

# MEDIA SERVICES & PROCEDURES

**Rodeo location:** Salinas Sports Complex \* 1034 N. Main Street \* Salinas, CA 93906

## Media Services

Media Booth \_\_\_\_\_ West side of arena, behind Pendleton Whisky Saloon  
Regular Hours \_\_\_\_\_ Gates Open – End of Show  
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## Media Credentials and Important Access Info

A *Media Credentials Form* must be submitted in advance by specified date below and verification of assignment must be obtained by Marketing Manager before credentials will be issued. The Media Credentials Request form may be submitted digitally at [carodeo.com](http://carodeo.com) under NEWS → Media Information. The form must be submitted by Monday, September 13th.

**Media Credentials and parking passes will be assigned, and we will schedule a time for you to pick them up (and then a place to return following each performance).** You will need to provide a photo I.D. The Rodeo Office is located at the South end of the Salinas Sports Complex near the intersection of N. Main and Iris.

Media Parking will be in Lot A (enter off Maryal Drive) north end of complex. See link to SSC map.

Only those bearing **Media Passes** will be permitted access to General Rodeo Grounds. You will need an additional badge to shoot from the chutes and in the photography pit on the arena floor. All access arrangements must be made with the Marketing Manager. News film crews may enter through Maryal Drive entrance and must have prior consent and proper parking credentials to park in the in-field near Pendleton Whisky Saloon. A camera platform has been erected in front of Pendleton Whisky Saloon for news film crew's use, as well as on the north end of the bucking chutes. The latest news, events, schedule, or event changes, etc. will be available in the Media Booth (behind Pendleton Whisky Saloon).

## Interviews:

All interviews with Rodeo President, Directors, Miss California Rodeo, contestants, and performers must be arranged with Mandy Linquist or Amanda Gianolini in advance. Last minute interviews cannot be guaranteed, and media are asked to respect the limited time and manpower of the marketing staff and the cowboys before and after competition. A Spanish speaking spokesperson will be available to Hispanic media services for interviews with advanced notice.