**Chatham “Battle on the Border” Rodeo Checklist**

**April 12-14th, 2024**

**Address:** Olde Dominion Agricultural Center, 19783 US HWY 29, Chatham, VA 24531

**Arrival Time:** Contestants and families can begin arriving on Friday morning after 10 a.m.

**Schedule:**

**Friday:**

- 4:00 PM HS Barrel and Pole Slack (Start of HS 1st go)

- 7:00 PM HS Performance

**Saturday:**

* 9:00 AM Maverick and Peewee Performance (1st go)
* JH Performance (1st go) will immediately follow the Mavericks Rodeo no sooner than 10:30 a.m.
* 4:00 PM HS Barrel and Pole Slack (Start of HS 2nd go)
* 7:00 PM HS Performance
* HS awards immediately following Saturday night slack

**Sunday:**

* 7:30 AM Sunday School
* 8:00 AM Church Service
* 9:00 AM Maverick and Peewee Performance (2nd go) - Maverick and Peewee Awards immediately following Performance
* JH Performance (2nd go) will immediately follow the Maverick Rodeo no sooner than 10:30 a.m. - JH awards immediately following performance

**Admission:** Each contestant will receive one guest wristband. Contestants will get in with their back number. Additional wristbands are $15 for the weekend. Please specify how many you need during call-in.

**Stalls:** Stalls are required for overnight. Stalls are $97 for the weekend and will include 2 bags of shavings. You may pre-purchase additional shavings during call-in for $9/bag. No additional shavings will be available for purchase once you arrive. There is a nearby Southern States where shavings can be purchased. You may bring your own shavings.

**Trailer/Camper Hook-ups:** There are 40 hookups available on site. Those who specify they would like a hook up will be placed in a random draw for the hookups that are available. Hook ups are $85 for the weekend. For those who do not get a hookup, generators are allowed and there is a $25 dry camping fee for the weekend. Everyone will be charged the $25 dry camping fee and if you are chosen for a hookup, you will then need to submit the remaining $60 for the difference.

**Mandatory Contestant Meeting:** There will be no formal contestant meeting. Any pertinent information will be emailed out prior to the rodeo and posted at the arena.

**Concessions:** There will be food vendors on site during the rodeo performances.

**Call in:**

Call in will be run from 12:01 a.m. on Friday, March 15, 2024, to 11:59 p.m. Monday, March 18, 2024, using the online link shared by your secretary. Once call-in is completed a list of entries will be sent out for your review and you are responsible for notifying us of any discrepancies within 72 hours. After that you cannot make changes to events entered without a vet or medical note.  **Once you have called in you are responsible for your fees unless you present written Med out or Vet out documentation provided by your doctor or veterinarian.** Draw will be done randomly and we will not honor any requests to run in a specific slack or performance unless you have an approved reason as per the NHSRA rulebook.

**Awards:** We will be awarding All Around Buckles to Peewee, Maverick Girl, Maverick Boy, JH Girl, JH Boy, HS Girl, HS Boy. **The Peewee all around award will not include mutton bustin points.** Average awards for each event for all divisions will also be awarded.

**Rodeo Dress Code:**

• Western hat/helmet

• Long sleeve western shirt

• Jeans

• Boots

• Back number all weekend

**Entry Fees:**

Entry fees are listed below and are charged for each go of the rodeo. **EXAMPLE** if the entry for an event is $35 and you are entering that event both days (goes) of the rodeo you will pay $70 for that event. Each contestant will also owe a $10.00 administrative fee for the weekend. Entry fees are to be paid to MDHSRA

**Peewee (Age 4-6)**

• Mutton Bustin: $25.00

• Barrels: $25.00

• Poles: $25.00

• Goat Tying: $25.00

**Maverick (Age 7 to 5th grade)**

• Barrels: $25.00

• Poles: $25.00

• Goat Tying: $25.00

• Breakaway: $35.00

• Team Roping: $35.00

• Bulls: $55.00

**Junior High (5th– 8th grade):**

• Bulls: $55.00

• Saddle Bronc Steer Riding $55.00

• Bareback Steer Riding $55.00

• Boys Breakaway: $35.00

• Girls Breakaway: $35.00

• Team Roping: $35.00 (per participant)

• Ribbon Roping: $35.00 (per participant)

• Tie Down: $35.00

• Chute Doggin: $35.00

• Boys Goat Tying: $25.00

• Girls Goat Tying: $25.00

• Barrels: $25.00

• Poles: $25.00

**High School (9th – 12th grade)**

• Bulls & Bronc: $70.00

• Team Roping: $35.00 (per participant)

• All others: $35.00