



California Rodeo Salinas 2021 Calf Dressing Entry/Release Form

Team/Company Name: _____

Contact Email: _____

Company Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____

We wish to participate on (check one)

☐ Thursday Sept 23 ☐ Friday Sept 24 ☐ Saturday Sept 25

This date is not guaranteed, but every effort will be made to accommodate your request.

Entry Fee: \$150

Method of Payment

Circle one

CC Check Cash

Thursday & Friday Performances:

Meet at 6:15pm @ the Cowboy Statue

Saturday & Sunday Performances:

Meet at 1:15pm @ the Cowboy Statue

Participant Back Numbers will be issued the week of 9/21/21 at the Rodeo Office.

Each participant must COMPLETE the information requested below in order to confirm team entry.

Team Captain Name: _____

PRINT CLEARLY

Team
Member
1

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Team Captain Signature: _____ Date: _____

Back Number: _____
(office use only)

☐ I have read and accept and do understand the rules, indemnification and calf dressing procedures.

Team Member Name: _____

PRINT CLEARLY

Team
Member
2

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Team Member Signature: _____ Date: _____

Back Number: _____
(office use only)

☐ I have read and accept and do understand the rules, indemnification and calf dressing procedures.

Team Member Name: _____

PRINT CLEARLY

Team
Member
3

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Team Member Signature: _____ Date: _____

Back Number: _____
(office use only)

☐ I have read and accept and do understand the rules, indemnification and calf dressing procedures.

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:

California Rodeo Office
PO Box 1648, Salinas, CA 93902



INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS

CALL:

Jason Smith 831-970-1128
Rodeo Office 831-775-3100

Calf Dressing Contest Information

IDEMNIFICATION To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contestant shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless California Rodeo (Rodeo), and the directors, officers, employees and shareholders thereof and each of them from claims, demands, causes of actions and liabilities of every kind and nature whatsoever arising out of or in connection with Service Provider's services performed under this Agreement. This indemnification includes all administrative actions, enforcement actions, lawsuits, civil or criminal penalties, claims, liabilities and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs at any administrative proceedings and any court costs) in connection with, or as a result of performance of the services under this Agreement. This indemnification shall extend to claims occurring after this Agreement is terminated as well as while it is in force. The indemnity shall apply regardless of an active and/or passive negligent act or omission of Rodeo, or the directors, officers, shareholders and employees thereof and each of them but Service Provider shall not be obligated to indemnify any party for claims arising from the sole negligence or willful misconduct of Rodeo or its directors, officers, shareholders and employees thereof and each of them. The indemnity set forth in this Section shall not be limited by insurance requirements or by any other provision of the Agreement.

ELIGIBILITY

- Contestants will come from local companies.
- Contestants will be selected by each company to represent that company.
- All contestants must complete the Entry/Release form.
- All contestants must wear long-sleeve shirts and blue jeans. Baseball caps and headbands are not allowed during the event. NO steel baseball or football cleats.
- Contestants can enter the event only once, for only one team and can not be a substitute on another team for any reason.

THE TEAM

- Each team will consist of three (3) contestants.
- A maximum of 9 teams will participate per day on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.
- 1st – 3rd place teams from Thursday, Friday and Saturday will advance to the Finals on Sunday.
- Team members in Sunday performance must be the same contestants who participated in the preliminaries.
- Injury substitutions are not allowed. A team may participate in the finals with less than three members.
- **NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE TO THE ABOVE INFORMATION.**

DRESSING PROCEDURES

- At least nine calves will be furnished each day.
- Each team will have its own judge and will start against the West fence closest to the main grandstand.
- Calves will be turned loose on the track and will have 4 to 6-foot lead ropes attached to the halters.
- When the starting gun is fired the teams will attempt to catch a calf. NOTE: bulldogging, pulling the tail and any other unnecessary roughness will not be allowed. Knocking down the calf is allowed.
- Once a calf is caught by a team, it cannot be taken away by another team.
- After the calf is caught, one team member must hold the lead rope and may not hold the halter or touch the calf. This team member is not allowed to assist other team members in dressing the calf.
- The two other team members must dress the calf with a pair of blue jeans. Both hind legs must go through the jean pant legs. One Calf leg in each jean leg. The jeans must be pulled all the way up over the tail and the suspenders pulled over the head in front of the ears.
- When the calf is standing and properly dressed, the team's judge will give the OK for one team member to run to the Head Judge and call out the team's name.
- Each team is responsible for removing the blue jeans from the calf and returning them to their judge. Failure to remove the blue jeans from the calf may result in disqualification of that team.
- If any team member is intoxicated prior to the event, the entire team will be disqualified.
- After the contest has ended, only the three winning teams are to remain in front of the grandstands for presentation of the awards. All other teams are to promptly leave the area.
- **ALL JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL.** Any judge can disqualify any team if the judge sees that any rules are broken.

