius next Saturday and Sunday. Then it's on to the finals in Billings the first week of next February.

Reynolds' ride in front of 1,000 spectators on a sunny Labor Day in Helmville was technically

sound on a nondescript bronc named Annie Oakely. Reynolds older brother Joe, took second with a 72.

It won't show up in the NRA standings, but the day's big winners were a couple of the NRA's top bareback riders. Doug Leeds and Dusty Solomon of Havre. They started the afternoon off with twin scores of 74 points, equaling the top mark posted by Joe DeMers of Clancy in Sunday's

opening performance. At the end of the day, Leeds and Solomon turned to more hidden talents. They entered and won the day's wild cow milking contest, a staple at most of all performances in Helmville over the past 33 years. They outsprinted the kings of the cow milking, Helmville's Tracy Manley and Dave Mannix who failed to win the frenzied event for one of the few times this decade.

Josh Reynolds has firm plans for his bronc-riding future. By winning

\$1,000 in PRCA rodeos, he obtained his PRCA permit. "I'm going to buy my card at the beginning of the new year and try to get PRCA rookie of the year," he said.

He'll have a good home base to work from.

Panhandle State is alma mater of such saddle bronc luminaries as Dan and Robert Etbauer and Craig Latham. It's but a few miles from Texas and within an hour's drive to Kansas and Colorado.

"You can just go anywhere from there," said Reynolds, who will also be shooting for his first berth in the College National Finals Rodeo.



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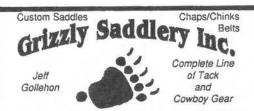


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Heath LaFromboise of Helena spurs Gardner Rodeo Company's "Sagebrush Sally" for 77 points at the Arlee NRA Rodeo. LaFromboise is currently ranked third in the NRA standings. Trudy Bledsoe photo.

CORRAL WEST RODED SERIES POINT STANDINGS

Year-End 1997

Corral West Series Rodeos included: Big Timber, Roundup, East Helena, Harlowton and Three Forks, Boulder, Ft. Benton, and Billings.

Points are given as follows: 4 pts for 1st; 3 pts for 2nd; 2 pts for 3rd; 1 pt for 4th.

Awards will be presented to each event champion at year-end! **Bareback Riding** 1. Doug Leeds, Havre 15 3. Heath LaFromboise, Helena 12 **Saddle Bronc Riding** 1. Beau Michael, Browning 9 2. Josh Reynolds, Corvallis 7.5



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Bullriding teen proves he can ride with men

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He's not old enough to vote and shaving is most likely a once a week endeavor.

But for eight seconds Sunday at Metra, Will Stovall showed he can ride with the men.

The 17 year-old cowboy from Roberts threw together a crowd-pleasing 80-point ride to win the bull riding competition on the final day of the NRA's MontanaFair Rodeo.

Stovall, who graduated from Roberts High School this past spring, stayed aboard the rolling brown bull Smuckers, owned by the Newman Rodeo Company.

"It really surprised me. I'm really happy," said the lanky cowboy, while taking congratulations from well-wishers following the rodeo. "I thought I could come in here and place. I'd seen most of the bulls before and been on a lot of them. I just wanted to come down here and ride the best I can.

It really has not sunk in yet. I'm going to play that ride in my mind a long time."

At a three day rodeo where the bulls clearly had the upper hand, Stovall held his ground.

He survived a blast out of the chute, then sat tight for the final seven seconds as the bull twisted and turned in front of the chutes.

"I was in some trouble," Stovall admitted. "That first jump out, he just blew out of there and jumped to the left. I had to just keep hustling my feet and my free arm and do the best I can."

Stovall go off at the whistle and the judge's ruled in his favor as the crowd roared in approval.

The victory earned Stovall the largest check of his young rodeo career, \$1,135. The large payout lifts him to 11th in the NRA bull riding standings and within striking distance of qualifying for the NRA Finals, Feb. 6-8 at Metra.

He went from struggling to just fine within eight seconds.

"Things had not been going well," said Stovall, who never stopped smiling. "I had been bucked off my last five bulls. This is a very big confidence booster.

"I think this gives me a good shot at the Finals. That's the goal. I'll go hard the rest of the year and see what happens."



D.J. Berger of Florence shows his style aboard Gardner Rodeo Company's Barroom Bandit at the Arlee Rodeo. Berger scored at 72. Trudy Bledsoe photo.

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3 Heath LaFromboise, Helena 4589.25	3 Leroy Cooper, Helena	
4 Joe Demers, Clancy	4 Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank	
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9. Clarence Gilham, Browning 1540.63	9 Brian Kane, Poplar	
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11.Zane Solomon, Havre 1217.14	11 Bob Voegel, Dillon	
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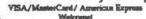


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OFFICIAL ROOKIE STANDINGS 1997

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Rookie of the Year: First year card holder with most money won

Rookie Bareback Riding Event:	Bull Riding
1 Troy Henderson, Lewistown 871.68	1 Jeffrey Marn, Belt
2 Jeff Saxbury, Bozeman	2 Rick Wock, Butte
3 Brandon Bagnell Biegler, Cody 574.08	3 Will Stovall, Roberts1247.68
4 Seth Planichek, Absarokee	Steer Wrestling
5 Craig Dalgarno, Harlowton	1 Nick Stubblefield, Deer Lodge 1851.82
6 Tony Nordahl, Helena	
7 Matt Ehlke, Helena	2 Michael Gollaher, Cascade
8 Erik Carlson, Columbus	3 Shawn Detienne, Helena
9 Sam Henry, Ennis	4 Ted Gollaher, Cascade 534.06
10 Cody Demers, Clancy 165.12	
11 Jeremy Jones, Great Falls 127.68	Calf Roping
12 Darin Elmore, Park City 104.16	1 Beau Franzen, Sidney 913.30
13 Jeffrey McMorris, Sidney 86.40	2 Bryant Mikkelson, Buffalo 617.66
14 Wacey Urick, Belt	3 Ryan Siemsen, Huntley
15 Glen Mortensen, Great Falls 44.16	
16 Jay Pribyl, Cascade36.48	Team Roping
17 Shawn Wigert, Helena30.72	1 JeffRobertson, Augusta 880.70
18 Chylo Schifferns, Billings 10.08	2 Len Plenty, Garry Owen 837.88
19 Bryan Torgerson, Helena 10.08	2 Zani iani, ami, a wa
	Ladies Barrel Racing
Bareback Riding	1 Nikki LaFrance, Huntley
1 Sam Henry, Ennis	2 Shannon Burns, St. Ignatius
2 Jason Nentwig, Seeley Lake 251.52	2 Shannon Burns, St. Ignatius 800.93
2 Jason Hentwig, Seeley Lake 231.32	I - di Dl Di
G III D D'I'	:Ladies Breakaway Roping
Saddle Bronc Riding	
1 J.T. Robbins, Dillon 688.74	2 Tiffany Cunningham, Hysham 1088.71
2 Nye Howey, Townsend 108.00	



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NRA Year-End Audited Junior Standings

Preceding NRA Finals • All the following contestants qualify for NRA Finals:

Freceding NKA Finais An the following co	ntestants quanty for MAX Pinais.
JUNIOR BARREL RACING	JUNIOR BREAKAWAY ROPING
1 Tommy Camp, Condon 1800.95	1 Cleve Fuller, Augusta
2 Lacey Fleharty, Grass Range 1580.15	2 Milee Malone, Livingston
3 Colt Tew, Belgrade 1056.38	3 Henry Hollenbeck, Molt
4 Olivia Lee, Billings	4 Colt Tew, Belgrade
5 Kiley Haugland, Belgrade	5 Casey Currey, Jordan
6 Sheena Dee Berry, Stevensville 470.55	6 Matt Robertson, Augusta
7 Cee Cee Tryan, Helena 405.02	
8 Milee Malone, Livingston 354.57	7 Jack Vanderlans, Cameron
9 Katie Vanderlans, Cameron 326.83	8 Tyler Floerchinger, Belt
10 Zimmie Jo Lytle, Ronan292.03	9 Cee Cee Tryan, Helena
11 Jessica Naylor, Columbus270.33	10 Shawn Downing, Helena
12 Jaime Perry, Shelby242.88	11 Bo Skelton, Sun River
13 Brittany Bird, Cut Bank	12 J.C. Guardipee, Browning
14 Nicole Porter, Helena203.75	13 Joshua Clark, Belgrade
15 Melanie Schuler, Missoula 146.12	14 Kaycee Greany, Helena
16 Shyla Epler, Helena103.68	15 Clint Weeding, Jordan
17 Roshon Nordlund, Malta85.92	16 Branigan Brownell, Belgrade
18 Shae Cole, Huson79.97	17 Bryant Worthen, Dubois, ID
19 Nikki Lafrance, Huntley	18 Sarah Clegg, Stevensville
20 Tierani Brusett, Brusett	19 Sterling Murphy, Billings
21 Faron Brown, Wolf Point67.68	20 Bobbie Robertson, Augusta
22 Ashley Williams, Volborg59.52	21 Joshua Boka, Dillon
23 Dawn Odom, Darby57.60	22 Chris Cole, Harlem
24 Kila Rae Harbour, Ovando55.68	23 Tommy Camp, Condon
25 Bryant Worthen, Dubois, ID51.84	24 John Robertson, Augusta
26 Jana Perry, Cut Bank	25 Fanci Lyman, Great Falls
27 Lisa Hersrud, Columbus	26 Tierani Brusett, Brusett
28 Jenny Dunlap, Lewistown43.63	27 Megan Winters, Absarokee
29 Amber Crowley, Jordan 35.52	28 Sarah Scott, Billings
30 Brettney Vermandel, Billings 32.40	29 Karl Fisher, Havre
31 Kaycee Greany, Helena27.84	30 Zane Hollenbeck, Molt
32 Katie Crowley, Poplar26.88	31 Delon Parker, Gillette, WY
33 Stephanie Baertsch, Helena24.24	32 Ashley Williams, Volberg
34 Jessica McClammy, Poplar21.60	33 Jennifer Weeding, Jordan
35 Lauren Kanning, Havre17.76	35 Kiley Haugland, Belgrade
36 Jennifer Weeding, Jordan 13.92	36 Faron Brown, Wolf Point
37 Charolette Wzinck, Sidney 7.20	30 Paroli Biowii, Woli Poliit18.24

NRA RODEO RESULTS

Central Montana Fair Lewistown, Mt July 24-25-26

Judges: John Nagle and Steve O'Hern Timers: Tootie Rasmussen and Jeri Kincheloe Bullfighter: Shawn Penrod

Pickupmen: T.J. Newman and Robert Newman

Announcer: Stan Rasmussen Secretary: Jann Parker Contractor: Newman Rodeo Company

Contestants: 379

Bareback Bronc Riding (20)

1. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 74, \$391.68; 2. Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 73, \$299.52; 3. Joe Demers, Clancy, 71, \$230.40; 4/5. Brian Seifert, Absarokee, 70, \$115.20; 4/5. Bill Cerkoney, Bozeman, 70, \$115.20

Rookie Bareback Bronc Riding (16)

