

2012 SAN ANGELO STOCK SHOW & RODEO

CALF SCRAMBLE

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Entry Deadline: December 15, 2011- Postmarked
Scramble Dates: Saturday, February 18, 2012 – 1:30 p.m.
Sunday, February 19, 2012 – 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday, February 22, 2012 – 7:00 p.m.
Scholarship Scramble: Saturday, February 25, 2012 – 7:00 p.m.

1. The San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Association will not be responsible for any accidents connected with this contest.
2. Qualifications for contestants:
 - A. The first 60 complete and correct entries received in the Stock Show Office will be eligible. (Entry deadline: December 15, 2011)
 - B. Ages 13-18. Must have reached 13th, but not 19th birthday on or by February 1, 2012.
 - C. Open to all 4-H and FFA contestants in the state of Texas.
 - D. Must have been actively participating in Texas 4-H Club work for one year prior to February 1, 2012 or enrolled in a Texas Vocational Agricultural class for the fall term just preceding.
 - E. Contestants will be selected by 4-H and FFA supervisors.
 - F. No contestant will be permitted to contest more than one time in any one year at the San Angelo Stock Show.
3. There will be three (3) go-rounds, one each during performances on Saturday, February 18th at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, February 19th at 3:00 p.m. and Wednesday, February 22nd at 7:00 p.m. The top 4 in each go-round (12 total) will compete on Saturday, February 23rd at 7:00 p.m. in the Scholarship Scramble.
4. There will be a five (5) minute time limit to catch a calf and lead it across the finish line. If after five minutes calves remain, one (1) minute will be allowed to catch and halter a calf. At this time, if any remain, the one (1) minute will be allowed to catch a calf. Judges will score according to this time frame and decisions of the committee are final.
5. Buckles will be awarded to the first place winner in the first three go-rounds.
6. Ten (10) calves will be turned into the arena the first 3 go-rounds, with 6 in the Scholarship Scramble. Contestants and calves will be placed in the arena as determined by management.
7. Contestants will carry into the arena a snap-on lead rope. A halter will already be placed on the animals with no lead. Contestants must catch the calf, clip on the lead rope and walk the animal across the finish line. No shoes with spikes, cleats or knobs on soles can be worn.
8. Contestants will not be allowed to work as a "team", but each contestant will attempt to catch and lead one of the calves. Each contestant catching a calf will be required to lead that calf across the finish line without aid. After catching a calf and placing the lead on the calf, the contestant will not be permitted to fasten the rope to himself/herself in any manner to aid in leading the calf over the finish line. If two or more contestants catch the same calf, they will be ordered by the referee to release the calf.

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9. If a contestant has hold of a calf, no other contestant will be allowed to touch the calf unless and until it breaks away. If a calf is caught by the tail, the contestant catching the calf shall be allowed a reasonable amount of time to place the halter; however, at the direction of the referee, the contestant will let the calf go.

10. Poor sportsmanship will disqualify any contestant automatically and undue roughness will not be tolerated by the referee. This scramble will be refereed by a group of not less than four (4) referees.

11. Each contestant must submit a Minor's Release to the Stock Show Association through his/her County Extension Agent or Ag Science Teacher. After all releases are checked and accepted by the Stock Show, each contestant will be notified of his/her acceptance as a contestant and the date and time he/she is to participate.

12. The Interscholastic League State Executive Committee, in cooperation with the State Board of Vocational Education has formulated a plan permitting calf scrambles and still protecting a contestant's amateur standing. This is done by placing the matter under the supervision of the Vocational Agricultural Department of the school and 4-H Club supervisors, and prohibiting the participants from receiving anything of cash value for winning the athletic part of the program.

13. Go-round scramble awards: A purchase certificate will be issued to each of the ten (10) contestants catching a calf in one of the three go-rounds in the following amounts:

1 st - Advance to Finals	3 rd - Advance to Finals	5 th - \$110	7 th - \$80	9 th - \$60
2 nd - Advance to Finals	4 th - Advance to Finals	6 th - \$100	8 th - \$70	10 th - \$50

14. Scholarship Scramble Awards: Scholarships will be awarded places 1-6 in the Scholarship Scramble with places 7-12 receiving additional purchase certificates. Scholarships will be awarded in full upon receipt of proof of enrollment in a Texas vocational/technical school or accredited Texas College or University. Payments for places 1-5 will be made directly to the school.

1 st - \$2,000 scholarship	5 th - \$500 scholarship	9 th - \$250 certificate
2 nd - \$1,000 scholarship	6 th - \$500 scholarship	10 th - \$250 certificate
3 rd - \$1,000 scholarship	7 th - \$250 certificate	11 th - \$250 certificate
4 th - \$1,000 scholarship	8 th - \$250 certificate	12 th - \$250 certificate

15. All FFA or 4-H projects must be purchased with certificates prior to December 1, 2012. The kind and breed of livestock may be determined by the contestant and the 4-H Club or Vocational Agricultural Supervisor. Animals purchased with scramble certificates do not have to be shown in future San Angelo shows.

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