

2019 RULE PROPOSALS

Saturday, January 12, 2019 – Boot Hill Casino, Dodge City KS

CLARIFYING A RULE – In “MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS DUES AND RULES”

Page 7 Rule 10 & 10a

10. Any persons soliciting donations or sponsors in the amount of **\$350** or more will receive a free membership for the following year when the KPRA office has received the money. **\$100** of said donation will go to the operating fund and the remaining amount will go into specified event finals fund. Only one card per donation (regardless if donation is **\$350** or higher – donation is not to be split among more than one member).

10a. Donations must be in monetary form only. A free membership will not be awarded for donations of product

CLARIFYING A RULE – In “KPRA APPROVED RODEOS AND COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITY”

Page 10 Rule 1 & 1a

1. In order for any rodeo to be KPRA 1st approved, it must have the 9 approved events, except that the KPRA may approve a timed event only or rough stock only rodeo with monies won in a particular event only counting for that event. No monies will count towards all around or rookie standings. These partial event rodeos will not count towards the requirements of first approved rodeos required to compete at the finals pursuant to Rule 4 under “Year End Finals.” Timed event rodeos must have all the timed events and rough stock rodeos must have all the rough stock events. These rodeos must abide by all KPRA 1st approved rodeo rules. These rodeos can only be scheduled after the KPRA Finals and prior to the KPRA Membership Rodeo.

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1a. If a committee wants to host a partial event rodeo to sanction as a KPRA event between the time frames of the KPRA membership rodeo and the KPRA finals, it must be in addition to a 1st approved KPRA rodeo.

1a. If a committee wants to host a timed event or rough stock only rodeo to sanction as a KPRA event during the current rodeo season the event must be held after the previous year’s rodeo finals and 2 weeks prior to the current year’s rodeo finals.

2. KPRA standard events are bareback riding, saddle bronc riding, bull riding, tie-down roping, steer wrestling, dally team roping, 40/40 mixed team roping, cowgirls barrel racing and cowgirls breakaway roping. An optional event of ranch bronc riding is a KPRA event. For more information see page 20.

NEW RULE – Added to “KPRA APPROVED RODEOS AND COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITY”

Page 11 Rule 3a

An approval form received by March 1 will NOT be assessed an approval fee. An approval form received after April 1 will be assessed a \$25 approval fee. An approval form received after May 1 will be assessed a \$40 approval fee. An approval form received after June 1 will be assessed a \$55 approval fee. An approval form received after July 1 will be assessed a \$70 approval fee.

NEW RULE – In “CO-APPROVAL POLICY”

Page 12 Rule 6

There will be no more than 10 (ten) co-approved rodeos from any co-approved association during a rodeo season. These rodeos will be determined by the Board of Directors at a scheduled meeting.

CLARIFYING A RULE- In “ENTRIES, ENTRY FEES & PRIZE MONEY”

Page 13 Rule 9

9. The rodeo secretary shall be responsible for emailing (or faxing if email is unavailable-**omit faxing**) the results of the rodeo to the KPRA Office within 24 hours of the completion of said rodeo. The 5% (see Rule 4 pg 10) along with the complete packet, (including results, fines, balance sheet, turnouts, etc.), and a list of members not paying entry fees, must be postmarked within **two (2) days** from the date of the rodeo or a **\$100** fine.

CLARIFYING A RULE- In “ENTRIES, ENTRY FEES & PRIZE MONEY”

Page 14 Rule 16

6. In case of no qualified rides, ground money will not be paid. Unpaid ground money to be split between stock contractor and KPRA office for finals fund in that event. The stock contractor is to keep his stock charge in this case. With one or more qualified rides, the entire purse will be paid out among those qualified. **The added money would go towards the finals fund of that event if there are no qualified rides or runs.**

NEW RULE/CLARIFYING A RULE- In “ENTRIES, ENTRY FEES & PRIZE MONEY”

Page 14 Rule 19

19. Entry fees at all 1st KPRA rodeos will not exceed \$85 (\$86 for SW) unless the added money at the rodeo exceeds \$500 per event. (excluding 40/40 TR, which will remain at the fee of \$125/man.)