1. Troy Henderson, Lewistown, 65, \$253.44; 2. Craig Dalgarno, Harlowton, 63, \$190.08; 3. Erik Carlson, Columbus, 61, \$126.72; 4. Seth Planichek, Absarokee, 59, \$63.36

Saddle Bronc Riding (28)

1/2. Clarence Gilham, Browning, 73, \$437.76; 1/2. Bryan Martineau, Corvallis, 73, \$437.76; 3. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 72, \$291.84; 4/5. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 70, \$97.28; 4/5. Beau Michael, Browning, 70, \$97.28; 4/5. Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 70, \$97.28

Bull Riding (39)

1/2. Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, 74, \$508.32; 1/2. Trov Henderson, Lewistown, 74, \$508.32; 3. Brian Kane, Poplar, 73, \$338.88; 4. Leroy Cooper, Helena, 72, \$220.27; 5sp. Dale Wagner, Browning, 69, \$59.31; 5sp. Marty Penrod, Miles City, 69, \$59.31;

Bull Riding Day Money

Dale Wagner, Browning, \$168; Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, \$168; Marty Penrod, Miles City, \$144; Troy Henderson, Lewistown, \$144; Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$81.25; Brian Kane, Poplar, \$81.25; Jeffrey Marn, Belt, \$81.25

Steer Wrestling (50)

1. Laramie Baumann, Hardin, 3.7, \$668.16; 2/3/4. Shawn Detienne, Helena, 4.3, \$437.76; 2/3/4. Jeff Solomon, Havre, 4.3, \$437.76; 2/3/4. Bryant Mikkelson, Buffalo, 4.3, \$437.76; 5. Jim Garrison, Glen, 4.4, \$207.36; 6. Jason Buffington, Hamilton, 4.6, \$115.20

Calf Roping (35)

1/2. Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 9.8, \$518.40; 1/2. Chris Witcher, Miles City, 9.8, \$518.40; 3. Justin Davis, Sidney, 9.9, \$345.60; 4. Mike Collins, Dillon, 11.8, \$224.64; 5. J Billingsley, Kinsey, 12.0, \$120.96

Team Roping (49)

1. Jason Handy, Billings and Britt Givens, Riverton, WY, 5.6, \$601.34 ea.; 2. Sam Bird, Cut Bank and Jim Cole, Harlem, 5.7, \$497.66 ea.; 3. Mary Salmond, Choteau and Mark Salmond, Choteau, 5.8, \$393.98 ea.; 4. Jeff Gorrell, Beach, ND and Jav Murnion, Jordan, 6.1, \$290.30 ea.; 5. Beau Franzen, Sidney and

Clay Kincheloe, Melstone, 6.9, \$186.62 ea.; 6. Lance \$154.13; 5. Martin Murphy, Worden, 8.1, \$82.99 Ediger, Wolf Point and John Graham, Wolf Point, 7.0,

Ladies Barrel Racing (39)

1. Charlene Murphy, Billings, 16.78, \$639.74; 2. Nikki Lafrance, Huntley, 16.83, \$489.22; 3. Kris Bartholomew, Colstrip, 16.85, \$376.32; 4. Jaime Ottun, Forsyth, 16.91, \$244.61; 5. Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 16.95, \$131.71

Ladies Breakaway Roping (42)

1. Jody Petersen, Three Forks, 2.1, \$678.91; 2. Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 2.5, \$519.17; 3. Marcey Chaffee, Billings, 2.7, \$399.36; 4. Tracey Currey, Jordan, 2.8, \$259.58; 5. Chris Mcqueary, Three Forks, 2.9, \$139.78

Junior Barrel Racing (25)

1. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 17.20, \$86.30; 2. Milee Malone, Livingston, 17.32, \$71.42; 3. Tommy Camp, Condon, 17.63, \$56.54; 4. Olivia Lee, Billings, 17.92, \$41.66; 5. Cee Cee Tryan, Helena, 18.34, \$26.78; 6. Roshon Nordlund, Malta, 18.50, \$14.88

Junior Breakaway Roping (21)

1. Chris Cole, Harlem, 3.3, \$103.68; 2. Shawn Downing, Helena, 3.9, \$77.76; 3. Milee Malone, Livingston, 4.0, \$51.84; 4. Clint Weeding, Jordan,

Whitehall Saddle Club Whitehall, Mt

July 25-26, 1997

Judges: Lyle Thompson and Steve Cutler Timers: Janice High and Ae Haugland Bullfighter: Jody Johnston

Pickupmen: Leland McMillan and Cal Floerchinger

Announcer: Ray Tully Secretary: Penny O'Hem Contractor: Lillian Rodeo Company

Contestants: 222

Bareback Bronc Riding (13)

1. Sam Henry, Ennis, 75, \$232.32; 2. Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 72, \$174.24; 3/4. Ryan Ehmann, Sula, 67, \$87.12; 3/4. Matt Ehlke, Helena, 67, \$87.12

Saddle Bronc Riding (6)

1. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 73, \$138.24; 2. Travis Remely, Dell, 68, \$103.68; 3. Jt Robbins, Dillon, 64, \$69.12; 4. Wayne Bowles, Townsend, 60, \$34.56

Bull Riding (18)

1. Casey Mills, Helena, 75, \$360; 2. Rick Wock, Butte, 70. \$240:

Bull Riding Day Money

Rick Wock, Butte, \$96; Casey Mills, Helena, \$96

Steer Wrestling (31)

1. Roddy Watson, Manhattan, 4.9, \$403.10; 2. John Hanson, Helena, 6.2, \$308.26; 3. Justin Davis, Sidney, 6.3, \$237.12; 4. Ted Gollaher, Cascade, 7.5,

Calf Roping (19)

1. Ben Arave, Blackfoot, ID, 8.7, \$312.96; 2. Bernard Getten, Harlem, 9.1, \$234.72; 3. Dan Levine, Wolf Creek, 9.7, \$156.48; 4. Jason Levine, Wolf Creek, 10.2, \$78.24

Team Roping (24)

1. Kit Sherwood, Pocatello, ID and Steve Sherwood, Pocatello, ID, 6.3, \$351.36 ea.; 2. Jim Randle, Alberta Canada and Jason Hershberger, Litchfield, AZ, 7.2, \$263.52 ea.; 3. Bruce Fuller, Augusta and Will Rambo, Black Eagle, 7.7, \$175.68 ea.; 4. Enoch Schaffer, Broadus and Larry Steele, Aladdin, WY, 7.9, \$87.84

Ladies Barrel Racing (29)

1. Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 16.87, \$380.26; 2. Carrie Smith, Deer Lodge, 17.80, \$290.78; 3/4. Tarrah Berger, Florence, 17.81, \$184.54; 3/4. Linda Richmond, Whitehall, 17.81, \$184.54; 5. Charlene Murphy, Billings,

Ladies Breakaway Roping (34)

1. Robyn Darvis, Bozeman, 2.6, \$437.38; 2. Candace Bartelson, Shepherd, 3.0, \$334.46; 3, Tammy Eberline, Dillon, 3.2, \$257.28; 4. Tanya Getten, Harlem, 4.0,

Junior Barrel Racing (18)

1. Colt Tew, Belgrade, 17.14, \$167.04; 2. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 17.60, \$125.28; 3. Cee Cee Tryan, Helena, 17.81, \$83.52; 4. Kiley Haugland, Belgrade, 18.25,

Junior Breakaway Roping (23)

1/2. Clint Weeding, Jordan, 2.9, \$179.76; 1/2. Tyler Floerchinger, Belt. 2.9, \$179.76; 3. Cleve Fuller. Augusta, 3.1, \$102.72; 4. Tommy Camp, Condon, 3.3,

Ingomar Saddle Club Rodeo Ingomar, Mt July 27, 1997

Judges: John Nagle and Jery Lunde Timers: Doris pinkerton and Alice Cameron

Bullfighter: Kevin Taylor

Pickupmen: Ric Olson and Saprky Dressen Announcer: Mark Pinkerton

Secretary: Bunky Wirtz Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company

Contestants: 173

Bareback Bronc Riding (6)

1. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 69, \$178.56; 2. Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 61, \$119.04

Rookie Bareback Bronc Riding (5)

1. Seth Planichek, Absarokee, 68, \$84; 2. Darin Elmore. Park City, 64, \$50.40; 3. Jeremy Jones, Great Falls, 60, \$33.60

Saddle Bronc Riding (13)

1. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 67, \$213.12; 2. James Reynolds, Brusett, 66, \$159.84; 3. Brent Nelson, Miles City, 64, \$106.56; 4. Shane Moran, Dillon, 62,

Bull Riding (19)

1. Reed Trexler, Lolo, 71, \$276; 2. Scott Crump, St Ignatius, 69, \$165.60; 3. Kenton Cripps, Dixon, 66,

Bull Riding Day Money

Scott Crump, St Ignatius, \$152; Kenton Cripps, Dixon, \$152; Reed Trexler, Lolo, \$152

Steer Wrestling (15)

1. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 5.9, \$230.40; 2. Ryan Vanderpluym, Dillon, 8.6, \$172.80; 3. Duane Meyer, Bozeman, 8.7, \$115.20; 4. Ron Schenk, Helena, 9.2,

Calf Roping (18)

1. Travis Caldwell, Billings, 8.3, \$270.72; 2. Charles Briggs Iii, Bozeman, 10.5, \$203.04; 3. Beau Franzen, Sidney, 11.3, \$135.36; 4. Laramie Baumann, Hardin, 14.6, \$67.68

Team Roping (19)

1/2. Scott Selland, Queen Creek, AZ and Terry Selland, Queen Creek, AZ, 5.9, \$236.04 ea.; 1/2. Dennis Tryan, Huntley and Clay Tryan, Huntley, 5.9, \$236.04 ea.; 3. Travis Tryan, Huntley and Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 6.2, \$134.88 ea.; 4. Jeff Gorrell, Beach, ND and Jay Murnion, Jordan, 15.9, \$67.44 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (25)

1. Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 14.60, \$364.80; 2. Joeleen Ottun, Forsyth, 14.67, \$273.60; 3. Nikki Lafrance. Huntley, 14.70, \$182.40; 4. Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 14.86, \$91.20

Ladies Breakaway Roping (22)

1/2. Deana Witcher, Mile City, 2.8, \$283.92; 1/2. Karen Miller, Absarokee, 2.8, \$283.92; 3. Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 3.5, \$162.24; 4/5. Lynn Howell, Forsyth, 3.6, \$27.04; 4/5. Marcey Chaffee, Billings, 3.6, \$27.04; 4/5. Tiffany Cunningham, Hysham, 3.6, \$27.04

Junior Barrel Racing (12)

1. Olivia Lee, Billings, 15.12, \$55.68; 2. Jessica Naylor, Columbus, 15.85, \$27.84; 3. Jennifer Weeding, Jordan, 15.89, \$13.92

Junior Breakaway Roping (12)

1. Jennifer Weeding, Jordan, 4.8, \$55.68; 2. Tierani Brusett, Brusett, 5.2, \$41.76; 3. Casey Currey, Jordan, 5.3, \$27.84; 4. Delon Parker, Huntley, 14.1, \$13.92

