



Women's Professional Rodeo Association  
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## 2019 ALL GIRL 5D BARREL RACE JACKPOT

### 1. Pre Entries

- Online — Entries open August 21, 2019 and will close October 14, 2019 9:00pm MT. You may enter online at [www.wpra.com](http://www.wpra.com).
- Fax — Entries open August 21, 2019 and will close October 14, 2019 9:00pm MT. You may enter by filling out a fax entry form found at [www.wpra.com](http://www.wpra.com) on WPRA Finals page. Fax entry form to 866-644-1897.

### 2. Late Entries

All entries after October 14, 2019 are considered late entries, will be taken on-site and have a one time \$20.00 late fee. The pre-draw will be posted at [wpra.com](http://wpra.com).

Late Entries that are taken onsite will be charged a one time \$20.00 late fee. Cutoff for late entries is as follows: 5:30pm Friday, 10/25 for race 1, 7:15am Saturday, 10/26 for race 2, 10:00am Sunday, 10/27 for race 3. All entries received on location will be placed in the late entry draw. The late entry draw will be a random computer draw.

### 3. Drawing Out

- Draw-out deadline is 5:00pm Wednesday October 23, 2019.
- The Draw-out Form must be returned by FAX or EMAIL by the deadline to receive a draw-out refund.
- The Draw-out form is for entry fees, stall fees, and RV fees, less a 25% draw out charge regardless of when drawout was submitted/processed. We do not need a Doctor or Vet release. After the deadline, no refunds will be given for any reason.
- A Draw-Out Form can be found on [www.wpra.com](http://www.wpra.com)

## RACE RULES

### 1. Horse Substitution

You may substitute a horse in the All Girl 5D Barrel Race Jackpot, however if the horse is already entered you cannot change draw position or run the horse in the same section. Any horse substitution must be made with the World Finals Office as follows:

- For Race 1 the deadline is 5:30 PM Friday, October 25.
- For Race 2 the deadline is 7:15 AM Saturday, October 26.
- For Race 3 the deadline is 10:00 AM Sunday, October 27.

### 2. Rider Substitution

There are no rider substitutions of any kind.

### 3. Selling a Run

You cannot sell a run.

### 4. Format - a separate race held Friday, Saturday and Sunday each with .5 second splits between the Ds.

1D = fastest time of the race

2D = fastest time of the race plus .5 second 3D = fastest time of the race plus 1.0 second 4D = fastest time of the race plus 1.5 seconds 5D = fastest time of the race plus 2.0 seconds

Added \$: Friday — \$3,000. Entry fee: \$60.00 (75% into the purse) Added \$: Saturday — \$5,000. Entry fee: \$60.00 (75% into the purse) Added \$: Sunday — \$3,500. Entry fee: \$60.00 (75% into the purse)

### 5. WPRA Standings

For 2019- 2020 WPRA Texas members, 1D money won counts towards your 2020 WPRA Texas Divisional Circuit Co-approval Jackpot Standings. The same is true for 2019 Texas members, provided you obtain your 2020 membership before December 31, 2019.

### 6. Check-In

- Upon your arrival, you should visit the stall office to present your coggins/health papers (if applicable). You will also receive your stall assignment, RV assignment, contestant bag and back number. The stall office is open 24 hours during the event.**
- It is not necessary to check-in with the Main Office located in the Coliseum. We encourage all contestants to visit the event board located outside of the Main Office to confirm their race positions and results. Event times listed are subject to change. Check [www.wpra.com](http://www.wpra.com).

### 7. Stalls and RVs

- Barn will open for check-in Wednesday October 23, 2019 at 12:00pm (noon).
- You may check into your reserved stalls and/or RV spaces on the date reserved. Shavings must be purchased in the stall office. No outside shavings allowed. No portable panels or tying horses to trailers overnight is allowed.

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- c. All stalls will be pre-assigned. If you are traveling in a group and would like for the horses in your group to be stalled near each other, one of the members in your group must reserve all needed stalls to guarantee your stalls will be together.
- d. YOU MUST STALL AT NIGHT — after 11:30 PM, horses must be stalled at the Extraco Event Center or taken off location. Tie-outs or the use of portable fences (electric or panel) is strictly prohibited anywhere on the facility. If caught violating, you will be fined \$100 per occurrence and cannot compete until the fine is paid.
- e. Stall Pricing
  - i. Wednesday , October 23 - \$20 Stall Charge
  - ii. Thursday — Saturday, October 24 - 26: \$110 Stall Charge
  - iii. Friday — Saturday, October 25 - 26: \$90 Stall Charge
- f. RV Pricing
  - i. Wednesday, October 23 - \$25 RV Charge
  - ii. Thursday — Saturday, October 24 - 26: \$125 RV Charge
  - iii. Friday — Saturday, October 25 -26: \$100 RV Charge

## 8. Dress Code

Contestant appearance must be neat, clean and professional. Contestants must wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants without holes, western hat, and western boots. No sneakers or equestrian sport shoes. Caps are not permitted.

- NOTE: If the hat falls off and lands in the alley or arena, a \$25 fine will be assessed. Helmets are not required but all contestants are encouraged to wear one. Anyone not wearing the attire described above in the arena could be subject to a fine of \$100, based on the WPRA Judge's decision.

## 9. Conduct/Sportsmanship

All contestants and their family members are expected to display good sportsmanship at all times. No level of abuse toward any animal at this event will be allowed. Foul language, misconduct, or abusive comments spoken to any contestant, spectator, staff member, or arena personnel will result in immediate contestant disqualification and no refund of entry fees. Contestants are also responsible for traveling companions and their family members.

