

## **Rodeo Royalty Contest Schedule**

#### Thursday, August 17, 2023

5:00 pm Horsemanship Denton County Cowboy Church 400 Robinson Rd., Ponder, TX 76259

#### Friday, August 18, 2023

10:00 am	Modeling Speech/Q&A – during Modeling Embassy Suites & Convention Center, 940-243-3799 3100 Town Center Trail, Denton, TX 76201
1:00 pm	Interview, Embassy Suites & Convention Center
2-5:00 pm	FINAL Ticket Sales Turn In NTFR Fair Hall 2217 N. Carroll Blvd., Denton, TX 76201
7:00 pm	Grand Entry at PRCA Rodeo – NTFR Grounds/Arena 2217 N. Carroll Blvd., Denton, TX 76201 (Rodeo begins at 7:30 pm)

#### Saturday, August 19, 2023

- 9:30 am Parade Denton High School 1007 Fulton St., Denton, TX (Parade starts at 10:00 am)
- 7:00 pm Grand Entry at PRCA Rodeo NTFR Grounds/Arena (Rodeo begins at 7:30 pm)

#### Sunday, August 20, 2023

7:00 pm Grand Entry at PRCA Rodeo NTFR Grounds/Arena (Rodeo begins at 7:30 pm) Coronation during PRCA Rodeo Awards Immediately following – location TBA



2023 North Texas Fair & Rodeo Royalty Pageant Official Entry Form

Entry Deadline Date: July 15, 2023

Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Mailing Address (if different from above): _			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Phone:	Email:		
Date of Birth:	Age:		
Division of Entry: Queen Te	en Princess	Junior Princess	
School:	Grade:		
School Activities:			
Club Memberships:			
Special Activities:			

I have read the Rules, Regulations, Qualifications and Guidelines for the North Texas Fair & Rodeo (NTFR) Royalty Pageant. I have also read and understand the Obligations associated with winning a NTFR title. My personal conduct as a contestant and or title holder will be in strict accordance with the rules established by the NTFR and the Rodeo Royalty Coordinator and Committee. I understand the rules will be upheld during all Pageant Programs and activities associated directly and indirectly with me. If I should win and get the opportunity to hold the title of Miss Rodeo, Miss Teen Rodeo, Rodeo Princess, or Junior Princess of the North Texas Fair & Rodeo, I will fulfill the obligations of my title and represent the North Texas Fair & Rodeo. Failure on my part to uphold the title of North Texas Fair & Rodeo Royalty with proper conduct, appearance, and fulfillment of obligations will automatically disqualify me from participating in the NTFR Rodeo Royalty Pageant. All prizes and scholarships which I may receive will be returned to North Texas Fair & Rodeo. The North Texas Fair & Rodeo, Rodeo Royalty Committee and Coordinators, and North Texas Fair & Rodeo Committee Members will be released of any liability resulting in such action. I will not attempt to compete for another title without consulting with the Director/ Coordinator/Chairman of the North Texas Fair & Rodeo Royalty Pageant first.

My signature on this application states that I have read the above information, and that the information that I have provided is given freely and truthfully. I understand that my photographs will become the property of the North Texas Fair & Rodeo, and I grant permission for NTFR to use my picture, name and phone contact information on social media and/or in printed publications. I also understand that NTFR Committees/members may verify any information on this application.

Contestant Signature	Date	
Parent or Legal Guardian of Contestant under the age of 18		
Signature	Date	
Printed Name of Parent or Legal Guardian		

#### All entries must be received by July 15, 2023.

Return completed and executed Entry Form, Obligations, Rodeo Release, Entry Fee, Ticket Sales contract if applicable and Photographs to: Director/Coordinator – Gayla Bolin, 6728 Mustang Trail, Sanger, TX 76266. *No late or incomplete entries will be accepted. (2) 5X7 vertical headshots must be included with the entry form.* Photographs will become property of the North Texas Fair and Rodeo and may not be returned. Picture does not have to be professional. However, they will be used for judging the photogenic award. If a digital file of the photo is available, please email it to jeffgaylabolin@aol.com.



#### **Rodeo Royalty Obligations/Contract**

The 2023-2024 North Texas Fair & Rodeo Queen, Teen, Princess, and Junior Princess will be obligated to represent the North Texas Fair & Rodeo (NTFR) from the time the title is won at the 2023 NTFR through the time the event is held, and new winners are announced at the 2024 NTFR. All title holders are expected to appear groomed and looking their best while wearing modest western clothing ("Official Western Dress"), their crown, sash and buckle when appearing and making representations as NTFR Rodeo Royalty. Title holders are always expected to represent and appear this way at the North Texas Fair & Rodeo.

