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What do breakaway ropers do with their hands?

by Karen Miller
Contributing writer

Breakaway roping is like no other rodeo event in that it causes problems for the roper when the calf is caught.

The roper has absolutely nothing to do with her hands! In every other event, the contestant has lots of things to do with his or her hands, but not in breakaway roping. For example: all of the rough stock riders can keep their hands busy dusting off the dirt, scraping off the mud, holding their sore spots or merely undoing their chaps as they strut back to the chutes.

No problem for the barrel racers - - they're long gone outside of the arena pulling "whoa back" on those runaway horses.

Bull doggers have lots of dirt to shake out of various parts of their clothing as they are greeted by their fellow bull doggers saying things like, "Man, what a steer!" and "He really didn't take it too good did he!?" or "You turfed him."

I'm certain that heelers must practice their funny little shoulder drop or the well-known grimace (depending on whether they get two feet or not) as their cute

little horses shudder and wait for their impending fate.

Headers have lots of things to do: coil their rope (if they have missed), train their horses as they follow the steer out or train the steer as the horse wonders if he was in proper position.

Calf ropers have so much paraphernalia with pigging strings, jerk lines, etc., that they take forever getting out of the arena as it is.

Problems when the calf is caught!

But the poor breakaway ropers. They have nothing to do with their hands after the rope breaks away. Consequently, some ropers have an urge to pick up their nose, or they have a predisposition to at least check it.

I think it was Janie Carlson who started the whirl-around-to-see-if-you-broke-out technique. Deb Haugland, Lisa Mainey, Nancy Petersen, Tammy Jo Risa, Joyce Ayre, Teresa Murnion and many others followed suit.

Some have even gone so far as to nervously adjust bra straps

- - but those are usually the ropers who are married to bull riders.

Cinde Barthelmess has a unique little wave to the sky after she throws her slack that takes up some time until she gets out of the arena.

Some ropers are into petting their horses after they rope. Not necessarily because they are so very fond of the beast, but because it is something very handy to do with the hand that has been so busy.

The ropers from the Dakota have a tendency to put their hand on the cantle. What that originates from, I don't know, but they also have the word "Crimoney" in their vocabulary. The three sisters, Bunny Bail, Deb Burghduff and Alice Burman, as well as newly Dakotitized, Kelly Gorrell, drift toward these two peculiarities.

What to do with the roping hand is a dilemma that breakaway ropers love though. The alternative means the rope did not break away. It means the calf was not caught. It means that the roper has to give that famous, furious jerk to break the string to try to get rid of the frustration of a no time.

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AUGUST 5, 6, SUPERIOR LIONS CLUB RODEO, SUPERIOR.

AUGUST 11, 12, HILL COUNTY FAIR, HAVRE.

AUGUST 17, 18, 19, MONTANA FAIR, BILLINGS.

AUGUST 16, SHERIDAN SADDLE CLUB RODEO, PLENTYWOOD.

AUGUST 18, 19, 20, FALLON COUNTY FAIR RODEO, BAKER.

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SEPTEMBER 3, 4, MEAGHER COUNTY RODEO CLUB RODEO, WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS.

SEPTEMBER 8, 9, 10, MISSOURI VALLEY FAIR AND RODEO, BISMARCK, N. D.

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All the News that is news in the NRA

Hartford offers NRA exclusive policy for horses

Hartford Insurance is offering an exclusive benefit to Northern Rodeo Association members.

Jeff Diercks, special agent for Hartford's livestock office in Billings said the company has just approved the Hartford Blue Ribbon Mortality program - a horse mortality insurance.

This is a death mortality policy including transportation and theft, Diercks told the NRA News. "This is a death-only policy," he said. However the horse is covered if the vet recommends the animal be "put down."

The cost is 3.9 percent of the purchase price of the horse up to \$15,000 for geldings and \$25,000 for mares and studs. "This is a very good rate. Most policies are 5 percent," he said.

Diercks said if the owner feels they have increased the value of the animal since the purchase, "we'll take that into consideration" and may increase coverage.

Vet inspection is required on the application. Registration papers are also needed, if the horse is registered.

"As soon as we have a vet check and those papers, we can bind coverage on the animals," Diercks said.

Hartford writes policies for most the major Thoroughbred Farms and on many Quarter horses, Diercks said. The insurance is available through any Hartford agent. For more information contact Diercks at his PAYS office, 252-0678.

Lost in Harlowton

Silver spurs with initials HH on side. \$50 reward offered for return. No questions asked. Sentimental value to owner. Please call 689-3183 or contact the NRA office.

Challenges NRA members

If you're killing time before the Lewistown rodeo, the committee is looking for you! Larry Savage says they're planning a businessman's rodeo prior to the NRA performance and they're challenging the association to put together a winning team.

It's not your usual rodeo events, of course.

The five events include wild cow milking, wild horse race, a rescue race, a hide race, and a dress race. The first three events are self-explanatory.

The last two go like this: The dress race is where a two-member team splits, one member on each end of the arena. A horse and bag of clothes consisting of dress, panties, bra, hat and purse wait for the first team member. He or she dresses, gets on the horse and rides to the partner. There the first rider strips down and the second partner dresses and races back to the starting line.

The hide race is where the one horseback member pulls a hog hide while another member rides across the finish line.

Thursday and Friday evening performances of the businessman rodeo begin at 6 - 6:15. Saturday's rodeo starts at noon and is a short go. The top three teams in the first two perfs will be brought to the Saturday rodeo!

There's cash for the winners. \$100 goes to first place in each of the five events; \$60 for second; \$40 for third.

Savage says the Dairy Queen is donating hard luck coupons and Toomey's Saddlery has donated a Centennial buckle to one of the winners!

Savage says every businessman in town is participating, even the bankers are entered. He notes, however, the most challenging team signed up is an all women's businessmen's team!

Anyone wanting to enter or wanting more info can contact Larry Savage at 538-2740.

Rennaker and Haugland win Miller roping

Shelly Rennaker won the breakaway roping held in Absarokee during the Broken Horn Stampede. The event sponsored by UpFront Feed and Supply of Columbus and Ed and Karen Miller hosted 30 cowgirls in the roping, nine in the barrel racing.

Shelly had 10.4 on three head and won \$266.80;

splitting second and third was Kristi Hershrud and Janie Carlson with 12.4, and winning \$200. Nancy Petersen and Deb Haugland split the last check each roping two calves in 6.6 for a \$66.70 win each.

Barrel racing was won by Deb Haugland. With \$50 added by the Millers, Deb Haugland pocketed \$94.80 for the day's fast time of 15.80. Mary Salmond was second with 15.84 and she won 63.20.

Go for the Gold

Superior Lions Club Rodeo reminds everyone of their Go for the Gold promotion which gives an ounce of gold to the first man or woman to win the all around three times - - that's an ounce of gold for each of those three years.