Rosebud/Treasure Cty Fair Forsyth, Mt July 30,31, Aug 1

Contractor: Newman Rodeo Company

Judges: Don Evans and Phil Luman Timers: Doris Pinkerton and Jeri Kincheloe Bullfighter: Shawn Penrod Pickupmen: T.J. Newman and Robert Newman Announcer: Mark Pinkerton

Contestants: 251

Bareback Bronc Riding (15) 1. Buddy Dolan, Helena, 70, \$440.64; 2/3/4. Bill Cerkoney, Bozeman, 67, \$213.84; 2/3/4. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 67, \$213.84; 2/3/4. Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 67, \$213.84; 2/3/4. Dusty Solomon, Havre, 67, 73, \$192.46; 5. Zane Solomon, Havre, 72, \$81.65 \$213.84

Saddle Bronc Riding (22)

1. Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 73, \$554.88; 2. James Reynolds, Brusett, 70, \$424.32; 3/4. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 69, \$269.28; 3/4. Brent Nelson, Miles City, 69, \$269.28; 5sp. Beau Michael, Browning, 67, \$38.08; 5sp. JT Robbins, Dillon, 67, \$38.08; 5sp. Shane Moran, Dillon, 67, \$38.08

Bull Riding (21)

1. Marty Penrod, Miles City, 83, \$950.40; 2. Ryan Underwood, Butte, 75, \$633.60;

Bull Riding Day Money

Ryan Underwood, Butte, \$120; Marty Penrod, Miles City, \$168

Steer Wrestling (42)

1. Laramie Baumann, Hardin, 3.6, \$751.68; 2. Jesse Peterson, Dillon, 3.9, \$622.08; 3. Ron Schenk, Helena. 4.0, \$492.48; 4/5sp. Steve Downing, Helena, 4.4, \$298.08; 4/5sp. Nick Stubblefield, Deer Lodge, 4.4. \$298.08; 6. Zane Solomon, Havre, 4.5, \$129.60

Calf Roping (28)

1. Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 9.8, \$652.80; 2/3. Bert Vermandel, Billings, 10.0, \$499.20; 2/3. Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 10.0, \$384; 4. Laramie Baumann, Hardin, 10.6, \$249.60; 5. Ryan Siemsen, Billings, 10.7, \$134.40

Team Roping (32)

1. Jeff Gorrell, Beach, ND and Jay Murnion, Jordan, 6.7, \$628.32 ea.; 2. Dennis Tryan, Huntley and Clay Tryan, Huntley, 7.1, \$480.48 ea.; 3. Philip Fleming. Broadus and Craig Mader, Gillette, WY, 7.4, \$369.60 ea.: 4. John Chaffee, Billings and Barry Ellis. Worden, 7.6, \$240.24 ea.; 5. Randy Not Afraid, Lodge Grass and Len Plenty, Garryowen, 7.8, \$129.36 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (38)

1/2. Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 15.65, \$636; 1/2. Carrie Smith, Deer Lodge, 15.65, \$636; 3. June Tibbetts, Terry, 15.69, \$456; 4. Kris Bartholomew, Colstrip, 15.80, \$336; 5. Holly Cook, Power, 15.81, \$216; 6. Dana Penrod, Miles City, 15.83, \$120

Ladies Breakaway Roping (36)

1. Cally Goyins, Helena, 2.2, \$668.16; 2. Nacona Pauley, Miles City, 2.4, \$552.96; 3. Debbie Lloyd, Helena, 2.5, \$437.76; 4. Karen Miller, Absarokee, 2.6, \$322.56; 5. Brittani Brusett, Brusett, 2.7, \$207.36; 6. Mary Salmond, Choteau, 2.8, \$115.20

Mineral County Fair Superior, Mt August 1-2

Judges: Steve O'Hern and Lyle Thompson Timers: Arlene Haugland and Janice High Bullfighter: Jody Johnston Pickupmen: Leland McMillan and Bo McMillan

Announcer: Dan McGowan Secretary: Penny O'Hern Contractor: Lillian Rodeo Company

Contestants: 263

Bareback Bronc Riding (12) 1/2. Dusty Solomon, Havre, 75, \$349.92; 1/2. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 75, \$349.92; 3/4. Darryl Lamb. Absarokee, 73, \$192.46; 3/4. Trevor Moss, Polson,

Saddle Bronc Riding (10)

1. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 73, \$367.20; 2. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 70, \$280,80; 3. Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 69, \$216; 4/5. Nye Howey, Townsend, 68, \$108; 4/5. Bryan Martineau, Corvallis,

Bull Riding (22)

1. Monte Finn, Big Timber, 77, \$579.36; 2. Randy Parmer, Helena, 74, \$443.04; 3. Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, 73. \$340.80; 4/5. Jeffrey Mam, Belt, 72, \$170.40; 4/ 5. Doug Mccullough, Missoula, 72, \$170.40;

Bull Riding Day Money

Monte Finn, Big Timber, \$78; Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, \$78; Jeffrey Marn, Belt, \$78; Mead Dana, Helena, \$78; Doug Mccullough, Missoula, \$43.20; Robert Tienhaara, Columbia Falls, \$43.20; Martin Kazmierowski, Columbia Falls, \$43,20; Randy Parmer. Helena, \$43.20; Brian Edden, Lolo, \$43.20

Steer Wrestling (42)

1. Duane Meyer, Bozeman, 3.6, \$714.10; 2. Jesse Peterson, Dillon, 3.8, \$590.98; 3. Martin Murphy. Worden, 4.3, \$467.86; 4. John Hanson, Helena, 4.4, \$344.74; 5. Steve Blixt, Helena, 4.6, \$221.61; 6. Pete Petersen, Dillon, 4.7, \$123.11

1. Lyle Baumann, Hardin, 10.1, \$613.87; 2. Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 10.3, \$508.03; 3. Herbert Harris, Polson, 10.7, \$402.19; 4. Shane Schwenke, Gallatin Gtwy, 10.9, \$296.35; 5. Nathan Baldwin, Dexberg, ID, 11.1, \$190.52; 6. Britt Givens, Riverton, WY, 12.1,

Team Roping (35)

1. Gary Woodworth, Shepherd and Travis Tryan, Huntley, 5.2, \$624.24 ea.; 2. Dennis Tryan, Huntley and Clay Tryan, Huntley, 5.5, \$477.36 ea.; 3. Britt Givens, Riverton, WY and Jason Handy, Billings, 5.7, \$367.20 ea.; 4. Jim Randle, Alberta Canada and Jason Hershberger, Litchfield, AZ, 6.1, \$238.68 ea.; 5. Brad Yerian, Hamilton and Bryant Mikkelson, Buffalo, 6.4. \$128.52 ea

Ladies Barrel Racing (40)

1. Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 15.50, \$689.04; 2. Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 15.59, \$570.24; 3. Joeleen Ottun. Forsyth, 15.64, \$451.44; 4. Shannon Burns, St Ignatius, 15.71, \$332.64; 5. Vickie Maccarty, Pryor, 15.72, \$213.84; 6. Charlene Murphy, Billings, 15.77, \$59.40; 7. Heather Schwenke, Gallatin Gtwy, 15.77, \$59.40

Ladies Breakaway Roping (39)

1. Kayleen Hougen, Melstone, 3.0, \$676.51; 2. Tanya Getten, Harlem, 3.1, \$559.88; 3. Jody Petersen, Three Forks, 3.3, \$443.23; 4/5, Minda Wagner, Whitehall. 3.4, \$268.27; 4/5. Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 3.4, \$268.27; 6. Deana Witcher, Miles City, 3.6, \$116.64

Junior Barrel Racing (20)

1. Olivia Lee, Billings, 15.72, \$96; 2. Colt Tew, Belgrade, 15.90, \$72; 3. Zimmie Jo Lytle, Ronan, 16.02, \$48; 4. Milee Malone, Livingston, 16.03, \$24

Junior Breakaway Roping (21)

1. Matt Robertson, Augusta, 3.0, \$99.84; 2. Milee Malone, Livingston, 3.2, \$74.88; 3. Casey Currey, Jordan, 3.5, \$49.92; 4. Cee Cee Tryan, Helena, 4.6,

Broadwater County Fair Townsend, Mt August 2-3

Judges: Danny Halvorson and Alvin Wagner Timers: Tootie Rasmussen and Carol Masolo Bullfigher: Crazy Bill Pickupmen: Dick Lyman and Vince Thompson Announcer: Stan Rasmussen

Secretary: Elaine Graveley Stock Contractor: Jacobs Livestock Rodeo Contestants: 377

Bareback Bronc Riding (20)

Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 74, \$359.04;
 Joe Demers, Claney, 72, \$274.56;
 3/4. Robert Schall, Arlee, 71, \$140.80;
 3/4. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 71, \$140.80;
 Clarence Gilham, Browning, 71, \$140.80

Rookle Bareback Bronc Riding (18)

Jeff Saxbury, Bozeman, 73, \$176.64;
 Seth Planichek, Absarokee, 65, \$132.48;
 Matt Ehlke, Helena, 59, \$88.32;
 Glen Mortensen, Great Falls, 58, \$44.16

Saddle Bronc Riding (19)

1/2. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 73, \$305.27; 1/2. Beau Michael, Browning, 73, \$305.27; 3/4. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 72, \$167.90; 3/4. Adam Bink, Vaughn, 72, \$167.90; 5. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 68, \$71.23

Bull Riding (36)

Rick Wock, Butte, 78, \$509.18;
 Leroy Cooper, Helena, 70, \$389.37;
 Ryan Williams, Bozeman, 67, \$299.52;
 Id Ryen, Belgrade, 66, \$194.68;
 Tyler Barnes, Dillon, 65, \$52.41;
 Craig Dalgarno, Harlowton, 65, \$52.41;

Bull Riding Day Money

Reed Trexler, Lolo, \$204; Jd Ryen, Belgrade, \$204 Rick Wock, Butte, \$65.15; Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$65.15; Ryan Williams, Bozeman, \$65.15; Craig Dalgarno, Harlowton, \$65.15; Tyler Barnes, Dillon, \$65.15; Charles Leslie, Helena, \$65.15; Casey Mills, Helena, \$65.15

Steer Wrestling (52)

Rooster Reynolds, Twin Bridges, 4.1, \$662.59; 2/
 Alan Hougen, Melstone, 4.2, \$491.23; 2/3. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 4.2, \$491.23; 4. Shannon Blixt, Helena, 4.4, \$319.87; 5/6. Gary Zipperian, Clancy, 4.5, \$79.96; 5/6. John Hanson, Helena, 4.5, \$79.96; 5/6. Ron Schenk, Helena, 4.5, \$79.96; 5/6. Pete Petersen, Dillon, 4.5, \$79.96

Calf Roping (31)

1. Mike Collins, Dillon, 8.8, \$502.66; 2. Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 9.2, \$384.38; 3. Shane Eberline, Dillon, 9.7, \$295.68; 4. Bert Vermandel, Billings, 10.8, \$192.19; 5. Laramie Baumann, Hardin, 10.9, \$103.49

Team Roping (36)

1. Chris Witcher, Miles City and Shane Kountz, Bozeman, 6.1, \$567.93 ea; 2/3/4. Shane Schwenke, Gallatin Gtwy and Bruce Knight, Plains, 6.4, \$328.51 ea.; 2/3/4. Scott Mcallister, Polson and Britt Givens, Riverton, WY, 6.4, \$328.51 ea.; 2/3/4. Jason Handy, Billings and Kory Mytty, Lolo, 6.4, \$328.51 ea.; 5. Bryant Mikkelson, Buffalo and Brad Yerian, Hamilton, 6.7, \$116.92 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (44)

1/2. Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 17.63, \$593.28; 1/2.

