

# CHSRA District 8 2011- 2012 Season Newsletter

## October 2011

Your November entries are attached to this email! The High School entry is for Paso Robles. This is a multi District Rodeo. There are many districts that will compete together. District 8 will be competing for District 8 points and each contestant is competing for overall points and awards. This is a really great experience and opportunity for our members to meet contestants from all over California and compete at the next level of competition. THESE ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED ON TIME AND SENT TO THE DISTRICT 7 SECRETARY, NOT THE DISTRICT 8 SECRETARY. Use the proof of mailing certificate from the Post Office and make a copy of your entry, this has important contact information. There is also a camping and stalling form and all must be completed and sent in on time. Alexis Awrey, you District 8 Queen, would like everyone to wear Black and Blue on Sunday for the all District Grand Entry. If you are a new member, you need to make sure your membership is completed before entries close. If you have questions about rodeo entries, contact Terri Loretz, [loretzt@yahoo.com](mailto:loretzt@yahoo.com), about membership, contact Jana Muth [muthfam4@aol.com](mailto:muthfam4@aol.com)

### SEE'S CANDY

**Sell that Candy! We are hoping for a very successful fundraiser! If every sold more than the minimum we can have better awards. HS sales due in October. Jr. High will get packets in October. Contact Mrs. Awrey for questions [d\\_awrey@yahoo.com](mailto:d_awrey@yahoo.com)**

### REPORT CARDS

Have you sent your latest report card to Mrs. Muth? Don't miss a rodeo, make a copy and send it right away!

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CA 92563

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**RULE CLARIFICATIONS. We need all parents and students to read the rulebook. We had some specific areas we want to address from the last rodeo:**

- No schooling your horse during your run. It is unfortunate when your horse makes a mistake on the pattern but it is inappropriate for you to continue or school your horse. We have many contestants and a long day, leave the arena and work on this at home.
- NO TALKING TO THE JUDGE! This is absolutely mandatory. We must abide by the chain of command. If you have a problem you must first go to your student event director. NEVER talk to a judge.
- No 2 girls may ride the same horse in poles or barrels. NO SHARING HORSES, in any go.
- Pushers may not come out of the front of the chute when pushing cattle. You can only push to the threshold of the chute opening.
- No twisting tails when pushing cattle. You may only use your hands on the body of the cattle.
- Two minute rule for entering the gate. When your name is called after the arena is ready you have 2 minutes to get into the gate for poles and barrels. If you cannot get your horse into the arena safely in that amount of time you must be turned out. Work on this at home and at the jackpots. If your horse might have a problem, make a plan and notify the event director so you can get the help you need and not be turned out.

Last, please read the rule book and your California Policy and Bylaws you received in your membership packet at the rodeo. These are filled with important information that will help you be more successful and avoid some frustrating situations. Remember these rules are mandated by a State organization that is a charter of a National Organization. We must enforce them and ensure each contestant is safe and has the same opportunities as the others.

## CHSRA DISTRICT 8 RODEO DATES 2011- 2012

Sunday, October 23: Winchester Rodeo (High school and Jr High)

Saturday and Sunday, November 5-6: Cutting Gorham's ranch Temecula

Friday-Sunday, November 11- 13: Paso Robles Mid State High school Rodeo and Cutting

Saturday, November 19: Two Riverside Jr. High Rodeos and Barrel racing fundraiser

Saturday and Sunday, December 17- 18: Temecula cuttings

Saturday and Sunday, January 14-15: Two High school and Two Jr. High Brawley rodeos

Sunday, February 19: City of Industry (High school only)

Saturday and Sunday, March 3-4: Escondido Cutting

Sunday, March 11: City of Industry Rodeo (High school and Jr High)

Friday- Sunday, March 23-25: Challenge of the Champions

Saturday and Sunday, April 14-15: Brawley Rodeo (High School Sat and Sun, Jr. High Sat) Last Jr. High of the year. There will be a State Finals meeting following the rodeo.

Saturday and Sunday, May 5-6: Norco Rodeo, Cutting, and Queen Contest (This is the last district rodeo and the state meeting will take place)

Friday-Sunday, May 18-20: Jr. High State Finals

Monday-Friday, June 11-16: High School State Finals

Saturday-Saturday, June 23-30: Jr. High Nationals

Sunday-Saturday, July 15-21: High School National Finals

## THINGS TO KNOW.....

### Raffle Tickets

All members must sell CHSRA Raffle tickets. You received these at the last rodeo, please read all the information and turn these in on time! Tickets and money are due at the January rodeo.

### Lettermen Jackets

All High School members can purchase a District 8 letterman jacket. You received an order form in your membership packets. In order to receive those by Christmas you must order right away.

### JR. HIGH

You have 2 entry forms attached to this newsletter for November 19. This is 2 rodeos in one day. We will also have a fundraiser barrel race afterward and a silent auction. Bring your silent auction item to the October or November rodeo.

### Sponsorships

Each member is required to secure a sponsorship. High School requires \$100.00, Jr. High requires \$50.00. The sponsorship forms are online and included in this news. These sponsorships are due at the January rodeo. Sponsorships can come in any monetary amount to complete the total required or be more. Our sponsorship program offers tax donation letters and advertising in all District 8 publications and on the webpage. If you bring in a saddle sponsor we can place a banner in the arenas we rodeo in as well.

### November Silent Auctions

The Jr. High members will have a silent auction at the November Jr. High rodeo and barrel race November 19<sup>th</sup>. BRING YOUR ITEM ASAP. Mrs. Jody Knox is the chair for this (Jessica Bates' mom)

The High School members will have a silent auction at the CJRA finals, November 25, 26, 27. BRING YOUR ITEM TO THE NEXT RODEO. Mrs. Jody Knox is the chair for this. (Jessica Bates' mom)

### Report Cards

It is your responsibility to send your report card to the membership secretary. Every time you receive a report card, copy it and send it to Jana Muth, 30260 Los Alamos Road Murrieta, CA 92563. Later in the year you will be required to send a report card when entering Challenge or State Finals so making a copy will save you time.

### **Volunteers Welcome**

**Please wear dress code and come on down to the arena to help! You can time, open gates, pick up hats and other jobs. Arena volunteers must also be associate members. See Jana Muth for a form. We need all the help we can get to have a successful day!**

### **FUNDRAISER WORK CREW**

**The November Barrel Race and the January/February Roping will require work crews. Each contestant must sign up to help. Mrs. Lopez, [tklopez@msn.com](mailto:tklopez@msn.com) is coordinating this. Shifts are on a first come, first served basis. Contact her quickly to choose a work crew that works best for you. The Barrel Race is Saturday, November 19 at Riverside Rancheros from aprox. 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. The Team Roping will be scheduled soon in January or February.**

**We are starting earlier in  
October. Please be ready by  
8:00 am and check the  
scheduled time for the  
contestants meeting  
before then.**