



California High School Rodeo Association  
State Finals Rodeo

June 11-17, 2023

May 5, 2023

Dear 2023 CHSRA State Finals Qualifiers and Parents,

Congratulations on your qualification for the 2023 California High School Rodeo Association (CHSRA) State Finals Rodeo in Bishop, CA. The events that you have qualified in for the 2023 state finals are provided by your district secretary. All questions should be directed to your district secretary.

**Please print and read this full entry packet and all of the information related to entries and the rodeo in general before accessing the online entry portal.** This important step will help you understand the details, deadlines and requirements which will save you time, additional fees and duplicated entries. Forgetting to enter an event or reserve stalls, camping, etc. will cause you to incur additional transactions with additional office fees which will not be refunded. Most all questions about the state finals rodeo can be answered by reading and referring to the informational packet.

Entries for the CHSRA State Finals rodeo are only taken via the [on line portal](#). All entries, stalls, camping and payments will only be accepted via the on line portal. The link to enter the entry system is included in your qualification email from your district secretary, as well as on the CHSRA website, [www.chsra.com](http://www.chsra.com). **Entries are open from May 8 through May 12 at 8:00 pm. Late entries will be accepted until May 13, 2023, 8:00 pm with a \$100 late fee.**

In addition to entering online, you are required to submit the following 3 documents/pages via [Google Forms](#) on or before May 22, 2023. **\$25 Fine for late or incomplete paperwork**

1. Grade Verification Form/Concussion Protocol/Medical Release
2. Most Recent Report Card (March Mid Term Grade check for those who are not on quarters)
3. Bishop Gun Club Waiver for Shooting Sports Contestants only-Bring Original to Check in

If these items are not uploaded on or before the deadline, your entry may be rejected and the next alternate will roll up into your position. **You will be assessed a \$25 fine for any late, incomplete, or missing paperwork.**

Congratulations again and I look forward to seeing you in Bishop!

Sincerely,

Jennifer Fleming  
CHSRA Secretary

**Documents Included in this Information Packet**

1. Rodeo Information At-A-Glance
2. Rodeo Schedule
3. Jim Usher Memorial Shooting Contest Flyer
4. Sample Entry Form Planner
5. Concussion Information Flyer
6. Disciplinary Action Information
7. School Verification/Medical Release/Concussion Information Signature Form
8. Bishop Gun Club Waiver (Bring to check in if entered in Shooting Contest)

Information At A Glance  
**California High School Rodeo Association State Finals Rodeo**  
June 11-17, 2023

**Rodeo Location:**

Eastern Sierra Tri-County Fairgrounds, 1234 Sierra Street, Bishop, CA 93514

**Rodeo Entry Procedures**

**Entries open on May 8 and close on May 12, 2023.** (Late entries accepted through May 13, with a \$100 late fine.)

<http://entry.kcirodeo.net/entry/std/Entryform.aspx?Association=CHSRA&Show=202202219>

- Payments must be made at the time of entry with either Visa or Mastercard.
- To avoid additional fees or multiple entries, PLEASE **complete the sample entry planning form** in this packet for your own use before accessing the online entry portal. This step will help to ensure that you have all of the necessary information ready for a smooth and complete entry process. Forgetting to enter an event or reserve stalls, camping, etc. will incur an additional transaction with additional office fees which will not be refunded.

**Required Documents-\$25 FINE FOR LATE OR INCOMPLETE PAPERWORK**

You are required to upload the following printed and signed documents along with your Latest Report Card (or March Mid Term Grade Check) via [Google Forms](#). (Link is also found on [www.chsra.com](http://www.chsra.com))

- Grade Verification Form/Concussion Protocol/Medical Release
- Most Recent Report Card (could be your March Mid Term Grade Check)
- Bishop Gun Club Release of Liability **if entered in the shooting contests (bring original to check in)**

**Rodeo Check-In** (refer to the full rodeo schedule within the information packet)

**Check-in Schedule:** Saturday, June 10, 12pm-3pm (All Queen and shooting contestants must be checked in before contests begin) (**Shooters must be checked in prior to practicing at the range**)

Sunday, June 11, 7:00-8:00 am AND 12 – 5:00 pm

Monday, June 12, 10am- 1 pm AND 3-5:00 pm

Tuesday, June 13, 10am -12:00 pm **Contestants must be checked in by NOON**

- Contestants are required to show membership cards at check-in. Cards can be found on your NHSRA membership portal, under documents. It is the "unsigned insurance card"
- Contestants must wear their district vests while checking in at the rodeo.
- **Contestants must be checked in by Tuesday, June 14 @ NOON or may be disqualified.**

**Stall/Pen Rentals**

All stalls/pens are reserved and paid for through the online entry portal. Please fill requests out on entry portal. These are the only requests that will be acknowledged.

