

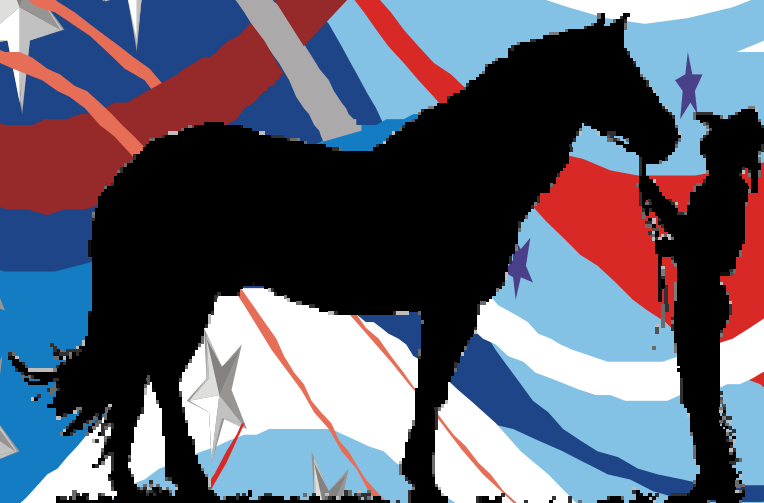
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Answer:

Young horses have 24 temporary teeth (called deciduous teeth)

Adult female horses have 40 permanent teeth

Adult male horses have 42 permanent teeth

(2 are canine teeth that the female does not have)

It really depends on the horse; some have more than others. All horses have at least 36 teeth, but can have up to 44.



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2011 Queen Miss Lauren O'Brien

Hey Everyone,

Well it is finally here and I hope everyone is ready, because this year is going to be GREAT! I know lots of us have put in long hours and hard work to make sure this year is great for all ages. I hope to see everyone there and ready to rock and roll. I know Renee is already in Bowie working hard to get things ready, a big "THANK YOU" to you. Also, to Peggy Franklin for working so hard on the list of riders for the program and to Stephani for all her hours of working on the program and the Riders Round Up. "Good Grief", I bet Don McEwen and Kathy Whatley have been going 90 to nothing this past month also. To everyone take it easy were almost there.

May was busy like all the months are, or so they seem. The first weekend I attended Pleasant Grove Riding Club and I had a great time. Thank you so much for having me and for my gifts. I am excited to see that group here in a few days. The weekend after that I attended Brushy Creek's Annual Royalty Social and had a wonderful time also. Thank you so much to that group and Miss Addie, you all also do such a super job. After we came home from Georgetown it was quite due to the EHV-1 virus, yucky stuff. Of course May had to end in a bang for me and my younger horse Quigley cut

his bottom eyelid, and well to say the least my horse and the vets here have become great friends. Hopefully I will be bringing him to finals but only so I can keep the medicine in his eye. I will be going to the West Texas Extreme Riders playday this weekend mainly to try a horse out that the "Super Scotts" have offered to loan me.

Playday Finals this year I have strived to make it outside the box, and well I hope I achieved that with my Queen's night on Thursday. We will start activities at six o'clock and we will play till we have completed them all. I have games for all ages and lots of prizes so plan to come, because you don't want to miss out. Oh, bring your camera because there will be sights to see.

For all of you who know and adore Carla and Heath Elifrits, you know they are having a baby boy, Case. So thanks to Charmie Sanders and Annette Waggoner, they will be hosting a baby shower in Case's honor on Saturday night at grounds. Hope you all can come and join us in the celebration.

Well I hope to see everyone on Wednesday ready to kick the week off, it's going to be super fun!!

*Ride Hard and Be Safe,
Queen Lauren*

President Renee Guthrie

Hey Y'all!

I would like to start out by congratulating ALL our graduating Seniors for their accomplishments and success!!! My, how these kids grow up way too fast! When visiting with different members and hear that have a graduate, I'm amazed because I still have them in my head as Pee-Wee's and Juniors.....LOL!!! (I know you do too!)