First year winner in 1988 was Dan Cross and you can bet he'll be watching that title again in 1989.

Roger Brockway says the wins do not have to be consecutive wins!

Queen contestants sought

Miss Rodeo Montana annual queen contest invites woman to participate in the annual contest during the Dillon rodeo in September.

Interested women need to hold a local queen title in Montana, must be 18-years old, and have never been married or have children, Lott said.

If you're interested, contact Michelle Lott, co-chairman of Miss Rodeo Montana at 683-2748.

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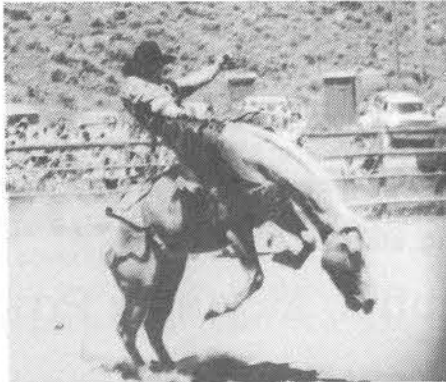
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Happy Trails

Breakaway roper **Mandy Kelly** and her bronc riding husband **Wayne Kelly** welcomed Tanner Jordan, a 7 lb. 9 oz. June 2 son. He joins Bridgett and Tyler at the Kelly home in Stanford.

Mandy writes a note to the NRA this month thanking the association for the NRA T-Shirt for young Tanner. You are welcome Mandy, and you are welcome to the NRA world, Tanner!
Jennie Locke married **T.J.**



Jacobs Livestock Rodeo provided wild action and good rodeo entertainment at the Upper Yellowstone Roundup Association Rodeo in Gardiner. Mary Hill captured this photo for the News.

Spratt in a June 24 ceremony in Miles City. The two NRA card holding members will make their home in Lost Cabin, Wyo.

Robyn Darvis is thrilled with **Steve Cutler's** win in Absarokee. The NRA bareback rider spent his winnings on a diamond for the pretty breakaway roper from Bozeman. Cutler says, "If they'd moved me up a notch, the ring would be bigger!" Robyn just pleased he placed!

Lane Yeager was recently featured in another Montana news publication. The ever-popular, ever-glib Yeager was asked by Agri-News: June is dairy month, What is your favorite dairy product?

He said:



Lane Yeager, Choteau: "Sure as hell not yogurt. It's them little ice cream sandwiches."

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From our mailbag

Dear NRA Barrel Racers and officials;
I am writing in regard to the lack of use of the electric timer at the Forsyth NRA Rodeo.

Everyone knows that no flagman can be as accurate as a timer -- why else would the association purchase and carry one with them? Also the association charges a timer fee -- we all paid, but no timer was used the first performance.

I think whoever collects the timer charge should certainly be responsible for having that timer set up for every performance, the girls in that performance should have their fees applied to their percentage of the purse (3 perf's at Forsyth, including slack, therefore, 1/3 of the purse) and pay it as a separate rodeo; or the whole rodeo should continue as it was begun with a flagman.

I think the girls who are concerned with this should call or write Betsy Evans, who is their director and let her know how they feel about this and a rule should be made about a circumstance like this. It what happened at Forsyth and will probably happen again.

Regardless of which performance you were up this time, the situation could be different next time. If the girls are responsible for setting up the time, it would be good business to tell them so. All of us are no acquainted with your unwritten rules.

Sincerely;
Lila Glade
Terry, Montana

Dear NRA;
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Where all the champions gone?

"To make the worst horses look good and the good horse look even better," was Pat Howey's prescription to place in the saddle bronc riding. It was a winning formula in 1967 when Howey was the Montana Rodeo Association saddle bronc riding champion.

The former bronc rider likes to talk about the days of riding bucking horses. When he was 15 years old he entered the Wilsall rodeo and continued riding broncs for the next 25 years.

Howey's bronc riding skills were taught to him by Bob Shellhammer, of Billings. "I lived with him from the time I was 11 until I was 25 years old," he says. "He taught me most everything about rodeoing."

Howey rodeoed in the MRA and NRA for a few years but as soon as he won the championship he was PRCA-bound.

His favorite rodeo was always the Diamond Spur in Spokane. It was the first rodeo he entered every the spring.

He fondly recalls going to Calgary for 10 years



Pat Howey on Linger's Curly Wolf at Augusta in 1984.

in a row, from 1966-1976. His first year there, the saddle bronc riding offered six head. Howey won second in the average but he won first in five goes. (He was disqualified on one horse.)

"I always won something in Calgary," he says.

His first year in the RCA, Howey hit the winter rodeos and drew 16 NFR horses. His favorite was Kesler's Quick Silver which took him to the pay window in Fort Worth in 1968.

He recalls coming off Descent at the whistle in Sidney, Iowa. "He wasn't rode yet, and I wanted to ride him pretty bad."

In the MRA, it was Mike Quinn's horses that Howey remembers. "Buttons" was a big brown gelding with two white sock. "He threw a lot of guys off but he fit me pretty good," Pat remembers. "He kicked like Trails End. I could hear his hocks crackle behind my head when he bucked."

Howey wasn't worried about the number of rodeos he could place at. "I never did travel hard," he says. "The Diamond Spur was my first rodeo every year and I quit after Dillon on Labor Day.

"I made a few extra bucks to use to feed my family," he recalls. "One year I went to 32 rodeos and placed at 26 or 27."

Howey, now of Bridger, reflects that he thinks about retirement and then again he thinks he might try it again. "I keep thinking, I might crack out. If I hadn't sold my saddle, I might crack out." Dan Mortensen now owns the Severe saddle Howey rode.

For Howey riding broncs may just remain a good memory. "I was always glad to be there. I liked to ride broncs. It didn't matter if you win or lose, it was always a thrill to ride."

Today, a part of Howey's shadow still graces the arena. His son Nye is competing in the junior roping events and younger sons Anders and Shay are in the wings.

Today, the 43-year-old drives truck for Steve Nelson Trucking saying, "Desperate men do desperate deeds."

