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**Silver Slate Arena**

# Western Event Series

## Terms & Conditions

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The horse show can be entered via email or text. For entries in NRCHA classes, copy of horse papers must be submitted to office prior to showing. By submitting an entry, you agree to the following: *By my entry submission I hereby acknowledge that I meet the criteria to compete in the classes entered according to the guidelines.*

**Email entries to:** [silverslatearena@gmail.com](mailto:silverslatearena@gmail.com)

**Text entries to:** 403-816-4602

**Entries are due: August 12 -13 – entries due Friday, August 4**

### DERBY

1. Derby for 4 and 5 year olds to be shown in snaffle or hackamore. Horses may not switch headgear within the competition. In the Non Pro Limited Derby, 6 year olds, may be shown in a snaffle only.
2. Competitors will compete in herd, rein and cow work. Go round money will be paid in each event.
3. Open entries are automatically entered in to Open divisions for which they are eligible (Open and Limited Open). Open money will be paid out 75% Open and 25% Limited Open.
4. The NRCHA rule book contains the rules for Limited Aged events and will be followed as printed.
5. Both owner and rider must be current 2017 NRCHA members.

### FUTURITY

1. Futurity for 3 year olds to be shown in a snaffle bit.
2. Open entries are automatically entered in to Open divisions for which they are eligible (Open and Limited Open). Open money will be paid out 75% Open and 25% Limited Open.
3. Competitors will compete in herd, rein & cow work. Go round money will be paid in each.
4. The NRCHA rule book contains the rules for Limited Aged events and will be followed as printed.
5. Both owner and rider must be current 2017 NRCHA members.

### COW HORSE CLASSES & RANCH CUTTING – August 12 - 13

6. Ranch cutting (does not included derby or futurity herd work) – horses can be shown in legal snaffle bit, hackamore, two-rein or bridle.
7. Contestants and horse owners must be members in NRCHA to enter in NRCHA approved classes. Membership not required for unapproved classes.
8. NRCHA rules apply for all classes (with exception of Ranch Hand) – refer to the 2017 NRCHA rulebook for complete rules and regulations.
9. Ranch Hand Class – Can use any legal bit (snaffle, hackamore, two rein or legal cow horse bit) regardless of age of horse. Modified reining pattern, rein/box or fence cow work rules apply
10. Two separate shows on Saturday and Sunday
11. Payout per show based on NRCHA payout schedule.
12. Classes that run concurrent (common draw) are as follows:

- a. Open/Limited Open Bridle
  - b. Non Pro/Intermediate/Novice Non Pro Bridle
  - c. 5,000 Limited and Non Pro Limited
13. Cross entry discount of \$80 for classes with common draw
  14. Riders are responsible to check in to office prior to class to verify entry
  15. Silver Slate Arena reserves the right to accept or reject any entry. All decisions are final.
  16. Silver Slate Arena reserves the right to cancel, transfer or reschedule classes or the event without notice &/or liability. In the event of cancellation all entry fees paid to date will be refunded.

### **CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES**

17. Points will be awarded in classes in accordance with NRCHA rules with the exception that contestants don't need to place in class to be awarded points.
18. Series point winner for selected classes from March, May and August events will be awarded Silver Slate Western Event Series championship award
19. Ties will be broke based on money won over series

### **SCRATCHES**

If an entry is scratched on or before Thursday before the show no fees charged. After Thursday contestant will be charged full fees.

### **PAYMENT OF FEES**

1. Entry fees are payable by cheque or cash at show. Payment may be submitted with entry or paid at show
2. Payments returned due to insufficient funds will be subject to all late fees upon re-entry and a \$50 NSF charge will also be assessed. Owners and/or contestants with payments returned due to insufficient funds will be reported to the NRCHA office and subject to NRCHA penalties (refer to NRCHA rulebook).