- Contestants may reserve the same number of stalls/pens as events qualified in for \$70 each. 1 event = 1 stall
  - Districts must submit names of contestants who will bring haze horses and turn back horses
- There are box stalls, covered pens and uncovered pens. You will identify the type of stall/pen requested.  
**Attempts are made to fulfill requests but are not guaranteed.**
- Only one horse is allowed per stall/pen.
- **STALLS MAY NOT BE USED AS TACK ROOMS**
- All stalls/pens come with one bale of shavings.
- Stallions must have a box stall- reserved as STALL-STALLION BOX and state in request box
- Mandatory stall/pen cleaning information-bring your own supplies, no cleaning tools are on site
  - All pens and box stalls must be completely cleaned out and manure dumped in roll off bins. If your stall is not cleaned out upon departure, you will be charged \$200 and deemed a member not in good standing
- Extra stalls beyond the number of events qualified may be available for \$150 each and will be located in the uncovered pens. We will know after May 23 if extra pens are available.
- **DO NOT SHOW UP AT THE GATE WITH HORSES THAT YOU HAVE NOT RESERVED A STALL FOR**
- Panel pens in the barns must be cleaned and vacated by SUNDAY, JUNE 18 at 8:00 am
- Questions regarding stalling may be directed to Melissa Budden **AFTER May 23<sup>rd</sup>** 530-520-8730

**Camping-GATES WILL OPEN ON SATURDAY, JUNE 11 at 10:00 am**

Camping reservations are made and paid for through the online entry portal. Each FAMILY is allowed to reserve ONE camping site. Additional sites may be available after MAY 23rd at an additional charge. The length of your trailer/RV is required, so have the information available when you begin your entry.

• **IF YOU PLAN TO CAMP AS A GROUP, YOU MUST ARRIVE AT THE FAIRGROUNDS AS A GROUP**

- Staff and volunteers will park you. Be respectful and courteous- Contestants are held accountable for parent/guardian's actions
- RV or Trailer - \$250 per site w/hook-ups and/or portable septic pumping every other day
- Dry/tent camping - \$100
- Campsites 40' in length, longer rigs may be parked in a different area-Length is required on entry form
- Horses are not allowed in any camping areas. Make arrangements to transport tack to the barn/stall areas.
- Tents are not allowed to take a camp spot in the main campground. Trucks are not allowed to park in camping spots
- Additional camping may be available AFTER MAY 23-all contestants will be notified if spots are available
- You must clean up after yourself at your campsite. You will be charged \$200 if trash is left at your site

**No Open Fires**

**No open flame fire pits or BBQs per the state Fire Marshall. Propane fire pits and charcoal BBQs are allowed**

**Personal Motorized Vehicles**

The Tri-County Fairground prohibits the use of any golf carts (except CHSRA staff), motorcycles, ATVs, motorized scooters or anything similar on the grounds. No motorized gas or e-assist type vehicles are allowed on the grounds. For example: personal golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, e-bikes, etc. Contestants will be disqualified if a family member, friend, or contestant is using one. Handicapped access or special permits can be requested by emailing Jen Fleming, [secretarychsra@gmail.com](mailto:secretarychsra@gmail.com)

The only exceptions are motorized wheelchairs.

**Automobiles/Trucks on Fairgrounds Property**

ONLY licensed drivers are allowed to operate registered vehicles on the fairgrounds. Public traffic laws are applicable within the fairgrounds. Unlicensed drivers are NOT allowed to drive on the fairgrounds for any reason. If unlicensed drivers are observed driving anywhere on the fairground's property, will be automatically disqualified. Please drive slowly everywhere on the grounds, and watch for contestants and horses. Gates will close to vehicles 30 minutes prior to start of each performance and open back up 30 minutes after each performance. This will be during both morning slack and evening performances FOR THE SAFETY OF CONTESTANTS AND THEIR HORSES

**Dress Code**

Please be aware of the areas where full western attire is required for both constants and associate members as dress code will be enforced per CHSRA and NHSRA expectations and rules.

- Contestants must be in rodeo dress code during the rodeo whether in the arena or in the grandstands. (See Contestant Disqualification, rule a. Attire – Page 28 of NHSRA Rule Book)
- Associate members must be in rodeo dress code while helping contestants in or near the arena. Watch for display signs for areas that required you to be in dress code. If in doubt, BE IN DRESS CODE.
- All contestants are required to wear their district vests and rodeo back numbers at all times whether at the fairground or in the community.

**Jim Usher Memorial Shooting Contest**

Sunday, June 11, 2023 @ 8:00 am @ Bishop Gun Club, 3949 North Sierra Highway, Bishop, CA (See Jim Usher Memorial Shooting Contest Flyer for more information) If you are entered in the Shooting Contest, you must upload the release with your other required documents. Questions regarding the CHSRA Shooting events, beyond the information flyer should be directed to Jeromy Sannar, [sjsannar@yahoo.com](mailto:sjsannar@yahoo.com), 530-370-5091

## **Mandatory Ground Rules Meeting**

Tuesday, June 13 at 2:00 pm in the grandstands

- Contestants are required to attend (in full dress code, including cowboy boots)
- Parents are STRONGLY encouraged to attend
- Student and adult event directors are introduced during the meeting
- **District team pictures immediately after ground rules, in the grandstands**

