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RANCH RODEO

TO: All Interested Ranch Rodeo Participants

Join us, June 2nd, 7:00 p.m. at the Finney County Fairgrounds Arena, for the Beef Empire Days Ranch Rodeo presented by SPECIALTY RISK INSURANCE.

- **CHANGES HAVE BEEN MADE TO EVENTS – PLEASE REFER TO RULES.**

- The top six teams will be brought back for the short go.
- Enclosed are the general rules and entry forms. **Please refer to new events and rules.** Don't delay, *we only accept the first 20 paid, complete entries.*
- **Entry Forms Due in the Office by Friday, May 26, 2023.**
- Entry fees are \$315 per team, and we anticipate that the 20 available spaces will fill quickly.
- The payout will be as follows (based on 20 teams entering). In the overall rodeo, we will pay the top 4 places including:
 - 1st= \$1575 per team
 - 2nd=\$1350 per team
 - 3rd= \$900 per team
 - 4th= \$675 per team

Questions? regarding the Ranch Rodeo, or the 2023 Beef Empire Days celebration please do not hesitate to contact one of the event Chairman, Todd Grothusen, or Dominic Stephens or the Beef Empire Days office. Thank you once again for your support of Beef Empire Days and we look forward to seeing you at the 2023 Beef Empire Days celebration.

You can download all forms and rules at beefempiredays.com as well as pay your entry fee online.

Todd Grothusen

Event Chairman
Beef Empire Days Ranch Rodeo
620-214-4675

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Event Co-Chair
Beef Empire Days Ranch Rodeo
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RANCH RODEO RULES

1. The judge's decision is FINAL, No Exceptions!!!
2. No unnecessary roughness to cattle. Cattle well-being is the upmost important.
(Choking, front leg roped, etc.)
3. If any harm comes to the cattle, the price of the animal will come out of the payout before any checks are written.
4. No bad attitudes or you will be disqualified.
5. Event #1 is Sorting and Penning
 - 20 head will be in the east end of the area
 - All 20 head will be numbered
 - As you cross the line a number will be called out
 - Example: If you get #5, you bring out 5 and 6
 - No order
 - You can have 1 and only 1 extra head at any point across the line
 - Extra head must be returned to the herd before time stops
 - Pen your 2 head at west end of arena in the pen and close gate
 - 2 minute time limit
 - No more than 2 team members in the herd
 - No Lopping in the herd – Instant Disqualification
 - Must be done like your boss is watching!
6. Event # 2 is Doctoring and Mugging -- 2 head in the area - use each of them
7. Doctoring:
 - Animal must be roped (Headed and Healed)
 - Laid flat on one side
 - Marked on head with chalk. The chalk must be applied with the cowboy off his horse and the rope must be removed.
8. Mugging
 - Animal must be Headed only
 - Tying 2 legs opposite of each other (2 Bones or 3 Bones)
 - Has to stay down for at least 6 seconds

9. There is no loop limit **BUT** you must make head catch in 30 seconds
 - A stop watch will start on each animal once a roper pursues that animal
 - When a heal shot is taken animal is committed to the doctoring
10. For a head catch to be legal, it has to be on neck or head of the cow.
 - No single front legs
 - No mid sections
 - No front legs
 - Legal catch only
11. Time stops when all team members and their ropes are across the finish line
 - Either on foot or horseback
 - 2 Minute 30 Second Time limit
12. Can't be tied hard and fast
 - If you get off your horse you must pop your dallys
13. Top six teams will come back to the short round.
 - Short Round Event TBD
14. We will pay 4 places, which will be determined by the best times.
 - Saddles will be awarded to the Champion Team.
15. You may only be on one team!
16. Thank you for entering! Play fair and have fun!

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RANCH RODEO OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Friday, June 2nd at 7:00 p.m.
Finney County Fairgrounds
Garden City, KS



TEAM NAME: _____

OPERATION NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT NUMBER: _____

MEMBERS

1.) _____ (TEAM CAPTAIN)
Please Print Name

2.) _____
Please Print Name

3.) _____
Please Print Name

SADDLES AWARDED TO
THE CHAMPION TEAM

Please give a little information about your team /or team members:

Due By: Friday May 26, 2023

Please mail the following three items

- \$315 entry fee
- Release form
- Entry form

Payable To: Beef Empire Days, Inc.

You can also enter and pay online at
www.beefempiredays.com

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RELEASE FORM - RANCH RODEO

We, the undersigned, agree to hold harmless Beef Empire Days, Inc., the Finney County Fairgrounds, the Finney County Board of County Commissioners and Finney County, from any injuries or accidents that may occur to us at the Beef Empire Days Ranch Rodeo on the grounds or in the arena.

THIS FORM MUST BE RETURNED WITH THE ENTRY FORM & REGISTRATION FEES

TEAM NAME: _____

MEMBERS

1.) _____ Social Security number: _____
Print Name

Signature

2.) _____ Social Security number: _____
Print Name

Signature

3.) _____ Social Security number: _____
Print Name

Signature

Date of event: _____