

ALABAMA HIGH SCHOOL RODEO ASSOCIATION

State Finals Newsletter

Covington County Arena
2400 Hwy 55, Andalusia, AL

Schedule

Wednesday, June 1st

12:00pm Queen/Princess Contest
5:00pm Check in for RCH and Cutting Contestants
6:00pm Cutting 1st go
Cutting 2nd go
8:00pm RCH 1st go
RCH 2nd go

Thursday, June 2nd

9:00am RCH short go
10:00am Cutting short go
2:00pm Senior check in for scholarships
3:00pm Senior scholarship interviews
7:30pm Contestant check in
8:30pm Mandatory contestant/parent meeting

Friday, June 3rd

8:00am General membership annual meeting/Elections/Rule Changes (Kiwanis building)
11:00am 1st Go
6:00pm Gala/Dinner/General awards/Scholarships/Sponsor Recognition (Kiwanis building)
Cowboy Prom

Saturday, June 4th

12:00pm Draw Down Dinner (box lunch) (Kiwanis building)
6:00pm 2nd Go - Recognize seniors in the arena

Sunday, June 5th

8:00am Cowboy Church
10:00am Short Go - Queen's last ride

** Awards will begin approximately 1 hour following short go**
Top 10 in each event
All Around
Special Awards
(In Kiwanis building)

Nationals Meeting Immediately Following

Entries: Entries will be done by Google Form. All entries must be completed by May 13 by completing the Google Form and submitting payment (PayPal, check or cash). You may only enter an event at finals if you have competed in that event for at least half of the regular season rodeos. There is not a draw partner option for finals.

Event Entry Fees: Fees are \$60 per event (includes 2 gos, short go and office fees).

Events Offered: All events except shooting

Report Cards: Report cards must be turned in before you can rodeo. Passing grades in at least 70% of classes is required. You can text to 256-486-5944 or email to ahsra.spurrinmfarm@yahoo.com. You may also provide a copy at check in but you will NOT rodeo if your report card is not received before roll call at the mandatory meeting.

Mandatory Contestant Meeting: Meeting will be held in the arena bleachers. Failure to be present for roll call may result in disqualification from state finals.

Nationals Info: Contestants placing in the TOP 4 of each event qualify to participate in Nationals in Gillette, Wyoming the week of July 17. Parents and contestants, please come prepared to make the decision if you will or will not be going to Nationals. Paperwork will have to be completed immediately after the awards presentation. Fees will also have to be paid at this time. If a contestant in the top 4 decides not to attend, we will roll down to the next placing contestant. We can roll down to 8th place so be prepared if you are in that range. You will need to be prepared to have papers notarized (contestant and parent) and write a check to cover stalls, hookups and optional jackpot.

Gala Dinner: AHSRA contestants are provided their meal by the AHSRA. Parents, family, and friends can purchase a ticket for \$20 a ticket or \$150 for a table of 8. Tickets must be purchased in advance through the Google Form. Google Form will close on May 13.

Cowboy Prom: Prom will follow the gala. There will not be a charge of contestants and their date to attend the prom. We will need parents to help with decorating, chaperoning and clean up.

Rodeo Admission: Contestants are free with back number. Advance weekend armbands can be purchased for \$15.00. Armbands will be picked up at contestant check in. Children 12 and under will be admitted free. Daily admission at the door will be \$10.00 a day. Advanced purchases must be made on the Google Form.

Stalls: Horses must be kept in stalls (1 horse per stall). No horses are allowed to stay tied out overnight and no portable panels are allowed per Covington Center rules. Stalls are \$60.00 for the weekend if purchased in advance and include 1 bag of shavings. Additional shavings can be purchased for \$8.00 a bag. Stalls rented on site will be \$75 for the weekend. *Stalls will not be available until 3:00 on Wednesday, June 1.* Stalls may be reserved on the Google Form until May 13. Stall assignments will be posted on Facebook, Remind and website as soon as they are ready.

Hookups: Hookups are mandatory if staying overnight. No generators are allowed per facility rules. Hookups are \$60.00 for the weekend if purchased in advance and \$75 if purchased at the rodeo. *Hookups will not be available until 3:00 on Wednesday, June 1.* Hookups may be reserved on the Google Form until May 13. Hookup assignments will be posted on Facebook, Remind and website as soon as they are ready.

T-Shirts: You can pre-order State Finals apparel through the Google Form through May 13.

Horse Trailers: Please leave horse trailers on rodeo grounds and do not take them to hotels.

Hotels:

Holiday Inn Express - 16727 US Hwy 84 - 334-427-2740

Days Inn - 1604 East Bypass - 334-427-1604

Comfort Inn - 1311 East Bypass - 877-240-2929

Best Western - 305 West Bypass - 334-222-9999

Contact Info:

General Questions: Angel Moore 256-486-5944

Payment/Fee Questions: Angela Fugate 850-612-6628

Event Entry Questions: Lucy Poole 850-698-1042

THINGS TO DO

Complete State Finals Entries [Google Form](#)

Complete Stalls and Hookups [Google Form](#)

Complete Gala, Wristbands and T-Shirt [Google Form](#)

Complete Contestant Bio [Google Form](#)

PRINT last page of newsletter - *Fee Checklist*

MAIL *Fee Checklist* and fees to arrive no later than **May 13.**

(you may also turn this in with payment at the Rainsville rodeo)

Mail to:

Angela Fugate
AHSRA Treasurer
8284 Bowen Rd.
Baker, FL 32531

AHSRA State Finals Fees Checklist

Contestant Name _____

of Events entered _____ x \$60 each _____

of Hookups _____ x \$60 each _____

of Stalls _____ x \$60 each _____

of extra shavings _____ x \$8 each _____

of Gala individual tickets _____ x \$20 each _____

of Gala tables (8 tickets) _____ x \$150 each _____

of Wristbands _____ x \$15 each _____

of T-shirts _____ x \$20 each _____

of Hoodies _____ x \$40 each _____

TOTAL DUE \$ _____

___ I am enclosing a check or money order

___ I am paying with PayPal (Please include contestant name & back # when sending payment)