PRIZES

Daily prizes are described below. Each team member will receive a prize. Sunday winners will receive a championship belt buckle, second and third place teams will receive place ribbons.

Daily Prizes:

1st Place- Trophy Belt Buckle

2nd Place- \$50 Gift Certificate for Official Rodeo Merchandise

3rd Place- \$25 Gift Certificate for Official Rodeo Merchandise

RIGHT TO CANCEL: California Rodeo shall have the exclusive right to cancel the event at any time up to the date of the event if the event is materially impacted as a result of COVID-19 restrictions in any way, or for any reason whatsoever.

California Rodeo, Inc. Industrial Calf Dressing
Complete Release of Claims, Waiver, Hold Harmless Agreement
EACH CONTESTANT MUST SIGN THIS FORM TO COMPLETE THE TEAM ENTRY

1. **Today's Date:** _____
2. **Agreement:** As consideration for being allowed to participate and/or compete in the Industrial Calf Dressing event of the California Rodeo, Inc. the Undersigned (insert Participant's full name and complete address); **Agrees to the following Complete Release of Claims, Waiver, Hold Harmless Agreement**

(Contestant's Full Name)

(Complete Address with City, State, Zip)

Contestant Age: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____ / _____ / _____

We the Undersigned, on behalf of any minor participant(s) and for ourselves, our personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, spouses and assigns, do hereby:

1. **Acknowledgment of Risk:** The Undersigned on behalf of Minor participant(s) acknowledges that rodeos are dangerous and that the participation in rodeo events or related activities, as either a contestant, an employee or volunteer, exposes the participant to a substantial and serious risk of property damage, personal injury or death. The Undersigned expressly acknowledges that minor's participation in the California Rodeo Salinas will involve such a hazard and that there is Inherent Danger in rodeo that we each appreciate and voluntarily assume on our and minor's behalf. We further understand that other contestants and participants pose a danger to the Undersigned/Minor, but nevertheless, EACH VOLUNTARILY ELECT TO ACCEPT ALL RISKS connected with the participants entry in any rodeo events or related activities.
2. **Release of Sponsors:** The Undersigned/Minor being fully aware that participation in the California Rodeo Salinas will expose him/her to substantial and serious risk of property damage and/or personal injury or death, hereby releases all Sponsors from liability for any and all property damage, personal injuries or other claims arising from the Undersigned/Minor's participation in the California Rodeo including those that are known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen, future or contingent.
3. **Hold Harmless and Indemnification:** The Undersigned/Minor indemnify and hold harmless California Rodeo, Inc. from any claims, damages, losses, injuries, attorney fees, demands or expenses of any nature or kind and causes of action that may result from contestant's participation in all California Rodeo, Inc. events.
4. **Release, Waive, Discharge and Covenant Not to Sue:** The Undersigned/Minor covenants that the Undersigned/Minor shall not now or at any time in the future, directly or indirectly, commence or prosecute any action, suit or other proceeding against the sanctioning organizations or any subdivision thereof; California Rodeo, Inc., the City of Salinas, rodeo producer(s), stock contractor(s), chute contractor(s), arena operator(s), official(s), or any person(s) in any restricted area; officials, promoters, advertisers, Sponsors, Officers, Directors, employees, agents or affiliates, concerning, arising out of, or related to the actions, causes of action, claims and demands hereby waived, released, or discharged by the Undersigned.
5. **Assurances:** The Undersigned on behalf of said Minor has full power, authority, capacity and right without limitation to execute, deliver and perform this Release.
6. **Binding Affect:** This Release shall be binding upon the Undersigned and the Undersigned's spouse, legal representatives, heirs, successors and assigns.

This Release has been carefully and fully read by the Undersigned and the Undersigned fully understands its terms and conditions and has voluntarily executed and delivered this Release as of this _____ day of _____, 20____.

- THE PARENTS, CUSTODIAN, OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF EACH CONTESTANT MUST SIGN ALL RELEASES, WAIVERS AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENTS IF CONTESTANT/CARRIER IS UNDER THE AGE OF 18.
- IF THERE IS ONLY ONE PARENT, CUSTODIAN OR LEGAL GUARDIAN, THAT PERSON WILL ASSUME ALL LIABILITY AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

SIGNATURE OF CONTESTANT PARENTS, CUSTODIANS OR LEGAL GUARDIANS:

X _____
Print Name/Title- Contestant Signature Date

X _____
Print Name/Title- Parent Signature Date
(If Contestant is under 18 years of age)