## **Contestant Welcome BBO**

Tuesday, June 13, 2023 – The Bishop Chamber of Commerce hosts a free welcome dinner for all of the CHSRA contestants and their families. Please RSVP when you upload documents, the number in your party that will attend so we can give them a count. Please attend and thank them for their hospitality. There are raffle prizes and we auction off the Calcutta Teams at this dinner

## **Student Officer Elections**

Student members may nominate themselves for a state office (President, Vice President, Secretary or Public Relations) on the entry form. Voting will take place June 13-16<sup>th</sup>

**Dance Rules** \$5.00 admission per person

- If contestants leave the dance, they will not be allowed back in.
- Inappropriate, lewd or lascivious dancing will constitute removal from the dance after one warning.
- Any contestants or participants suspected of being under the influence of drugs or alcohol will be removed from the dance with local law enforcement notified. Additionally, the contestant's parents, district president and state executive board of directors will be notified and appropriate consequences will be administered as per the NHSRA rule book.
- Contestants are required to wear their district vests and back numbers at all contestant dances.
- Jeans and shirts are required for the casual dances. No spaghetti straps, short tops or tank tops are allowed. Insignias on clothing must be positive and cannot advertise alcohol or tobacco products. Cowboy hats and boots are optional, baseball caps are acceptable. Queens must also wear vests and back numbers.
- Contestants who do not comply with dress code requirements will not be allowed in to the dances.

## **CHSRA Prom**

Contestants are required to wear western dress or formal wear, along with district vests and back numbers. Extremely short, low cut or revealing dresses are not allowed. Contestants wearing formal wear may turn in their district vests and back numbers at the dance door to be picked up when leaving the dance.

Each CHSRA State Finals contestant may bring one student guest. The student guest must be registered with the rodeo secretary and be issued a guest back number. Guests must follow all CHSRA contestant rules and dress code regulations. CHSRA State Finals contestants are responsible for their registered guest's behavior and can be disqualified for their guest's behavior.

## **Disciplinary Committee**

This committee of state board and district presidents (or designated representative) will meet 1 hour before each rodeo to discuss any rule violations (outside of the arena competition rules) that arise with contestants, parents or family members. On Monday and Saturday, a representative from districts 1,4 and 7 shall be part of the committee, along with members present from the CHSRA Executive Board. On Tuesday and Friday, districts 2,5 and 8 will be representatives, and on Wednesday and Thursday, districts 3,6 and 9 will serve on the committee. If a member is asked to meet with the disciplinary committee, the member shall have the district president or adult high school representative present during the meeting as an advocate for the member. Please see attached Disciplinary Committee description for more details

## Dogs at Fairgrounds

All dogs must be on a leash at all times at the fairgrounds. Please make sure to clean up after your pets and dispose of their waste in trash receptacles. If your dog is not on a leash, you will be asked to leave the facility. **Dogs are not allowed in the grandstands**

## Adult Conduct during CHSRA State Finals Rodeo

As a reminder, we are all on site to support and celebrate our student athletes' opportunities to compete and enjoy their state finals. Therefore, no alcoholic beverages are allowed outside of individual campsites. This NHSRA rule will be strictly enforced. State board members will monitor the fairgrounds each evening to ensure that our contestants and families are safely enjoying themselves within appropriate boundaries. All of the state finals volunteers are fellow parents so please don't put anyone in an awkward position requiring them to have to address another parent about inappropriate alcohol use or conduct. Make sure to pick up and dispose of your trash properly

## Awards Ceremony

The awards ceremony is Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. Awards are given to the top 10 in each event and based on average times of the 2 long rounds and the short-round. State finals event champions are determined by the lowest aggregate time or highest total scores regardless of the total points in the events. The national finals qualifying team will be announced at the award ceremony. You must declare Saturday night, by the end of the awards ceremony if you are going to compete at nationals.

## CHSRA All-Around Cowboy and Cowgirl

State all-around awards are based ONLY on the CHSRA state finals rodeo. No points shall be carried in from districts. See attached point table for All Around Points

## National Finals Qualifier Team Meeting– (Top 4 contestants in each event)

- A **mandatory** contestant and parent meeting for all national qualifiers is at 9am Sunday, June 18<sup>th</sup>
- If your contestant qualifies for NHSFR, you will need to notify Jen Fleming during the awards if you choose to decline the entry to NHSFR.
- The NHSFR is July 16-22 in Gillette, WY.
- All national finals rodeo paperwork must be completed and turned in at this meeting. Some of the paperwork must be notarized so please have your government ID with you. Notaries will be available on site.
- National finals rodeo camping and stalling will also be paid with paperwork submission.
- If you would like to complete any/all of the CHSRA paperwork ahead of time, it will be available on the CHSRA website in advance of the CHSRA finals rodeo.
- Payment must be made when paperwork is completed. Cash, check or credit cards are accepted. Credit cards will have a 3% processing fee