As representatives of the North Texas Fair & Rodeo, title holders will:

- Exhibit good, honest, and positive behavior always.
- Refrain from using profanity and inappropriate language.
- Refrain from smoking, drinking alcohol and/or using illegal substances.
- Not become engaged, married, or pregnant during the term of title reign.
- Not let a boyfriend or companion be known about at appearances or on any social media accounts.
- Not exhibit public displays of affection with a boyfriend or companion of that nature.
- Not compete for other Rodeo Royalty titles without consulting with the NTFR Royalty Director first.
- Not create social media accounts using the NTFR title. All social media accounts for Miss Rodeo North Texas Fair Queen, Teen, Princess, and Junior Princess are to be maintained by NTFR officials and/or the designated chairperson(s) or coordinator(s).
- Anything a title holder has made using the NTFR title/name/logo must be approved by the Miss Rodeo North Texas Fair Director/Chairman or another representative of the North Texas Fair & Rodeo, this includes chaps, any articles of clothing or other items.
- Pictures and details of all event representations are expected and need to be emailed or sent via text to the Director for use on the official social media accounts for Miss Rodeo North Texas Fair.

## New Title Holders are not required to represent at the 2023 NTFR after winning but any time they are able to attend and represent is encouraged and welcomed if they are able to do so.

The following representations by 2023-2024 NTFR Royalty are required:

- Rodeo Grand Entry Representation
  - Queen/Teen 5 minimum (2 of 5 being PRCA)
  - Princess/Junior Princess 3 minimum (1 of 3 being PRCA)
- Parade Representation
  - 2024 Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo Parade
  - At least 2 other Parade representations for events other than NTFR

- Participate in 2 Community Projects/Activities/Events
  - Attend/Assist with a local Rodeo, school or community activity, benefit, fundraiser, or other event.
- 2024 North Texas Fair & Rodeo Events which include:
  - 2024 Rodeo Royalty contest events
  - 2024 NTFR PRCA Rodeo Grand Entries
  - 2024 NTFR Parade

Additional appearances may be requested and/or offered by the NTFR Royalty Coordinator(s). Title holders are not limited to the above representations.

If for any reason these obligations cannot be fulfilled, the title holder or authorized guardian must contact the Director to state why the obligations cannot be fulfilled. In default of not fulfilling the obligations to represent NTFR, the title holder may lose their title and prizes. The title and prizes will then be given to the First Runner Up in that division. Title holders will receive their scholarship checks after their obligations are fulfilled and their title reign is complete.

If a pandemic or other crisis causing event cancelations occurs, title holders will not be held liable for attendance at those events.

Title holders and/or their designated guardians should always first contact the NTFR Rodeo Royalty Director/Chairperson/Coordinator(s) with any questions or issues.

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agree to fulfill the expectations and obligations set for me to represent the North Texas Fair & Rodeo. If for some reason I cannot fulfill my duties as a title holder, I understand that I will have to forfeit my title and return all prizes and awards.

Signature:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature if under the age of 18:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Miss Rodeo North Texas Fair** 

Miss, Teen, Princess, and Junior Princess

#### **Contest Rules, Qualifications and Guidelines**

Contest Rules, Qualifications and Guidelines and the Rodeo Royalty Obligations/Contract must be read in full before entering this contest. Interested parties must be able to meet and adhere to these rules and requirements. Not doing so may deny one the right to compete for a North Texas Fair & Rodeo Royalty title.

Miss Rodeo North Texas Fair and Teen, Princess and Junior Princess title holders are not eligible to compete in the North Texas Fair & Rodeo (NTFR) Royalty contest for a minimum of one year after the end of their reign. Prior NTFR titleholders are eligible to compete in the appropriate age groups the following years but may not compete for an age division title that they have previously held.

ALL ELIGIBLE CONTESTANTS AND TITLE HOLDERS MUST:

- Have been born a female and compete as a female.
- •Be a legal resident of the United States and the state of Texas.
- •Be a student in good standing if applicable. Contestants beyond high school must have a high school diploma or GED.
- •Not be, have been or become married, nor have had a marriage nullified.
- •Not be, have been or become pregnant.
- •Not drink alcohol, smoke, vape or do any drugs.

•Not have been or become convicted of a misdemeanor or felony of any kind or have any other involvement in any type of delinquent or criminal activity.

