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MEMBERSHIP NEWSLETTER — MAY 2021

2021 SEASON SLATE OF ACTIVITIES

The Mandan Horse & Saddle Club board of directors is preparing for the 2021 season. The family rodeos are scheduled as follows:

- June 6
- July 25
- August 8 - Wild West Rodeo

Additional activities hosted by the club:

- August 21-22 – N.D. High School Rodeos

Jackpot events could be a possibility pending volunteerism.

A spring clean-up and arena set-up night is planned for May 25 at 6pm. We appreciate volunteers to help get our arena ready for the summer. Many hands make light work!

EVENT LINE-UP MODIFIED

The slate and order of events for family rodeos differs slightly from last year.

- *See last page for more info.* Details about each rodeo will be made available as sponsorships and prizes are confirmed. If you haven't provided us with your e-mail address, please do so by sending an e-mail to President Ida Erickson at jbefearless2@gmail.com or Entry Coordinator Patty Mosset at mhsc_entries@outlook.com.

PRIZES

Family rodeos - Family rodeos will award prizes for 1st – 5th all around in each age division with a buckle for first place all around in each age division. Payout is 75% less stock charges for top 3 in each event. Points awarded for year end awards for places 1-6.

Mark your Calendars for the Wild West Rodeo!

We are excited to announce the return of saddles at the Wild West Rodeo in August.

Saddles will be awarded in each age division for the Wild West all around winner. Prizes will be awarded for 1st – 3rd for each event, for each age division with buckles going to the first-place winner!!!

SPONSOR UPDATE

Donations of money and merchandise are vital to the Mandan Horse and Saddle Club's ability to offer an array of prizes at rodeos and for year-end achievements. We appreciate those able to assist more than ever!

About \$1,000 is needed for each rodeo, more for the Wild West (plus the addition of four \$1000 saddle sponsors) and high school rodeos. For information and benefits, visit the sponsor section of the website or contact MHSC Past President Ellen Huber, cell 701-400-6249.

Thank you to the following sponsors:

Chute & Arena Sponsors

Roshau Chiropractic & Rejuve
Wellness Center
Dakota Community Bank & Trust
Missouri Valley Petroleum

Wild West Rodeo All-Around Saddle Sponsors

Mandan Eagles
Roshau Chiropractic & Rejuve
Wellness Center

Seasonal Rodeo Prizes

Dillon Alvarez, Farrier
Manan Eagles
Missouri Valley Veterinary Clinic
New Salem American Legion
Roshau Chiropractic & Rejuve
Wellness Center

In-Kind Supporters

Northern Plains Equipment – Tractor
Bowers Excavating – Water Truck

High School Rodeo Sponsors

Recruitment will soon be underway

2020 YEAR-END AWARDS

Armor Animal Health
N.D. Army National Guard
Farmers Union Insurance (Kary, Ressler,
Wolfgram Agency), Mandan
Casey & Koko Gjermundson
Dillon Alvarez, Farrier
Creekside Construction, (Niles & Betty Schwartz)

MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- We worked hard to streamline the membership process! MEMBERSHIP NEEDS TO BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO ENTERING A RODEO.
- Dues are \$50 per family or \$30 per individual.
- Liability waivers must be submitted prior to competing in rodeos.
- **Going automated** ... returning and new members can submit membership using this link. <https://www.mandanhorseandsaddle.com/membership>
- For returning members, once you are enrolled online, your membership number will be activated allowing you to enter for the first rodeo.
- For new members, once you complete online enrollment for membership, you will receive an email with your membership number(s) allowing you to enter for rodeos.
- For those unable to complete membership online, mail-in membership forms are available at www.mandanhorseandsaddle.com. **Mail-in membership forms need to be post marked by May 26.**
- **In order to ease our short notice receipt of mail-in memberships we are offering an opportunity for one family/person to earn \$100 in MHSC entry fee reimbursement. Every family/person who completes membership (online or mail-in) by May 19, will be entered for a chance to win! To be entered, the mail-in membership needs to be post marked no later than May 19.**

ONLINE ENTRY REMINDERS

- Online entries for the first rodeo will open on May 19 at www.mandanhorseandsaddle.com.
- Entries must be received by midnight the Monday prior to rodeos, so by **May 31 for the first rodeo**.
- All entrants need to be members and all entries need to occur online. Membership numbers will be needed to complete entry.
- Questions? Contact Entry Coordinator Patty Mosset, mhsc_entries@outlook.com

EVENT COORDINATORS SOUGHT

Coordinators are still needed to recruit more helpers and assist arena directors with events. Tasks include setting up equipment, loading stock, opening and closing gates. Please jump in where you see a need.