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NRA Rodeo Results

**Broken Horn Stampede
Absarokee, Montana
June 9, 10, 11
Stock contractor: Small Rodeo Company
Judges: Duane Lenning and Butch Bratsky
Timer: Vicki Hedrick and Tootie Rasmussen
Rodeo Secretary: Jann Parker
Bullfighter: Chuck Schuman
Pickupmen: Josh Hedrick and Dick Bassett
414 entries
Total Payoff: \$16,630
BAREBACK (23) : Jesse Beardsley, Forsyth, 79, 437.86; Steve Cutler, Lewistown, 319.52; tie: Kim Harris, Conrad, and Lane Yeager, Choteau, 72, 171.60; Shawn Paulson, Boze-**

**man, 71.
SADDLE BRONC (19) : Dan Mortensen, Billings, 78, 380.43; tie, Jim Walker, Lovell, and Kent Robbins, Corvallis, 77, 236.49; Butch Reynolds, Corvallis, 70, 102.82; Wayne Kelly, Stanford, 68, 71.97.
BULL RIDING: (45) : Friday Day Money: 55.42, Butch McAllister, Tim Stevenson, Marc Murfitt, Shannon Wortman, Pat Goyins, Dave Plummer, Monte Finn. Saturday Day money, 14 bucked off, ground money split; Sunday Day money (3) : \$121.25; Joe Hedges, Rob O'Masters, Jerry Farwell.
Average: Joe Hedges, and Pat Goyins, Polson, 74, 582; Marc Murfitt, Helena, 71, 345.56; Tim**

**Stevenson, Miles City, 70, 181.88; tie, Monte Finn, Big Timber, and Rob O'Masters, Ronan, 69, 63.66.
STEER WRESTLING (40): Ray Stoos, Geraldine, 3.8, 681.91; K.C. Murphy, Bozeman, 3.9, 497.61; Gary Zipperian, Clancy, 4., 350.17; Del Nose, Cody, 4.1, 184.30; Pete Peterson, Helena, 4.3, 129.01.
CALF ROPING (42): Rusty Sewalt, Del Rio, Texas, 8.5, 710.62; Lyle Baumann, Hardin, 9.1, 518.56; tie, Laramie Baumann, Hardin, Chris Mathison, Miles City, 9.2, 278.49; tie, Mike Collins, Dillon and Jason Hershberger, Peoriz, Az, 9.6, 67.22.
TEAM ROPING (48): Jason and Jordan Handy, Scobey, 5.7,**

**682.69; Mark and Mary Salmond, 6.1, 522.09; tie, K.C. Murphy, Bozeman and Frank Billy, Havre and Bill Parker, Huntley, and Dennis Tryan, Shepherd, 6.5, 281.11; Larry Steele, Malta and Clinton Cox, Whitewater, 6.7, 140.55; tie, Jack Witcher and Chris Mathison, Miles City, and Kelly Gorrell, Beach, and Flint Fleming, Miles City, and Rick Tryan, Helena and Shawn Steinbach, Wolf Creek, 6.8, 33.47.
LADIES BARREL RACING (25): Lisa Schillinger, Wolf Point, 15.23, 466.57; Mary Salmond, Choteau, 15.42, 340.47; tie, Phyllis Brosz, Shepherd, and Tammy Evans, Biddle, 15.45, 182.85, Betsy Evans, Glendive, 15.48, 88.27.
LADIES BREAKAWAY ROPING (53): Stacey Baumann, Hardin, 2.3, 798.12; Missy Eva, Helena, 2.6, 610.32; tie, Cinde Barthelme, Lincoln and Janie Carlson, Two Dot, 2.8, 328.64; tie, Deanna Garrison, Glen, Mary Salmond, Choteau and Cheri DeCock, Forsyth, 2.9, 93.90.
JUNIOR BARRELS (13): Cody Smith, Deer Lodge, 15.75, 170; Trista Taylor, Miles City, 15.91, 127.50; Mandy Holland, Dillon, 15.95, 85; Kayla Else, Dillon, 16.41, 42.50.
JUNIOR BREAKAWAY (10): Brett Fleming, Ismay, 4.6, 140; Ryan Counts, Pray, 6.1, 105; Derrick Fleming, Ismay, 9.3, 70; T. J. Clark, Powell, 9.6, 35.**

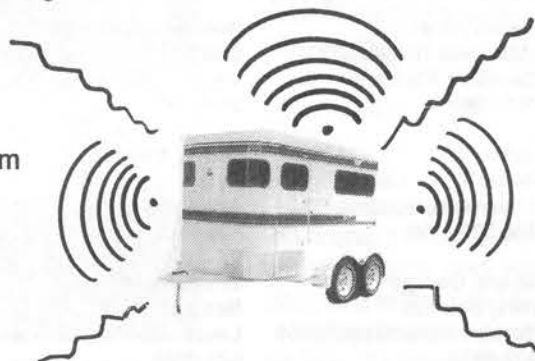
**Bull Fighter: Timber Tuckness
Pickupmen: Dick Bassett and Josh Hedricks
Timers: Charyl Cotant and Arlene Haugland
Rodeo Secretary: Myrtle Woosley
304 entries
BAREBACK (19) : Jesse Beardsley, Miles City, 76, \$292.82; Scott Schall, Arlee, 75, 222.62; Steve Cutler, Lewistown, 73, 148.41; Cory Koenig, Bozeman, 72, 74.20.
SADDLE BRONC (22): Dave Cleland, Cranbrook, B.C., 76, \$356.96; Kent Robbins, Corvallis, 74, 267.72; Split, Keith Tribe, Hamilton, Warren Anders, Greybull, and Jerry Kawaski, Bozeman, 69, 89.24.
CALF ROPING (34) : Jerry Small, Birney, 10., \$462.98; Charlie Briggs, Gallatin Gateway, 10.2, \$337.85; Jim Howell, Powderville, 10.8, 237.75; Jason Evans, Biddle, 11., 125.13; Spike Guardipee, Browning, 11.1, 87.59.
BREAKAWAY ROPING (43): Cinde Barthelme, Lincoln, 2.8, \$576.03; Shelli Rennaker, Hamilton, 2.1, \$420.35; Stacey Baumann, Hardin, 3.4, 295.80; Francie Caufield, Park City, 3.7, 155.69; Julie Corrigan, Laoyor, Texas, 3.9, 108.98.
STEER WRESTLING (34): Bob Schall, Arlee, 4.2, \$462.98; Jesse Peterson, Dillon, 4.4, \$337.85; Rob Kountz, Bozeman, 4.6, \$237.75; Nick Econom, Winifred, 5.3, 125.13; Ray Stoos, Geraldine, 87.59.
BARREL RACING (25): Nancy Peterson, Three Forks, 17.62, \$3789.30; Deb Hougland, Helena, 17.67, 283.73; Trista Taylor, Miles City, 17.89, 189.15; Marie Eblen, Belgrade, 18.02, 94.57.
TEAM ROPING (36): Scott and**

