

Ground Rules for timed event and rough stock to make the rodeo run smoother.

1. For Contestants not in the arena when it is their turn to compete the announcer will call contestants name 3 times, then Judge will give 30 seconds for contestant to be ready to compete. Contestant will receive **a no time** in that go round if he or she is unavailable to compete in that time frame.
2. Contestants in rope boxes will be given 30 seconds to nod for their animal. **This is up to the discretion of the Judge or Arena Director.**
3. Contestants in rough stock events that are next to compete must be above their stock and ready to compete when the arena is clear of the previous stock. Contestants will receive **a no score** if not ready to compete. **This is up to the discretion of the Judge or Arena Director**
4. Roping contestants will be allowed two loops in all go-rounds. Team ropers will be allowed three loops.
5. Goat tiers will exit out the **North West gate** when their run is completed.
6. Rake will be after 5-barrel racers and after 5-pole benders.
7. Ropers, Steer Wrestlers, Barrels, and Poles will exit out the **North East gate** when their run is completed.
8. Contestant requesting re-rides or reruns must do so through the Student Event Directors or Arena Director.

**The following Ground Rules will carry a penalty of \$30.00 per infraction. Contestant must review posted fine list and pay fines before competing in next go round. This will be up to the discretion of the Judges and Arena Directors.**

1. Contestants in the timed events will enter arena when it's their turn, no on deck contestants will be allowed in arena until Judges flag drops on run in arena.
2. All contestant and assistants will leave arena as soon as their run is finished.
3. **Loping circles will not be allowed before contestants compete. Contestants will sit and wait in front of box until steer or calf is ready.**
4. **Only personnel working in arena will be allowed in the arena in front of Timed event Boxes and Buck Chutes.**