NEW RULE- In “ENTRIES, ENTRY FEES & PRIZE MONEY”

Page 14 Rule 19a

At all 1st approved KPRA sanctioned rodeos, the fees in the steer wrestling only will be \$86. The extra \$1 will be set aside in a fund for the steer wrestling directors to use at their discretion.

NEW RULE- In “ENTRIES, ENTRY FEES & PRIZE MONEY”

Page 14 Rule 20

If a 1st approved KPRA sanctioned rodeo features an event and/or multiple events the added money in all the non-featured events must be no less than 50% of the money added to the featured event and/or events.

CLARIFYING A RULE – In “PAY-OFF SCHEDULE”

Page 15

The **saddle broncs and barebacks** will be paid as follows:

(# of contestants x fees – charges + added money)

\$1-\$500 pays 1 money 100%

\$751-\$1200 pays 3 monies 50%-30%-20%

\$1201-\$2500 pays 4 monies 40%-30%-20%-10%

\$2501-\$5500 pays 5 monies 34%-27%-20%-13%-6%

\$5501+pays 6 monies 29%-24%-19%-14%-9%-5%

Rule does not apply to the finals.

NEW RULE – In “RODEO JUDGES, JUDGING & TIMEKEEPERS”

Page 16 Rule 17

17. In the riding events judges are to write down the stock score on judge’s sheets even if the rider does not have a qualified ride.

NEW RULE – In “ENTRIES, ENTRY FEES & PRIZE MONEY”

Page 14 Rule 18a

If a stock contactor provides timed event stock at 1st approved KPRA rodeos one of the following formats, the stock charge will be as follows.

A. ⅓ or less stock provided will be a \$10/run fee

B. ½ or more stock provided will be a \$15/run fee

C. 1 for everyone in separate events will be \$20/run fee

NEW RULE – In “GENERAL RIDING EVENT RULES”

Page 18 Rule 4a

4a. In the saddle bronc and bareback events, if a judge determines the rider is fouled at the gate the mark out rule will be waived.

CLARIFYING A RULE – In “GENERAL TIMED EVENT RULES”

Page 23 Rule 17

17. Stock in timed events shall be drawn as much as 2-2 ½ hours before the performance. All stock must be drawn by number, including team roping cattle.

17. Stock in timed events and rough stock may be drawn as much as 3 hours and no less than 1 hour before each performance and slack of all 1st approved KPRA sanctioned rodeos. All stock must be drawn by number, including team roping cattle.

NEW RULE – In “GENERAL TIMED EVENT RULES”

Page 23 Rule 27a

27a. All times during a performance and/or a slack performance should be recorded on the timer’s sheet once the flag man drops his flag including a barrel racing back up time, a calf roper’s calf kicking free, or a breakaway/team roper with an illegal head catch.

NEW RULE – In “GENERAL TIMED EVENT RULES”

Page 24 Rule 37

A 1st approved KRPA sanctioned rodeo with two or fewer performances, including designated slacks. The number of cattle will be one-half the number of entries (not to exceed 20 animals), with a minimum of 12 head. Should there be fewer than 10 entries, there must be no less than one animal for each entry plus one extra. Unless otherwise approved by the event representative and the Director of Rodeo Administration.

OR

A 1st approved KPRA sanctioned rodeo with three or more performances, including designated slacks. One animal per every three entries, not to exceed 30 animals, with minimum of 15 head. Should there be fewer than 10 entries, there must be no less than one animal for each entry plus one extra. Unless otherwise approved by the event representative and the Director of Rodeo Administration.

NEW RULE – In “GENERAL TIMED EVENT RULES”

Page 24 Rule 38

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minimum of 15 head. If there are fewer than 10 entries, there must be no less than one animal for each entry plus one extra, unless otherwise approved by the event director and rodeo judge.

