

SDHSRA NEWS UPDATE

South Dakota High
School Rodeo Association
Inc

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REGIONAL RODEO DEADLINE IS APRIL 16

Make sure that your regional rodeo entry is postmarked by April 16th, 2007. There will be no exceptions for this deadline. Follow the check list sent out in your region packet and make sure your notary signs for both parents. Regional Rodeo packets were sent out in early March. If you did not receive a packet, there is a problem with either your membership or calendar sales requirement.

BACK NUMBERS

You received your back numbers in your region packet. Each member received 2 back numbers. This is in case you would lose or destroy one. I suggest that you laminate these numbers to protect them. Cold laminate them, don't laminate them with heat, or they will melt! Take care of your numbers.

QUEEN'S BASKET FOR THE NATIONAL AUCTION

Each year at Nationals there is an auction of a "basket" of items. Our SDHSRA Queen has been responsible for putting together the "basket." Keep in mind that the items don't necessarily have to fit in a basket. At the mid winter meeting it was decided that each rodeo club in the state will provide one item for the "basket." Your items may be brought to the State High School Rodeo Finals. The northwest region will provide the "large" item this year. The item can be hand made or SD made, or perhaps something unique to your area. ei... handcrafted wooden item, jewelry, hunting items, leather tooled tack. Kristina Maddocks, this year's SDHS Rodeo Queen could answer any questions that you may have. Lets make South Dakota's basket the most wanted!!!

Some items donated so far are:
A Star Quilt and a hunting trip

Newly Adopted NHSRA By Laws

At the NHSRA mid winter meeting, new bylaws were adopted. A copy of these bylaws are usually sent in your region packets. They were not published at the time the packets went out. You may check the SDHSRA Website to view these changes.



CHECK OUT
THE SDHSRA
WEBSITE FOR
THE LATEST
CLINICS/
SCHOOLS &
CLASSIFIEDS

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DATES TO
REMEMBER:

- **April 16th** is the regional rodeo entry deadline.
- **June 1-2-3 and 8-9-10** are the regional rodeos
- **June 20-24** are the SDHSRA Finals in Belle Fourche, SD.

CLASSIFIED'S:

NEED A HORSE???

HORSES FOR SALE:

13 yo sorrel gelding Steer Wrestling horse. 12 yo roan gelding rope horse. Joe Lutter 605 472 3176

15 yo all around horse. Sound and gentle \$3000.00

Good kid horse very gentle \$1500.00
Bruce Berry 605 433 2206

1994 bay gelding. Nice and quiet heading horse, started on barrels. Lon Peters 605 669 2206

12 yo goat tying horse. State and National Qualifier. Kacee Cross 605 224 1865

Rodeo Horses for sale, all proven.
Bill Sutton 605 775 2158

16 yo pole and barrel horse. National Qualifier. Tanya Yackley 605 258 2162
This horse will be on the SDSU Horse Sale Saturday, April 14th.

Doggin and Hazing Horses for sale
Allen Good 605 462 6290

Dun, grade all around and cutting horse. 6 time State Finals Qualifier. Easy to be around Kim Sutton Sutton@sbt.net

Please don't use your nick names or anything other than the name that you filled out on your membership when filling out forms, calendar sales or any other correspondence with the SDHSRA. Once your membership is entered in, it isn't recognized as any other name. I'm sorry, but there's just too many of you for me to know your nick names also!! Thanks - Ann

NEED A TRAILER???

TRAILERS FOR SALE:

2003 Sundowner/Trailblazer 3 Horse Slant with Living Quarters. Tanya Yackley 605 258 2162

2001 Keifer 4 Horse Slant with Living Quarters. Paul Sundermann 605 941 7331

Dedication Planned

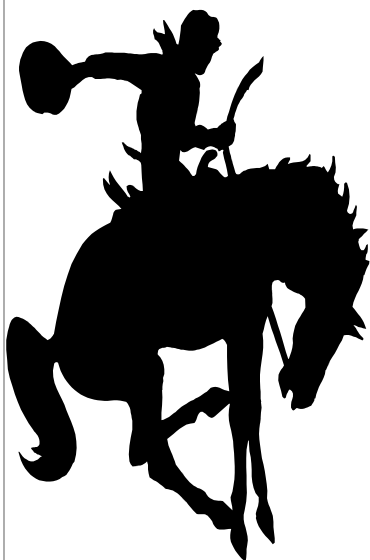
Michael Glynn, a four year member of the SDHSRA, died in a car accident the morning after his graduation last year. As a tribute to him, his parents have installed arena lights at the White River Rodeo Arena. There will be a "turning on the lights" May 5th just before dusk. This is the same day as the White River Practice Rodeo. You are all invited to this remembrance of Michael.