I Hope this time of year finds everyone well with horses in shape and ready for Bowie! Looks like everything is coming together for a Wonderful Finals. Queen Lauren O'Brien has scheduled something FUN at every turn! Be on the lookout every afternoon and have plenty of quarters on hand because our Princesses will be mobile popsicle sellers for the convenience of those waiting at gates and working around the barns when you might need a cool pick-me-up and can't quite make it over to the Concession Stand.

Please be sure and don't forget to have your Current Coggin's papers with you because we will be checking those at the gate this year! From what information I have been able to obtain about the EHV-1, we should be able to proceed without too much concern (or at least that is my understanding as of this writing).

Please remember that on Saturday, we have a small group of combined Districts running the event in Arena 2 and an even smaller group (the Officers) running the event in Arena 1. If you have anyone that has not already worked a shift or someone that is willing to go the extra mile, these two groups could certainly use some extra help in order to keep these events running smoothly and in a timely manner. Both of these groups will also need some help on Thursday in the Concession Stand if anyone could volunteer a little time in there as well. Any extra help would be GREATLY appreciated!!!

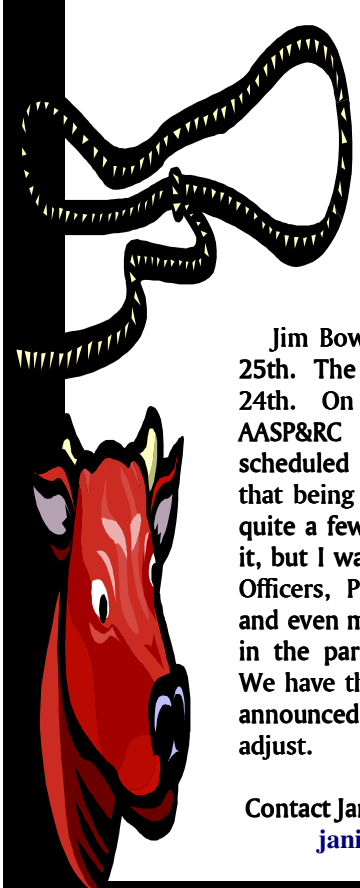
I would also like to request that we all make every effort to help with keeping our trash in the proper places and not allow it to blow all over the grounds. I know that those responsible for trash pick up every day will only be

emptying trash cans on the grounds and not picking up after us. Don has once again obtained a huge dumpster that will be in the usual spot behind the Concession Stand so we really need to take advantage of this. Just a little help from each of us would go a long ways for those left to clean up!

On Sunday, June 12th prior to Finals, Misty Martin, as Special Events Chairperson, is putting on a Ranch Sorting. For those that come up early, you may wish to play and get the pony's mind on something besides running and turning for an afternoon. We will have 4 man teams at \$40 per team.

Believe it or not, that's about all I have this time around, but you can probably expect a "book" next month....LOL!!! See you at Finals!!!

*May Your Arena ALWAYS be too SMALL to Hold ALL Your FRIENDS,
Renee Guthrie*



Jim Bowie Days

Jim Bowie Days is June 19th thru 25th. The Parade will be Friday the 24th. On the schedule of events AASP&RC Officers and Royalty are scheduled to be announced. I know that being the week after our Finals, quite a few will not be able to make it, but I was wondering if some local Officers, Princess's, and the Queen and even members would like to ride in the parade and be announced. We have the Association down to be announced both nights, but we can adjust.

Contact Janice Blahuta for more info:
janice@olewireless.net

Coggins will be
checked at the gate
and you will be
turned away
if you do not
have it.

Remember
if you are
planning to set
up panels for
your horses at
PDF, you must
wait to do that
on June 11 at 8 am

Urgent!

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anything to the Bowie address. All
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the Kempner address: AASP&RC,
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Executive Vice President

Hello all!

We are ready for playday finals! And such GREAT news about the saddles, I knew this wonderful organization would come together and make it happen.