NEW RULE – In “TIE-DOWN ROPING” & “WOMEN’S BREAKAWAY ROPING”

Page 25 Rule 21 & Page 31 Rule 9 or 10

No dairy or dairy crossed calves may be used in the breakaway or tie down roping events without that event director’s approval. If the stock contractor fails to approve the cattle or uses them against event director’s approval, the stock contractor will be fined \$25 per contestant in that event at that rodeo.

CLARIFYING A RULE – In “TIE-DOWN ROPING”

Page 24 Rule 7

Any intentional dragging of calf regardless of distance will result in a no time **and \$100 fine**. Intentional dragging shall be defined as caused by contestant. Excessive dragging of calf will receive a no time. Excessive dragging shall be defined as moving the calf **10 or more feet** after the contestant has called for time. However, if in the opinion of the judge, the dragging was caused by something outside of the control of the contestant, the judge may give the contestant his time.

CLARIFYING A RULE – In “COWGIRL’S BARREL RACING, TIMERS - LBR”

Page 30 Rule 6

6. MANUAL TIME WILL BE RECORDED AND READ IN 10THs. ELECTRIC EYE TIMES WILL BE RECORDED AND READ IN 100THs. When the backup times are to be used for those electronically missed, a zero will be added to the **100ths**.

NEW RULE – In “WOMEN’S BREAKAWAY ROPING”

Page 31 Rule 9

Flagger must flag on same side of arena as breakaway roper WITH the use of a designated spotter. Rodeos that have a separate calf roping chute the judge will stand towards the center of arena using good judgement for placement. At the KPRA Finals the extra judge will be used.

OR

In the cowgirl's breakaway roping, there must be a spotter placed on the opposite side of the arena from the flagger, for every run, to assist in determining legal, bell collar catches. No spotter will result in a fine.

NEW RULE – In “DALLY TEAM ROPING” & “40/40 MIXED TEAM ROPING”

Page 32 Rule 7

The stock for the open team roping and the 40/40 team roping must be designated and maintain that designation for the duration of that rodeo. Open

teams should draw at the same cattle, and the 40/40 teams should draw at a separate and distinct set of animals.

CLARIFYING RULE – In “YEAR-END FINALS”

Page 32 Rule 4

4. To be eligible for the KPRA Finals, you must have competed in at least **ten (10)** KPRA first approved rodeos, EXCEPT bareback and saddle bronc riders, who are only required to have competed in **three (3)** KPRA first approved rodeos; ranch bronc and bull riders must have competed at three (3) KPRA first approved rodeos in each event during the current season as a KPRA card holder, or have board approval. A contestant that competes in multiple events must follow the guidelines for all the event(s) to qualify for the year-end finals they wish to compete in.

NEW RULE – In “YEAR-END FINALS”

Page 32 Rule 4a

To be eligible to compete at the KPRA finals each contestant MUST submit a sponsor in the amount of \$250, per event that said contestant wishes to enter.

CLARIFYING A RULE – In “YEAR-END FINALS”

Page 33 8b

8b. The KPRA Finals will have 2 timed event judges and two riding event judges. The judges enter on the ballot for whichever side they choose but not both. Judges pay will all remain the same for all sides. (currently \$200.00/perf)

Judge of the year will be determined by the percentage of contestants’ votes per riding or timed event side. (For example, if one of the winning riding event’s judges has 40 votes out of the possible 60 votes casted, he will receive 66% of the possible votes. The winning timed event’s judge has 41 votes out of the possible 120 votes casted he/she will receive 34% of the possible votes, making the riding event judge the official “Judge of the year”.)

NEW RULE – In “YEAR-END FINALS”

Page 33 Rule 11a

At the KPRA Finals the 40/40 entry fee will be \$500 per person.

NEW RULE – In “YEAR-END FINALS”

Page 33 Rule 11b

Each member that makes the finals has to get at least \$250 sponsorship money.