**George Eichhorn, Helena, 6.6, 534.76; Phillip Fleming, Ismay, and Enoch Schaffer, Broadus, 6.9, \$390.23; K.C. Murphy and Frank Billy, Bozeman, 7.3, 274.61, Fred Ennist, Miles City and Doug Lind, 7.4, 144.53; Sam Bird, Cutbank and Dick Powell, Bozeman, 7.6, \$101.17.
BULL RIDING (36): Saturday day money: \$97; Gary Reiser, Mike Asay, Jerry Whitely, Rob O'Masters, Phil Mainey
Sunday Day Money: \$129.33, Dan Mortensen, Dan Wigert, Bruce Hoelscher
Average: split, Gary Rieser, Bozeman and Dan Mortensen, Billing, 75, \$339.50; Mike Asay, Deer Lodge, 74, 194; split, Jerry Whitely, Bilings and Dan Wigert, Colstrip, 68, 48.50.
JUNIOR BREAKAWAY: Derrick Fleming, Ismay, 4.3, \$46; Brad Robinson, Willow Creek, 4.9, \$34.50; Brett Fleming, Ismay, 6.6, 23; and Ryan Counts, Pray, 9.6, \$14.
JUNIOR BARREL RACING: Mandy Holland, Dillon, 17.96, \$50; Carrie Smith, Deer Lodge, 18.18, \$37.50; Kelly Porter, Helena, 18.79, \$25; Cody Lynn Smith, Deer Lodge, 18.86, 12.50.
LOCAL JUNIOR BARRELS: Michelle Vanek, 24.05, \$20.50; Holly Woosley, 26.94, \$20.50.**

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**Wilsall Rodeo Association
Rodeo
Wilsall
June 24, 25
Stock Contractor: Small Rodeo Company
Judges: Rodger Nordahl and John Wrzenski**

**NRA OFFICE
Number is
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Upper Yellowstone Roundup Rodeo Association Rodeo Gardiner

June 24, 25

Stock Contractor: Jacobs Livestock Rodeo

Judges: Bob Gravely and Ed Miller

Bull fighter: Mad Max

Pickupmen: Ed Saloman and Dick Lyman

Announcer: Will Rasmussen Rodeo Secretary: Terri Jo Lyman

218 entries

BAREBACK RIDING (17): split, Steve Cutler and Jesse Beardsley, 74, 235.59; Kim Harris, 72, 134.83; split, Lane Yeager and Keith Blewett, 71, 33.70.

SADDLE BRONC RIDING (16): Wayne Kelly, 71, 256.08; Dan Mortensen, 68, 192.06; Warren Anders, 66, 128.04; Ryan Mapston, 64, 64.02.

BULL RIDING (37) : Saturday day money: \$56.68: Ed Wells, Tim Stevenson, Rob O'Masters, Randy Schroth, Dan Mortensen, Mike Asay, Dan Weigert, Phil Mainey, Phil Caines.

Sunday day money: \$77.60, Stewart Schall, Dan Stafford, Monte Finn, Jerry Whitley, Shane Mathis

Average: Phil Mainey, 76, 397.70; Dan Mortensen, 74, 298.27; Stewart Schall and Monte Finn, 71, 149.13.

STEER WRESTLING (18): Rob Kountz, 4.7, 283.24; Jesse Peterson, 5.5, 212.43; Dan Cross, 5.7, 141.62; Steve Mergenthaler, 7.2, 70.80.

CALF ROPING (28): Chris Mathison, 9.9, 387.61, Jerry Small, 10.2, 282.85; Mark Salmond, 11.6, 199.04; K.C. Murphy, 11.7, 104.76, Mark Ellis, 12.7, 73.33.

TEAM ROPING (26): Bob Schall

and Bobby Herman, 7.6, 372.48; Tom Holland and Jim Tenney, 9.2, 279.36; Shawn Steinbach and Rick Tryan, 12.2, 180.24; Will McBride and Dan Simonson, 13.0, 93.12.

LADIES BARREL RACING (16): Mary Salmond, 15.78, 256.08; Phyllis Brosz, 15.87, 192.06, Roxie Tew, 15.92, 128.04; Marie Eblen, 16.18, 64.02.

BREAKAWAY ROPING (34): Missy Eva, 2.6, 462.98; Nancy Peterson, 2.8, 337.85; split, Deb Haugland, and Marla Jeffers, 3.2, 181.44; Sherri Hargrove, 3.4, 87.59.

ENNIS RODEO ASSOCIATION RODEO

JULY 4

Stock Contractor: Rocky Mountain Rodel Company

Secretary: Jill Carpenter

Judges: Duane Lenning and Butch Bratsky

(Following results are from the Billings Gazette. Official results were not in NRA office at presstime.)

BAREBACK: Delbert Moore, 73, \$370.54; Greg Jambor, 72, 277.91; Ben Wrzensinski, 71, 185.27; Justin Beasley, 68, 92.64.

SADDLE BRONC: Dave Cleland, 74, 459.39; Keith Tribe, 72, 335.23; tie, Wayne Kelly, 70, Jim Walker, 69, 235.90; split, Cleo Boyce, Dan Mortensen, Troy Kluesener, 68, 28.97.

BULL RIDING: Phil Mainey, 78, \$550.91; tie, Jerry Whitely and Stewart Schall, 72, 342.46; tie, Phil Caines and Shannon Wortman, 70, 126.57.

STEER WRESTLING: Shawn Gleason, 4.8, 687.29; Spike Guardipee, 5.11, 501.54; John Gee, 5.3, 352.93; Charlie Briggs, 4.2; 185.76; tie, Wayne Else and K.C. Murphy, 65.02.

CALF ROPING: Mike Collins,

11.3, 750.30; K.C. Murphy, 11.8, 573.76; Rob Kountz, 12.8, 397.22; Tie, Lyle Cochran and Cal Stucky, 13.5, 187.57; tie, Rod Brosz and Mark Cain, 13.6, 55.17.

TEAM ROPING: Rob Kountz and Charlie Briggs and Chuck Fields and Gary Woodworth, 7.6, 715.14; Richard Carpenter and Corey Mytty, 7.7., \$429.08; Tell and Ty Steinbach, 7.9, 238.88, Jody Wacker and Ty Yost, 8.2, 166.86; Lyle Cochran and Shane Schwenke, 8.3, 119.19.

BARREL RACING: Deb Haugland, 16.62, 644.23; Wendy Kaufman, 16.77, 470.11, Marie Eblen, 16.71, 330.82; Betty Steele, 16.74, 174.12; Lily Brown, 16.84, 1211.88.

BREAKAWAY ROPING: Julie Corrigan, 3.5, 737.10; Stacey Baumann, 3.9, 563.67; Mary Goyins, 4.1, 390.23; tie, Missy Eva and Nancy Petersen, 4.2, 184.28; and Angela Paliskis, 4.6, 108.40.

JUNIOR BARRELS: Trista Taylor, 16.91, \$136; Minda Kneidler, 116.98, 102; Teresa Wolff, 17.22, 68; Mandi Holland, 17.23, 34.

JUNIOR BREAKAWAY: Brett Fleming, 2.5, 106; Jim Cole, 4.4, 79.50; Trista Taylor, 5.3, 53; Brad Robinson, 26.50.

