

**West Texas Barrel Racers Association
2010-2011 Rules**

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The West Texas Barrel Racers Association (W.T.B.R.A.) follows the same rule book as the National Barrel Horse Association (N.B.H.A.) with the following exceptions:

MEMBERSHIPS:

*INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP = \$60.00
*FAMILY MEMBERSHIP = \$70.00

WORK HOURS:

****Each director will have a list of members, and they all (directors and members) will be responsible for a particular barrel race... If you (the member) cannot work that particular barrel race – it is your (the member) responsibility to find a replacement... **Your (the member) name must be written on the work sheet to get the credit!!!! **A DIRECTOR MAY NOT WORK FOR A MEMBER** If your name is not written down – and you do not receive credit for working a barrel race – you will NOT be eligible for year-end awards.***

***EXTRAVAGANZA --- Each member is responsible for 5 work hours at the Extravaganza.
DIRECTORS ARE REQUIRED TO BE PRESENT FROM START OF DAY TO END OF DAY – EVERYDAY @ THE
EXTRAVAGANZA – NO EXCEPTIONS!***

ATTENDANCE

****ATTENDANCE RULE – Every member must attend at least 6 barrel races before October 1, 2011, in order to be eligible for the year-end awards. Make note: for example the Extravaganza will count as 3 barrel races...._***

BONUS POINTS:

****BONUS POINTS **for every barrel race that a member attends – that members will receive 1 bonus point. Bonus points are kept on the rider only (no matter the # of horses entered – a member will receive 1 bonus point per race). At year end, the accumulated bonus points will be added to the member's points & awards will be given to the highest place in a "D".***

EXHIBITIONS

*ALL EXHIBITIONS MUST BE KEPT UNDER 60 SECONDS.....ANYONE GOING OVER 60 SECONDS WILL BE FINED \$10.00. THE FINE MUST BE PAID BEFORE CLASSES BEGIN – OR CONTESTANT WILL FORFEIT THEIR ENTRY FEE... with the exception of an 8 & under.

**The last page of exhibitions will be limited to 1 horse per rider...

Example: Jane Doe may have 3 exhibitions on last page – but they must be on 3 different horses.

Exhibitions are set up in 30 minute time slots.....If you sign up on a page, and are not ready when the time comes, you will lose your turn & your money.

ONCE YOU HAVE SIGNED UP FOR EXHIBITIONS – THERE ARE NO REFUNDS.....If you do not need all the exhibitions you have signed up for – please sell them to someone – we will not refund money for unused exhibitions.

THERE IS A 60 SECOND TIME LIMIT DURING THE RUN ALSO!!! IF YOUR HORSE MAKES A MISTAKE AND YOU PULL UP – YOU HAVE 60 SECONDS TO EXIT THE ARENA – OR BE FINED \$10.00.

IF YOU CIRCLE THE BARREL MORE THAN ONE (1) TIME – YOU WILL BE FINED \$10.00

THERE IS ALSO A TWO (2) MINUTE TIME LIMIT ON GETTING YOUR HORSE IN THE ARENA....
WE UNDERSTAND THAT SOMETIMES HORSES DON'T WANT TO COME DOWN THE ALLEY – BUT YOU WILL HAVE 2 MINUTES FROM THE 2ND TIME YOUR NAME IS CALLED, THEN YOU WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

ENTRY FEES

<i>Classes</i>	<i>Entry Fee</i>
<i>Exhibitions</i>	<i>\$4.00</i>
<i>Open 4D (w/\$200.00 added)</i>	<i>\$40.00</i>
<i>Youth 4D (18 & under)</i>	<i>\$25.00</i>
<i>Senior 3D (50 & over)</i>	<i>\$25.00</i>
<i>8 & under</i>	<i>\$15.00</i>
<i>One Time Arena Fee/person</i>	<i>\$5.00</i>

POINTS:

*Points are kept on a 10 point system. Non-Members are not skipped when figuring points (with the exception of the 8 & under). For Example:

1st – member = 10 pts

2nd – non-member

3rd – member = 8 pts

PAYOUT

Open 4D (1/2, 1/2, 1 second splits) – the payout is as follows:

1D = 40%

2D = 30%

3D = 20%

4D = 10%

1-15 entries = 1 place

16-30 entries = 2 places

31-45 entries = 3 places

46-60 entries = 4 places

61-75 entries = 5 places

76+ entries = 6 places

Youth 4D

Same as the Open 4D

Senior 3D

Full Second Splits

1D = 50%

2D = 30%

3D = 20%

8 & UNDER

All 8 & under contestants will win prize money.

Times may NOT be carried over from the 8 & under to any other class.

Points are kept on the rider – 8 & under may ride more than one horse –

Points will be kept on the highest placing horse

Non-members and duplicate person points will be passed down to the next member

Entry fee is \$15.00 == \$10.00 to the pot \$5.00 toward year-end awards

AS OF DATE FOR AGE:

*All ages (for the 8 & under, Youth 4D, and Senior 3D) are as of October 15 of the current year

OFFICERS & DIRECTORS.

In order to be a director and/or officer of W.T.B.R.A. you must:

Be a paid member

Have been a member for at least 1 year

DIRECTORS:

Be willing to secure at least \$100.00 in ads for the Extravaganza

Be willing to work at all barrel races

YEAR-END AWARDS

In order to receive year-end awards, you must:

Work one (1) race

Work the designated hours at the Extravaganza

Attended & Participated in six (6) races before October 1

BE PRESENT at the Awards Banquet