

Pro-West Rodeo Means Tradition

We've got decades of experience behind us. The predecessor of the present-day PRO-WEST (Professional Western Rodeo Association), the WRA (Washington Rodeo Association), was formed by a small band of contestants in 1967. Today, under a governing board of directors, PRO-WEST ranks have grown to over 400 members. There are over 60 sanctioned rodeos throughout the west.

Pro-West Rodeo Means Professional Standards

The Association believes in our membership - in their ability, their professionalism, their integrity. By the same token, the association expects, and enforces, high standards of conduct from its members.

Pro-West Rodeo Means Top Contestants, Stock, and Contract Personnel

Cowboys are the world's finest rodeo athletes. Pro-west matches these athletes against some of the best and toughest rodeo livestock in the world. The association's stock contractors consistently offer spectators the best rodeo livestock available. This combination of top cowboys and rank stock adds up to the unparalleled excitement of "America's most dangerous sport." From courageous bullfighters, and barrelmen to a selection of veteran announcers, secretaries, and member photographers. Pro-west rodeo offers the smoothest, most-efficiently managed rodeo package available. Even our behind-the scenes chute help consist of card-carrying association members.

The Committee & Pro-West

Ever since a group of cowboys banded together in 1967 to insure fair and consistent judging, prize money, and standards of competition, rodeo committees have played an important role in the success of the sport, through the pro-west. Rodeo committeemen have actively helped formulate pro-west rules and policies. Today, rodeo committees are fully represented on the pro-west board of directors. A committee's success, both financially and in terms of community service, is viewed by the pro-west as a vital element in professional rodeo's past - and especially in its future growth.

Presidents

1967-1969	Mel Ames	1995	Dallas Kimble
1970	Tom Morrison	1996-2006	Al Earl
1971	Bob Jess	2007-2011	Darrel Diebel
1972	Orvil Sears	2012	Jennifer Case
1973-1974	Max Wilson	2013	Russ Cramer
1975	Ron Rinker	2014	Kelly Knapp
1976-1977	Tom Jess	2015-2016	Randy Rauenzahn
1978-1979	Steve Mclean	2017-2018	Kelly Knapp
1980-1982	Jim Parvin	2018	Kelly Knapp
1983-1984	Hiram Mulrony	2019	Rick Merrill
1985-1990	Dallas Kimble	2020-2021	Ray Hanson
1991-1994	Bruce Matsumura		

Secretaries

1967-1969	Geral Cox	1980-1981	Cynthia Avery	1995-2005	Sandy Sullivan
1970-1971	Marilyn Bolyard	1982-1983	Gaye Rauenzahn	2006-2008	Kathy Proctor
1972-1974	Shirley Sears	1984-1987	Barbara Creer	2009-2013	Julie Streeter
1975	Dot Snyder	1988	Janet O'Neil	2014-2019	Marianne Sharp
1976-1977	Phyllis Jess	1989-1990	Toni Zunker	2020-2021	Sharee LaRue
1978-1979	Audrey Mclean	1991-1994	Gail Matsumura		

Men's All Around Champions

1967	Bill Mccullough	1992-1998	Sam Willis
1970-1972	Martin Haptonstall	1999	Brian West
1973	Dan Dailey	2000-2003	Sam Willis
1974-1975	Wayne Henderson	2004	Shane Proctor
1976	Paul Carpenter	2005-2006	Brett Hale
1977	Brent Minor	2007	Nick Gutzwiler
1978-1980	Jim Parvin	2008	Brett Hale
1981	J. T. Schlect	2009	Jason Minor
1982	Glen Morgan	2010-211	Shane Erickson
1983-1984	Pat Minor	2012-2016	Jacob Stacy
1985	Mike Fuller	2017	Jason Minor
1987	Tony Currin	2018	Jordan Tye
1988	Tom Camarillo	2019	Shane Erickson
1989	John Schoorl	2020	COVID
1990	Ron Hall	2021	Brett Hale
1991	Jason Jackson		

Women's All Around Champions

1983-1994	Jill Rugg	1994-1996	Kim Thomas	2012	Jade Crossley
1985	Maureen Healy	1997-1999	Chrissy Clark	2013-2016	Jordan Crossley
1986	Jill Rugg	2000-2003	Sammy Jo Willis	2017	Jade Crossley
1987	Lisa Schaefer	2004	Melody Smith	2018	Jordan Minor
1988-1989	Jill Rugg	2005	Sally Brown	2019	Kaycie Teague
1990	Cheri Fuller	2006-2009	Jordan Crossley	2020	COVID
1991-1992	Brenda Mays	2010	Jade Crossley	2021	Taylor Eller
1993	Michelle Inman	2011	Jordan Crossley		