What a busy month we've had, District 31 had an awesome playday on the 14th. the weather was so great, and we had a big turnout. I had a couple little kiddos with me who had never ridden, much less been in a playday, and man were they excited to win some ribbons. We finally got the much needed rain we've been praying for. Some more would sure help though. On a sad note, Leo Cramer's old horse "Freckles" died this past week at the grand old age of 32. And by the way Freckles registered name was ZUM ZIP LEO, imagine that! Freckles came to live with me several years ago and was ridden and loved by lots of kids. When Leo landed on my doorstep as a little kid (yes he has grown a lot) Freckles was a great teacher for him. His family decided that they would get Leo a horse of his own. Well we searched and searched but never really found the "right" one. I agreed to sell them Freckles WITH the stipulation that if and when Leo ever lost interest or if they just didn't want Freckles I would get him back. Well we all know that never happened, Leo got totally hooked and has become quite a horseman. I have borrowed Freckles over the years, he has carried officers , and royalty for introductions and parades and been through countless youth rodeos with kids learning the ropes. He was one of those great old horses that come along once in a lifetime and we are grateful to have known him. Freckles you will be missed.

*See you all down the road,
Charmie Sanders
Ex Vice President*



PDF DAILY TIME SCHEDULE WHEN AND WHERE'S



Tuesday 6/14/11

6:00 PM Sign Up for Stick Horse Barrel Race ----- Arena 2
6:30 PM Stick Horse Exhibitions ----- Arena 2
7:00 PM Stick Horse Barrel Race ----- Arena 2

7:00 PM Princesses Introduced and Decorated ----- Pavilion

7:15 PM Queen, Princesses and Officer - Meet and Greet ----- Pavilion

8:00 PM Rules Committee Meeting ----- Pavilion

*** Officers Meeting following Rules Meeting ----- Pavilion



Wednesday 6/15/11

Daily Events:

8:00 AM Grand Entry ----- Arena 1
9:00 AM Flying W ----- Arena 2
10:00 AM Bowtie ----- Arena 1
*Daily Awards 1 hour after last rider of the day - Pavilion



Night Events:

7-9 PM Pool Night ----- City Park

At dark - Wii dance with Queen Lauren ----- Pavilion

Thursday 6/16/11

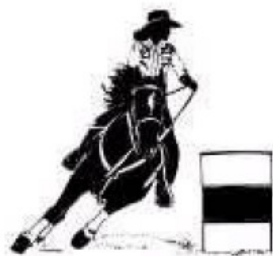
Daily Events:

8:00 AM Flags ----- Arena 2
9:00 AM Poles ----- Arena 1
*Daily Awards 1 hour after last rider of the day - Pavilion



Night Events:

6 PM Queen's Night with Queen Lauren O'Brien



Friday 6/17/11

Daily Events:

8:00 AM Pylons ----- Arena 2
9:00 AM Barrels ----- Arena 1
1:00 PM Nominating Meeting ----- Office
*Daily Awards 1 hour after last rider of the day - Pavilion

Night Events:

6:30-12:00 PM Dinner and Dance ----- Pavilion

Saturday 6/18/11

Daily Events:

8:00 AM Straight Away Barrels ----- Arena 2
9:00 AM Hitch n Go ----- Arena 1
*Daily Awards 1 hour after last rider of the day ----- Pavilion
**RUN OFF EVENT to be run by the Officers - Arena 1
** HIPOINT AWARDS TO FOLLOW DAILY AWARDS - Pavilion