### ALL AROUND COWBOY AND COWGIRL POINT SYSTEM

Placing	1 <sup>st</sup> GO Round	2 <sup>nd</sup> Go Round	Short	Aggregate
1	10	10	10	20
2	9	9	9	18
3	8	8	8	16
4	7	7	7	14
5	6	6	6	12
6	5	5	5	10
7	4	4	4	8
8	3	3	3	6
9	2	2	2	4
10	1	1	1	2

## 2023 CHSRA State Finals Rodeo Schedule~Bishop, CA

**\*\*Subject to Change\*\* Watch for announcements\*\***

### Saturday, June 10, 2023

- 10:00 am **Fairgrounds Gates Open** for arrival, camping, and stalling
- 12-3:00 pm **Check-in Open** – Shooting contestants and queens must be checked in prior to competition

### Sunday, June 11, 2023

- 7:00-8:00 am **Check-in Open** at Tallman Building (Shooting and Queen Contestants Only)
- 8:30 am **Mandatory Light Rifle Contestant Check In and Safety Inspection**
- 9:00 am **Ground Rules Meeting** – Bishop Gun Club- Relay #1 to begin immediately following Ground Rules  
**Jim Usher Memorial Light Rifle Competition** – Check for draw prior to event
- 10:00 am **Queen Contestants' Orientation and Written Test**, Patio Building
- 11:30 am **Queen Contest Judges Meeting** w/lunch, Patio Building
- ~12:30 pm **Jim Usher Memorial Trap Shotgun Safety Inspection, Ground Rules Meeting & Competition** – Will not begin until completion of Light Rifle.
- 12-5:00 pm **Check-In Open**, Charles Brown Building
- 1:00 pm **Hang Sponsor Banners**, Main Arena and Track, 2 people from each district
- 1:00 pm **Queens Personal Interviews**, Patio Building
- 5:00 pm **Queen Speech and Modeling** Home Ec Building
- 6:30 pm **Cowboy Church**, Outdoor stage/lawn
- 8:00 pm **Cutting & RCH Ground Rules**, Cutting Arena

### Monday June 12, 2023

- 7:00 am **1<sup>st</sup> Go Cutting**, Boys go first, Cutting Arena, RCH will begin immediately following
- 8:00 am **Queen Horsemanship** Main Arena
- 10-1:00 pm **Check-in Open**, Charles Brown Building
- 2:00 pm **Light Rifle Short Round**, Bishop Gun Club, Top 15 contestants
- 3-5:00 pm **Check in Open**, Charles Brown Building
- 3:00 pm **Tie Down Goats**, Track Arena
- 6:00 pm **Dummy Roping Party**, Wye Road Feed Store, 1260 N. Main Street, Bishop

### Tuesday, June 13, 2023

- 7:00 am **2<sup>nd</sup> Go Cutting**, Girls go first, Cutting Arena
- 8:00 am **Run Stock Through**, Breakaway, tie down, team roping, steer wrestling
- 10-2:00 pm **Check-in Open**, Charles Brown Building, ALL CONTESTANTS MUST BE CHECKED IN BY 2:00 pm
- 2-4:00 pm **CHSRA Silent Auction Set Up - Floriculture Building**
- 2:00 pm **Mandatory Ground Rules Meeting and Rough Stock Equipment Inspection**  
Main grandstands, full dress code required (including boots)  
**Team Pictures**, grandstands (Immediately following Ground Rules Meeting)
- 5:00 pm **Mandatory Rodeo Staff Meeting**, Patio Building  
Rodeo secretary, all judges, timers, state board members, district presidents or designees, announcers, stock contractors, queen contest chairperson, event directors (student and adult), arena directors, and fairgrounds representative
- 6:00 pm **RCH 2<sup>nd</sup> Go**
- 6:00 pm **Welcome BBQ, Calcutta & Chamber of Commerce Introductions**

**2023 CHSRA State Finals Rodeo Schedule~Bishop, CA**

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**Wednesday, June 14, 2023      Cutting /RCH Short Go    Rodeo First Go-Round      Red, White & Blue Night**

- 7:00 am    **Cutting Short Go**, Boys Go First, Top 15 Contestants- Cutting Arena, RCH will follow
- 9:00 am    **Rodeo Slack – First Go-Round**, 18 contestants in timed events, rough stock TBD
- 1:00 pm    **Scholarship Committee Meeting**, Patio Building
- 7-9:00 pm **CHSRA Scholarship Silent Auction Open**, Volunteer coverage, Districts 4, 5, & 6
- 6:45 pm    **Grand Entry**
- 7:00 pm    **Rodeo Performance – First Go-Round**, 18 contestants in timed events, rough stock TBD

**Thursday June 15, 2023      Second Go-Round Begins      Family Night**

- All Day    **Student Officer Elections**, Google Form
- 9:00 am    **Rodeo Slack – First Go-Round**, 18 contestants in timed events, rough stock TBD
- 1:00 pm    **Scholarship Interviews**, Patio Building, schedule posted at rodeo office
- 3:00 pm    **State Board Meeting**, Charles Brown Building
- 7-9:00 pm **CHSRA Scholarship Silent Auction Open**, Volunteer coverage, Districts 1, 2, & 3
- 6:45 pm    **Grand Entry-Senior Class of 2023 Presentation**
- 7:00 pm    **Rodeo Performance – Second Go-Round**, reverse order, 18 contestants in timed events, rough stock TBD
- Senior Class of 2023 Presentation**, all seniors in Grand Entry

