## **TVE Youth Rodeo**

# **Steer Riding Rules**

## **Ages 10-14**

# **Scoring**

- Animal must be ridden 8 seconds
- Time/scoring will start when the animal breaks the plane of the gate
- Rider and animal will be marked separately
- Each judge will mark 0-25 score on rider & 0-25 score on animal
- Judges will use stopwatches to verify the buzzer/whistle at the end of the ride.
- Head Judge's stopwatch is official and will sign all final score sheets

## Equipment

- Stock contractor will furnish flank strap
- Bull riding rope, helmet and vest must be furnished by contestant, any other equipment used is optional

#### **Disqualification/No Score**

- Not following judge's instructions
- Riding with more than one hand
- Contestant is bucked off
- Contestants free hand/arm touches animal, equipment or person before the required riding time of the event

#### Re-ride

All re-rides are at the discretion of the judges

Only 1 assistant per contestant behind chutes

All general rules must be followed