CHOTEAU AMERICAN LEGION RODEO, CHOTEAU

July 4

Stock Contractor: Jacobs Livestock

Rodeo Secretary: Terry Jo Lyman

(Following results are from the Billings Gazette. Official results were not in NRA office at presstime.)

CALF ROPING: Lyle Baumann, 9.3, 279.36; tie, Spike Guar-

dipee and Cal Stucky, 9.5, 174.60; Bill Boyce, 9.6, 69.84.

BAREBACK RIDING: Lane Yeager, 73, 418.12; Rod Stirling, Shelby, 71, 305.13; Bruce Pierson, 70, 214.71; Mark Murfitt, 69, 113.; Steve Brochus, 68, 79.10.

SADDLE BRONC RIDING: Keith Tribe, 74, 443.24; split, Brian Bell and Derek Ballard, 72, 275.53; Paul Bland, 69, 118.79; tie, Shawn Henry, and Butch Reynolds, 64, 41.93.

TEAM ROPING: Mike Loring and Ken Augere, 6.4, 302.64; Spike Guardipee and Ted Hoyt, 7.5, 226.98, Rob Kountz and Charlie Briggs, 7.7, 151.32; Tell and Ty Steinbach, Wolf Creek, 75.66.

STEER WRESTLING: Gary Zipperian, 4.7, 471.95; tie, Steve Blixt and Jay Keubler, 5.1, 293.97; Spike Guardipee, 5.6, 127.55, Alan Haugen, 5.7, 89.29.

BULL RIDING: Dan Plummer, 79, 647.81; Phil Mainey, 73, 472.73; Chad Onstad, 72, 332.66; split, Marc Murfitt, Gary Riser, Doug Granthum, and Craig Fulmer, 71, \$74.81.

BREAKAWAY: Mary Salmond, Choteau, 3., 337.65; tie, Mary Hill and Shelli Rennaker, 3.2, 21110.97; Angela Paliskis, 3.5, 84.39.

BARREL RACING: Betty Steele, 17.45, 371.66, Cinde Barthelmess, Lincoln, 17.68, 271.07; tie, Mary Salmond, and Tara Clark, 17.71, 235.57; Lisa Schillinger, 17.98, 70.28.

MUSSELSHELL VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE RODEO

ROUNDUP

JULY 4

Rodeo Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company, Larry Wirtz Rodeo Secretary: Bunky Wirtz

Rodeo Judges: Ed Miller and John Hill

(Following results are from the Billings Gazette. Official results were not in NRA office at presstime.)

BAREBACK: Scott Schall, 72, 259.66; Justin Beasley, 71, 202.24; Greg Jambor, 68, 134.83, Kel Read, 66, 67.42.

SADDLE BRONC RIDING: Tie, Craig Miller, Kent Robbins, 66, 312.34, Jack Hinneland, 64, 178.48, Arnie Esp, 63, 89.24. **BULL RIDING:** Clint Ringler, 72, 271.60; Larry Cann, 69, 203.70; Tom Whiteley., Sambo McClain, 61, 101.85.

STEER WRESTLING: Bob Schall, 4.7, 265.78; Cleo Boyce, 5.7, 199.33, Eldon Faste, 6.3, Dan Larick, 7.7.

CALF ROPING: Chris Mathison, 9.9, 455.80; Jack Witcher, 10.7, 332.61; Brad Waldhauser, 11.4, 234.06; Vernon Small, 12., 123.19; Will McBrede, 12.5, 86.24.

TEAM ROPING: Tie, Flint Fleming and Jerry Small; Jack Shields and Rex Bohn, 7.4, 546.15; Bert Vermandel and Dan Eddleman, 7.8, 324.28; Mike Forest and Kenny Bensen, 7.9, 170.68; Chris Mathison and Jack Witcher, 8., 119.48.

BARREL RACING: Trista Taylor, Miles City, 17.14, 300.70; Barb Wagner, 17.20, 225.53; Wendy Kaufmann, 17.40, 150.35; Lisa Mainey, 17.56, 75.17.

BREAKAWAY ROPING: Rhonda Ragland, 3.4, 423.50; Jenni Kinney, 3.9, 309.04; Karen Miller, 4.2, 217.47; Marla Jeffers, 4.7, 114.76; Kristi Hersrud, 5.5, 80.15.

JUNIOR BARRELS: Trista Taylor, 16.96, \$36; Lazee Taylor, 17.87, 27; Jaylee Wacker, 19.36, 18; Kadi Clark, 23.29, 9.

JUNIOR BREAKAWAY: Jim Cole, 3.5, 52; Brett Fleming, 3.8, 39; Travis Clark, 4.4, 26; Ryan Ragland, 20.6, 13.

Big Timber Rodeo Promotion Association Rodeo

June 30, July 1

Stock Contractor: Jacob Livestock Rodeo

Judges: Skeeter Nordahl and Ed Miller

Announcer: Will Rasmussen Rodeo Secretary:

Timers: Teeter Jacobs and Judy Soloman

BAREBACK: Tommy Thompson, 79, 430.68; Tim Pankratz, 73, 314; Scott Schall, 72, 221.16; Lane Yeager, and Keith Ulery, 71, 98.94.

SADDLE BRONC: Dan Mortensen, 79, 473.74; Kent Robbins, 76, 345.70; Kirk Marchant, 73, 243.27; Dave Claypool, 71, 128.04; Arnie Esp, and Dean Clark, 69, 44.81.

BULL RIDING: Friday day money, 72.75; Dan Mortensen, Monte Finn, Chad Onstad, Shane Mathis, Dale Cahoy, Stewart Schall.

Saturday day money: 58.89; Marc Murfitt, Tim Stevenson, Jeff Jerrett, Jim Bushnell, Rob O'Masters, Clint Ringler and Gary Reiser.

Average: Dan Mortensen, 82, 511.43; Monte Finn and Clint Ringler, 79, 3117.91; Rob O'Masters, 78, 262.62; Chad Onstad and Shane Mathis, 71, 96.75.

STEER WRESTLING: John Hanson, 5.55, 778.32; Spike Guardipee and Charlie Briggs, 5.6, 503.62; Nick Econom, 6., 229.90; Rooster Reynolds, 6.1, 160.24; Todd Turner, 6.7, 114.46.

CALF ROPING: Jim Bode Scott, 9.9, 754.94; Brad Gleason, 10.2, 595.01; Bill Parker, 10.4, 198.08;

Brad Waldhauser, 10.9, 221.16;
Gary Woodward, 11.1, 154.81;
Dan Cross and Richard Car-
penter, 11.2, 110.58.

TEAM ROPING: Flint Fleming
and Jerry Small, 6.7, 956.42;
Murry Linthicum and Rocky
Dahlen, 7.7, 731.38; Mike
Collins and Max Moltich, 8.2,
506.34; Richard Carpenter and
Kori Mytty, 8.7, 281.30; Sam
Bird and Dick Powell, 9., 196.91;
Bob Schall and Bob Herman,
9.1, 140.65.