## 10. Photos and a Video

The WPRA photographs and videotapes each contestant's individual run. These photos/videos are the property of the WPRA. The videotapes and photos are for WPRA purposes only and do not replace the judge's decision.

## 11. Fines

There are fines at all barrel races to persuade contestants to follow the rules. You must follow the rules.

## 12. Returned Checks

There is a \$45 service charge on all returned checks from the bank, for any reason. Non WPRA Members can only pay with cash or credit card.

## 13. Dogs

Dogs must be on a leash at all times.

## 14. Vendors

Vendor Applications are available on the website. There shall be no selling of any type of merchandise or professional service on the arena grounds, in stalls, or at trailers without a vendor contract with the WPRA. Applications are available at [www.wpra.com](http://www.wpra.com).

## 15. Turn Out Rules

Contestants shall identify themselves to the Gate Man and be in the holding area five horses before their run. Failure to do so will result in a disqualification. The Gate Man will be located next to the alleyway going into the arena. The Gate Man will call contestant's name three times, if the contestant is not in the arena by the third call, they will be disqualified. Only one horse may be in the alleyway at any time. Remember the three official calls come from the Gate Man not the Announcer.

## 16. Time Begins

Your time begins any time a contestant crosses the starting line.

## 17. No Time

A "No Time" will be given to the contestant for the following reasons:

- If the contestant "circles" their horse after entering or before exiting the arena. (Definition of the Arena is past the plane of the alley)
- If the contestant breaks or misses the barrel pattern.
- If the contestant runs out of turn. It is the contestant's responsibility to know their draw position.
- If a contestant knocks over a barrel. A "no time" will also be given if a barrel is knocked over and it sets up again on either end. Touching a barrel, including keeping it from falling, is permitted without penalty.
- If the contestant's horse or rider falls during the run in such a manner as to break the pattern, or if the rider falls off the horse after entering past the plane of the alley
- Unable to get horse in arena in 60-second time limit.
- If a horse stops forward motion.

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## 18. Time Limit

If a contestant is in the holding pen and attempts to enter the arena, but is unable to get the horse down the alleyway the gateman, after the second call, will give the rider 60 seconds to enter the arena. At the end of 60 seconds if the horse has not broken the plane at the end of the alleyway into the area the rider will be disqualified. (The reason for this rule is the safety of the contestant, the other contestants in the holding area and the employees.)

## 19. Barrel Moved

If a barrel moved off its marker during competition, the barrel must be reset prior to the next competitor's run.

## 20. Horse and Rider Rule

Contestants may run any horse, regardless of ownership.

## 21. Horses in Arena/Alley

Only one horse may be in the arena, or alleyway, at any time during competition. (The reason for this rule is the safety of the contestant. Accidents can occur where the assisting horse gets in front of the contestant horse and the contestant horse then decides to go and runs into the assisting horse.)

A horse can be assisted to the mouth of the alley, but persons on foot are not allowed in the alley or the arena once the horse and rider have entered. The gate man will enforce these rules implicitly.

## 22. Re-Runs

Re-runs shall be granted based on if the official and backup timer both fail to work properly, unless a barrel has been turned over resulting in a no-time. If the barrels are not placed properly on their markers, a re-run shall also be granted without any penalties being applied; however, any penalty occurring on the re-run shall result in a no time. Re-runs are granted based on the WPRA Judge's decisions.

## 23. Training in Arena

Contestants who are given a "no time," either for breaking the pattern or knocking down a barrel, may complete the pattern. However, the WPRA Judge may, at their discretion, ask a rider who is taking excessive time to train to leave the arena immediately. If such request is not complied with, a \$25 fine may be assessed.

## 24. Honest Effort/Fastest Run Possible

Contestants must attempt to make an honest effort and deliver the fastest run possible. Based on the WPRA Judge's decision, any obvious attempt to "pull up" or pace their run may result in the following penalties — 1st Offense: Warning, 2nd Offense: \$50 fine.

## 25. Tie for Prize Money

If any contestants' times are tied, the prize money will be split equally.

## 26. Payout Requirements

To receive your money, a completed Winner's Form, including a driver's license/birth certificate and social security number is required within 90 days of the event or all monies will be forfeited.

## 27. Disqualifications and or WPRA Fine

Any act deemed prejudicial to the best interest of the contestant may result in the disqualification fine or denial of the contestant, with no refund of entry fees. These acts may include but are not limited to the following:

- Using abusive or intemperate language or attempting to threaten, bribe, influence, or harass any contestant, spectator, staff member, or Arena Personnel. Also, any remarks made with the intent to cast aspersions on the character or integrity of the WPRA staff, member or management member.
- Moving or attempting to move markers at any time.
- Use of electronic and/or remotely controlled devices to alter the outcome of a run.
- Abuse of a horse in any way.
- Abuse of an animal in the show arena and/or evidence that an act of abuse has occurred prior to or during the exhibition of a horse in competition
- Competing while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- Misidentifying a horse in any class.
- Misidentifying a rider in any class.
- Other conduct that is not in the best interest of WPRA or its contestants.
- Failure to make good on a returned check to the WPRA or to any other association, which has a cooperative agreement with the WPRA on the return checks.
- The WPRA and the WPRA judge may at their sole discretion have the authority to disqualify or deny entry to any horse they deem dangerous to the rider, or to other individuals, animals or property.

## 28. Safety

Safety is a prime objective at this barrel race. If you have a horse that could be dangerous to yourself, other contestants, or other horses, DO NOT come to this barrel race. Any horse or contestant deemed to be dangerous by the WPRA judge will be disqualified and entry fees will not be refunded.

## 29. Rules

The WPRA reserves the right to create any new rule, or modify any existing rule, in order to better the sport or this barrel race. Please note that the rules appearing on the boards at the event take precedence over the web site and any other postings.