Rookie of the Year

1970	Wayne Henderson	1991	Kim Thomas	2007	Kyle Sloan
1972	Jim Parvin	1992	Amy Alexander	2008	Debbie Rutherford
1976	Dick Fenton	1993	Shane Erickson	2009	Britni Thorpe
1978	Pat Price	1994	Josie Bronkhorst	2010	Peyton Rose
1979	Dave Inman	1995	Jolene Douglas	2011	Evan Miller
1980	Tony Stevenson	1996	James Ireland	2012	Derek Kolbaba
1981	Jeff Jonas	1997	Gary Burt	2013	Cody Hudson
1982	Dick Whiteside	1998	Chance Finley	2014	Tony Martinez
1983	Troy Minor	1999	Steven Fazio	2015	Jake Taylor
1984	Jessie Colburn	2000	Seth Thompson	2016	Jhett Hale
1985	Scott Raley	2001	Casey Arnold	2017	Brayden Schmidt
1986	Brenda Grimes	2002	Sabrina Lay	2018	Kaycie Teague
1987	Brad White	2003	Jordan Crossley	2019	Sierra Greenup
1988	Cory Keeton	2004	Jack Fischer	2020	COVID
1989	Ross Murrow	2005	Sally Jane Brown		
1990	Jason Jackson	2006	Zane Ford		

Bareback Riding Champions

1967	Bill Mccullough	1996-1997	Philip Sweet
1969	Dave Elford	1998	Clyde Coker
1970-1971	Martin Haptonstall	1999	Jeff Bayes
1972	Dave Elford	2000	Bobby Winn
1974	Cal Parvin	2001	Grant Richie
1975	Jackie Reagan	2002	Jeff Bayes
1976	Dave Elford	2003-2004	Jason Femrite
1978	Jim Parvin	2005	Russ Smith
1979	Bruce Davenport	2006	Orlun Mcguffin
1980	Bill Beeman	2007	Ryan Schmelzer
1981	J. T. Schlect	2008	Justin King
1982	Glen Morgan	2009	Jesse Tennant
1983	Hiram Mulrony	2010	Justin King
1984-1985	Bill Beeman	2011	Noah Bayes
1986-1987	Jim Parvin	20122014	Orlun Mcguffin
1988	Jamie Payton	2015	Cole Apgar
1989	John Schoorl	2016	Cash Kerner
1990	Trevor Kothlow	2017	Kirk St. Clair
1991-1992	Mark Barkley	2018	Cole Snider
1992	Mark Barkley	2019	Christoph Muigg
1993	Clyde Coker	2020	COVID
1994	Rob Estabrook	2021	Arron Buckley
1995	Clyde Coker		

Barrel Racing Champions

1974	Janice Shaw	2000	Pamela Ham
1975-1976	Phyllis Jess	2001	Sammy Jo Willis
1978	Phyllis Bolyard	2002	Dawn Gibson
1979-1981	Pat Smith	2003	Sammy Jo Willis
1982	Susie Dade	2004	Shawnee Pickerel
1983	Rhonda Pickering	2005	Ashley Moberg
1984-1985	Jessie Colburn	2006	Jordan Crossley
1986	Brenda Grimes	2007-2010	Katy Bremner
1987-1988	Joan Eckman	2011-2013	Pam Capper
1989-1991	Carleen Alexander	2013-2015	Callahan Crossley
1992	Jerita Belyea	2016-2017	Teri Bangart
1993	Carleen Alexander	2018	Jordan Minor
1994	Kim Thomas	2019	Kaycie Teague
1995-1997	Jolene Douglas	2020	COVID
1998	Pamela Ham	2021	Acee Lucero
1999	Chrissy Clark		

Breakaway Roping Champion

1982-1989	Jill Rugg 1983	2005	Jennifer Erickson
1990	Jason Stewart	2006-2010	Jennifer Casey
1991-1993	Brenda Mays	2011	Jordan Crossley
1994	B. J. Campbell	2012	Caleb Mcmillan
1995	Shane Erickson	2013	Alexis Doutre
1996	Laurie Sloan	2014-2015	Jordan Crossley
1997	Jennifer Casey	2016	Bailey Minor
1998	Laurie Sloan	2017	Jordan Minor
1999	Kari Dell	2018	Bailey Patterson
2000-2001	Jennifer Casey	2019	Jordan Minor
2002	Jake Pratt	2020	COVID
2003	Margaret Reeves	2021	Jaycee Goodwin
2004	Kari Dell		