LADIES BARREL RACING:
Bunny Bail, 16.63, 699.17, Zana
Lytle, 16.78, 534.66, Deb
Haugland, 16.85, 370.17; Nancy
Petersen, 16.99, 205.64; Roxie
Tew, 17.03, 173.94; Susan
Holman, 17.04, 102.82.

BREAKAWAY: Tammy Jo Risa
and Shelli Rennaker, 3.4,
675.11, Julie Corrigan, 3.5,
405.01, Bunny Bail, 3.7, 225.04;
Kelly Gorrell, 3.8, 157.52;
Rhonda Ragland and Wendy
Kaufmann, 56.26.

JUNIOR BARRELS: Darcy
Murphy, 16.84, 124; Trista
Taylor, 17.20, 93; Tayvee Tay-
lor, 17.25, 62; Teresa Wolff,
17.26, 31.

JUNIOR BREAKAWAY: Brett
Fleming, 4.9, 132; Derrick Flem-
ing, 5.5, 99; Jennifer Eva, 6.7,
66; Teresa Wolff, 10.1, 32.

**HARLOWTON CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE RODEO**

JULY 3 and 4

**STOCK CONTRACTOR:
DALE SMALL**

**PICKUP MEN: Josh Hedrick
and Dick Bassett**

**Timers: Vicki Hedrick and
Peggy Bassett**

Bareback (19): Keith Ullery, 81,
398.38; Scott Schall, 290.71;
Justin Beasley and Steve Cul-
ter, 71, 156.12; Lane Yeager,
70, 75.37

SADDLE BRONC (22): Bill Th-
erault, 85, 441.14; Jim Walker,
77, 322.14; Cleo Boyce, 76,
226.69; Kent Robbins, 72,
119.31; Dan Mortensen, 71,
83.52.

BULL RIDING (32): Monday day
money, 242.50, Jim Gar
Tuesday day money: 106.70,
Ronnie Rossen, Casey Gar-
dener, Jerry Whitely, Tom
Whitely, Jeff Garrett.

AVERAGE: Tom Whitely, 76,
527.58; Jim Gar, 73, 384.99;
Jerry Whitely, 68, 270.92; Jeff
Jarrett, 65, 142.59; Ronnie
Rossen, 99.87.

STEER WRESTLING (49): Gary
Zipperian, 3.8, 687.63; Jerry
Small and Jesse Peterson, 4.2,
444.94; Dan Cross, 4.3, 202.25;
Charlie Briggs, 4.4, 141.57; Bob
Clark, 4.5, 101.12.

CALFROPING (49): T.J. Spratt,
9.8, 740.40; Dan Cross, 10.2,
566.19; Rod Brosz, 10.4,
391.98; Terry Davidson, 11.,
217.77, Charlie Briggs, 11.2,
152.44, Jason Evans and Spike
Guardipee, 11.5, 54.44.

TEAM ROPING (67): Jim and
Guy Howell, 7., 904.48; Dennis
Dahle and Vernon Small, 7.1,
691.66, Phil Luman and Bill
Spratt, 7.2, 478.84; Jay Kuebler
and Don Williams, 7.4, 266.02;
Bill Lynn and Les Craig, 7.6,
186.22; Chris Mathison and Jack
Witcher, 7.8, 133.01.

BARREL RACING (37): Nancy
Petersen, 17.71, 576.03; Mary
Salmund, 17.72, 420.35; Deb
Haugland, 17.87, 295.80; Zana
Lytle, 18.03, 155.69, Trista
Taylor and Cinde Barthelmess,
18.09, 54.49.

BREAKAWAY (55): Kelly Gor-
rell, 3.1, 766.79; Sherri Hargrove
and Jennie Kinney, 4., 496.16;
Kari Icenoggle, 4.4, 225.53;
Bunny Bail, 4.6, 157.87; Rhonda
Nevela, 4.7, 112.76.

JUNIOR BREAKAWAY (13):
Brad Robinson, 3.9, 76; Brett
Fleming, 4.1, 57; C.B. Wagner,
5.9, 38; Lance Schuchard, 6.7,
19.

JR. BARRELS (14): Teresa
Wolff, 18.28, 72; Mandi Holland,
18.31, 54; Trista Taylor, 18.04,
36; Cody Clark, 18.64, 18.

**1989
Northern Rodeo Association
Membership Application**

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STATEMENT AND RELEASE

This form must be completed, signed, notarized, and on file with Northern Rodeo Association, Inc. before applicant may be issued a membership card.

I, _____, represent to Northern Rodeo Association, Inc. that I am fully aware that participation in rodeo events may be hazardous; that I am familiar with rodeo stock, facilities, equipment, and procedures; that I am capable of determining for myself whether rodeo stock is suitable and rodeo facilities, equipment, and procedures are safe and proper; and that I will not participate in any rodeo approved by Northern Rodeo Assoc., Inc. without first determining for myself whether the stock is suitable and the facilities, equipment, and procedures are safe and proper.

I understand fully that Northern Rodeo Assoc., Inc. will rely upon these representatives in determining whether to accept me as a member.

I agree, in consideration for my acceptance as a member, to save Northern Rodeo Assoc., Inc. and its agents harmless in the event of any claim for injury to my person or property resulting from my participation in any rodeo event approved by Northern Rodeo Assoc., Inc. and I do by these present release and discharge Northern Rodeo Assoc., Inc. and its agents as well as the promoters, managers, employees, and helpers from any claim for injury to my person or property, past, present, or future, resulting from my participation in any such rodeo event.

I have carefully read the foregoing statement and release and I fully understand the effect of my signing it.

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

(Complete below if applicant is a minor under the law of the state of residence & High School Rodeo Assn. Members.)

I declare that I am one of the parents and natural guardians of the above named minor; that I have carefully read the foregoing statement and release; that I know the representations made are true; and that I agree to be bound by the terms of the statement and release both personally and as representative of the interests of the minor.

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ date of _____, 19 _____.

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3 White Sulphur Springs 1:30 pm	4 Labor Day White Sulphur Springs 1:30 pm Slack 8 am	5	6	7	8 Bismarck	9 Bismarck
10 Grandparents' Day	11	12	13	14	15 First Quarter	16
Bismarck	17 No News on TV	18	19	20	21 Full Moon	22 Autumn Begins
	24	25	26	27	28 Last Quarter	29 New Moon
						30 Rosh Hashanah

1989 APPROVED NRA RODEOS

READING RODEO LISTINGS

BB- Bareback Riding; SB - Saddle Bronc Riding; BR - Bull Riding; SW - Steer Wrestling; CR - Calf Roping; LBR - Ladies Barrel Racing; LBAR - Ladies Breakaway Roping; TR - Team Roping; JBR - Junior Barrel Racing; JBAR - Junior Breakaway Roping. EF - Entry Fee; EO - Entries Open. CB - Call Backs.