Monica Gruel, Great Falls, 17.63, \$593.28; 3. Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 17.65, \$395.52; 4. Carrie Smith, Deer Lodge, 17.78, \$257.08; 5. Shannon Burns, St Ignatius, 17.80, \$138.43

Ladies Breakaway Roping (52)

 Jill Worthen, Dubois, ID, 2.9, \$662.59; 2/3. Chris Mcqueary, Three Forks, 3.0, \$491.23; 2/3. Kati Sivertsen, Belt, 3.0, \$491.23; 4.0 doly Petersen, Three Forks, 3.2, \$319.87; 5sp. Erlonna Mikkelson, Missoula, 3.5, \$159.91; 5sp. Monica Gruel, Great Falls, 3.5, \$159.91

Junior Barrel Racing (33)

1. Sheena Dee Berry, Stevensville, 17.79, \$165.65; 2. Tommy Camp, Condon, 17.81, \$137.08; 3. Colt Tew, Belgrade, 18.00, \$108.52; 4. Shae Cole, Huson, 18.07, \$79.97; 5. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 18.27, \$51.40; 6. Katie Vanderlans, Cameron, 18.45, \$28.56

Junior Breakaway Roping (35)

1. Bo Skelton, Sun River, 4.5, \$174; 2. Henry Hollenback, Molt, 4.6, \$144; 3. Jack Vanderlans, Cameron, 4.7, \$114; 4. Branigan Brownell, Belgrade, 4.9, \$84; 5. Cleve Fuller, Augusta, 5.0, \$54; 6. Casey Currey, Jordan, 5.2, \$30

Phillips County Fair Dodson, Mt August 3, 1997

Judges: Jerry Matt and Jerry Nunn Timers: Rebel Levesque and Lynn Brewer Bullfighter: Kevin Taylor Pickupmen: Ric Olson and Sparky Dressen Announcer: Ray Tully Secretary: Cindy Olson Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company

Bareback Bronc Riding (7)

Contestants: 126

Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 72, \$222.72;
 Doug Leeds, Dillon, 71, \$167.04;
 Dusty Solomon, Havre, 70, \$111.36;
 4/5. Zane Solomon, Havre, 64, \$27.84;
 Brian Seifert, Absarokee, 64, \$27.84

Saddle Bronc Riding (8)

1/2. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 71, \$238.08; 1/2. Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 71, \$238.08; 3. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 68, \$119.04

Bull Riding (15)

Mitch Pavlovich, Big Sandy, 78, \$316.80;
 Troy Henderson, Lewistown, 72, \$237.60;
 Aaron Niederegger, Harlem, 69, \$158.40;
 Charlie Haverland, Great Falls, 65, \$79.20;

Bull Riding Day Money

Mitch Pavlovich, Big Sandy, \$90; Troy Henderson, Lewistown, \$90; Aaron Niederegger, Harlem, \$90; Charlie Haverland, Great Falls, \$90

Steer Wrestling (23)

Keenan Zentz, Laurel, 4.3, \$212.16;
 Bernard Getten, Harlem, 4.8, \$137.90;
 Ron Schenk, Helena, 5.4, \$74.26

Calf Roping (11)

Matt C. Miller, Absarokee, 14.0, \$263.04;
 Jim Lafrance, Huntley, 16.0, \$197.28;
 J.C. Crowley, Poplar, Mt, 17.5, \$131.52;
 Bernard Getten, Harlem, 20.4, \$65.76

Team Roping (16)

 Shane Bessette, Havre and Scot Strauser, Havre, 7.4, \$303.36 ea.;
 Clay Tryan, Huntley and Dennis Tryan, Huntley, 12.4, \$151.68 ea.;
 Swede Cole, Harlem and Tom Filesteel.

Ladies Barrel Racing (19)

Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 14.97, \$370.56;
 Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 15.13, \$277.92;
 Kris Bartholomew, Colstrip, 15.23, \$185.28;
 Kim Norman, Cut Bank, 15.25, \$92.64

Ladies Breakaway Roping (10)

Karen Miller, Absarokee, 3.0, \$268.80;
 Tracey Currey, Jordan, 3.1, \$201.60;
 Marcey Chaffee, Billings, 3.3, \$134.40;
 Deana Witcher, Mile City, 3.8, \$67.20

Daniels County Fair Scobey, Mt August 4, 1997

Judges: Don Evans and Jim Wick Timers: Cindy Olson and Jenie Detienne Bullfighter: Mike Anderson Pickupmen: Sparky Dressen and Ric Olson Announcer: Rod Tande Secretary: Bunky Wirtz

Stock Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company Contestants: 101

Bareback Brone Riding (5)

Dusty Solomon, Havre, 72, \$220.80;
 Clarence Gilham, Browning, 69, \$165.60;
 Zane Solomon, Havre, 66, \$110.40;
 Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 62, \$55.20

Saddle Bronc Riding (11)

 Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 77, \$312.96; 2. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 73, \$234.72; 3. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 69, \$156.48; 4. Beau Michael, Browning, 65, \$782.24

Buil Riding (7)

1. Brian Kane, Po

 Brian Kane, Poplar, 70, \$595.20; Day Money: Brian Kane, Poplar, \$168

Steer Wrestling (12)

Jim Duvall, Belgrade, 4.1, \$328.32;
 Jim Garrison, Glen, 4.2, \$246.24;
 Zane Solomon, Havre, 4.7, \$164.16;
 Michael Nelson, Westby, 6.0, \$82.08

Calf Roping (12)

 Matt C. Miller, Absarokee, 14.6, \$328.32; 2. Jack Billingsley, Glasgow, 18.7, \$246.24; 3. Beau Franzen, Sidney, 19.9, \$164.16; 4. John Saubak, Peerless, 20.7, \$82.08

Team Roping (16)

1. Dennis Tryan, Huntley and Clay Tryan, Huntley, 7.8, \$322.16 ea.; 2. J Billingsley, Kinsey and Jack Billingsley, Glasgow, 12.7, \$207.60 ea.; 3. Travis Tryan, Huntley and Matt C. Miller, Absarokee, 12.7, \$207.60 ea.; 4. Russ Solberg, Richland and Todd Westby

Ladies Barrel Racing (15)

Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 17.26, \$355.20;
 Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 17.48, \$266.40;
 Joeleen Ottun, Forsyth, 17.50, \$177.60;
 Charlene Murphy, Billings, 17.59, \$88.80

Ladies Breakaway Roping (15)

1. Connie Meiers, Williston, ND, 3.2, \$355.20; 2. Deana

Witcher, Mile City, 3.4, \$266.40; 3. Tanya Getten, Harlem, 3.7, \$177.60; 4/5. Tiffany Cunningham, Hysham, 3.9, \$44.40; 4/5. Brittani Brusett, Brusett, 3.9. \$44.40

Great Northern Fair Havre, Mt August 8-9, 1997

Judges: Clancy Sivertson and Ray Buffington Timers: Judy Solomon and Cindy Barta Bullfighter: Bill Plouffe Clown: Errie Marshall Pickupmen: Jack Solomon and Ed Solomon Anouncer: Joe Warner Stock Contractor: Jacobs Livestock Rodeos Contestants: 341

Bareback Bronc Riding (20)

Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 75, \$489.60;
 Buddy Dolan, Helena, 73, \$374.40;
 3/4. Clarence Gilham, Browning, 70, \$192;
 3/4. Robert Schall, Arlee, 70, \$192;
 3/4. Joe Demers, Clancy, 70, \$192

Saddle Bronc Riding (29)

 Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 75, \$592.42; 2/3/4. Wyle Wells, Browning, 73, \$232.32; 2/3/4. Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 73, \$232.32; 2/3/4. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 73, \$232.32

Bull Riding (34)

Jeffrey Mam, Belt, 77, \$932.64;
 Robert Tienhaara, Columbia Falls, 76, \$771.84;
 Randy Parmer, Helena, 75, \$611.04;
 Kent Nordahl, Helena, 70, \$369.84;
 Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, 70, \$369.84;
 Troy Henderson, Lewistown, 69, \$80.40;
 Leroy Cooper, Helena, 69, \$80.40;

Bull Riding Day Money

Jeffrey Marn, Belt, \$288; Kent Nordahl, Helena, \$66; Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, \$66; Troy Henderson, Lewistown, \$66; Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$66; Randy Parmer, Helena, \$66; Reed Trexler, Lolo, \$66; Robert Tienhaara, Columbia Falls, \$66

Steer Wrestling (52)

Dan Farnam, Helena, 3.3, \$673.73;
 Duane Meyer, Bozeman, 4.2, \$557.57;
 3/4/5. Martin Murphy, Worden, 4.4, \$325.25;
 3/4/5. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 4.4, \$325.25;
 5/4/5. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 4.4, \$325.25;
 6sp. Jesse Peterson, Dillon, 4.5, \$58.08;
 6sp. Mike Collins, Dillon, 4.5, \$58.08

Calf Roping (26)

Mike Collins, Dillon, 9.2, \$492.86;
 Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 9.3, \$376.90;
 3/4. Chris Witcher, Miles City, 9.6, \$239.18;
 3/4. Pat Murphy, Worden, 9.6, \$239.18;
 Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 9.7, \$101.47

Team Roping (45)

Sam Bird, Cut Bank and Jim Cole, Harlem, 5.5, \$612
 ca.; 2. Jay Murnion, Jordan and Jeff Gorrell, Beach, ND, 5.9, \$468
 ca.; 3. Travis Tryan, Huntley and Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 6.2, \$360
 ca.; 4. Charles Briggs Iii, Bozeman and Curt Wade, Bozeman, 6.4, \$180
 ca.; 5. Ray Augare, Browning and Terry Tatsey, Browning, 6.4, \$180
 ca.