**Friday, June 16, 2023      Second Go-Round      Cancer Awareness Night (Wear Pink)**

- All Day    **Student Office Elections**, Google Form
- 9:00 am    **Rodeo Slack – Second Round**, reverse order, 18 contestants in timed events, rough stock TBD
- 1:00 pm    **Queens’ Tea**, Patio Building
- 3:00 pm    **King’s Challenge**, Lawn, West of Home Ec Building
- 5:45 pm    **Grand Entry**
- 6:00 pm    **Rodeo Performance – Second Go-Round**, reverse order, 18 contestants in timed events, rough stock TBD
- TBD        **CHSRA Scholarship Silent Auction Open** - all bids close 30 minutes after rodeo Volunteer Coverage by Districts 7, 8, 9
- 9-11:30pm **Cowboy Prom**, Outdoor Lawn/Stage, chaperones provided by Districts 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9

**Saturday, June 17, 2023      Championship Go-Round      Senior Citizens’ Day**

- 8:00 am    **Lions Club Pancake Breakfast, Contestants Free- all others \$8**
- 12:00 pm    **Rodeo Championship Round**, top 15 in each event
- Coronation** of 2023-23 Miss CHSRA
- Drawing**, ATV Raffle
- Take Down Arena Banners following conclusion of Short Go, 2 people from each district
- 5:00 pm    **Awards Ceremony**, awards to Top Ten finishers in each event
- NATIONAL QUALIFIERS ACCEPT/DECLINE ENTRY BY END OF AWARDS**

**Sunday, June 18, 2023    National Team Meeting -      NHSRA Finals July 16-22, 2023 Gillette, WY**

- 9:00 am    **NHSRA Finals Contestants’ Meeting-Charles Brown Building**
- All National Qualifiers and their parents are required to attend**
- Bring one form of Identification for notarization of paperwork (both parents must sign minors release) (National Finals entry packet will be available online for preparation in advance)
- Meeting Requirements - Both Parents’ or Guardians’ and students’ signatures require notarization.**
- Payment of stalling, camping, jackpot fee and National Jacket required at this time*

# Jim Usher Memorial Light Rifle and Trap Competition

Bishop Gun Club  
3949 North Sierra Highway  
Bishop, CA 93514



## Schedule of Events

### **Saturday, June 10, 2023**

12 – 3:00 pm **Check-in Open** - Shooting contestants must be checked in prior to Roll Call at Bishop Gun Club

### **Sunday, June 11, 2023**

- 8:00 am **Light Rifle Check in at Range & Rifle Inspection-** Must have checked in at rodeo grounds and received back number to be eligible to compete
- 9:00 am **Mandatory Light Rifle Safety and Ground Rules Meeting** – Bishop Gun Club All shooting contestants must attend. *FAILURE TO REPORT AT Check In WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION*  
Relay #1 will begin immediately following meeting.
- 9:00 am **Light Rifle Competition** – Check for draw prior to event.
- ~12:30 pm **Trap Shotgun Safety and Ground Rules Meeting** – Will not begin until completion of Light Rifle.  
**Competition to begin immediately following Ground Rules**

### **Monday, June 12, 2023**

2:00 pm **Light Rifle Finals Round** – Bishop Gun Club. Top 15 contestants from first round.

## Important Information

- Any CHSRA member in good standing may enter and compete in the shooting matches.
- Members must enter using the online entry form, as with all other state finals events. Entries close on the same date as all other state finals events, no sign ups will be held at the rodeo.
- Contestant vest and back number must be worn at all times.
- Contestants must provide rifle and ammunition meeting requirements for this competition.
- Eye and ear protection is mandatory for all competitors while on the firing line.
- Any firearms displayed or brandished in public or at the Fairgrounds will result in disqualification from the CHSRA State Finals Rodeo.
- For Light Rifle Competition Rules, please visit the CHSRA web site at [www.chsra.com](http://www.chsra.com) and download the “National High School Rodeo Shooting Sports Guide.”
  - It is your responsibility to read and understand the rules. Please ask if you need clarification
  - Long sleeve, button up shirt is required as dress code
- Range is located approximately 5 miles from Tri-County Fairgrounds.
- Awards to Top 10 Light Rifle and Trap to be given at Awards Ceremony Saturday at 6:00 pm
- Bishop Gun Club waiver must be uploaded with Grade verification AND original brought to Check in
- Range will be open on Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> for practice, time is TBD
  - Member must wear back number and vest and have a parent or guardian present at all times at the range
- The top 4 placers from the shooting match will be invited to represent California in the national contest at the NHSRA Finals, July 16-22, 2023 in Gillette, WY. Contestants who qualify for the national team must plan to attend the national team meeting on Sunday, June 18, 2023 at 9 am to participate in CA National Team sign up.
- Direct all inquiries to Jeromy Sannar, the CHSRA Shooting Sports Director, (530)370-5091 or [sjsannar@yahoo.com](mailto:sjsannar@yahoo.com)





# 2023 CHSRA State Finals Rodeo

## Sample Entry Planner

**DO NOT SEND IN WITH REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

We suggest that you complete this planner before accessing the online entry portal to ensure that you have all of the necessary information to enter. You will need to know all of the following details to enter the rodeo, reserve stalls and camping, order spectator buttons, make event director nominations, as well as submit payment.