Sunday 6/19/11

9:30 AM EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING --- Office

ARENA WORK SCHEDULE



WEDNESDAY 6/15/2011

FLYING W – DISTRICT 25

BOWTIE – DISTRICT 5

THURSDAY 6/16/2011

DOUBLE BARREL FLAGS – DISTRICT 14

QUARTER HORSE POLES – DISTRICT 31

FRIDAY 6/17/2011

PYLONS – DISTRICT 24

CLOVERLEAF BARRELS – DISTRICTS 6, 10, 17

SATURDAY 6/18/2011

STRAIGHT AWAY BARRELS – DISTRICT 1, 2, 8, 22 & 29

HITCH n GO – OFFICERS AND VOLUNTEERS

CONCESSION STAND

WEDNESDAY 6/15/2011

SHIFT 1 (6-11 AM) – DISTRICT 24

SHIFT 2 (11 AM – 4 PM) – District 6, 10, 17

THURSDAY 6/16/2011

SHIFT 1 (6-11 AM) -- OFFICERS and Volunteers

SHIFT 2 (11 AM – 4 PM) – DISTRICTS 1, 2, 8, 22, & 29

FRIDAY 6/17/2011

SHIFT 1 (6-11 AM) – DISTRICT 5

SHIFT 2 (11 AM – 4 PM) – DISTRICT 25

SATURDAY 6/18/2011

SHIFT 1 (6-11 AM) – DISTRICT 14

SHIFT 2 (11 AM-4 PM) –DISTRICT 31



CLEAN UP COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY 6/15/2011

TRASH - REGIONS 1 & 7

BATHROOMS – REGIONS 2 & 5

THURSDAY 6/16/2011

TRASH – REGIONS 3 & 6

BATHROOMS – REGIONS 2 & 7

FRIDAY 6/17/2011

TRASH – REGIONS 5 & 2

BATHROOMS – REGIONS 1 & 6

SATURDAY 6/18/2011

TRASH – REGIONS 3 & 7

BATHROOMS – REGIONS 6 & 5





Ground Rules for Playday Finals:

Horsemanship, Sportsmanship, Citizenship!

Current Coggins REQUIRED!

Rules of Conduct: Any act violating the Texas Penal Code will be cause for disqualification.

Unmanageable Horse: Judges may disqualify an unmanageable horse for reason of safety.

Any unmanageable or out control horses/riders on the grounds could be asked to leave.

**No Stallions in the Barns: (as per Stall Rules)
Stallions Must be kept in pens provided by owner.
(Stallion Pens Must be approved by Grounds Chairperson.)**

No Wire Pens.

No Round Bales.

No horses allowed between Office and Bathroom areas (see diagram) or in Camper Hook-up area.

No Horse Pens within 150 feet of Camper Hook-ups.

No campsites within 150 feet of Permanent Pens.

No tying horses to railings or arena fences.

**No attachments can be built or added to stalls or barn areas.
No expansion of stalls or shade barriers which cause obstruction in common areas.**

No more than 1 horse per stall at any time.

No "piggy back" use of electrical hook-ups.

**All campers are responsible for their trash pick-up in their area.
Regions/D istricts with trash duty are responsible only for common areas.**

No parking of trailers or vehicles between the ends of barns. Please do not block pathways between barns.