Ladies Barrel Racing (39)

Jaime Ottun, Forsyth, 16.89, \$641.38;
 June Tibbetts, Terry, 17.03, \$490.46;
 Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 17.07, \$377.28;
 Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 17.13,

\$245.23; 5. Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 17.15, \$132.05

Ladies Breakaway Roping (40)

1/2. Deana Witcher, Mile City, 2.5, \$518.40; 1/2. Wendy Badgett, Ashland, 2.5, \$518.40; 3. Nacona Pauley, Miles City, 2.8, \$345.60; 4/5. Cally Goyins, Helena, 2.9, \$172.80; 4/5. Erlonna Mikkelson, Missoula, 2.9, \$172.80

Junior Barrel Racing (25)

1. Jaime Perry, Shelby, 17.10, \$97.44; 2. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 17.23, \$80.64; 3. Sheena Dee Berry, Stevensville, 17.35, \$63.84; 4. Brittany Bird, Cut Bank, 17.38, \$47.04; 5. Lisa Hersrud, Columbus, 17.47, \$30.24; 6. Tommy Camp, Condon, 17.49, \$16.80

Junior Breakaway Roping (29)

 J.C. Guardipee, Cut Bank, 3.6, \$108.58; 2/3. Fanci Lyman, Great Falls, 4.4, \$80.50; 2/3. Cee Cee Tryan, Helena, 4.4, \$80.50; 4. Bobbie Robertson, Augusta, 4.5, \$52.42; 5. Milee Malone, Livingston, 5.0, \$33.70;
 John Robertson, Augusta, 5.2, \$18.72

Montanafair NRA Rodeo Billings August 8-9-10

Judges: Jerry Lunak and Zim Lytle Timers: Doris Pinkerton and Geri Kincheloe Bullfighter, Shawn Penrod Pickupmen: Robert Newman and T.J. Newman Announcer: Jim Thompson Secertary: Becky Martin Contractor: Newman Rodeo Company Contestants: 402

Bareback Bronc Riding (30)

Doug Leeds, Dillon, 80, \$873.60;
 Bill Cerkoney, Bozeman, 79, \$717.60;
 S. Clarence Gilham, Browning, 76, \$561.60;
 4/5. Seth Planichek, Absarokee, 75, \$327.60;
 Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 73, \$156;
 7/8. Zane Solomon, Havre, 72, \$31.20;
 7/8. Robert Schall, Arlee, 72, \$31.20;
 7/8. Ryan Ehmann, Sula, 72, \$31.20;
 7/8. Dusty Solomon, Havre, 72, \$31.20;
 7/8. Dusty Solomon, Havre, 72, \$31.20

Saddle Bronc Riding (30)

1. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, ⊃K, 77, \$873.60; 2/3. Beau Michael, Browning, 75, \$639.60; 2/3. Bryan Martineau, Corvallis, 75, \$63° 30; 4/5. Adam Bink, Vaughn, 73, \$327.60; 4/5. Rusty Sharp, Browning, 73, \$327.60; 6/7/8. Jt Robbins, Dillon, 72, \$124.80; 6/7/8. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 72, \$124.80; 6/7/8. Jc Augare, Browning, 71, \$31.20; 6/7/8. Clarence Gilham, Browning, 71, \$31.20

Bull Riding (43)

1. Will Stovall, Roberts, 80, \$1,135.68; 2. Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, 78, \$730.08; 3. Reid Reagan, Billings, 78, \$730.08; 4. Marty Penrod, Miles City, 78, \$730.08; 5. Scott Crump, St Ignatius, 76, \$263.64; 6. Reed Trexler, Lolo, 76, \$263.64; 7. Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, 74, \$101.40; 8. Jeffrey Marn, Belt, 74, \$101.40; 9. Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, \$128

Bull Riding Day Money

Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, \$128; Will Stovall, Roberts, \$112; Marty Penrod, Miles City, \$112; Reed Trexler, Lolo, \$112; Reid Reagan, Billings, \$52; Scott Crump, St Ignatius, \$52; Jeffrey Marn, Belt, \$52; Mitch Pavlovich, Big Sandy, \$52; Justin Murphy, Roy, \$52; Bud Daniels, Roundup, \$52

Steer Wrestling (53)

1. Shannon Blixt, Helena, 3.8, \$1,217.88; 2. Rooster Reynolds, Twin Bridges, 3.8, \$1,217.88; 3. Robert Schall, Arlee, 4.0, \$859.68; 4. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 4.3, \$620.88; 5. Spike Guardipee, Browning, 4.4, \$310.44; 6. Zane Solomon, Havre, 4.4, \$310.44; 7. Jeff Solomon, Havre, 4.6, \$79.60; 8. Chad Buffington, Malta, 4.6, \$79.60; 9. Roddy Cameron, Ingomar, 4.6, \$79.60

Calf Roping (53)

Chet Keetch, Montepelier, ID, 9.3, \$1,337.28;
 Dan Cross, Powell, WY, 9.7, \$1,098.48;
 Jerry Small, Busby, 10.4, \$859.68;
 Jason Levine, Wolf Creek, 10.5, \$620.88;
 Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 10.8, \$382.08;
 Tim Moullet, St X, 10.9, \$238.80;
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 The Moullet, St X, 10.9, \$238.80;
 Bryant Mikkelson, Buffalo, 11.3, \$143.28;
 Shane Bessette, Havre, 11.9, \$95.52

Team Roping (66)

1. Guy Howell, Belle Fouche, SD and Derick Fleming, Broadus, 4.6, \$1,454.88 ea.; 2. Shane Schwenke, Gallatin Gtwy and Kory Mytty, Lolo, 4.8, \$1,195.08 ea.; 3. Pat Pendergrass, Billings and Dan Bird, Cut Bank, 5.5, \$935.28 ea.; 4/5. Jason Handy, Billings and Britt Givens, Riverton, WY, 6.1, \$545.58 ea.; 4/5. Nick Econom, Winifred and Bill Ayre, Glendive, 6.1, \$545.58 ea.; 6/7. Philip Fleming, Broadus and Craig Mader, Gillette, WY, 6.2, \$207.84 ea.; 6/7. Jeff Gorrell, Beach, ND and Jay Murnion, Jordan, 6.2, \$207.84 ea.; 8. Shawn Steinbach, Ft Shaw and Ty Steinbach, Wolf Creek, 6.4, \$103.92 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (47)

 Jill Ferdina, Belgrade, 13.42, \$1,216.32; 2. Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 13.49, \$999.12; 3. Joeleen Ottun, Forsyth, 13.71, \$781.92; 4. Charlene Murphy, Billings, 13.80, \$564.72; 5. Jaime Ottun, Forsyth, 13.81, \$347.52; 6. June Tibbetts, Terry, 13.86, \$217.20; 7. Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 13.91, \$130.32; 8. Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 13.99, \$86.88

Ladies Breakaway Roping (51)

1. Tammy Fesler, Hamer, ID, 2.4, \$1,296.96; 2. Jody Petersen, Three Forks, 2.6, \$1,065.36; 3. Jill Worthen, Dubois, ID, 2.7, \$833.76; 4. Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 2.8, \$602.16; 5. Tanya Getten, Harlem, 2.9, \$370.56; 6. Lynn Howell, Forsyth, 3.1, \$231.60; 7. Rhonda Kountz, Bozeman, 3.2, \$115.80; 8. Cally Goyins, Helena, 3.2, \$115.80

Madison County Fair Twin Bridges August 15-16, 1997

Judges: Steve O'Hern and Jerry Matt Timers: Arlene Haugland and Janice High Bullfighter: Jody Johnston Pickupmen: Leland McMillan and Cal Florschinger Announcer: Ray Tully Secretary: Penny O'Hern Contractor: Lillian Rodeo Company

Bareback Bronc Riding (22)

Contestants: 298

Robert Schall, Arlee, 75, \$349.25;
 Dusty Solomon, Havre, 71, \$267.07;
 JiOp Job Job Johnson, Havre, 71, \$267.07;
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Saddle Bronc Riding (17)

 Shane Moran, Dillon, 73, \$343.68; 2/3. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 71, \$214.80; 2/3. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 71, \$214.80; 4. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 70, \$85.92

Bull Riding (39)

1. Kelly Crystal, Rigby, 1D, 77, \$543.46; 2/3. Bob Voegel, Dillon, 73, \$367.63; 2/3. Rick Wock, Butte, 73, \$367.63; 4/5. Troy Henderson, Lewistown, 72, \$106.56; 4/5. Stewart Schall, Rigby, 1D, 72, \$106.56; 4/5. Tim Andersen, Dillon, 72, \$106.56;

Bull Riding Day Money

Marty Penrod, Miles City, \$39.27; Reed Trexler, Lolo, \$39.27; Rick Wock, Butte, \$39.27; Troy Henderson, Lewistown, \$39.27; Tim Andersen, Dillon, \$39.27; Martin Kazmierowski, Columbia Falls, \$39.27; Nick Wagner, Whitehall, \$39.27; Cory Tebay, Whitehall, \$39.27; Robert Tienhaara, Columbia Falls, \$39.27; Tyler Barnes, Dillon, \$39.27; Tony Nordahl, Helena, \$33.60; Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, \$33.60; Brian Glass, Denton, \$33.60; Randy Parmer, Helena, \$33.60; Scott Crump, St Ignatius, \$33.60; Craig Dalgarno, Harlowton, \$33.60; Kenton Cripps, Dixon, \$33.60; Bob Voegel, Dillon, \$33.60; Trini Campbell, Missoula, \$33.60; Bud Daniels, Roundup, \$33.60; Jeffrey Marn, Belt. \$33.60; Leroy Cooper, Helena. \$33.60; James Berger, Florence, \$33.60; Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, \$33.60

Steer Wrestling (45)

Jim Garrison, Glen, 3.9, \$595.68;
 Mike Collins, Dillon, 4.4, \$455.52;
 Will Kulczyk, Deer Lodge, 4.7, \$350.40;
 Robert Schall, Arlee, 4.9, \$227.76;
 Ssp. Bernard Getten, Harlem, 5.1, \$61.32;
 Ssp. Shawn Donagan, Whitehall, 5.1, \$61.32

Calf Roping (30)

1. Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 10.4, \$424.32; 2. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 10.8, \$324.48; 3. Chris Witcher, Miles City, 11.4, \$249.60; 4. Scott Meallister, Polson, 13.2, \$162.24; 5. Jason Levine, Wolf Creek, 13.3, \$87.36

Team Roping (38)

 Pat Pendergrass, Billings and Leo Ramone, Pocatello, ID, 6.6, \$474.91 ea.; 2. Scot Strauser, Havre and Shane Bessette, Havre, 7.2, \$363.17 ea.; 3. Jay Murnion, Jordan and Philip Fleming, Broadus, 8.0, \$279.36 ea.; 4. Dale Mcqueary, Three Forks and Cal Stucky, Avon, 8.4, \$181.59 ea.; 5. Shawn Detienne, Helena and Kyle Greany, Helena, 10.1, \$97.78 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (28)

 Jaime Perry, Shelby, 17.99, \$401.47; 2. Terri Kirkland, Billings, 18.10, \$307.01; 3. Sheena Dee Berry, Stevensville, 18.12, \$236.16; 4. Shanda R Detton, Dillon, 18.26, \$153.50; 5. Shannon Burns, St Ignatius, 18.30, \$82.66

Ladies Breakaway Roping (32)

 Tanya Getten, Harlem, 2.9, \$447.17; 2. Tracey Currey, Jordan, 3.0, \$341.95; 3/4. Candace Bartelson, Shepherd, 3.2, \$217.01; 3/4. Wendy Badgett, Ashland, 3.2, \$217.01; 5. Kristen Burns, Terreton, ID, 3.6, \$92.06

Junior Barrel Racing (23)

1. Tommy Camp, Condon, 18.10, \$215.04; 2. Colt Tew, Belgrade, 18.20, \$161.28; 3. Sheena Dee Berry, Stevensville, 18.29, \$107.52; 4. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 18.47, \$53.76

Junior Breakaway Roping (26)