### Contest Information

Contestant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ NHSRA Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
District: \_\_\_\_\_ Rookie: Y or N Grade in School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ T-Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

Parent Name and Contact Number (before the rodeo): \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Emergency Phone Contact (on site during the rodeo): \_\_\_\_\_

Are you bringing a haze horse or turn back horse? \_\_\_\_\_

### Event Information

What events have you qualified for and are entering? \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,

\*Team Roping Position (header/heeler) and Event Partner's Name and NHSRA Number

### Stall/Pen Rental Information

The exact number of Stalls/Pens you plan to rent.

\_\_\_\_\_ # of Box Stalls \_\_\_\_\_ # of Covered Pens \_\_\_\_\_ Queen Stall (1 per district)

\_\_\_\_\_ # of Stallion Stalls

### Camping Reservations

One camp site is planned per FAMILY, (Additional site availability unknown until May 23). Every RV, tent or camper on the grounds must reserve and pay for camping site.

Length of RV/Trailer from tongue to end \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ # of Dry/Tent Camping

### Number of Spectator Buttons (These get you in to the evening performances)

How many spectator buttons will you need for family and friends? \_\_\_\_\_

1 button per person for the duration of the event (Contestants do not need a button)

### Bishop Chamber of Commerce Welcome BBO RSVP

How many people in your party will attend the FREE welcome BBQ ? \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment Information ( Credit Card)

Entries will only be processed with payment. Be prepared for payment with either Visa or MasterCard at the time that you complete your full entry and reservation.

## CONCUSSION INFORMATION SHEET

This sheet has information to help protect your children or teens from concussion or other serious brain injury. Use this information at your children's or teens' rodeo, events and practices to learn how to spot a concussion and what to do if a concussion occurs.



### WHAT IS A CONCUSSION?

A concussion is a type of traumatic brain injury—or TBI—caused by a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or by a hit to the body that causes the head and brain to move quickly back and forth. This fast movement can cause the brain to bounce around or twist in the skull, creating chemical changes in the brain and sometimes stretching and damaging the brain cells.



### HOW CAN I SPOT A POSSIBLE CONCUSSION?

Children and teens who show or report one or more of the signs and symptoms listed below—or simply say they just “don’t feel right” after a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body—may have a concussion or other serious brain injury.

#### SIGNS OBSERVED BY PARENTS, DIRECTORS OR JUDGES

- Appears dazed or stunned.
- Forgets their turn, is confused about the rodeo or is unsure of an event, time, or score.
- Moves clumsily.
- Answers questions slowly.
- Loses consciousness (**even briefly**).
- Shows mood, behavior, or personality changes.
- Can’t recall events prior to or after a hit or fall.

#### SYMPTOMS REPORTED BY CHILDREN AND TEENS

- Headache or “pressure” in head.
- Nausea or vomiting.
- Balance problems or dizziness, or double or blurry vision.
- Bothered by light or noise.
- Feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy, or groggy.
- Confusion, or concentration or memory problems.
- Just not “feeling right,” or “feeling down.”

## WHAT ARE SOME MORE SERIOUS DANGERSIGNSTOLOOKOUTFOR?

In rare cases, a dangerous collection of blood (hematoma) may form on the brain after a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body and can squeeze the brain against the skull. Call 9-1-1 or take your child or teen to the emergency department right away if, after a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body, he or she has one or more of these danger signs:

- One pupil larger than the other.
- Drowsiness or inability to wake up.
- A headache that gets worse and does not go away.
- Slurred speech, weakness, numbness, or decreased coordination.
- Repeated vomiting or nausea, convulsions or seizures (shaking or twitching).
- Unusual behavior, increased confusion, restlessness, or agitation.
- Loss of consciousness (passed out/knocked out). **Even a brief loss of consciousness should be taken seriously.**

## WHAT SHOULD I DO IF MY CHILD OR TEEN HAS A POSSIBLE CONCUSSION?

As a parent, if you think your child or teen may have a concussion, you should:

1. Remove your child or teen from the rodeo.
2. Keep your child or teen out of their events the day of the injury. Your child or teen should be seen by a health care provider and only return to competition with permission from a health care provider who is experienced in evaluating for concussion.
3. Ask your evaluating health care provider for written release instructions for your child or teen return to rodeo competition.

Do not try to judge the severity of the injury yourself. Only a health care provider should assess a child or teen for a possible concussion. Concussion signs and symptoms often show up soon after the injury. But you may not know how serious the concussion is at first, and some symptoms may not show up for hours or days.

