

To: Riding Participants

We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to participate in this year's rodeo parade! The 2025 San Angelo Rodeo will be held April 4 – 20, 2025. **The 93rd annual rodeo parade will be Saturday 04/05/25 at 10:00 a.m.,** and will be televised on KLST/KSAN TV.

The deadline will be 03/28/25 or the first 100 entries, whichever comes first. Please complete the enclosed 2 forms and submit as soon as possible. Instructions for the parade line up, judging, & route are attached. The criteria and guidelines utilized by the judges is also enclosed. Judging will be according to the American Association of the Sheriff's Posse and Riding Club rules. There will be awards distributed to first, second, and third place!

A voucher will be given to each participant riding in the parade. The voucher may be redeemed for FREE midway admission only. The vouchers must be redeemed at the appropriate ticket booth and are void after 6:00 p.m. on Saturday 04/19/25.

SEE BELOW PARADE RULES:

- No double riders will be allowed at any time during the parade.
- You may not pony a horse at any time during the parade.
- Horses must remain in the staging area with their group and shall not mingle with other entries.
- Nothing may be thrown, handed out, sold, given away, or otherwise distributed from any participant during the parade, or along the parade route.
- Anyone displaying the American flag must do so in a respectful manner and must be sure it is secured at all times.
- The committee and management of the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo Association have the right to disqualify any person that does not follow the rules given in this notice, and will be asked to leave the parade route to ensure the safety of the public and the parade participants.
- **PLEASE NOTE:** A policy regarding political entries has been established by the Board of Directors as follows: Political slogans and banners of any kind will not be permitted in the parade. Only elected officials invited by the association will be allowed to participate as dignitaries in the parade.

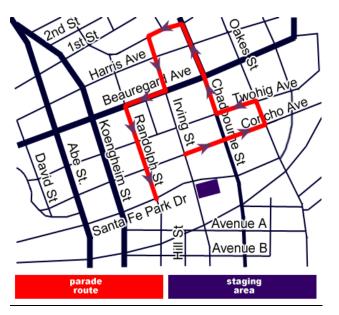
You may contact our office at (325) 653-7785 with any questions or concerns. We sincerely appreciate your participation. Please come help us celebrate our 93rd rodeo parade!

RIDING GROUP - PARADE LINE UP AND ROUTE

LINE UP INSTRUCTIONS:

All riding participants must be in line and in place by 8:00 a.m. sharp. The judging will begin promptly at 8:15 a.m., and the parade will start at 10:00 a.m. If you are not in line and in position, you will not be judged. Judging will end at 9:00 a.m. sharp. <u>PLEASE COME TO LINE UP AS A GROUP.</u> Riding groups will enter off of Bryant (Koenigheim St. or Abe St.) onto Avenue B, just SOUTH of the river. Riders will proceed EAST to Irving. There is ample parking along Avenue A and Avenue B from Bryant to Oakes. You may either park along the streets, or other various vacant lots throughout this area. **If your riding group has a wagon or buggy, it must line up with the riding groups.**

We want everyone to have an opportunity to be included in the one hour time slot of televised air time. PLEASE STAY CONSISTENT with the flow and speed of the parade by staying one car length (or 10 - 15 feet) behind the entry/float in front of you. We want to avoid large gaps in between entries! We appreciate everyone's cooperation in this matter.



PARADE ROUTE MAP AND INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. BEGIN AT IRVING AND CONCHO
- 2. PROCEED EAST TO OAKES
- 3. LEFT ON OAKES TO TWOHIG
- 4. LEFT ON TWOHIG, PROCEED TO CHADBOURNE
- 5. RIGHT ON CHADBOURNE TO COLLEGE ST.

- 6. LEFT ON COLLEGE TO IRVING
- 7. LEFT ON IRVING TO BEAUREGARD
- 8. RIGHT ON BEAUREGARD TO RANDOLPH
- 9. LEFT ON RANDOLPH TO RIVER DRIVE & DISMISS

SAN ANGELO STOCK SHOW & RODEO PARADE ENTRY FORM: RIDING GROUP

Entry Deadline: March 28, 2025 or first 100 entries

Please print or type, and complete the entire form. Illegible forms will be disqualified. PLEASE PROVIDE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS RIDING ONLY. THIS WILL ENSURE YOUR GROUP RECEIVES THE CORRECT NUMBER OF "FREE ADMISSION" VOUCHERS TO THE FAIRGROUNDS.

Number of Participants Needing Vouchers:

Name of Club, Posse, or Group:

Name of President:

Name of Officers or Queen/Sweetheart(s):

Please list awards, accomplishments, or other info:

Contact Person:		E-mail:
Daytime Phone #:		Other Phone #:
Address:		
City:		State: Zip:
Return To:	San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Attn: Parade Entries 200 West 43 rd St.	* You may also e-mail form to brenda@sanangelorodeo.com
	San Angelo, TX 76903	FMI Call: (325) 653-7785

San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Association 200 West 43rd St. San Angelo, TX 76903 Phone #: (325) 653-7785

Complete this required form and include with the original parade application.

Waiver of Liability & Release Form

Risks, hazards, and dangers associated with parade participation:

Parades involve inherent risks, hazards, and conditions that may be dangerous to life, limb, and property. They can arise in an incalculable variety of unforeseeable or foreseeable ways. These risks may include (as examples, but not necessarily as a complete list) the following: the presence and use of horses and other animals, motor vehicles, machinery, firearms, floats, wind, rain, hail, and other forces of the element. Complications associated with weather conditions may also include other threats such as the possibility of slipping/falling, physical exertion such as heat stroke, fainting, collapse, exhaustion, or other more serious complications.

In this regard, the undersigned hereby releases, waives, discharges not to sue, and agrees to hold harmless the San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo parade committee, all parade volunteers, employees and/or representatives of the San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Association.

DATE:

SIGNATURE:

PRINT NAME:

PRINT NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR ENTRY:

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SHERRIF'S POSSE & RIDING CLUB CRITERIA

BELOW RULES/POINT SYSTEM WILL BE UTILIZED DURING THE JUDGING OF THE RIDING GROUPS:

- Members carrying the flag leading the group, sweethearts, or mascots MAY be dressed differently or have different horse equipment than the other group riders. THIS IS OK, POINTS WILL NOT be subtracted in this case.
- The rest of the riding group should be **consistent and alike or similar** in their horse equipment and clothing. Example: if one rider has on black gloves, they should ALL have on black gloves, if not, then a reduction in points will be applied. Example: if some riders have on chaps, then all riders should have on chaps, or points will be subtracted.
- If one rider has blackened hooves, then ALL members of that group should have blackened hooves, if not, then a reduction in points will be applied.
- If a rider has NOT groomed their horse well, then points will be subtracted. Typically, hairs around and on the face should be clipped or trimmed. Also, the lower part of the horses legs should be trimmed or clipped (see diagram). If a rider has not trimmed consistent with the other riders in their group, then points will be subtracted from their score.

