

**ABILENE SPECTACULAR CUTTING EVENT GENERAL RULES
JANUARY 4-10, 2017**

1. **AGED EVENT WILL CONSIST OF FOUR SEPARATE CONTESTS.**
 - a. **4 YEAR OLD OPEN** \$1895.00 (\$1000.00 JACKPOT)(\$895.00 OFFICE/CATTLE)
 - b. **4 YEAR OLD NON PRO** \$1895.00 (\$1000.00 JACKPOT)(\$895.00 OFFICE/CATTLE)
 - c. **5/6 YEAR OLD OPEN** \$1895.00 (\$1000.00 JACKPOT)(\$895.00 OFFICE/CATTLE)
 - d. **5/6 YEAR OLD NON PRO** \$1895.00 (\$1000.00 JACKPOT)(\$895.00 OFFICE/CATTLE)

ADDED MONEY WILL BE DIVIDED \$70,000 TO THE 5/6 YEAR OLD AND \$75,000 TO THE 4 YEAR OLD, EACH PRORATED WITHIN THE OPEN AND NON PRO CLASSES.

TOTAL ADDED SHOW PURSE IS \$202,400.00 INCLUDING BONUSES OF \$60,000.00
2. **OPEN AND NON PRO RIDERS MAY RIDE AN UNLIMITED NUMBER OF HORSES.**
3. **AGED EVENT CLASSES WILL CONSIST OF TWO GO ROUNDS AND A FINALS. 60% WILL ADVANCE TO THE 2ND GO. 95% OF THE TOTAL PURSE WILL BE PAID IN THE FINALS, 5% OF THE TOTAL PURSE WILL BE DIVIDED IN THE GOES. ALL FINALISTS WILL RECEIVE A CHECK AND AN AWARD.**
 - a. A MINIMUM OF 25% WITH A MAXIMUM OF 25 PLUS TIES WILL ADVANCE TO THE FINALS IN THE **4 YEAR OLD NON PRO AND 5/6 YEAR OLD NON PRO.**
 - b. A MINIMUM OF 25% WITH A MAXIMUM OF 30 PLUS TIES WILL ADVANCE TO THE FINALS IN THE **4 YEAR OLD OPEN AND 5/6 YEAR OLD OPEN.**
 - c. THERE WILL BE A \$175.00 ADVANCEMENT FEE FOR ALL OPEN AND NON PRO FINALISTS.
 - d. *\$60,000.00 IN STALLION INCENTIVE BONUSES WILL BE PAID IN THE 4 YEAR OLD OPEN. \$50,000.00 TO THE ELIGIBLE INCENTIVE HORSES PLUS \$10,000.00 PAID TO THE 4 YEAR OLD OPEN CHAMPION.*
4. THERE WILL BE A **\$200,000 LIMITED CLASS AND 25,000 NOVICE HORSE CLASS** OFFERED WITHIN THE 4 YEAR OLD AND 5/6 YEAR OLD **OPEN & NON PRO** CLASSES (HORSES LTE MUST BE \$24,999.99 OR LESS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE NOVICE). THERE WILL BE A **GELDING & SENIOR CLASS (AGE 60 +)** OFFERED **WITHIN ALL THE AGED EVENT CLASSES.**
 - a. **200,000 LIMITED** \$500.00 (JACKPOT \$375.00)(\$125.00 OFFICE)
 - b. **25,000 NOVICE HORSE** \$500.00 (JACKPOT \$375.00)(\$125.00 OFFICE)
 - c. **SENIORS CLASS** \$500.00 (JACKPOT \$375.00)(\$125.00 OFFICE)
 - d. **GELDING CLASS** \$500.00 (JACKPOT \$375.00)(\$125.00 OFFICE)
5. **UNLIMITED AMATEUR (4 YR OLD)-\$3500.00 ADDED \$850.00(JACKPOT \$450.00)(\$400.00 OFFICE/CATTLE)**
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 - a. AMATEUR RIDERS MUST HOLD A CURRENT AMATEUR CARD.
 - b. MAY RIDE AN UNLIMITED NUMBER OF HORSES.
 - c. CLASSES CONSIST OF ONE GO AND FINALS.
 - d. A MINIMUM OF 25% WITH A MAXIMUM OF 20 HORSES WILL ADVANCE TO THE FINALS. MINIMUM OF 20 ENTRIES REQUIRED TO HAVE A WORKING FINALS.
 - e. 98% OF THE PURSE WILL BE PAID IN THE FINALS. 2% OF THE PURSE WILL BE PAID IN THE GO.
 - f. ALL FINALISTS WILL RECEIVE A CHECK AND AN AWARD.
 - g. THERE WILL BE A \$160.00 ADVANCEMENT FEE FOR ALL AMATEUR FINALISTS.
6. **50,000 AMATEUR (4 YEAR OLD)-\$2500.00 ADDED \$750.00 (JACKPOT \$400.00)(\$350.00 OFFICE/CATTLE)**
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7. **ALL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE FORM OF A SLOT. FAXED ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED. HOWEVER, PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED BY DEADLINES TO BE IN THE DRAW.**
HORSES MUST BE NAMED AND PAPERS PRESENTED AT THE TIME OF FINAL PAYMENT.
8. **STALLS ARE ON A FIRST COME BASIS. NO RESERVATIONS ACCEPTED.**
STALLS WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE UNTIL DECEMBER 27, 2016. STALL FEE \$150.00
9. **PAYMENTS MAY BE PAID IN FULL BY DECEMBER 27, 2016 OR THERE IS A 2 PAYMENT OPTION.**
 - a. FIRST PAYMENTS ARE DUE NOVEMBER 20, 2016.
 - b. PAYMENT IN FULL IS DUE DECEMBER 27, 2016.
10. **ENTRIES CLOSE JANUARY 1, 2017.**