DO YOU HAVE A VOICE??

It's not too early to be thinking about the National Anthem at State HS Finals. If you would like to sing for us, email me at sdhsra@alliancecom.net One of the best National Anthem's I have heard sung was by a group of men competitors at the SDRA Finals years ago. Come on guys—start practicing!!

Clip this coupon and shop Rays Western Wear and Saddlery. Stores at Chamberlain and Black Hawk have all your western needs. With this coupon receive 15% off one item, excludes feed and saddles.

Good Luck Rodeoing!!!



In the end, it is not the years in your life that count, but the life you've put into the years that make a difference.

Abraham Lincoln



Check the website for any changes that have made to the practice rodeos—such as entry deadlines

2007 practice rodeo schedule

May 4-6	Triple Crown
May 5-6	Huron
May 12	Wall
	Lemmon
	Onida
May 13	Highmore
	Faith
	New Underwood
May 18	Timber Lake
May 19	Eagle Butte
	Wagner
May 19-20	Takini
May 20	Flandreau
May 25-26	Mobridge
May 26	Martin
May 26-27	Ft. Pierre
May 28	Isabel

REGIONAL QUALIFYING RODEOS

June 1,2,3	Winner, Wall, Buffalo
June 8,9,10	Watertown, Sturgis, Dupree

See The Website For Complete Information and Changes On Practice Rodeos

Belle Fourche Host Committee News

Your host committee has been busy preparing for an excellent state finals. Some news from them is that stalls will be on a first come, first serve basis this year. Each member that qualifies for state will be charged a “facility fee” that will include the price of the stalls, no matter how many that you need. You will also be able to tie to your trailer or set up a “reasonably sized” pen of your own. The committee will set up 300 stalls.

HAVE A HORSE TO LEASE??

If you have a horse to lease at the NHS Finals in Springfield, Illinois let the Springfield Host Committee know by May 1 so that they make a directory

REPORT CARDS

You need to bring your report card to the first region rodeo that you perform in. If your year end isn't out, then bring your 3rd quarter or mid-term. When your year end is done, you need to bring it to the next Regional Rodeo.

CALENDAR SALES ARE COMPLETE!!!

You did a great job at selling and returning your calendars this year. If you sold enough before the deadlines to earn a t-shirt or cap, they will be at your regional rodeos for you to pick up. Top Salesperson this year was Kristina Maddocks, who sold 175 calendars. 75 members earned calendar coats!!

Toner For Sale

This fall the SDHSRA purchased a new copy machine. I have 3 bottles of toner that we return or use. If you know someone that can use it—we'll give you a heck of a deal!!

Pictures, Pictures, Pictures

If you get some good pictures at the regional and practice rodeos, please send them on to Roberta Bruns for the South Dakota Scrapbook.



Mark your calendars.....
The SDHSRA
Finals will be in
Belle Fourche
June 20-24

In today's day and age many of you no longer prefer to receive mail in your mailbox. We're giving you the option to receive this newslet-



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CALENDAR WINNERS FOR February and March 2007

FEBRUARY 2007

- 6th- \$40.00, Rick Miller
by Kelli Page
- 13th- \$40.00, Fischer Farms
by Abbey Cuka
- 14th- \$200.00, Scott Remund
by Brittni Decker
- 20th- \$40.00, Amanda Herson
by Stacy Erickson
- 27th- \$40.00, Don Foster
by Lane Tiltrum



MARCH 2007

- 6th- \$40.00, Karen Martin
by Lacey Tech
- 13th- \$40.00, Darwin Haerer
by Jessica Luedeman
- 20th- \$40.00, Melissa Bachard
by Adessa Mutchler
- 27th- \$40.00, Dwayne Price
by Kelli Page