Joshua Boka, Dillon, 3.3, \$172.60;
 Cleve Fuller, Augusta, 3.8, \$142.85;
 Colt Tew, Belgrade, 3.9, \$113.09;
 Milee Malone, Livingston, 4.1, \$83.33;

Karl Fisher, Havre, 4.5, \$53.57; 6. John Robertson, Augusta, 4.7, \$29.76

Tri-County Fair Deer Lodge, Mt August 16-17, 1997

Judges: Zim Lytle and Danny halverson Timers: Teeter Jacobs and Lori Miner Bullfighter: Bill Plouffe Pickupmen; Dick Lyman and Steve Gruel Announcer: Joe Warner Secretary: Teri Jo Lyman Contractor: Jacobs Livestock Rodeos Contestants: 319

Bareback Bronc Riding (16)

1. Joe Demers, Clancy, 71, \$291.84; 2. Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 70, \$145.92; 3. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 70, \$145.92; 4. Robert Schall, Arlee, 70, \$145.92

Rookie Bareback Bronc Riding (14)

1. Jeff Saxbury, Bozeman, 68, \$145.92; 2. Troy Henderson, Lewistown, 67, \$109.44; 3. Craig Dalgarno, Harlowton, 61, \$72.96; 4. Jay Pribyl, Cascade, 59, \$36.48

Saddle Bronc Riding (23)

1. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 75, \$337.68; 2. Adam Bink, Vaughn, 75, \$337.68; 3. Rusty Sharp, Browning, 74, \$192.96; 4. Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 72, \$48.24; 5. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 72, \$48.24

Bull Riding (35)

1. Randy Parmer, Helena, 79, \$309.60; 2. Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, 79, \$309.60; 3. Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, 74, \$170.28; 4. Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, 74, \$170.28; 5. Tony Nordahl, Helena, 73, \$72.24; 6. Tony Nordahl, Helena, \$72

Bull Riding Day Money

Craig Dalgarno, Harlowton, \$72; Robert Tienhaara, Columbia Falls, \$72; Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$72; Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, \$72; Randy Parmer, Helena, \$72; Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, \$68; Marty Penrod, Miles City, \$68; Rick Wock, Butte, \$68; Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, \$68; Troy Henderson, Lewistown, \$68

Steer Wrestling (46)

Jeff Solomon, Havre, 4.6, \$590.78;
 Herbert Harris, Polson, 5.2, \$451.78;
 Tony Strainer, Helena, 5.3, \$347.52;
 Robert Schall, Arlee, 5.4, \$225.89;
 Duane Meyer, Bozeman, 5.6, \$60.81;
 Jim Garrison, Glen, 5.6, \$60.81

Calf Roping (31)

Chris Lynch, Ronan, 10.3, \$419.42; 2. Shane Eberline, Dillon, 10.4, \$320.74; 3. Pat Murphy, Worden, 10.7, \$246.72; 4. Travis Caldwell, Billings, 11.2, \$160.37; 5.
 Bernard Getten, Harlem, 11.6, \$21.59; 6. Chris Witcher, Miles City, 11.6, \$21.59; 7. Cal Stucky, Avon, 11.6, \$21.59

Team Roping (38)

Jay Murnion, Jordan and Philip Fleming, Broadus,
 7.7, \$404.64 ea.;
 2. Chris Witcher, Miles City and
 Shane Kountz, Bozeman,
 7.7, \$404.64 ea.;
 3. Beau
 Clark, Belgrade and J. Michael Clark, Belgrade,
 8.5, \$269.76 ea.;
 4. Bruce Knight, Plains and Scott
 Miske Williams,
 Florence and Brad Yerian, Hamilton,
 9.2, \$94.42 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (46)

Charlene Murphy, Billings, 17.07, \$574.46;
 Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 17.13, \$388.61;
 Yvette Fangsrud, Charlo, 17.13, \$388.61;
 June Tibbetts, Terry, 17.15, \$219.65;
 Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 17.21, \$118.27

Ladies Breakaway Roping (34)

Jill Worthen, Dubois, ID, 3.1, \$343.04;
 Chris Mcqueary, Three Forks, 3.1, \$343.04;
 Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 3.1, \$343.04;
 Kristen Burns, Terreton, ID, 3.4, \$167.23;
 Heather Schwenke, Gallatin Gtwy, 3.6, \$90.05

Junior Barrel Racing (25)

Colt Tew, Belgrade, 17.13, \$153.12; 2. Jaime Perry, Shelby, 17.29, \$126.72; 3. Zimmie Jo Lytle, Ronan, 17.33, \$100.32; 4. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 17.37, \$73.92; 5. Tommy Camp, Condon, 17.41, \$47.52; 6. Cee Cee Tryan, Helena, 17.44, \$26.40

Junior Breakaway Roping (26)

1. Colt Tew, Belgrade, 4.5, \$158.69; 2. Bryant Worthen, Dubois, ID, 5.3, \$131.33; 3. Henry Hollenback, Molt, 5.5, \$103.97; 4. John Robertson, Augusta, 5.7, \$76.61; 5. Kaycee Greany, Helena, 6.2, \$49.25; 6. Joshua Clark, Belgrade, 6.6, \$27.36

Chouteau County Fair Rodeo Fort Benton 8/22-23

Judges: Bill mee and Bruce Martin Timers: Tootie Rasmussen and Jackie Newman Bullfighter: Shawn Penrod Pickupmen: Robert Newman and John Billadeau Announcer: Stan Rasmussen Secretary: Becky Martin Contractor: Newman Rodeo Company Contestants: 218

Bareback Bronc Riding (16)

Joe Demers, Clancy, 75, \$301.44;
 Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 74, \$226.08;
 Doug Leeds, Dillon, 73, \$150.72;
 Benjamin Steed, Cody, WY, 71, \$75.36

Saddle Bronc Riding (23)

Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 74, \$395.52;
 Beau Michael, Browning, 73, \$296.64;
 Kent Robbins, Dillon, 71, \$197.76;
 Shane Moran, Dillon, 69, \$98.88

Steer Wrestling (34)

Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 4.1, \$461.86;
 Tony Strainer, Helena, 4.2, \$353.18;
 Gary Zipperian, Clancy, 4.4, \$271.68;
 Will Kulczyk, Deer Lodge, 4.6, \$176.59;
 Pete Petersen, Dillon, 4.9, \$95.09

Calf Roping (24)

Shane Bessette, Havre, 9.5, \$347.62;
 Bryant Mikkelson, Buffalo, 10.3, \$265.82;
 Jim Lafrance, Huntley, 10.5, \$204.48;
 Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 10.7, \$102.24;
 Shane Eberline, Dillon, 10.7, \$102.24

Team Roping (25)

1. Sam Bird, Cut Bank and Jim Cole, Harlem, 5.7, \$363.12 ea.; 2. Jeff Robertson, Augusta and Matt Robertson, Augusta, 6.4, \$277.68 ea.; 3. Robert Schall, Arlee and Matt C. Miller, Absarokee, 6.6, \$213.60 ea.; 4. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman and Rick Tryan, Helena, 7.0, \$138.84 ea.; 5. Chris Witcher, Miles City and Shane Kountz, Bozeman, 7.2, \$74.76 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (30)

Jaime Ottun, Forsyth, 15.55, \$416.16;
 Jaime Perry, Shelby, 15.60, \$318.24;
 Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 15.70, \$244.80;
 Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 15.73, \$159.12;
 June Tibbetts, Terry, 15.74, \$85.68

Ladies Breakaway Roping (23)

Marcey Chaffee, Billings, 2.0, \$395.52;
 Mandy Floerchinger, Belt, 2.7, \$296.64;
 Kayleen Hougen, Melstone, 3.4, \$197.76;
 Wendy Badgett, Ashland, 3.5, \$98.88

Junior Barrel Racing (15)

Olivia Lee, Billings, 15.79, \$105.60;
 Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 16.02, \$79.20;
 Sheena Dee Berry, Stevensville, 16.29, \$52.80;
 Kiley Haugland, Belgrade, 16.35, \$26.40

Junior Breakaway Roping (18)

1/2. Henry Hollenback, Molt, 4.3, \$107.52; 1/2. Matt Robertson, Augusta, 4.3, \$107.52; 3. Shawn Downing, Helena, 4.8, \$61.44; 4. Sarah Scott, Billings, 4.9, \$30.72

Jefferson County Rodeo Boulder, Mt Aug 23-24

Judges: Alvin Wagner and Andy Livingston Timers:

Bullfighter: Bill Plouffe

Pickupmen: Dick Lyman and Steve Gruel
Announcer: Dan McGowan
Secretary: Teri Jo Lyman
Contractor: Jacobs Livestock Rodeos

Bareback Bronc Riding (16)

Contestants: 271

Doug Leeds, Dillon, 75, \$355.78;
 Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 72, \$272.06;
 Abarryl Lamb, Absarokee, 70, \$172.65;
 Buddy Dolan, Helena, 67, \$73.25

Rookie Bareback Bronc Riding (11)

 Troy Henderson, Lewistown, 67, \$122.88; 2. Seth Planichek, Absarokee, 65, \$92.16; 3. Jeff Saxbury, Bozeman, 63, \$61.44; 4. Shawn Wigert, Helena, 61, \$30.72

Saddle Bronc Riding (18)

1/2/3. Scotty Augare, Browning, 69, \$299.52; 1/2/3. Shane Moran, Dillon, 69, \$299.52; 1/2/3. Clint Pinkerton, Ingomar, 69, \$299.52; 4. Adam Bink, Vaughn, 68, \$146.02; 5sp. Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 64, \$39.31; 5sp. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 64, \$39.31

Bull Riding (29)

Reed Trexler, Lolo, 71, \$461.86; 2. Jd Ryen, Belgrade,
 70, \$353.18; 3/4/5. Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, 69,
 \$224.13; 3/4/5. Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, 69, \$224.13;
 3/4/5. Bob Voeget, Dillon, 67, \$95.09;

Bull Riding Day Money

Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$104; Troy Henderson, Lewistown, \$104

Jd Ryen, Belgrade, \$104; Bob Voegel, Dillon, \$54.86; Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, \$54.86; Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, \$54.86; Monty Valdez, Lloyd, \$54.86; Charlie Haverland, Great Falls, \$54.86; Reed Trexler, Lolo, \$54.86; Zane Fitzpatrick, Polson, \$54.86

Steer Wrestling (45)

1. Ron Schenk, Helena, 3.5, \$598.56; 2/3. John Hanson,

Helena, 3.6, \$443.76; 2/3. Michael Gollaher, Cascade, 3.6, \$443.76; 4. Steve Downing, Helena, 4.3, \$288.96; Ssp. Alan Hougen, Melstone, 4.5, \$144.48; Ssp. Steve Blixt, Helena, 4.5, \$144.48

Calf Roping (26)

Amie Johnson, Cut Bank, 10.2, \$453.70;
 Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 11.2, \$346.94;
 C.B. Wagner, Laurel, 11.4, \$266.88;
 Ben Arave, Blackfoot, ID, 12.9, \$173.47;
 Matt C. Miller, Absarokee, 13.0, \$93.41

Team Roping (25)