All bull riding entry fees will have an additional \$26 assessed. (\$25 for day money jackpot, \$1 for secretary.) Please refer to 1988 rule changes for complete information. All rodeos are trade-out rodeos unless otherwise indicated.

All rodeos accept permits unless otherwise indicated.

All team roping entry fees are per man unless otherwise indicated.

All rodeos in Montana unless otherwise indicated.

Enter all rodeos through Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205, unless otherwise indicated.

All rodeos impose a \$4 stock charge per event (\$2 per man in Team Roping), a \$3 central entry charge and a \$1 judges' fee per contestant except for junior events unless otherwise indicated. Junior Central Entry charge is \$1 per contestant.

MARIAS FAIR, SHELBY, JULY 21, 22. Performances at 8 p.m. on Friday, July 21 and Saturday July 22. Slack (if needed) is Friday July 21 after rodeo.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), LBAR @ \$200 w/ \$35 EF. BR @ \$200 w/ \$25. JBR, JBAR @ \$25 w/ \$10 EF. Stock charge on JBAR.

EO: Monday, July 17, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. CB: Tuesday, July 18, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m. Rodeo Secretary: Becky Tescher; Rodeo Contractor: Small Rodeo Company, Dale and Guy Small

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

CENTRAL MONTANA FAIR, HORSE SHOW AND RODEO, LEWISTOWN, July 27, 28, 29.

Performances at 8 p.m. on Thursday July 27, at 8 p.m. on Friday July 28 and at 2 p.m. on Saturday July 29. Slack (if needed) is 8 a.m. on Saturday, July 29.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), @ \$350 w/ \$40 EF. BR @ \$350 w/ \$35. LBAR @ \$150 w/ \$35. JBR, JBAR @ \$50 w/ \$10 EF. Stock charge on JBAR.

EO: Monday, July 24, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. CB: Tuesday, July 25, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m. Rodeo Secretary: Becky Tescher; Rodeo Contractor: Small Rodeo Company, Dale and Guy Small

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

ST. ANTHONY PIONEER DAYS, ST. ANTHONY, IDAHO

CO-APPROVAL EIRA-NRA JULY 22 AND JULY 24

Performances at 8 p.m. on July 22 and July 24. Slack after the performance on July 22. EO: July 10, 6 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Drawouts the same day as entry, 8:30 a.m. to noon.

CB: Tuesday, July 11, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Entry Number: 208-356-0135

BB, SB, BR, CR, LBR, SW, LBAR, TR (Enter Twice), @ \$100 added with \$35 EF. Special events: Over 40 calf roping; \$35 Ef; Over 40 team roping, \$35 EF

Rodeo Secretary: Grace Hill, 624-7081

Call backs on stock draw Wednesday prior to performance, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

INGOMAR RODEO CLUB RODEO, INGOMAR, JULY 30

Performance at 1 p.m. on Sunday, July 30. Slack (if needed) at 9 a.m. July 30.

BB, SB @ \$100 w/ \$35 EF. BR @ \$100 w/ 25 EF. SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), LBAR @ \$75 w/ \$35 EF. JBR, JBAR @ \$25 w/ \$10 EF. Stock Charge on JBAR. Special events: Top

4 saddle bronc riders ride off for \$100 and jacket. Winner take all.

EO: Monday, July 24, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, July 25, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Rodeo Secretary: Alice Cameron. Rodeo Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

BROADWATER COUNTY FAIR AND RODEO, TOWNSEND, AUGUST 5, 6.

Performances at 4 p.m. Saturday August 5 and at 2 p.m. on Sunday August 6. Slack (if needed) is 8 a.m. on August 6.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, LBAR @ \$200 w/ \$40 EF. BR @ \$200 w/ \$25 EF. TR (per man) @ \$200 w/ \$35 EF. JBR and JBAR @ \$50 w/ \$10 EF. No stock charge on JBAR. Local entries from Broadwater county only.

EO: Monday, July 31, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, August 1, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Rodeo Secretary: Elaine Gravely. Stock Contractor: Jacobs Livestock and Rodeo Company.

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

SUPERIOR LIONS CLUB RODEO, SUPERIOR, AUGUST 5, 6.

Performances at 6 p.m. on Saturday August 5 and at 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 6. Slack (if needed) is 9 a.m. Sunday, August 6.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), @ \$200 w/ \$35 EF. BR @ \$200 w/ \$25; LBAR @ \$100 w/ \$35 EF. JBR, JBAR @ \$50 w/ \$10 EF. COORS jackets to event winners. Second year of "Go for the Gold."

EO: Monday, July 31, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, August 1, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Rodeo Secretary: Jill Carpenter; Rodeo Contractor: Rocky Mountain Rodeo Company, Kalispell.

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

HILL COUNTY FAIR, HAVRE, AUGUST 11, 12

Performances, 7:30 p.m. August 11 and August 12. Slack (if needed) is Saturday at 7 a.m.

BB, SB @ \$800 w/ \$35 EF. BR @ \$800 w/ \$75 EF. SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man) \$600 w/ \$35 EF. LBAR @ \$400 w/ \$35 EF. JBR, JBAR @ \$100 w/ \$10 EF.

Buckles in each event and for all around.
EO: Monday, August 7, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, August 8, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Rodeo Secretary: Margie Cox. Stock Contractor: Jacobs Livestock and Rodeo Company.

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205. Local entries call have Rodeo Office. 406-265-8762. Monday, August 7, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

SHERIDAN SADDLE CLUB RODEO, PLENTYWOOD, AUGUST 16.

Performances at 7 p.m. on August 16. Slack (if needed) will be after the performance.

BB, SB, SW, CR, TR (per man), @ \$350 w/ \$40. BR @ \$350 w/ \$35. LBR and LBAR @ \$200 w/ \$35 EF.

EO: Thursday, August 3, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Friday, August 4, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Rodeo Secretary: Bunky Wirtz; Rodeo Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company, Larry Wirtz.

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

MONTANAFAIR, BILLINGS, AUGUST 17, 18, 19.

Performances 8 p.m. on August 17, 18, 19. Slack (if needed) is August 17 at 10:30 p.m.; and/or August 18 at 9 a.m.; and/or August 19 at 10:30 a.m.

BB, SB, BR, SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), LBAR @ \$1,000 w/ \$75 EF. PERMITS ACCEPTED in BB, SB, BR if three performances.

May be two long gos and a short go. Decision pending.
EO: Thursday, August 3, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Friday, August 4, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Rodeo Secretary: Becky Tescher; Rodeo Contractor: Small Rodeo Company, Dale and Guy Small.