The brain needs time to heal after a concussion. A child's or teen's return to rodeo practice and competition should be a gradual process that is carefully managed and monitored by a health care provider.

## HOW CAN I HELP KEEP MY CHILDREN OR TEENS SAFE?

Rodeo is a great way for children and teens to stay healthy and can help them do well in school. To help lower your children's or teens' chances of getting a concussion or other serious brain injury, you should:

- Help create a culture of safety for the team.
  - » Teach ways to lower the chances of getting a concussion.
  - » Talk with your children or teens about concussions and ask if they have concerns about reporting a concussion. Talk with them about their concerns; emphasize the importance of reporting concussions and taking time to recover from one.
  - » Ensure that they follow the CHSRA/NHSRA rules for safety and the rules of the sport.
  - » Tell your children or teens that you expect them to practice good sportsmanship at all times.
- When appropriate for their events, teach your children or teens that wearing a helmet can lower the chances of the most serious types of brain or head injury. However, there is no "concussion-proof" helmet. So, even with a helmet, it is important for children and teens to avoid hits to the head.



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## **Disciplinary Action**

CHSRA shall have the right and responsibility to enforce the rules of the National High School Rodeo Association. Action taken may include disqualification, censure, probation, removal, suspension or expulsion. Disciplinary action shall be authorized against any member, contestant, parents or guardian of members or contestants, or any member of the public attending a national, state/province rodeo, district qualifying rodeo or CHSRA sanctioned function. A member or contestant may be subject to all disciplinary procedures due to action of parent or guardian.

In the event that an issue must come before the disciplinary committee, the contestant shall be notified as soon as possible by the person or persons disqualifying the Contestant.

The contestant must have his or her district adult representative with him or her at the meeting. Parents and guardians are not allowed at the hearings.

The following disciplinary committee structure has been established for High School State Finals for 2023:

This committee of state board and district presidents (or designated representative) will meet 1 hour prior to each rodeo performance to discuss any rule violations (outside of the arena competition rules) that arise with contestants, parents or family members. On Monday and Saturday, a representative from districts 1,4 and 7 shall be part of the committee, along with members present from the CHSRA Executive Board. On Tuesday and Friday, districts 2,5 and 8 will be representatives, and on Wednesday and Thursday, districts 3,6 and 9 will serve on the committee. If a member is asked to meet with the disciplinary committee, the member shall have the district president or adult high school representative present during the meeting as an advocate for the member.

In the event that the president or designated representative are serving on the committee, another appointed representative (so long as the representative is not the parent or guardian of member) shall stand in with the member as their advocate.

## **Contestant Disqualification**

Please make sure to read and fully understand pages 34-38 of the 2022-2024 NHSRA Rule Book. This section refers to all ways a contestant could be disqualified from the rodeo competition. It is your responsibility to be familiar with the different offences that could result in disqualification from the 2023 CHSRA State Finals Rodeo. The following section is regarding conduct, and association with substances that will result in immediate disqualification: page 36, #7 a (1):

Having any association with alcoholic beverages, vaping, marijuana products, tobacco products, and narcotic or other non-medicinal drugs while in attendance at any approved High School Rodeo, whether at a motel or on the rodeo grounds or going to or from the rodeo or at any rodeo function. Contestants will be disqualified for the use of those products.

## **Social Media**

In accordance with the NHSRA rules for contestant disqualification under Conduct (3): Conduct or speech of any kind detrimental to the best interest of the National High School Rodeo Association or the sport of rodeo while in attendance or coming to and going home from a rodeo, CHSRA has expanded this to all platforms of social media. Any negative speech regarding NHSRA, CHSRA, the facilities, volunteers, staff, business associated with or member of the CHSRA State Finals Rodeo will result in automatic disqualification from the 2023 State Finals Rodeo and the possible suspension for the 2023-2024 rodeo season.

The social media policy will extend to any photographs or videos posted on any social media platform that shows the contestant's association with alcoholic beverages, vaping products, marijuana products, tobacco products and narcotic or other non-medicinal drugs while in attendance at any approved High School Rodeo, whether at a motel or on rodeo grounds or going to or from the rodeo or at any rodeo function. Contestants will be automatically disqualified from the 2023 CHSRA State Finals rodeo and be subject to the possible suspension from the 2023-2024 rodeo season.

### **Contestant Disqualification and Disciplinary Action-Continued**

If a contestant is disqualified from the 2023 CHSRA State Finals, the contestant will forfeit any placings, points, awards, monies and/or scholarships that have been awarded.