• Have read and executed all entry forms, consents, waivers, and release forms prior to competition.

• Represent themselves for the North Texas Fair & Rodeo title.

•Attend every event on the contest schedule and be prompt. Any exceptions must be approved by the contest director. Failure to appear at an event can result in contest disqualification.

• Provide a horse for Horsemanship, Rodeo Grand Entry, and the Parade *if* contestants will ride horseback in the Parade.

•All contestants <u>must</u> attend the Awards Ceremony after Coronation. For any contestant to receive gifts or awards they earn, they must be present at the Awards Ceremony. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of gifts or awards. Any exceptions must be approved by the pageant director.

•Contestants and their parents/guardians/guests must abide by all rules and regulations of the contest and exhibit good behavior and sportsmanship. Any contestant/parent/guardian/guest demonstrating poor sportsmanship or being disrespectful, argumentative, or unruly will be asked to leave which will result in immediate disqualification.

•All contestants and their parents/guardians/guests or anyone acting on behalf of a contestant should not approach or communicate in ANY way with judges at ANY time. All questions must be directed to Contest Coordinator(s) or their designee for clarification. The names of contest judges are not disclosed prior to the contest.

• Consult with the NTFR Rodeo Royalty Chairman/Director if currently holding another title to determine eligibility.

If the contest rules are not followed or are broken at any time, the chairman of the contest may disqualify and remove a contestant on the grounds of breaking the rules provided to them prior to entering the contest. Miss Rodeo North Texas Fair title holders must follow these same rules and guidelines before and during their reign of title. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of their title and prizes.

Please note that NO horse stalls are available at the North Texas Fair & Rodeo grounds. Contestants are responsible for finding/making any necessary arrangements needed for their horse. Each contestant and title holder will receive two (2) 4-day passes to the North Texas Fair & Rodeo and a livestock parking pass. Any additional tickets needed will need to be purchased.

Age Divisions: Four age divisions, ages 5-25. Age is considered the first day of the Pageant.

Queen 19-25Teen 14-18Princess 9-13Junior Princess 5-8

Entry Fee: \$100 for all age divisions. Checks should be made payable to the North Texas Fair & Rodeo.

#### \*\*\* Entry Deadline – July 15, 2023 \*\*\* All *completed* entries must be received by this date. Entries must include the following items and be sent to: Gayla Bolin, 6728 Mustang Trail, Sanger, TX 76266

• Completed and signed Entry Form

• Entry Fee, checks made payable to the North Texas Fair & Rodeo.

• (2) 5x7 vertical headshot photographs - they do not have to be professional. Name, Address, Age and Division must be labeled on the back of each photo. All photographs will become the property of NTFR and may not be returned. They will be used for Photogenic judging, the rodeo program, and other purposes. If a digital image is also available, please send to jeffgaylabolin@aol.com. This <u>does not</u> replace mailing the required photographs.

- Rodeo Release and Indemnification Agreement completed and signed.
- Obligations fully executed. Please review! This is what is expected of title holders in their year of reign.
- Ticket Sales Contract for Teen, Princess, and Junior Princess contestants completed and fully executed.

Entries that do not include the items listed above will not be considered complete. Entries not received by the stated deadline date or that are not complete will be dismissed. Entry Fee is non-refundable once the contest has started if the contestant decides not to compete.

Queen	Teen	Princess	Junior Princess
Judging and Scoring	Judging and Scoring	Judging and Scoring	Judging and Scoring
Horsemanship – 25%	Horsemanship – 25%	Horsemanship – 25%	Horsemanship – 25%
Appearance – 25%	Appearance – 20%	Appearance – 20%	Appearance – 20%
Personality – 25%	Personality – 20%	Personality – 20%	Personality – 20%
Speech – 25%	Speech – 20%	Q & A – 20%	Q & A – 20%
	Ticket Sales – 15%	Ticket Sales – 15%	Ticket Sales – 15%

#### **Ticket Sales**

QUEEN contestants are NOT REQUIRED to sell tickets. TEEN, PRINCESS and JUNIOR PRINCESS contestants ARE REQUIRED to sell a <u>minimum of \$3,000 worth of tickets (150 tickets at \$20.00 each)</u>. Contestants will earn a SET number of points by selling the required minimum. All contestants are also eligible to earn a cash award of \$300.00 for every \$5,000.00 worth of tickets sold. To help aid sales, ticket sales will be advertised and promoted on social media using contestant's picture and a phone number provided by each contestant. All unsold tickets and sales money must be turned in by the final Ticket Sales Turn In. Contestants and their families/friends are prohibited from selling tickets on the NTFR premises or social media after the final Ticket Sales Turn In. All ticket sales contract rules apply.

#### **Contest Details**

*Horsemanship:* All contestants will compete in Horsemanship. All contestants will wear blue jeans and white shirts for this portion of the contest. Each contestant will be allowed <u>ONE</u> chaperone in the staging area of the arena at Horsemanship. All other guests can be seated in the bleachers AWAY from judges. Contestants failing to exhibit control over their horse at any time will be removed from this phase of competition for the safety of all participants.

The current title holder in each age division will ride first to set the pattern. Bring a horse that helps you display your level of skill and talent. Contestants and their horses will ride the given pattern for their age division following the stated instructions and be judged accordingly.

Junior Princess contestants will ride two arena laps, trotting one and loping the second if they are able to do so. (See Junior Horsemanship Pattern) They will then ride to the judges and stop to be asked a question. Juniors will be scored on how well they ride, their posture, control, and smile. Their ride to the judges and stop will be scored as well as their cleanliness/appearance and that of their horse and tack and their answer to the question. Juniors will not dismount.

Queen, Teen, and Princess contestants will ride their pattern (See Horsemanship Pattern) and then ride to the judges to be asked 2 questions prepared by the judges regarding their knowledge of horses, the horse industry and/or their personal background dealing with horses. Queen, Teen, and Princess contestants will be asked to dismount. Queen and Teen will remount, Princess will not. Riders in these age groups will be judged on their riding skills and abilities, posture, smile, etc., details of the pattern, their response to questions and the cleanliness/appearance of themselves and their horse and tack.

#### Appearance/Modeling & Speech/Q&A:

This will be a "fashion show" with the possibility of modeling on a stage. Contestants will model in a "T" pattern. For the first segment, contestants should wear traditional western attire of dress or skirt and top/jacket nature, western hat, and western boots. Leather is NOT required. Judges will want to see how well the contestant wears their clothing. They will look for good fit and their confidence and positivity as well as their personality overall while modeling. Contestants should be able to introduce themselves by giving their name, age, interests and activities and other information on a microphone. They should be prepared to speak about their outfit, giving a brief description of its details and designers/makers. Following Queen and Teen contestant's self-introduction and outfit descriptions, they will then give their prepared Speech. At the end of their Speech, they will be asked 1 impromptu question. (Rules pertaining to Speech can be found below.) Princess and Junior Princess contestants will be asked Impromptu questions for the Q&A portion of the contest.

Self-introductions and outfit descriptions will serve as part of the Personality scores.

Impromptu questions will be scored in the Speech category.

After the first segment of modeling, contestants will be given 15 minutes to change in the room provided by the host hotel. *Everyone must change in this room to stay on schedule. No exceptions!* The second segment of this portion of the contest will be the contestant's choice of trendy western fashion. The contestant may wear their favorite trendy/fashion forward outfit. Blue jeans ARE allowed in this portion of the contest. Be sure to use good taste and creativity. The contestant's introduction, outfit description and modeling style will be judged as it was in the first segment. In western dress it is a time to be more serious while having fun as Rodeo Royalty. Modeling trendy outfits is a time to show a little more flair and have a little more fun. Include something fun about yourself in your introduction! Before completion of this segment of competition, contestants will be asked 1-2 impromptu questions.

Please note that part of the Appearance score will include judging of the outfit worn at Interview.

#### Speech – Queen and Teen:

Queen & Teen: Each contestant's speech must be between 1-2 minutes. Considerably less or considerably longer will be cause for point deductions. A few seconds either way will be dismissed. Each contestant should be able to speak on a microphone. Contestants will present their speech created from the given topics. Content, expressions, voice clarity, and posture will be part of the judging.

#### Question & Answer – Princess and Junior Princess:

Princess & Junior Princess: Contestants will be scored on their fluidity and confidence in speaking along with their response to questions they are asked. Their voice clarity, smile, expressions, and posture will also be considered. As stated above, the questions and answers asked during the modeling contest will be judged for Q&A.

#### Interviews/Personality:

All contestants attire will be judged and scored at Interview as part of the Appearance total score. Queen, Teen, and Princess contestants will have a personal and private interview with Judges. Judges will ask questions and have a conversation with each contestant regarding Rodeo, horses, personal interests, and activities, etc. Junior Princess Contestants will have a group interview. Interviews will last approximately 10 minutes.