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

FALLON COUNTY FAIR RODEO, BAKER, AUGUST 18, 19, 20. CO-APPROVAL WITH NORTHERN PLAINS RODEO ASSOCIATION.

Performances at 6 p.m. on Friday, August 18; and at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 19 and Sunday, August 20. Slack (if needed) is 9 a.m. on August 20.

BB, SB, BR, SW, CR, LBR, LBAR @ \$700 w/ \$50 EF. TR (per man) \$700 w/ \$50 EF. Special events: Wild Horse Race with \$400 added money. Calf Scramble @ \$20/perfor-

mances.
EO: Monday, August 14, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, August 15, 12 noon to 10 p.m.

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Rodeo Secretary: Marge Mosbrucker. Stock Contractor: Mosbrucker Rodeos, Inc. Jim Mosbrucker. (\$5 stock charge, \$1.25 central entry charge).

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TRI-COUNTY FAIR RODEO, DEER LODGE, AUGUST 19, 20.

Performances at 7:30 p.m. on August 19; at 2 p.m. on August 20. Slack (if needed) August 20 at 8 a.m.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), LBAR @ \$150 w/ \$35 EF. BR @ \$150 w/ \$25. JBR @ \$50 w/ \$10. JBAR @ \$50 w/ \$20. Stock charge on JBAR.

EO: Monday, August 14, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, August 15, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Stock Contractor: Jacobs Livestock Rodeos. Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

LEMHI COUNTY FAIR AND RODEO, SALMON, IDAHO, AUGUST 25 AND AUGUST 27

Performances 8 p.m. each night, Slack (if needed) 10 a.m. Saturday.

BB, SB, BR, CR, SW, TR (enter twice, may switch ends), LBR, LBAR, @ \$300 with \$40 EF. \$350 added to all around, to pay three.
EO: August 14, 7 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.; Drawouts: 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. CB: August 14 7 p.m.

to 9 p.m.
208-356-0135

Stock Contractor: Hoggan and Crystal Rodeo Companys; EIRA rules; Rough stock slack if needed, after performance. Additional Fees; \$1.50 judges, \$2 entrant entry; Stock Charge: approximately \$3 per event.

JORDAN VFW Post 7886 RODEO, JORDAN, AUGUST 26

Performance Saturday August 26 at 1 p.m. Slack of needed immediately after rodeo

EO: Monday, August 21, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. CB: Tuesday, August 22, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, , LBAR @ \$100 w/ \$45 EF. BR @ \$100 plus 10 percent of colcutta w/ \$25. JBR (12 and under) @ \$5 EF. JBAR(14 and under) @ \$5 EF. Special events: Kid's pole bending (14 and under) \$5 EF. Stock Contractor: Northern Rodeo Company.

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

JEFFERSON COUNTY RODEO ASSOCIATION RODEO, BOULDER, AUGUST 26-27

Performances 2 p.m. Saturday August 26 and 2 p.m. Sunday August 27. Slack (if needed) Sunday August 27 at 9 a.m.

BB, SB, SW, SR, LBR, LBAR, TR (per man) \$35 EF with \$200 added. BR \$25 with \$200 added. JBR \$10 with \$50 added. Special events: Novice Bareback riding, \$10 with \$50 added. Must have signed release.

EO: Monday, August 21, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, August 22, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Stock Contractor: Black Gold Rodeo Company.

RAVALLI COUNTY FAIR RODEO, HAMILTON, AUGUST 31 and SEPTEMBER 1.

Performances at 8 p.m. on August 31 and September 1. Slack (if needed) after the performance on August 31.

Entry information available in next news-
letter.

EO: Monday, Aug. 28, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, Aug. 29, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.
Rodeo Contractor: Black Gold Rodeo Co.
Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

**HELMVILLE RODEO CLUB RODEO,
HELMVILLE, SEPT. 3 AND 4**

Performances 1 p.m. Sept. 3 and 4. Slack, if
needed, after rodeo Sept. 3.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), LBAR
@ \$100 w/ \$35 EF. BR @ \$100 w/ \$25 EF.

EO: Monday, Aug. 28, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, Aug. 29, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Special events: Open jackpot team ropings
Saturday Sept. 2 at 4 p.m. and Sunday, Sept.
3 at 8 p.m.

Stock Contractor: Rocky Mountain Rodeo
Company.

Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

**MEAGHER COUNTY RODEO CLUB
RODEO, WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS,
SEPTEMBER 3 and 4.**

Performances 1:30 p.m. on Sept. 3 and 4.
Slack (if needed) is 8 a.m. on Sept. 4. Novice
Barrel Racing, 10 a.m., Sept. 3.

BB, SB, SW, CR, LBR, TR (per man), LBAR
@ \$200 w/ \$35 EF. BR @ \$200 w/ \$25 EF.

JBR, JBAR @ \$50 w/ \$15 EF. Special events:
Local kids barrel racings @ \$25 w/ \$5 EF;

Rookie Bareback Riding @ \$100 w/ \$15
(Must have signed release.); Mixed Team
Roping; Novice Barrel Racing @ \$100 w/
\$15 EF.

EO: Monday, Aug. 28, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
CB: Tuesday, Aug. 29, 12 noon to 6:30 p.m.

Rodeo Contractor: Small Rodeo Company,
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Big Sky Central Entry, 406-428-2205.

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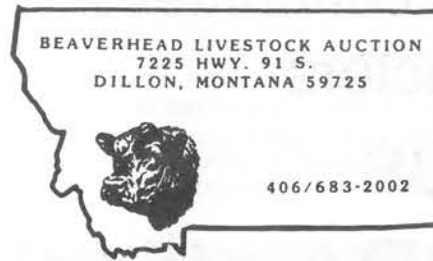


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 - (c) Your Name
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 - (e) Preferences you have on when you want to be up.
 - (f) Name of buddy or buddies — two per event, six total
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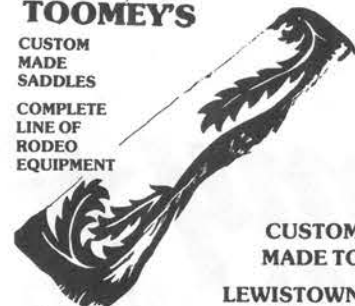


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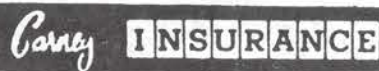
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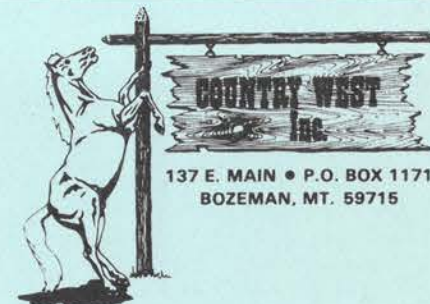
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