



WPR A

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USE FOR 2022

Women's Professional Rodeo Association
World Championship Barrel Racing®
WPR A Rodeo/Barrel Race Application

Welcome to the WPR A. Please complete the form below and return it to the address above.

This is a [] NEW Rodeo [] RETURNING Rodeo

EVENT INFORMATION

Event Name _____ Arena Name _____

MapQuest or Google Maps Destination Address _____ Street _____ City _____

State/Province _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Start Date []/[]/[] (MM/DD/YEAR)

Co-approve with another circuit? [] Yes [] No

Rodeos may request co-approval for one or more circuits. Rodeo must be within 150 miles of the border of the additional circuit(s).

End Date []/[]/[] (MM/DD/YEAR)

[] Badlands [] Columbia River [] Great Lakes [] Mountain States [] Southeastern [] Turquoise
[] California [] First Frontier [] Montana [] Prairie [] Texas [] Wilderness

PRIMARY CONTACT

The Primary Contact is who the WPR A Office will be corresponding with regarding rodeo details.

1099 CONTACT

The 1099 Contact is who the WPR A Office will be corresponding with regarding 1099 information.

Contact Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____

Zip _____ Country _____

Contact Phone (_____) _____

Contact Email _____

1099 Contact Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____

Zip _____ Country _____

Contact Phone (_____) _____

Contact Email _____

STOCK CONTRACTOR

Stock Contractor Name _____

Stock Contractor Phone (_____) _____

Stock Contractor Email _____

GROUND PERSON

Ground Person Name _____

Ground Person Phone (_____) _____

Ground Person Email _____

ARENA INFORMATION

Arena Type: [] Indoor [] Outdoor [] Covered

Fireworks [] Yes [] No

Please post a notice of use of fireworks in the rodeo secretary's office and other conspicuous locations on the grounds.

Stalls available? [] Yes [] No

Cost per Night: \$ _____ (\$00.00)

Stall Phone (_____) _____

Portable pens? [] Yes [] No

Hook-ups? [] Yes [] No Hook-up Phone (_____) _____

GROUND RULES/ CONTESTANT INCENTIVES (USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NEEDED):

Any ground rule which contradicts an existing WPR A rule will be denied unless prior written permission is received from the WPR A.

If your rodeo committee will be providing special services to contestants such as a hospitality tent, or if special prizes or awards will be given, or if special rodeo contestant discounts are being offered by local sponsors, please list them in the space below.

After how many contestants will you be dragging? [] 5 [] 6 [] 10 [] 12 Other _____

Are you requesting approval of using WPR A Rule 12.8.2.1.1. (Condensed drags)? [] Yes [] No

Will you also be hand raking? [] Yes [] No If yes, after how many contestants _____

RODEO INFORMATION

ELIGIBILITY:

This rodeo will accept both WPR A Card and Permit holders unless you indicate otherwise. Only rodeos that add \$3,000.00 or more to the breakaway are eligible to designate entries as Card holders only. Rodeos that add less than \$3,000.00 must accept all Permit holders.

Card Type [] All Cards/Permits [] Cards Only

RODEO INFORMATION

WPRO BARREL RACE:

The amount of money added to the **WPRO barrel race** purse must be equal to or greater than the least amount of money added to any standard PRCA event.

Added Money (added by the committee): \$ (\$00.00) # Perfs _____ # Go's _____ # Slacks _____

Barrel racing slack will be held after a performance unless approved in writing by a circuit director.

Will there be a Short Go/Finals Performance? Yes No Date / / Time : AM PM

The WPRO also offers WPRO Junior Barrel Racing and Breakaway Roping. For information call 719-447-4627 if interested in:

Junior Barrel Racing Breakaway Roping (Must submit Breakaway Roping application)

Please contact the WPRO office to complete additional forms for these events only.

PERFORMANCE/SLACK INFORMATION (USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NEEDED)

Barrel racing slack will be held after a performance unless approved in writing by a circuit director.

(MM/DD/YEAR)

Perf #1 / / Time : AM PM

Perf #2 / / Time : AM PM

Perf #3 / / Time : AM PM

Perf #4 / / Time : AM PM

Perf #5 / / Time : AM PM

Slack #1 / / Time : AM PM

Slack #2 / / Time : AM PM

Special Instructions:

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Select a payment option. **Payment must be received before application will be processed.**

I will pay by **Check or Money Order*** — Send your application and payment to the WPRO Office.

Credit Card**

Visa MasterCard Discover AMEX

Cardholder Name: _____ Card Number: _____

Security Code: _____ Expiration Date: _____

↳ Billing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Added Money	31 Days or Greater	30 Days or Less
All Amounts	\$150	\$300