Page 6 of the NHSRA Rule Book states: (10) Disciplinary action(s): Any member of a State/Province Association, student or adult who: a) fails to comply with the requirements and standards for members contained in the Rules, By-laws and Constitution or Policy Statements of the Association as adopted by the National Board of Directors or the National Executive Committee; b) engages in the acts of insubordination, serious misconduct association with alcohol, narcotic or other non-medicinal drugs or acts which are detrimental to the reputation, principles and interests of the Association; c) engages in conduct constituting grounds for disqualification from any event or function as provided in the NHSRA rules; or d) any other acts specified hereafter, shall be subject to the Disciplinary Action provided below. Violation of any of the provisions of the Rules, By-laws and Constitution by the parents or guardians of a student member of the NHSRA will subject the student member to all levels of the Disciplinary Action provided herein. (Found in 2022-2024 NHSRA Rule Book, page 6)



**California High School Rodeo Association  
State Finals Rodeo  
June 11-17, 2023**

**School Verification/Medical Release Form**

Contestant Name	Membership #	District
Address	City	Zip Code
Parent Phone #	School Attending	

**School Verification**

I certify that this student meets National High School Rodeo Association’s GRADE AND CONDUCT qualifications and CHSRA Requirements: Student has at least a 2.0 GPA as of the latest “Grading Period” (covering 5 or more weeks) including a Quarter, Semester, or Progress Reports mailed home that are generated with all current grades and mailed to all students. No “Walk Around” grades accepted. NOTE: Student must be in good standing; not ruled undesirable for misconduct at school.

Signature of Principal or Counselor* & Position or Title	Phone #	Date
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**\*Original School Stamp or Seal must be included on this form**

**Medical Release and Acknowledgement of Concussion Information Protocol**

We, the parents or guardians of: \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of contestant) give the Northern Inyo Hospital and the Physicians on the medical staff of the hospital permission to administer NECESSARY, EMERGENCY treatment for injuries he or she may incur while participating in the California Junior High Rodeo Division State Finals rodeo. We understand that each contestant must be and is covered by medical insurance. We hereby release the Northern Inyo Hospital physicians on the medical staff from all liability except for negligence. We the undersigned also do hereby release and discharge the California High School Rodeo Association, its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims, demands, damages, suits, actions or causes of actions which may or can be suffered by said son or daughter while participating in the said rodeo. This release is full and complete and is not contingent upon any act, work or deed by either the undersigned or he sponsoring bodies and individuals of said rodeo.

\*\*\*I acknowledge that I have received and read the CHSRA Concussion Information Sheet.

\*\*\*I acknowledge that I have received and read the CHSRA Disciplinary Action Sheet.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent or guardian must sign, regardless of age of contestant.)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Contestant)

**This form must be signed, dated and uploaded by May 22, 2023, to document link on CHSRA.com**

# BISHOP GUN CLUB

## **RELEASE, WAIVER, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT**

I acknowledge that I am over the age of eighteen (18) years. I, and on behalf of my heirs, agents, assigns, beneficiaries, executors, successors and administrators, state that I understand that the activity that I have chosen to participate in at the Bishop Gun Club (BGC) Facility is extremely hazardous because loaded firearms are discharged at the BGC Facility, not only by myself but also by other BGC Members, guests, visitors and others. This hazardous activity could result in great bodily injury or death

**ON BEHALF OF MYSELF, MY FAMILY MEMBERS AND MY GUESTS, I VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS (including, without limitation, the risk of great bodily injury or death)** associated with the use of the BGC Facility, including all risks associated with the use and discharge of firearms by myself and others, the accidental discharge of firearms by myself or others, and the observation of and/or participation in BGC sponsored events.

On behalf of myself, my family members, guests, heirs, agents, assigns, beneficiaries, executors and administrators, and for the consideration of being allowed to enter and use the BGC Facility and services of BGC, and for other valuable considerations, I, do hereby absolutely and unequivocally agree to release, indemnify, save, hold harmless and defend BGC, its Officers, Board Members, Match Directors, Members, sponsors, agents, employees, instructors, assigns and successors in interest, from any and all claims, demands, debts, obligations, liabilities, costs, expenses, rights of action, causes of action and judgments of any kind or character whatsoever (whether claimed by myself or another person or entity) which may arise out of any loss, damage, injury or death which I, my family members, my guests or any third parties may, or do, sustain while on the BGC premises caused by my use, or any third party use of the BGC Facility including the discharge of firearms. This includes, without limitation all damages, injuries or death caused by my actions and/or negligence, and the actions of my guests or minors that I have brought to BGC. I also release the BGC for any theft, unexplained disappearance or damage to my personal property while at the BGC Facility.

I further acknowledge the right of BGC Officers, Directors or Range Officers to immediately terminate my participation in the use of the BGC Facilities and/or activities upon my failure or the failure of my guests to fully comply with any and all BGC Range Rules and Regulations and/or the directions of all BGC Officers, Directors and Range Officers.

I hereby state and affirm that I am under no legal injunction or other order that prohibits me from owning, possessing, handling or using any of the firearms or ammunition that are used by myself, my family or guests at the BGC Facility. I will comply with all Federal, State and Local laws while at the BGC Facility.

By my signature below, I certify that I have read, understand and agree to the terms and conditions of this Release Agreement. I also agree that I (and any minors and guests brought with me) will, at all times within the BGC Facility for the calendar year in which this agreement is signed, wear appropriate eye and ear protection. It is acknowledged that this Release Agreement applies at all times and during all visits to this BGC Facility.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature (if participant is under 18)