OPTIONAL PAYMENT SCHEDULE

	<u>NOV. 20</u>	<u>DEC. 27</u>		<u>NOV. 20</u>	<u>DEC. 27</u>
4 YEAR OLD OPEN	\$1000.00	\$895.00	5/6 YEAR OLD OPEN	\$1000.00	\$895.00
4 YEAR OLD NON PRO	\$1000.00	\$895.00	5/6 YEAR OLD NON PRO	\$1000.00	\$895.00
4 YEAR OLD 200K LTD OPEN & NON PRO		\$500.00	5/6 YEAR OLD 200K LTD OPEN & NON PRO		\$500.00
4 YEAR OLD 25,000 NOVICE OPEN/NON PRO		\$500.00	5/6 YEAR OLD 25,000 NOVICE OPEN/NON PRO		\$500.00
4 YEAR OLD UNLIMITED AMATEUR	\$450.00	\$400.00	5/6 YEAR OLD UNLIMITED AMATEUR	\$450.00	\$400.00
4 YEAR OLD AMATEUR	\$400.00	\$350.00	5/6 YEAR OLD AMATEUR	\$400.00	\$350.00
4 YEAR OLD SENIOR, GELD, OPEN, NON PRO, AMT		\$500.00	5/6 YEAR OLD SENIOR, GELD, OPEN, NON PRO, AMT		\$500.00
STALLS		\$150.00			

*PAYMENTS ARE OPTIONAL- ONE PAYMENT IN FULL MAY BE MADE ON DECEMBER 27, 2016

*MASTER CARD, VISA, AND AMERICAN EXPRESS WELCOME (3% Handling Fee)

*CHECKS ISSUED AT THE SHOW. CHECKS ARE MADE PAYABLE TO OWNER. (UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED IN WRITING)

*OWNERS SIGNATURE AND SOCIAL SECURITY # OR FEDERAL ID # IS REQUIRED.

*SIGNING THE ENTRY BLANK RELEASES ALL PARTIES INVOLVED OF ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES.