



2024 Dakota Performance Horses Horse of the Year Application



Once again, we are honored to present the 2024 DAKOTA PERFORMANCE HORSES, HORSE OF THE YEAR AWARD. This award is brought to you through the generous support of the Grimes Family of Dakota Performance Horses of Kadoka, SD who believe that a good horse is a good horse, regardless of registration or parentage. These awards will be awarded to the horses of competing South Dakota High School Rodeo members. A Champion and Reserve Champion will be awarded in both Boy and Girl divisions with awards presented at the SDHSRA National Qualifier Awards Ceremony and Meeting on June 16th, 2024 at the Fort Pierre Youth Center.

Criteria:

- Application must be completed by competing contestants and emailed to sdhsrasecretary@gmail.com by April 15th, 2024.
- ONE horse PER application/email.
- Member can nominate up to TWO horses, using them in multiple events.
- Good quality pictures of the horse(s) nominated need to accompany the application. Both the application and picture need to be submitted in the same email. These pictures will be used for identification of the horse.
- Horse DOES NOT have to be REGISTERED.
- Member DOES NOT have to OWN the nominated horse.
- Points will be calculated on the horse ONLY if that horse is used at the REGIONAL Qualifying Rodeos and the STATE FINALS Rodeo. No points will accrue at Practice Rodeos. Points earned on the horse will follow the SDHSRA Scoring Guidelines.
- Verification at check-in at the Regional and State Finals Rodeos will be completed.



2024 SDHSRA Member Name: _____

2024 Membership Number: _____

Contestant Cell Number: _____

Competing Region: East Northwest River Southwest

Registered Name of Horse (if registered): _____

Barn Name of Horse: _____

Horse's Age: _____

Owned, Leased or Borrowed: Owned Leased Borrowed

Event(s) Competing on this horse at Regionals and State Finals:

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| Barrel Racing | Breakaway Roping | Goat Tying | Steer Wrestling |
| Pole Bending | Team Roping | Tie Down Roping | |