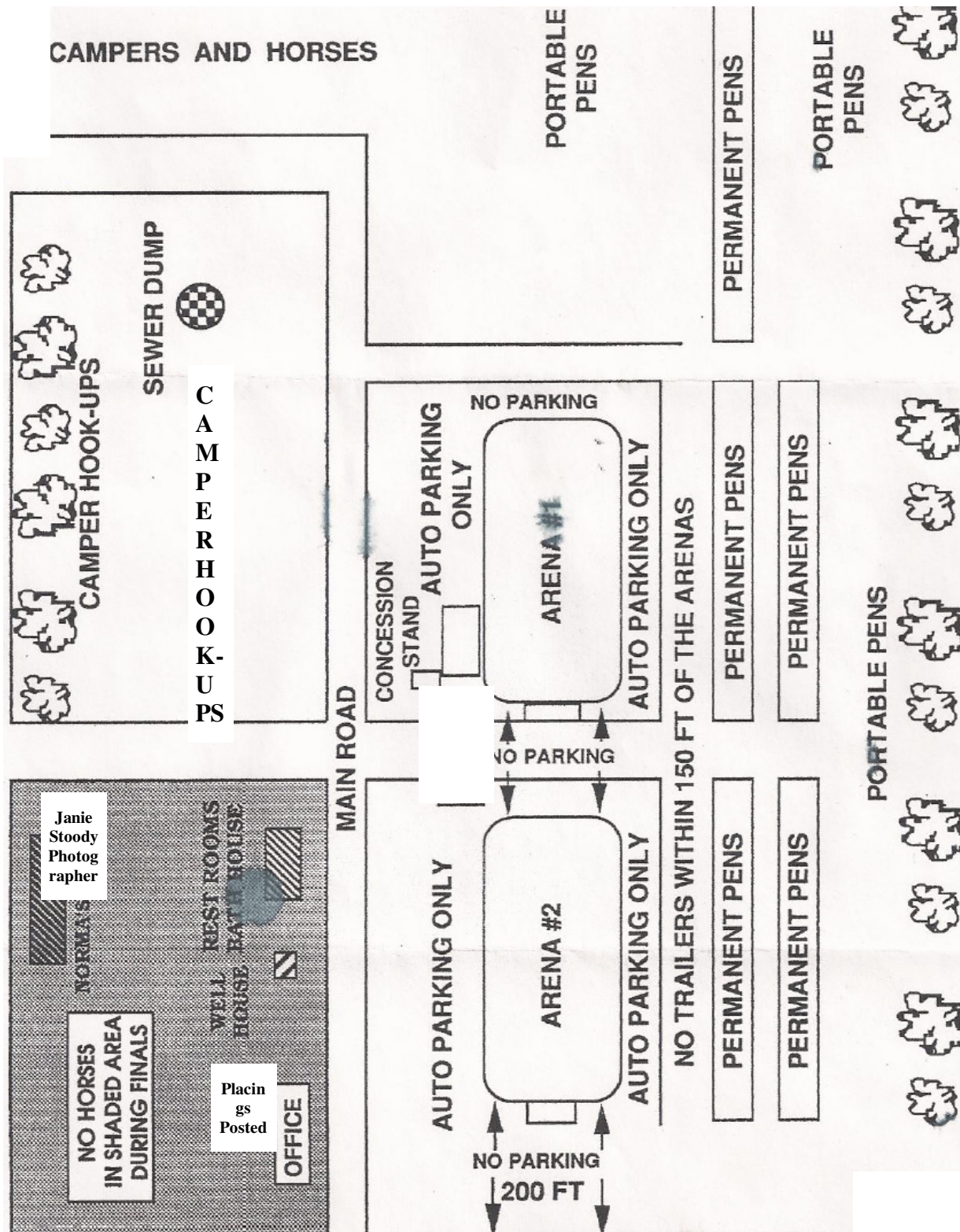
**Recreational Vehicles will not be allowed at Playday Finals subject to the following:
Exception-Official Use, and before games begin, and after they are over for the day until 11:00PM. (PLEASE keep street legal motorcycle type vehicle movement to a minimum due to these SPOOK the horses!) (Bicycles are included under this rule except in areas where horses are prohibited.)**

NO Dogs in the Office! Dogs must be kept on a leash or at trailers during game times.

AASP&RC is NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS!

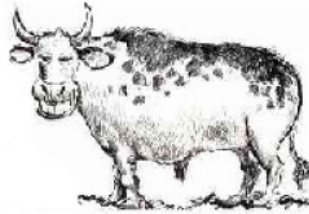


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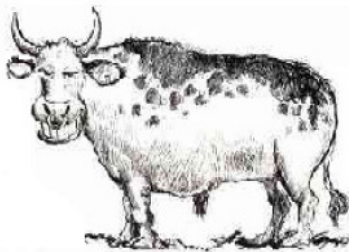
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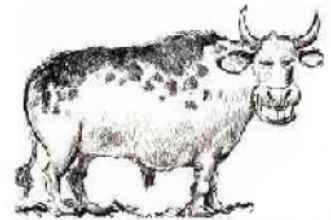


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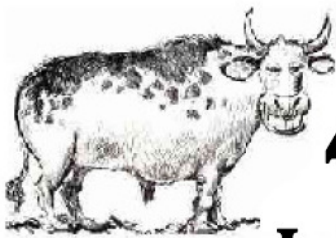
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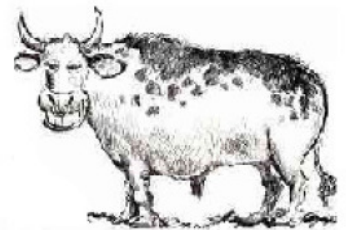
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for
SUCCESS

2 man teams
juniors and
above

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Awards for
the top 3



Upgrade Your Saddle at Finals!!!

