

Coronation Practice

There will be a quick practice for coronation when the horsemanship portion of the contest is finished.

Enter arena at a trot continuing straight ahead, waving to each side, as your name and short bio are being announced. Create a straight line in the center of the arena. Stop, facing the south grandstand. After all contestants are in place, the category winners will be announced. If you are a category winner, ride three steps ahead, wave to be acknowledged, then back your horse even to the line. If you are announced as the new Black Hills Roundup Princess, Jr. Queen or Queen, ride forward and dismount to be crowned. After being crowned, remount; begin your queen wave around arena. Line of contestants will follow around behind you, and out the gate. **Please slow down as you approach the gate. There will be people in the alleyway.**

Prizes will be held **outside** the arena and presented to each category winner **after** the conclusion of Coronation due to short arena time. All contestants should meet back at the committee trailer to receive prizes and take pictures. This will only take a very short time. Thank you in advance for supporting each of the winners.

