

2022 CCHPC SUMMER SADDLE SERIES RULES

ENTRIES AND FEES

1. Entries
 - a. Pre-entries will open one week before the event.
 - b. Exhibitions are limited and will be on the pre-entry form (if they do not fill up online, they will sell on-site).
 - c. Pre-entries will close at **6:00 pm** evening before the race.
 - d. Draw will be posted by **9:00 pm** evening before the race.
 - e. Any Draw out request must be received by either chair-person no later than midnight the evening before to the race to receive a refund.
 - f. After midnight NO REFUND.
 - g. Horse may have a time once per race (once each for youth, open, and poles). Different riders may use the same horse in different races.
2. Entry Fees
 - a. Exhibitions **\$5 each (limit 3 per horse, limit 60 seconds per horse)**
 - b. Peewee (10 and under, **CAN NOT RUN IN YOUTH**) \$3
 - c. Youth (18 and under) \$20
 - d. Open Barrels \$30
 - e. Open Poles \$15
3. Office Fees
 - a. **Onsite enters \$10**
 - b. **Nonmember online \$5**
 - c. **Member online FREE!**
 - d. **Onsite entry closes 30 minutes before open starts**
4. Youth entries regarding carryover to open
 - a. **If a rider pays for youth and open, they must choose before the race on the entry form, whether they will run twice or carry their open time to youth.**

YEAR-END AWARDS AND POINTS

1. Prize Fees
 - a. **\$25** for non-member
 - b. \$10 for member
 - c. **Have to be a CCHPC member to win a saddle.**
2. Year-end Awards
 - a. Once the prize fee is paid, the rider is eligible to earn points for year-end awards. (Example: rider does not pay year-end award fee until race 3, points will start accumulating as of race 3 even though rider participated in previous races)
 - b. Rider/horse combinations are used for year-end awards
 - i. In the event the rider must use a horse other than the horse that is registered for the race, the chairperson(s) must be notified before the office closes.
 - c. Rider/horse combination must complete in half or more of the events to be eligible for year-end awards, in half is an odd number, the requirement will be rounded up (example 7 races, half is 3.5, required will be 4)
 - d. The goal is to award the best number of participants possible and will be as follows (number of places can be adjusted per chairperson(s) discretion if necessary)
 - i. 5D Open Barrels- 1st thru 6th
 - ii. 4D Youth Barrels- 1st thru 6th
 - iii. 3D Open Poles – 1st thru 3rd
 - iv. Peewee Barrels – 1st and 2nd (must attend half of the races to be eligible)

ORDER OF EVENTS AND EXPECTATIONS

1. Run Order
 - a. Exhibition Barrels- **Limit to 50**, typically takes about 1 hour
 - b. Barrels- Open followed by peewee, youth
 - c. Exhibition Poles – limit to 10
 - d. Poles- Open poles
2. Exhibition Start **Hour and a half early before the open starts.**
 - a. **Limit to 50 exhibitions, no more than 3 per horse**
 - b. **60 seconds each, a 45-second warning will be given by the announcer**
 - c. Please be respectful of the time limit to keep the **barrel race moving** efficiently
3. Runs start at posted times
 - Exhibition's start at 8:30 am, open starts at 10:00 am on May 21, July 23, August 13**
 - Exhibition's start at 11:00 am, open starts at 12:30 pm on June 5, September 25, October 16**
- a. Arena will NOT be open for riders after exhibitions
- b. Once exhibitions are done, the tractor will drag and open will start immediately after
4. Tractor drag
 - a. **Exhibitions- tractor after every 10 and once complete to start open**
- B. Youth and open barrels – drag after every 5, drag after open before peewee/ youth
 - I. In the event a runner has to draw out or is a no show, drag order will stay the same (example: runner 8 is a no show, the tractor will still run after the #10 runner.
5. Each rider is responsible for being ready at the gate
 - a. Announcer will call 3 times for the rider, if the rider is not near the gate attempting to enter, the announcer will move to the next rider after the 3rd call. **(Approximately 30 seconds to enter the arena)**
 - b. If a rider misses their run, they will NOT be placed at the end and fees are not refunded.

PAYOUTS

1. Payouts
 - a. **Payout will be that day by check, if the runner doesn't stay to obtain their check, it will be mailed out the following Monday.**
 - b. Payouts will not be held to pay for the next race
 - c. It's the participant's responsibility to provide CCHPC with accurate information