- Calf/Steer Riding –
- Chute Dogging -
- Breakaway & Tie-Down Roping –
- Team Roping –
- Barrels -
- Beginner & Peewee Keyhole -
- Goats –
- Poles -
- Dummy Roping –

Please reach out to President Ida Erickson if you are willing to be an event coordinator.

FUNDS RAISED FOR CLUB

Thank you to everyone who donated items to our virtual auction held in November. It was a successful event raising close to \$1200.

A big thank you to those who attended our year-end event and enjoyed an evening of fun. The Smarty Dummy Team Roping event raised \$670, the stick horse race raised \$572, and head & tails raised \$125.

A very special THANK YOU to the Mandan Eagles for hosting our year-end event and donating the meal cost back to us totaling \$1825.

These events and donation brought in a total of \$4,392 for the club during our off season.

AMAZONSMILE DONATES

AmazonSmile is a website operated by Amazon with the same products, prices and shopping features as Amazon.com. The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price of eligible products to the Mandan Horse and Saddle Club when you use this special link: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/45-0409779>. You will see eligible products marked "Eligible for AmazonSmile donation" on their product detail pages.

NEW EQUIPMENT

We are excited to announce the MHSC's new purchase of a Black Widow tiller. We are blessed with wonderful arena directors who put in countless hours to provide our riders and horses safe ground. This purchase will further enhance the arena ground.

WATCH WEBSITE & FACEBOOK FOR UPDATES

This will be the only mailing until the season end. Be sure your e-mail is on file for e-bulletins. Stay tuned to the website and Facebook page for updates, results and news of planning efforts. Many helpers are needed to organize and produce the high school rodeos. Planning meetings will be held. If you would like to assist, please contact President Ida Erickson, cell 701-26-7482.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR OUR 2021 FAMILY RODEOS

June 6 * July 25 * August 8

NBHA DISTRICT 3 BARREL RACE – AUG 7 HIGH SCHOOL RODEOS: Aug. 21-22

2021 Family Rodeos-June 6, July 25, August 8 Wild West

Dakota Centennial Park Arena

Rodeos Start @ 9 a.m.



EVENT ORDER & FEES

1. **Open Chute Dogging, Working to find Chute Dogging steers.**
 2. Open Breakaway Roping, \$30
 3. Sr Breakaway Roping, \$23
 4. Jr Breakaway Roping, \$22
 5. Sr Tie-Down Roping, \$23
 6. Jr Tie-Down Roping, \$22
 7. Open Team Roping (may enter 2X with different partner/role), \$30
 8. Senior Team Roping, \$15.50
 9. Pro-Am Team Roping, \$14.50
 10. **Jr Steer Riding, \$22**
 11. **Pee Wee Calf Riding, \$21**
 12. Senior Barrels, \$8
 13. Pee Wee Dummy Roping (outside of arena), \$6
 14. Junior Barrels, \$7
 15. Beginner Dummy Roping (outside of arena), \$6
 16. Pee Wee Barrels, \$6
 17. Beginner Barrels, \$6
 18. Pee Wee Keyhole Race, \$6
 19. Beginner Keyhole Race, \$6
 20. Sr Goat Tying, \$ to be determined
 21. Jr Boys Goat Tying, \$ to be determined
 22. Jr Girls Goat Tying, \$ to be determined
 23. Pee Wee Goat Tail Tying, \$ to be determined
 24. Sr Pole Bending, \$8
 25. Jr Pole Bending, \$7
 26. Pee Wee Pole Bending, \$6
 27. Beginner Pole Bending, \$6
- Age Divisions (as of Jan. 1): Beginners ≤6, Pee Wees 7-9, Juniors 10-14, Seniors 15+
 - Western attire mandatory including hat, long-sleeves collared shirt & boots
 - Enter by Monday prior to each rodeo at www.mandanhorseandsaddle.com.
 - Payback of 75% of entry fees to top 3 places in each event (less stock fees); points 1st-6th
 - Membership qualifies contestants for overall and year-end awards (\$50 families; \$30 individuals).
 - Buckles awarded for all-around in all divisions; prizes to the top 5 overall in each age division.
 - Wild West Rodeo to have buckles in all events (except open breakaway and open team roping).
 - Year-end awards to all-around, reserve AA and event winners based on points (need not attend all 3 to win).
 - No all-around points for open breakaway, open team roping, or senior winners in pro-am team roping.
 - Participation in both breakaway and tie-down roping allowed.