Bull Riding Champion

1967	Don Haddrell	1978	Bob Albers
1969	Bob Wegner	1979	Gary Bruhn
1970	Bob Cook	1980-1981	Tom Walters
1971	Dave Elford	1982	Mike Walters
1974	Gary Chumbley	1983	Tom Walters
1975	Ed Josie	1984	Dale Imes
1976	Dave Moran	1985	Scott Raley

1986	Gerald James	2004-2005	Dan Morse
1987	Ernie Marsh	2006	Cody Ford
1988	Greg Oules	2007	Jace Berg
1989-1990	Jeff Jonas	2008	Codey Brixey
1991-1992	Gene Hedden	2009	Laine Baze
1993	Brad Wilkey	2010	Dakota Beck
1994	Dave Canada	2011	Colby Reilly
1995	Kevin Childs	2012	Jace Berg
1996	Dieter Kunz	2013	Cody Hudson
1997	Jason Nixon	2014	Matt Loomis
1998	Mark Ireland	2015	Caleb McMillan
1999	Nathan Murray	2016	Jace Berg
2000-2001	Cole Harvey	2017	Caleb McMillan
2002	Dan Morse	2018	Jake Davis
2003	Rob Sweeney	2019	Cody Ford
2020	COVID	2021	Colton Scheiderman

Saddle Bronc Champions

1967-1972	Clarence Schneider	1994-1995	Charley Stovner
1974	Pat Fuller	1996-1998	Craig Wentz
1975	Jim Parvin	1999	Donovan Biegler
1976	Ed Hollowell	2000	Craig Wentz
1978-1979	Jim Parvin	2001	Todd Mckay
1980	Rich Thomas	2002	Robert Shannon
1981	Chet Pearce	2003	Donovan Biegler
1982	Glen Morgan	2004-2005	Ivan Tibbs
1983	Gerald Scholz	2006-2008	Devin Richter
1984-1987	Chet Pearce	2009-2010	Danny Alires
1988	Gary Bruhn	2011-2017	Jacob Stacy
1989	Chet Pearce	2018-2019	Wade Kane
1990	Mike Erickson	2020	COVID
1991-1992	Charley Stovner	2021	Ross Dowling
1993	Craig Wentz		

Steer Wrestling Champions

1967	Joe Schneider	1978	Bob Schall	1986	Tony Currin
1969	Tom Morrison	1979	Scott Harmon	1987	Dale Schaefer
1970	Darrel Betsinger	1980	Jim Olson	1988	Tom Camarillo
1971	Dale Rucker	1981	Mike Fuller	1989	Joel Knapp
1972	Robert Leer	1982	Rod Hostetler	1990	Ron Hall
1974	Max Wilson	1983	Sam Willis	1991	Joel Knapp
1975-1976	Jim Whiteside	1984-1985	Coby Combs	1992-1993	Sam Willis

1994	Joel Knapp	2005-2006	Dusty Kimble	2013-2016	Jacob Stacy
1995-1996	Sam Willis	2007	Luke Jeffries	2017	Trevor Maddox
1997	Joel Knapp	2008	Erik Johnson	2018	JW Crenshaw
1998	Sam Willis	2009	BJ Campbell	2019	Ty Sherman
1999	Dusty Kimble	2010	Shawn Brown	2020	COVID
2000-2003	Sam Willis	2011	Dakota Eldridge	2021	Ty Sherman
2004	Jeff Bowden	2012	Justin Luhr		

Tie Down Roping Champions

1967-1969	Mel Ames	1993	Dick Hoffman
1970	Dallas Kimble	1994	Sam Willis
1971	Wayne Henderson	1995	Charles Brown
1972	Dallas Kimble	1996-2002	Johnny Sloan
1974	Mike Bromiley	2003	Sam Willis
1975	Wayne Henderson	2004-2006	Brett Hale
1976	Dick Fenton	2007	Johnny Sloan
1978-1979	Mike Bromiley	2008	Brett Hale
1980	Larry Patterson	2009-2011	Shane Erickson
1981	Mike Bromiley	2012	Jason Minor
1982-1983	Pat Minor	2013	Will Casey
1984	Mike Bromiley	2014	Kyle Sloan
1985	Shane Crossley	2015	Jared Parke
1986	Tony Currin	2016-2017	Jason Minor
1987	Wade Jess	2018	Jordan Tye
1988	Bruce Posey	2019	Shane Erickson
1989	Troy Frazier	2020	COVID
1990-1991	Dick Hoffman	2021	Kass Kayser
1992	Troy Frazier		

