

2017 South Plains Shootout Rules

Entry and Draw Rules

- All pre-entries must be postmarked by February 24th. Entries after this date must pay a late fee of \$20 per rider, per office visit. Late entries will be taken until the first horse runs each day.
- Horse or rider substitutions will be allowed until the first horse runs each day.
- Vet/Doctor releases will be accepted until 5pm Thursday March 9th. Full refund (less the processing fee) with valid release. Fax # for vet-outs is 806-488-2146, e-mail address is: office@cbtproductions.com.
- Riding slots will be offered Saturday from 10am–2pm and Sunday from 9:30am-11am. A riding slot is a 30-minute open arena session with barrels, limited to 12 riders per session (no ponying or leading horses). Individual slots are \$15 each. Slots will be sold on-site ONLY, no exceptions!
- If you are a current BBR member and would like this race to count toward their finals, you must provide us with your membership number prior to running. If you wish to become a member you may purchase your membership in the entry office.
- If you are a current WPRa member and would like to be included in the WPRa results, you must provide us with your membership number prior to running.
- Entering this race gives the official photographer, Two Dog Enterprises, permission to take pictures of and during all contestant's runs. Photographs will be made available for purchase. Furthermore, CBT Productions LLC, has the right to use contestant's pictures for sponsor and race promotion purposes.

Running Rules

- In the event of a timer failure, a re-run will be issued. If a contestant decides to rerun, any penalties from the original run will be assessed.
- Horse/rider combos must compete in the order posted in the draw. A contestant will be given 3 gate calls. If you miss your run you will be considered a no time. If you compete out of order, you will be given a no time.
- If you get off pattern, do not circle a barrel more than once. Keep the ground as good and fair as possible. Excessive abusive of arena time could result in a fine.

Dress Code

- Dress code is required. This includes western hat or helmet, a long-sleeved shirt, pants and boots or riding shoes with heels. If contestant breaks dress code, they will receive a no time.
- There will be a hat fine of \$5 if the arena staff collects your hat. Fine is due to the staff member that collects your hat.

Complaints

- A contestant wishing to point out a discrepancy or file a complaint must do so with a CBT Productions LLC official, accompanied by a \$50 fee. All complaints must be filed in a timely manner to be considered. If CBT Productions, LLC sides with the contestant on the discrepancy, the \$50 will be returned, however, if the organization disagrees with the complaint the \$50 will not be returned.
- The CBT Productions official's decision is final!

Open Payback and Race Format

- The open will be a 5D race with ½ second splits.
- 75% of entry fees will go into purse. Of the purse money, 50% goes to that Day's Race and 50% to the Main Race.
- 100% of added money will go into purse. \$500 added to the Main Race (race #3) and \$1250 added to each of the Day Races (Saturday is race #1 and Sunday is race #2)
- Payback scale will be: 1D--30%, 2D--25%, 3D--20%, 4D--15%, 5D--10%, with an altered/reduced BBR suggested payoff percentages for the actual placings.
- Results will be calculated at the end of each day for that Day's race (Saturday is race #1 and Sunday is race #2). The Main race results will be calculated at the end of Sunday's open and will include all times from race #1 and #2. (Ex: If Saturday has 150 runners and Sunday has 175 runners, then the Main race will have 325 runners.) Runners that run more than one day will have more than one time in the Main race and can win multiple checks.
- Any unpaid money because of un-filled divisions will go to the winner of the 1D.
- For all other rules refer to BBR/NBHA/WPRa rules.

Awards

- Choice of awards (haybags, bellboots, halters and \$50 MVP gift certificates) will be given to the Top 4 of each division of the Main Race.
- Any ties for awards will be broken first by presence or representation and secondly by draw of a chip.

1D Shootout sidepot

- Open to any entry entered in the 5D race. Saturday and Sunday are separate sidepot races.
- It is a straight-pay race, no divisional splits. A hit barrel will be a 5-second penalty.
- \$200 entry fee, 100% payback. Race will pay 1 check for every 4 entries (1-4 entries pays 1, 5-8 entries pays 2, 9-12 entries pays 3, 13-16 entries pays 4, 17-20 entries pays 5, etc.). BBR payback scale will be used for the percentage split to each check winner.

Stalls & RVs

- Stalls and RVs will be handled by calling or texting 806-584-3439. Reservations will be accepted until 7pm Thursday March 9th, then on-site only.
- Stalls will open at 3pm Friday.

2017 SHOOTOUT SCHEDULE

Saturday--March 11th

9am--Office opens
11am-2pm--30-min riding slots
3pm--\$1250 added Open Race #1

Sunday--March 12th

9am--Office opens
9:30am-11am--30-min riding slots
10:30am--Church Service in grandstands
Noon--\$1250 added Open Race #2

\$500 added 'Main' race (race #3)
consists of all runs from race #1 and #2.