#### **Grand Entries**

All title holders and contestants will ride in the Rodeo Grand Entry the first Friday, Saturday and Sunday of the North Texas Fair & Rodeo. Official Rodeo Attire is expected all three nights. Contestants will be judged on their attire Friday night, the very first night of the Rodeo. Dress to impress! This score will be included in each contestant's Appearance score. The other two nights of Grand Entry will not be judged.

#### Parade

All title holders and contestants will participate in the parade. Title holders will ride horseback. Contestants will ride in the bed of vehicles provided by the contest *or* ride horseback. Contest directors will notify contestants how they will be riding in the parade prior to the day of the parade. Contestants will not be judged on what they are wearing for the parade but should dress as Rodeo Royalty requiring long sleeves, jeans, boots, and hat.

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Please contact the Contest Director/Chairman with any questions.Gayla Bolin940-391-9263jeffgaylabolin@aol.com

#### NORTH TEXAS FAIR & RODEO ROYALTY PAGEANT TICKET SALES CONTRACT

I hereby promise to return all tickets checked out to me and all money given to me for tickets to the North Texas Fair & Rodeo (NTFR) on or before the FINAL turn in of the ticket sales contest. I also agree and understand that if any tickets are lost, stolen, destroyed or otherwise unable to be remarketed, I will be held financially responsible. I agree to fully reimburse NTFR for the value of each ticket not turned in and understand no credit will be earned for unaccounted tickets. I understand that tickets have a serial number, and I am responsible for those checked out to me. My family, friends and I will not sell tickets on the NTFR premises or social media after the final ticket sales turn in. I understand that these tickets are \$20.00 each and that they are GOOD ANY DAY for one (1) General Admission entry to the Fair, Rodeo AND nightly concerts. Final turn in will be Friday, August 18, 2023 between 2:00 and 5:00 pm at the VIP area of Fair Hall on the North Texas Fair & Rodeo Grounds, 2217 N. Carroll Blvd., Denton, TX 76201.

CONTESTANT'S NAME:	AGE DIVISION:		
DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER AND ISSUING S	TATE:		
		(if 18 or older)	
HOME ADDRESS: (not a P.O. Box)			
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:	
PHONE: (home)	(cell)		
CONTESTANT'S SIGNATURE:		DATE:	
*** Contestants under the age of 18 r	equire a parent or legal guard	lian's signature and information. ***	
PARENT/GUARDIAN PRINTED NAME:			
DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER AND ISSUING S	TATE:		
HOME ADDRESS: (not a P.O. Box)			
СІТҮ:	STATE:	ZIP:	
PHONE: (home)	(cell)		
PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:		DATE:	

To turn in any ticket sales money and/or pick up additional tickets to sell throughout the duration of the Ticket Sales contest, please contact Mickie Blagg (903-815-1032) to schedule a time to do so. In the event a contestant withdraws from the contest, the contestant or their guardian is fully responsible for the return of tickets and all money from the sale of tickets to the North Texas Fair & Rodeo no later than the final ticket sales turn in. Should this occur, contact Gayla Bolin (940-391-9263) for more information. Final turn in of tickets and ticket sales money will be on Friday, August 18, 2023, between 2:00 and 5:00 pm on the North Texas Fair & Rodeo Grounds.

#### NORTH TEXAS FAIR & RODEO ROYALTY PAGEANT TICKET SALES CHECK OUT SHEET

CONTESTANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_ AGE DIVISON: \_\_\_\_\_

TICKET CHECK OUT INFORMATION:

Date:	Ticket#	# of Tickets:	Initials:
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#### TURN IN INFORMATION:

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Date:	Name:
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Phone:	Emergency Phone #:
Age:	DOB:

#### <u>RODEO EVENT AND/OR PRACTICE PARTICIPANT RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION</u> <u>AGREEMENT</u>

, hereinafter referred to as "Participant", is executing this document voluntarily or, if participant is a minor, **has his/her**, hereinafter referred to as "his", **Parent or Guardian's**, hereinafter referred to as "Guardian", **express permission to participate in the Rodeo**. Participant/ Guardian states that participant is an experienced rodeo performer and in consideration of him being allowed to participate and/or practice he agrees as follows:

1. **PARTICIPANT/GUARDIAN AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD NORTH TEXAS STATE FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC.**, hereinafter referred to as "FAIR", THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, MEMBERS, AND VOLUNTEERS AND/OR AGENTS **HARMLESS AGAINST ALL CLAIMS**, DEMANDS, DAMAGES, COSTS AND EXPENSES, including reasonable attorney's fees for the defense thereof, arising from Participants', or his guests', or children's activities on or around the North Texas State Fair Association Grounds, hereinafter referred to as "Fair Grounds", at any time, **EVEN IF** the claim, demand, damage, cost or expense is **CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE OF THE FAIR**.