 Dennis Tryan, Huntley and Clay Tryan, Huntley, 7.2, \$383.52 ea.;
 Charles Briggs Iii, Bozeman and Curt Wade, Bozeman, 7.5, \$293.28 ea.;
 John Hanson, Helena and Mike Collins, Dillon, 8.4, \$225.60 ea.;
 Tim Moullet, St X and Mark Cain, Huntley, 8.8, \$146.64 ea.;
 Pet Pendergrass, Billings and Leo Ramone, Pocatello, ID, 11.9, \$78,96 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (30)

Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 16.08, \$505.92;
 Charlene Murphy, Billings, 16.32, \$386.88;
 Carrie Smith, Deer Lodge, 16.40, \$297.60;
 Jaime Ottun, Forsyth, 16.42, \$193.44;
 Nikki Lafrance, Huntley, 16.43, \$104.16

Ladies Breakaway Roping (32)

Susan Smith, Idaho Falls, ID, 3.2, \$532.03;
 Rhonda Kountz, Bozeman, 3.4, \$406.85;
 Mary Salmond, Choteau, 3.5, \$312.96;
 Kristen Burns, Terreion, ID, 3.8, \$203.42;
 Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 4.0, \$109.54

Junior Barrel Racing (22)

1. Tommy Camp, Condon, 16.55, \$207.36; 2. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 16.64, \$155.52; 3. Shyla Epler, Helena, 17.07, \$103.68; 4. Bryant Worthen, Dubois, ID, 17.11, \$51.84

Junior Breakaway Roping (26)

Cleve Fuller, Augusta, 3.7, \$122.50;
 Bobbie Robertson, Augusta, 4.4, \$101.38;
 Milee Malone, Livingston, 4.8, \$80.26;
 Jack Vanderlans, Cameron, 5.1, \$59.14;
 Branigan Brownell, Belgrade, 5.5, \$38.02;
 Kiley Haugland, Belgrade, 5.6, \$21.12

Jordan VFW Rodeo Jordan, Mt Aug 23

Judges: Jeff Nagle and Ron Nelson Timers: Bev Mumion and Audry Pierson Bullfighter: Sanford Deal Pickupmen: Ric Olson and Spark Dressen Announcer: Joe Mumion Secretary: Bunky Wirtz Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company

Bareback Bronc Riding (5)

Contestants: 107

 Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 73, \$132;
 Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 70, \$79.20;
 Joe Demers, Clancy, 68, \$52.80

Saddle Bronc Riding (9)

Kent Robbins, Dillon, 71, \$216.48;
 Clint Pinkerton, Ingomar, 68, \$129.89;
 Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 64, \$86.59

Bull Riding (3)

 Brian Kane, Poplar, 67, \$168; Day Money: Brian Kane, Poplar, \$72 Steer Wrestling (18)

 Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 3.3, \$280.32; 2.
 Bernard Getten, Harlem, 4.0, \$210.24; 3. Ron Schenk, Helena, 4.5, \$140.16; 4. Tony Strainer, Helena, 4.8, \$70.08

Calf Roping (16)

1. Chris Witcher, Miles City, 9.4, \$253.40; 2. Shane Eberline, Dillon, 10.9, \$190.08; 3. Bert Vermandel, Billings, 12.5, \$126.72; 4. Lyle Cochran, Dodson, 13.7, \$63.36

Team Roping (11)

 Travis Tryan, Huntley and Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 5.8, \$167.04 ea.; 2. Philip Fleming, Broadus and Dennis Tryan, Huntley, 6.2, \$104.40
 Clay Tryan, Huntley and Chris Witcher, Miles City, 11.2, \$41.76 ea.; 4. Shane Kountz, Bozeman

Ladies Barrel Racing (17)

Lynda Ottun, Forsyth, 16.16, \$266.88;
 Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 16.54, \$200.16;
 Carrie Smith, Deer Lodge, 16.57, \$133.44;
 Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 16.67, \$66.72

Ladies Breakaway Roping (16)

Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 2.6, \$253.44;
 Mary Goyins, Helena, 3.2, \$190.08;
 J4. Tracey Currey, Jordan, 3.3, \$95.04;
 J4. Kayleen Hougen, Melstone, 3.3, \$95.04

Junior Barrel Racing (10)

Olivia Lee, Billings, 16.57, \$57.60;
 Tierani Brusett, Brusett, 16.71, \$43.20;
 Tommy Camp, Condon, 17.04, \$28.80;
 Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 17.24, \$14.40

Junior Breakaway Roping (7)

1. Casey Currey, Jordan, 3.1, \$46.08; 2. Tierani Brusett, Brusett, 4.8, \$34.56; 3. Cee Cee Tryan, Helena, 5.2, \$23.04; 4. Cleve Fuller, Augusta, 7.3, \$11.52

Ravalli County Fair Hamilton, Mt August 28-29, 1997

Judges: Zim Lytle and Brent Powell

Bullfighter: Bill Plouffe

Announcer: Joe Warner Secretary: Teri Jo Lyman

Contractor: Jacobs Livestock Rodeos Contestants: 299

Pickupmen: Dick Lyman and Steve Gruel

Bareback Bronc Riding (19)

1/2. Ryan Ehmann, Sula, 79, \$377.28; 1/2. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 79, \$377.28; 3. Jason Nentwig, Seeley Lake, 76, \$251.52; 4. Derry Mclane, Big Timber, 75, \$163.49; 5. Joe Demers, Clancy, 74, \$88.03

Saddle Bronc Riding (24)

Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 85, \$492.86;
 Kent Robbins, Dillon, 83, \$376.90;
 Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 81, \$289.92;
 Scotty Augare, Browning, 78, \$188.45;
 Sp. Adam Bink, Vaughn, 77, \$50.73;
 Sp. Wyle Wells, Browning, 77, \$50.73

Bull Riding (20)

Rick Wock, Butte, 86, \$505.92;
 Leroy Cooper, Helena, 81, \$386.88;
 Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID,

79, \$297.60; 4/5. Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, 76, \$148.80; 4/5. Scott Crump, St Ignatius, 76, \$148.80;

Bull Riding Day Money

Rick Wock, Butte, \$72; Zack Lytle, Ronan, \$72; Scott Crump, St Ignatius, \$72; Benjamin Richmond, Columbia Falls, \$52.80; Martin Kazmierowski, Columbia Falls, \$52.80; Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, \$52.80; Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$52.80; Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, \$52.80

Steer Wrestling (43)

Donald Novak, Helena, 3.7, \$631.97;
 Nick Stubblefield, Deer Lodge, 4.4, \$523.01;
 3/4. Jim Garrison, Glen, 4.5, \$359.57;
 3/4. Steve Blixt, Helena, 4.5, \$359.57;
 Steve Downing, Helena, 4.9, \$196.13;
 6sp. Gary Zipperian, Clancy, 5.2, \$54.48;
 6sp. Ron Schenk, Helena, 5.2, \$54.48

Calf Roping (36)

1. Shane Eberline, Dillon, 11.2, \$649.54; 2. Lyle Baumann, Hardin, 11.4, \$496.70; 3. Bert Vermandel, Billings, 11.9, \$382.08; 4. Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 12.2, \$248.35; 5. Bernard Getten, Harlem, 12.3, \$133.73

Team Roping (39)

1. Sam Bird, Cut Bank and Jim Cole, Harlem, 6.3, \$598,94 ea.; 2/3. Shane Schwenke, Gallatin Giwy and Kory Mytty, Lolo, 6.7, \$405.17 ea.; 2/3. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman and Rick Tryan, Helena, 6.7, \$405.17 ea.; 4. Arnie Johnson, Cut Bank and Todd Johnson, Cut Bank, 8.1, \$229.01 ea.; 5. Ryan Bagnell, Missoula and Patrick Nagy, Alberton, 8.2, \$123.31 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (36)

1. Terri Kirkland, Billings, 16.95, \$649.54; 2. Susan Smith, Idaho Falls, ID, 17.04, \$496.70; 3. Nikki Lafrance, Huntley, 17.09, \$382.08; 4. Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 17.15, \$248.35; 5. Charlene Murphy, Billings, 17.23, \$133.73

Ladies Breakaway Roping (38)

1. Mary Salmond, Choteau, 3.0, \$675.65; 2. Rachael Myllymaki, Dillon, 3.5, \$516.67; 3/4. Nicole Yorgensen, Victor, 3.8, \$327.89; 3/4. Mary Goyins, Helena, 3.8, \$327.89; 5. Karen Miller, Absarokee, 3.9, \$139.10

Junior Barrel Racing (24)

Sheena Dee Berry, Stevensville, 17.05, \$80.74;
 Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 17.19, \$66.82;
 Melanie Schuler, Missoula, 17.27, \$52.90;
 Colt Tew, Belgrade, 17.45, \$38.98;
 Tommy Camp, Condon, 17.46, \$25.06;
 Kiley Haugland, Belgrade, 17.62, \$13.92

Junior Breakaway Roping (28)

Cleve Fuller, Augusta, 4.8, \$91.87;
 Bryant Worthen, Dubois, ID, 5.2, \$76.03;
 Colt Tew, Belgrade, 5.3, \$60.19;
 Sarah Scott, Billings, 5.4, \$44.35;
 Fanci Lyman, Great Falls, 5.5, \$28.51;
 Matt Robertson, Augusta, 5.6, \$15.84

Helmville Rodeo Club Helmville, Mt August 31-August 1

Judges: Jerry Nunn and Cal Floersinger Tmers: Karen McGowan and Stphanie Hendrickson Bullfighter: Wayne Britton Pickupmen: Dib Espinoza and R.T. Hendrickson

Announcer: Joe Warner Secretary: Penny O'Hern Contractor: Gardner Rodeo Company Contestants: 199

Bareback Bronc Riding (14)

1/2/3. Dusty Solomon, Havre, 74, \$271.36; 1/2/3. Doug Leeds, Dillon, 74, \$271.36; 1/2/3. Joe Demers, Clancy, 74, \$271.36; 4. Zane Solomon, Havre, 71, \$132.29; 5. Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 68, \$71.23

Rookie Bareback Bronc Riding (7)
1. Tony Nordahl, Helena, 54, \$230,40

Saddle Bronc Riding (15)

1. Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 75, \$359.04; 2. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 72, \$274.56; 3. Scotty Augare, Browning, 69, \$211.20; 4. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 68, \$137.28; 5. Bryan Martineau, Corvallis, 67, 873.02

Bull Riding (32)

1. Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, 75, \$633.22; 2. James Berger, Florence, 72, \$484.22; 3. Leroy Cooper, Helena, 70, \$372.48; 4/5. Jd Ryen, Belgrade, 69, \$186.24; 4/5. Brian Kane, Poplar, 69, \$186.24;

Bull Riding Day Money

Monty Valdez, Lloyd, \$96; Martin Kazmierowski, Columbia Falls, \$96; Trent Scheuer, Helena, \$96; James Berger, Florence, \$96; Reed Trexler, Lolo, \$76.80; Brian Kane, Poplar, \$76.80; Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$76.80; Jd Ryen, Belgrade, \$76.80; Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, \$76.80

Steer Wrestling (34)

 Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 5.3, \$421.06; 2. Robert Schall, Arlee, 5.8, \$321.98; 3/4. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 6.6, \$204.34; 3/4. Ron Schenk, Helena, 6.6, \$204.34; 5. Jesse Peterson, Dillon, 6.8, \$86.69

Calf Roping (25)

1. Amie Johnson, Cut Bank, 12.2, \$374.40; 2. Herbert Harris, Polson, 12.5, \$280.80; 3. Marty Icenoggle, Cut Bank, 13.2, \$187.20; 4. Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 13.3, \$93.60

Team Roping (22)

1. Guy Howell, Belle Fouche, SD and Derick Fleming, Broadus, 5.7, \$314.88 ea.; 2. Dennis Tryan, Huntley and Clay Tryan, Huntley, 6.3, \$236.16 ea.; 3. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman and Rick Tryan, Helena, 6.5, \$157.44 ea.; 4. Damon Ward, Sula and Lynden Williams, Blackfoot, 1D. 7.0, \$78.72 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (21)

Shirlee Fossum, Billings, 15.85, \$320.64;
 Holly Cook, Power, 15.91, \$240.48;
 Judy Myllymaki, Arlee, 15.95, \$160.32;
 Charlene Murphy, Billings, 15.97, \$80.16

Ladies Breakaway Roping (27)

Scheffer, Hamilton, 3.2, \$230.74; 2/3. Lisa Scheffer, Hamilton, 3.2, \$230.74; 2/3. Chris Mcqueary, Three Forks, 3.2, \$230.74; 4. Tanya Getten, Harlem, 3.5, \$130.42; 5sp. Mary Salmond, Choteau, 3.6, \$35.11; 5sp. Rachael Myllymaki, Dillon, 3.6, \$35.11

Meagher County Rodeo White Sulphur Springs, Mt August 30-31, Sept 1

Judges: Jerry Matt and Bruce Martin Timers: Tootie Rasmussen and Deb McCormick Bullfighter: Shawn Penrod Pickupmen: Robert Newman and T.J. Newman

Announcer: Stan Rasmussen Secretary: Becky Martin

Contractor: Newman Rodeo Company

Contestants: 302

Bareback Bronc Riding (11)

Dusty Solomon, Havre, 75, \$440.64;
 Robert Schall, Arlee, 74, \$336.96;
 Zane Solomon, Havre, 73, \$259.20;
 Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 72, \$168.48;
 Joe Demers, Clancy, 71, \$90.72

Rookie Bareback Bronc Riding (12)

1/2. Jeremy Jones, Great Falls, 64, \$94.08; 1/2. Tony Nordahl, Helena, 64, \$94.08; 3. Darin Elmore, Park City, 62, \$53.76; 4. Troy Henderson, Lewistown, 56, \$26.88

Saddle Bronc Riding (20)

Joshua Reynolds, Goodwell, OK, 79, \$587.52; 2/3.
 Wyle Wells, Browning, 73, \$397.44; 2/3. Je Augare, Browning, 73, \$397.44; 4. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 71, \$224.64; 5. Scotty Augare, Browning, 70, \$60.48; 5.
 Phillip Whiteman, Lame Deer, 70, \$60.48

Bull Riding (26)

Daniel Wigert, Colstrip, 79, \$1,320;
 Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, 77, \$792;
 Leroy Cooper, Helena, 75, \$528;

Bull Riding Day Money

Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$192; Daniel Wigert, Colstrip, \$192; Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, \$240

Steer Wrestling (45)

1/2. Jesse Peterson, Dillon, 4.4, \$534.24; 1/2. Jeff Solomon, Havre, 4.4, \$534.24; 3/4. Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 4.6, \$332.64; 3/4. Robert Schall, Arlee, 4.6, \$332.64; 5. Jeremy Marn, Belt, 5.1, \$181.44; 6. Nick Stubblefield, Deer Lodge, 5.3, \$100.80

Calf Roping (30)

 Gary Woodworth, Shepherd, 9.4, \$489.60; 2. Britt Givens, Riverton, WY, 9.6, \$374.40; 3. Lyle Baumann, Hardin, 10.0, \$288; 4. Chris Witcher, Miles City, 10.6, \$187.20; 5. Bill Boyce, Lewistown, 11.3, \$100.80

Team Roping (23)

 Jay Murnion, Jordan and Philip Fleming, Broadus, 7.1, \$349.25 ea.;
 Robert Schall, Arlee and Bruce Knight, Plains, 7.4, \$267.07 ea.;
 Dennis Tryan, Huntley and Clay Tryan, Huntley, 7.6, \$205.44 ea.;
 Jason Handy, Billings and Britt Givens, Riverton, WY, 7.8, \$133.54 ea.;
 Matt C. Miller, Absarokee and Bert Vermandel, Billings, 8.7, \$71.90 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (31)

Nikki Lafrance, Huntley, 15.83, \$535.30; 2/3.
 Charlene Murphy, Billings, 16.05, \$362.11; 2/3.
 Monica Gruel, Great Falls, 16.05, \$362.11; 4. Holly
 Cook, Power, 16.08, \$204.67; 5. Carrie Smith, Deer
 Lodge, 16.19, \$110.21

Ladies Breakaway Roping (31)

 Jill Worthen, Dubois, ID, 2.4, \$535.30; 2/3. Kristen Burns, Terreton, ID, 2.8, \$362.11; 2/3. Kayleen Hougen, Melstone, 2.8, \$362.11; 4. Karen Miller, Absaroke, 3.1, \$204.67; 5. Sally J. Mosby, Bozeman, 3.4, \$110.21

Junior Barrel Racing (25)

1. Tommy Camp, Condon, 16.27, \$118.32; 2. Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 16.41, \$97.92; 3. Colt Tew, Belgrade, 16.49, \$77.52; 4. Olivia Lee, Billings, 16.71, \$57.12; 5. Tierani Brusett, Brusett, 16.76, \$28.56; 6. Milee Malone, Livingston, 16.76, \$28.56

Junior Breakaway Roping (29)

1. Bo Skelton, Sun River, 4.1, \$135.02; 2. Sarah Clegg, Stevensville, 4.2, \$111.74; 3. Cleve Fuller, Augusta, 4.4, \$88.46; 4. Milee Malone, Livingston, 4.8, \$65.18; 5. Zane Hollenbeck, Molt, 6.4, \$41.90; 6. Kaycee Greany, Helena, 7.1, \$23.28

St. Ignatius Rodeo St. Ignatius, Mt September 6 & 7

Judges: Don Evans and Brent Powell Timers: Debbie O'Hern and Stephanie Hendrickson Bullfighter: Wayne Britton Pickupmen: Deb Espinosa and R.T. Hendrickson

Announcer: Joe Warner
Secretary: Penny O'Hem

Contractor: Gardner Rodeo Company Contestants: 164

Bareback Bronc Riding (12)

Darryl Lamb, Absarokee, 77, \$247.68;
 Robert Schall, Arlee, 73, \$185.76;
 Heath Lafromboise, Helena, 72, \$123.84;
 Joe Demers, Clancy, 71, \$61.92

Saddle Bronc Riding (12)

 Shane Moran, Dillon, 74, \$247.68; 2/3. Kent Robbins, Dillon, 71, \$154.80; 2/3. Joe Reynolds, Corvallis, 71, \$154.80; 4. Bryan Martineau, Corvallis, 67, \$61.92

Bull Riding (20)

Leroy Cooper, Helena, 80, \$355.20; 2. Stewart Schall, Rigby, ID, 77, \$266.40; 3/4/5. Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, 73, \$88.80; 3/4/5. Jeffrey Mam, Belt, 73, \$88.80; 3/4/5. Scott Crump, St Ignatius, 73, \$88.80;

Bull Riding Day Money

Scott Crump, St Ignatius, \$108; Rick Wock, Butte, \$108; Leroy Cooper, Helena, \$37.71; Jeffrey Marn, Belt, \$37.71; Kelly Crystal, Rigby, ID, \$37.71; Bob Voegel, Dillon, \$37.71; Keith Bushnell, Helena, \$37.71; Phillip Hofer, Cut Bank, \$37.71

Steer Wrestling (26)

 Jim Garrison, Glen, 4.6, \$370.46;
 Jeff Solomon, Havre, 5.8, \$283.30;
 3/4. Steve Blixt, Helena, 5.9, \$179.79;
 3/4. Pete Petersen, Dillon, 5.9, \$179.79;
 Jesse Peterson, Dillon, 6.3, \$76.27

Calf Roping (12)

1. Jim Bode Scott, Billings, 9.6, \$247.68; 2. Scott Meallister, Polson, 13.0, \$185.76; 3. Robbie Kountz, Bozeman, 17.0, \$123.84; 4. Bryant Mikkelson, Buffalo, 18.5, \$61.92

Team Roping (10)

1. Robert Schall, Arlee and Mike Williams, Florence, 13.6, \$222 ea.; 2. Bill Powell, Babb and Dan Bird, Cut Bank, 14.1, \$133.20 ea.; 3. Bruce Knight, Plains and Scott Meallister, Polson, 14.7, \$88.80 ea.

Ladies Barrel Racing (18)

Charlene Murphy, Billings, 16.47, \$328.32;
 Lisa Scheffer, Hamilton, 16.93, \$246.24;
 Tarrah Berger, Florence, 17.04, \$164.16;
 Mary Salmond, Choteau, 17.08, \$82.08

Ladies Breakaway Roping (22)

Mary Salmond, Choteau, 2.5, \$382.08;
 Kristen Burns, Terreton, ID, 2.7, \$286.56;
 Nacona Pauley,

Miles City, 3.3, \$191.04; 4. Pam Schall, Arlee, 3.6, \$95.52

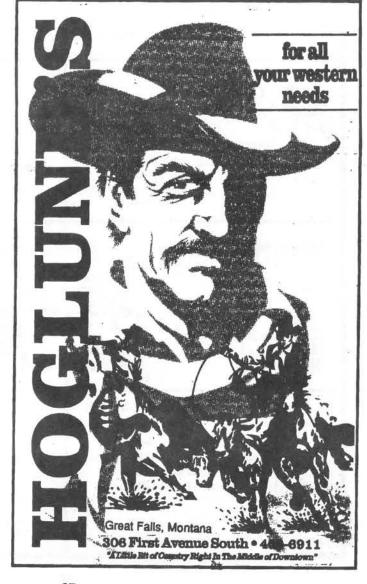
Junior Barrel Racing (16)

Lacy Fleharty, Grass Range, 16.99, \$111.36;
 Tommy Camp, Condon, 17.04, \$83.52;
 Kila Rae Harbour, Ovando, 17.09, \$55.68;
 Kaycee Greany, Helena, 17.31, \$27.84

Junior Breakaway Roping (15)

1/2. Matt Robertson, Augusta, 4.5, \$92.40; 1/2. Sarah Clegg, Stevensville, 4.5, \$92.40; 3. Tommy Camp, Condon, 4.6, \$52.80; 4. Bobbie Robertson, Augusta, 4.9, \$26.40

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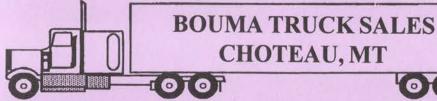
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