Thanks all who donated the saddles for finals this year!!! The officer's really appreciate all your hard work that everyone put into raising the money for them....

If you are a lucky saddle winner this year at finals, you will be able to order your saddle at finals with the seat size you like and upgrade if you desire. The cost of the upgrade will be borne by the winner. There will be a standard saddle available at the awards presentation for high point winners to get their picture taken with it. All saddle winners will be required to confirm their saddle order after the awards on Saturday at Finals. At that time, the money will be required if you choose to upgrade your saddle. The saddles will be shipped directly to you within 3-4 weeks after finals depending upon the changes that were made to the basic saddle that you have chosen.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE:

Basic Barrel Saddle – Corriente Stock order – basket weave only with rough out seat and fenders, chocolate seal will be standard. Saddle available in 12" to 16" seats, no additional cost involved. Seat colors available at no additional cost: red, black, purple, pink, turquoise and blue.

Stingray seal upgrade – additional cost - \$150.00

Floral and basket weave with rough out seat and fenders – upgrade cost \$50.00

Fully tooled floral and basket weave – upgrade cost \$100.00

Basic Roping Saddle – ½ tooled floral roper with smooth out or rough out seat and fenders, standard seat colors: tobacco, chocolate, rust or black, standard seat sizes from 14" to 16" – upgrade cost \$90.00

For seat sizes 17" or 18" – upgrade cost Additional \$25.00

Full rough out with Running W trim (tobacco, chocolate, khaki, pink or black seat) – upgrade cost \$165.00

½ tooled wild rose with smooth out seat and fenders with Running W trim, same seat colors as above – upgrade cost \$165.00

Fully tooled wild rose, basket weave, or waffle pattern, same seat colors, upgrade cost \$215.00

Things to Remember

For UPDATES on Playday Finals Check out the Website www.aasprc.net

We are no longer excepting payment for RV and Stalls thru Pay Pal as of May 22, 2011.
There are no more spots available! Contact Peggy to get on a waiting list.

Several people are monitoring the EHV-1 VIRUS

- 1) Do NOT forget Fire Ant Killer!
- 2) Daily Awards will be passed out 1 hour after the last rider each day.
- 3) The Princesses will be selling Popsicles every afternoon by foot or by horseback around the arenas and barns. Have your pockets full of quarters!
- 4) There are not enough workers in some of our Districts or enough Districts to go around for the last Event on the Last day! The Officers are going to have to run the last event. If you could offer some assistance, please Contact Renee Guthrie, she will accept any help she can get!
- 5) PLEASE BE AWARE: On the South Side of the grounds (behind the barns) we still have the old Race Track cable down on the ground! PLEASE BE CAREFUL especially at night or where you allow your children to ride! We do NOT want anyone caught up in that or to be injured!!!

6) Nominating Meeting @ 1:00 PM on Friday in the Office

Make sure each Region has their Rules Committee Members put together and attend Rules Committee Meeting!

Rhino EHV-1 (Equine Herpes virus)

- As of this writing, the virus is real and horses have died from the effect of it. If you do not know anything about the virus please contact Renee. She has spent many hours investigating the dangers of the virus. If you are planning on attending Playday Finals, PLEASE keep your horses at home and away from other horses between now and then in order to help protect the horses expected to attend this event. We know this is a tall order, but could prevent your horse and others from a horrible disease.
- With your Participation Award: Concession Stand Drinks are Half Price!
Will sell any extras for \$5.00 for the same deal!
- Queen Lauren is working on many fun events for Playday Finals...

*Congratulations to
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Miss Lauren O'Brien*

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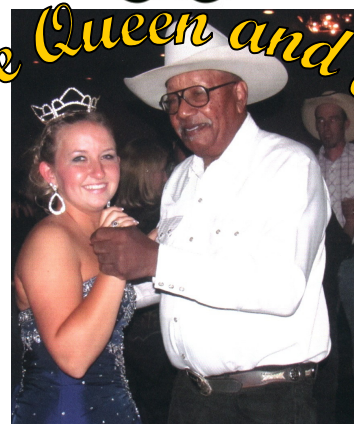


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