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- WPRO approval fees are non-refundable. If event is not approved the approval fee will be refunded to the primary contact.
- Applications should be sent to the WPRO office at least 120 days prior to the rodeo.
- Applications not completely filled out can not be accepted. We can not process your request unless completed.
- Any application received 30 days or less before the event begins must go to the WPRO Board of Directors for approval.
- The Rodeo Committee is responsible for providing:
 - 3 - 55 gallon steel drums enclosed at both ends. Barrel appearance/covers need to stay the same throughout the rodeo.
 - 1 - electric eye and if possible, a second electric eye as back-up
 - Safe and consistent ground
 - Appropriate ground preparation material, i.e., tractor, harrow, box blade, etc.
 - The contestant draw by secretary's office and arena
 - Help at the arena so competitors can hear their names
 - Entry/exit gates must be left completely open or completely shut during competition runs
 - **Barrel markers**
- The undersigned agrees that this rodeo committee shall abide by and be bound by all rules of the WPRO and understands and accepts the terms set forth in the WPRO Official Rulebook. Failure of the Committee or any of its Contractors to abide by WPRO rules will subject the Committee to a penalty as determined by the WPRO at its discretion up to \$1000 per rule violation. WPRO Rulebook can be found at www.wpro.com.
- **Reminder, your rodeo committee is responsible for generating a 1099 for contestants who have received \$600 or more at your rodeo. As a courtesy to you, upon request the WPRO will send the 1099 contact on your WPRO event application an encrypted spreadsheet with the final audited numbers and reporting information for those who received \$600 or more.**
- In connection with your application, the WPRO reminds you that you consent to WPRO ownership of all photography, television and media rights in connection with the barrel race. If you have any questions about this issue, please feel free to contact WPRO Executive Secretary at the WPRO office.
- This agreement cannot be amended except in mutually executed form, i.e., email, fax and phone records. Each party retains their Intellectual Property rights.
- The WPRO has an Equine Medications and Prohibited Substances Policy. If you do not wish to allow for testing at your rodeo, you must check this box:



In an effort to better communicate and cooperate with our rodeo committees, we would like to make you aware of some updates to the WPR rule book, as well as ask for your input on your specific ground preparations. Furthermore, the WPR would like to offer assistance in ground improvements to those committees who wish to continue to elevate the quality and safety of their ground.

Some changes to the WPR rule book for 2022

- **12.8.6** - "It is recommended that committees drag after half the number of contestants the rodeo is approved and set up for."
- **10.1.3.1** - "All rodeos with limited entries will be required to maintain the same qualifications from year to year. Committees desiring to change qualifications must submit the new qualifications with the prior year's approval application unless they plan to increase the limit or offer a qualifier in which some contestants will be seeded into the rodeo."
- **10.8.3** - "If a limited entry rodeo's ground rules deem a contestant ineligible for competition in subsequent years due to turning out and the 30-hour replacement policy is in effect, a contestant will only be deemed ineligible to compete in subsequent years if a replacement is not found."
- **12.8.2.1** - "Should a committee wish to provide additional drags beyond what is required by rule 12.8.2, they must decide to do so prior to the start of competition and must notify the judges, Circuit Director, and WPR office. The ground throughout the barrel pattern must be dragged after the same number of contestants for all slacks and performances. Committee shall post written notice of additional drags in the same manner and location that other ground rules are posted. Depending on timing, the additional drags may not be reflected in the ground rules for the rodeo on WPR.com."
- **12.8.2.1.1** - "If a committee drags after half the number of contestants a rodeo is set up for, they will be allowed to remove the notified turnouts and releases from the draw and move the remaining contestants up to fill those positions condensing the drag. Should they choose to condense the drag, it must be listed in the ground rules for the rodeo prior to entries closing or they will not have the option to remove the notified turnouts and releases from the draw and condense the drag. After the turnout deadline, the secretary will post at the rodeo office the new dragging positions with the notified turnouts and releases removed from the draw. Any notified turnouts who reverse their turnout per rule 10.8.8 will run at the end of their performance or slack with no additional dragging for them."
- **12.8.2.1.2** - "Any rodeo in which 8 or more contestants qualify for a finals that does NOT have an average associated with it MUST drag halfway through to give all contestants an equal chance to win the large purse."
- **16.2.2.2** - "Draw Outs. Contestants scheduled to compete in a performance or section of slack that is postponed will have the option to draw out. For this rule specifically, a rodeo performance or section of slack will be considered postponed when there is more than a three-hour delay from the scheduled start time of that performance or section of slack."

Please complete this questionnaire in its entirety:

1. Do you have access to more than one tractor? Yes No
2. What kind of dragging implement(s) will your committee be using to prepare the ground? *Please specify the brand of arena groomer, or describe the implement if not a name brand.* _____
3. Can this implement rip hard pan, if necessary? Yes No
4. Do you believe that your arena has a hard pan? Yes No
5. Will you have the ability to start preparing your ground more than 5 days prior to the start of your rodeo? Yes No
6. Does your rodeo committee wish to have someone from the WPR help/consult with you about your ground?
 This would be at no cost to your committee Yes No
7. Would your rodeo committee be willing to allow a barrel racing producer to produce a barrel racing jackpot in your rodeo arena the week prior to the start of your rodeo? Yes No
8. Additional comments/questions: _____

Rodeo Committee must obtain and submit proof of public liability insurance. Insurance company must be rated a minimum of A-IX by the A.M. Best Guide. The type of Insurance must be Commercial General Liability- Occurrence Form. No "claims made form" coverage will be accepted. Limits of Liability will be \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$2,000,000 General Aggregate. The coverage must include: Bodily Injury and Property Damage, Products Liability, Personal Injury Liability and Contractual Liability. Additional insureds must be shown on certificate: Women's Professional Rodeo Association, their officers, directors and employees.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____