2. PARTICIPANT/GUARDIAN FURTHER RELEASES THE FAIR FROM ALL LIABILITY THE FAIR may otherwise owe to Participant, his heirs, survivors, beneficiaries, or assigns FOR ANY PROPERTY DAMAGE OR PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, that Participant suffers while on the Fair Grounds, at any time, including but not limited to first aid, treatment or service rendered participant during participation in any Rodeo event and/or practice. This release applies to all injuries or damages which may be suffered by Participant, his heirs, survivors, beneficiaries, or assigns, EVEN IF CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE OF THE FAIR. This liability release also applies to claims and causes of action for injury to or the death of any of Participant's children.

3. PARTICIPANT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGES THAT RODEO ACTIVITIES ON PROPERTY SUCH AS THE FAIR GROUNDS CAN RESULT IN INJURY or property damage to the person engaged in those activities as well as others. The many possibilities and sources of injury or damage are acknowledged by Participant/ Guardian and Participant comes upon the Fair Grounds will full knowledge of such hazards. Participant/Guardian hereby gives his permission and consent to be transported to a hospital and given treatment by any doctor or hospital and his, her or its personnel.

4. The term "RODEO" in this agreement covers and includes all events taking place during the North Texas State Fair and Rodeo.

5. Participant/Guardian has read this document and understands its terms and conditions. Participant/Guardian is signing it freely and voluntarily. Participant/Guardian also releases any photographic image or video image to be used by the Fair as advertising or in promotion of the Fair and other events concerning the North Texas State Fair and Rodeo.

Date

Participant Signature

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date



# Rodeo Royalty Contest Speech Topic

Queen and Teen

Please choose one of the following for your subject for the Speech competition. Your Speech must be 1-2 minutes long. A few seconds over or under will be dismissed. Several seconds either way will cause reason for point deductions.

Have fun making the topic your own!

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"Confidence is Cowgirl, and Cowgirl is cool."

-- Courtenay Dehoff

I stirrup fun by.....

### Queen, Teen & Princess Horsemanship Pattern \*See Notes at Bottom\*

#### <u>NRHA PATTERN 5</u>

#### PATTERN 5



#### Pattern 5

Horses may walk or trot to the center of arena. Horses must walk or stop prior to starting pattern. Beginning at the center of the arena facing the left wall or fence.

1. Beginning on the left lead, complete three circles to the left: the first two circles large and fast; the third circle small and slow. Stop at the center of the arena. Hesitate.

Complete four spins to the left. Hesitate.

3. Beginning on the right lead, complete three circles to the right: the first two circles large and fast; the third circle small and slow. Stop at the center of the arena. Hesitate.

4. Complete four spins to the right. Hesitate

5. Beginning on the left lead, run a large fast circle to the left, change leads at the center of the arena, run a large fast circle to the right, and change leads at the center of the arena. (Figure 8)

6. Continue around previous circle to the left but do not close this circle. Run up the right side of the arena past the center marker and do a right rollback at least twenty feet from the wall or fence – no hesitation.

7. Continue around previous circle but do not close this circle. Run up the left side of the arena past the center marker and do a left rollback at least twenty feet from the wall or fence – no hesitation.

8. Continue back around previous circle but do not close this circle. Run up the right side of the arena past the center marker and do a sliding stop at least twenty feet from the wall or fence. Back up at least ten feet. Hesitate to demonstrate completion of the pattern.

#### **\*NOTES:**

- All Contestants will take out the spins from this pattern.
- Pause/Hesitate and then proceed in place of the spins.
- Following the pattern, contestants must dismount in front of Judges for questions.
  Queen and Teen will remount, Princess will not remount.
- Contestants may ride with spurs and one hand or two with reins of their choice.

#### JUNIOR HORSEMANSHIP PATTERN

Enter the arena and make 2 laps. Trot the first lap, lope the second one if able to do so. Ride to the middle of the arena and stop, back up and turn facing the judges. Ride to them to be asked 1 question. Riders will not dismount. Contestants may ride with spurs and reins of their choice and may use one hand or both hands.