Team Roping Champions

1967	Mel Ames	1980	Troy Perkins	1990	Dave Inman
1969	Orvil Sears	1981	Pat Minor	1991	Mike Fuller
1970	Bob Jess	1982	Hughie Reynolds	1992	Jeroll Campbell
1971	Chris Anderson	1983	Larry Patterson	1993	Buckey Campbell
1972	Dee Jones	1984	Pat Minor	1994	Mike Fuller
1974	Wayne Henderson	1985	Shane Crossley	1995	Wade Jess
1975	Tom Norton	1986	Mike Fuller	1996	Sam Willis
1976	Gary Sutton	1987	Wade Jess	1997	Victor Aros
1978	Pat Minor	1988	Dave Inman	1998	Willy Hart
1979	Hughie Reynolds	1989	Shane Crossley	1999	Matt Funk

2000 Header – Matt Funk
 2001 Header - Guy Gregg
 2002 Header - Charly Crawford
 2003 Header - Sam Willis
 2004 Header - Riley Minor
 2005 Header - Willy Hart
 2006 Header - Grant Shumway
 2007 Header - Mike Fuller
 2008 Header - Chad Evenson
 2009 Header - Bj Campbell
 2010 Header - Shane Erickson
 2011 Header - Shane Erickson
 2012 Header - Jake Stanley
 2013 Header – Bryce Palmer
 2014 Header – Jack Fischer
 2015 Header – Jack Fischer
 2016 Header – Taylor White
 2017 Header – Taylor White
 2018 Header – Jordan Tye
 2019 Header – Jason Stewart
 2020 Header – COVID
 2021 Header – Brayden Schmidt

2000 Heeler - Ave Inman
 2001 Heeler - Wade Jess
 2002 Heeler - Matt Funk
 2003 Heeler - Matt Funk
 2004 Heeler - Will Schmidt
 2005 Heeler - Brent Falon
 2006 Heeler - Brent Falon
 2007 Heeler - Shane Crossley
 2008 Heeler - Shawn Brown
 2009 Heeler - Bucky Campbell
 2010 Heeler - Shane Crossley
 2011 Heeler - Todd Cleveland
 2012 Heeler - Jake Minor
 2013 Heeler – Andy Carlson
 2014 Heeler – Brent Falon
 2015 Heeler – Brent Falon
 2016 Heeler – Jason Minor
 2017 Heeler – Jason Minot
 2018 Heeler – Bucky Campbell
 2019 Heeler – Calgary Smith
 2020 Heeler - COVID
 2020 Heeler – Andy Carlson

Wild Cow Milking Champion

1967-1969 Bill Bolyard
 1970 Pat Minor
 1971 Wayne Henderson
 1972 Lloyd Crossley
 1975 Bill Thackarey
 1976 Dick Fenton
 1978 Gary Bruhn
 1979 Gordon Johnson
 1980 Dick Fenton
 1982 Mike Erickson
 1985 Pat Minor
 1986 Brent Minor
 1987 Mike Erickson
 1988 Matt Erb
 1989 Tom Camarillo

1990 Levi Erb
 1991 Paul Erickson
 1992 Sam Willis
 1993 Jeroll Campbell
 1994 Matt Erb
 1995 Mike Erickson
 1996 Jaye Kuebler
 1997 Brian Thompson
 2000 Matt Erb
 2001 Sam Willis
 2002 Randy Thompson
 2003 Nate Kayser
 2004-2005 Brett Hale
 2006 Jeff Tosh
 2007-2009 Jason Minor

Queens

1967-1969	Vicki Mills	1995	Johanna Evans
1970	Linda Haptonstall	1996	Rebekah Dyer
1971	Melinda Kimble	1997	Katy Miller
1972	Cindy Biram	1998	Rose Miller
1973	Pam Kimble	1999	Michele Olsen
1974	Debbie Parsons	2000-2001	Keeva Walker
1976	Ann Shove	2002	Kate Fleming
1977	Nancy Fancher	2003	Lacey Rickey
1978	Melissa Riddle	2004	Michelle Hunter
1979	Tammi Mccabe	2005	Kristen Yates
1980	Barb Gutzwiler	2006	Alexcia Livingstone
1981	Chris Mitchell	2009	Brianna Vandekamp
1982	Pam Capper	2010	Amanda Hunter
1983	Malanie Mccoury	2011	Kelsey Gunnier
1984	Julie Stamps	2012	Christi Thompson
1985	Tammy Seamonds	2013	Riley Patterson
1986	Angie Demorais	2014	Kirsten Parvin
1987	Ginger Martin	2015	Courtney Brown
1988	Sherry Graham	2016	Rachel Mundell
1989	Valerie Bernica	2017	Hannah Holmes
1990	Melissa Ames	2018	Hannah Leib
1991	Jodi Grumbly	2019	Mollee Gray
1992	Jackie Staples	2020-2021	Keianna Patterson
1993	Janine Campbell		
1994	Francis Baldwin		