

## Summer Heating up from the West Coast to the South

The celebration of our 34th anniversary started in 2018 with great success. Our tour stop in Memphis was incredible! Ms. Kitty and her team did a outstanding job, making sure that the city threw out the welcome mat for the Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo. Our weekend started with our "Rodeo for Kidz Sake" on Friday morning where we entertained about 4000 elementary and middle school kids. I get very excited when I see the kids and know that they are being exposed to rodeo and to Black Cowboys and Cowgirls. I know it is hard to believe but the reality is that some of these kids never leave their communities and are never exposed to different aspects of life.

While the kids were excited to be away from school, BPIR feels that it is important to use the RFKS as teachable moments to teach the kids about some of the important characters in the development of the West and to showcase what a rodeo is all about. In the RFKS performance, we are not surprised that Jason Griffin walked away with all the money in Bareback. In Calf Roping, the times were very closed with William Whyne taking 1st with a 8.3, followed by Matthew Sloan with a 8.6, Derek Goff with a 8.7 and Tre Goff with a 9.0. In Bull Dogging Tory Johnson set a new record and 1st place with a 2.86. He was followed by Aaron and Arnold Laskey who tied for 2nd place with a 3.8 and Kenyatta Symth with a 4.2.

In the Ladies Steer Undecorating the ladies were eager and the times reflected how eager. Dayna Carter was 1st with a 2.24, Denise Tyus walked with 2nd with a 2.44, Natasha Caldwell with a 2.67 and Danielle Clark with a 2.96. As we moved to the Ladies Barrel Racing, Mykala Nealy wanted another 1st, which she took with a 15.924. She was followed by Stphanie Haynes with a 16.139, Whitney Jefferson with a 16.297 and Kanasha Jackson with a 16.341. Bull Riding was no less exciting but only had 1 rider with a time. Tyree Kossie walked with the money.



Photos MLK Rodeo Denver 2018



After a great show Friday morning, BPIR once again sponsored an organized trip to the Casino for all the Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo cowboys, cowgirls and staff. As usual it was a great evening of socializing and bonding while enjoying dinner and gambling.

On Saturday morning, everyone was up early because we needed to get slack started much earlier than normal because of the number of entries and give ourselves a break before the 7:30 evening show. Memphis was also the first market that the new BPIR Rodeo staff team would work within the new team structure. From my perspective the BPIR team did a very good job. As with anything that is new, there are always bumps along the way, but this team was open with each other, listened to feedback and discussed how as a team they can make some adjustments to be even better going forward. I was very proud to see the togetherness between staff and contestants. I would like to thank the contestants who participated and rejoined the BPIR Association. It was my pleasure to see some of the old faces back. Our BPIR family was being reunited and it felt good, but knew that both Lu Vason and Sedgwick Haynes were looking down and smiling.

The slack was intense and clearly set the tone to assure that the evening competition would be intense. Saturday night started with a crowd who was energized and looking for an evening of great entertainment. The BPIR cowboys and cowgirls were also ready to provide an evening of great entertainment.

In the Bareback Harrel Miller showed up and was prepared to walk away with 1st, which he did, while Jason took 2nd place. As we moved to Bull Dogging, the action was intense and the winners were as follows: Danell Tipton



with a 3.5, Kenny Autman with a 3.9, Denard Hunt with 4.1, Jamel Hunt with 4.7 and Aaron Laskey with 4.8.

The Calf Ropers did not disappoint. The competition was intense as Trey Goff took 1st with a 7.8. He was followed by the young Jarvis Demery with a 7.9. William Whyne took the 3rd place spot with a 8.2 and 4th place was a tie between Justin Richard and Calgry Smith with a 8.4.

As we moved to the ladies events, in the Ladies Steer Undercorating Denesha Henderson was on her A game with a 1st place win with a 1.49. She was followed by DeShauna Loud with a 1.72, Denise McWhorter with a 1.77, Megan Byrd with a 2.05 and the last 2 spot resulting in a tie between Stephanie Haynes and Denise Tyus with a 2.13. You can see these ladies were hungry for a win. In Ladies Barrel Racing the beauty of the ladies and speed of the horses were on display resulting in Kanasha Jackson winning 1st with a 15.937 and Mykala Nealy following with 2nd with a 16.094. The winners were rounded out with Aryan Nero taking 3rd, Kortnee Solomon competing with the ladies taking 4th with a 16.500 and Yattiska Gatson rounding out the final spot with a 16.502.

The crowd obviously still had a ton of energy because when it was time for the Junior Barrel Racing, the crowd was on their feet cheering as the young kids showed that they are true competitors. Aryah Nero walked away with a 16.381 for 1st, she was followed by Kortnee Solomon with a 16.584 and Cheyenne Williams with a 17.070.

It was now time for the Relay Teams and the teams were ready to see which team had the skills and speed to win. Once again the crowd was totally into the competition and team Texas Connection took the 1st place spot. As the evening was nearing a conclusion, the Bulls and riders were getting ready. The Bulls looked mean & tough and proved to be just as they looked. Only 2 of the bull riders were able to stay on for the 8 seconds. Leon Dlineberger won 1st with a score of 72 followed by Tyree Kossie with a 70.

When the rodeo was over, it seemed that all had had a great time and another BPIR rodeo was in the history books.

Since Memphis, I know the contestants have been rodeoing and sharpening their skills for the BPIR West Coast tour with rodeo performances in Oakland and Los Angeles. As usual the California crowds are preparing for the return of BPIR in anticipation of great competition, family fun and great food.

In addition to California, the Atlanta community is also waiting to see the Black cowboys and cowgirls.

A huge thank you to the cowboys and cowgirls that support BPIR! I appreciate you, your commitment and support to our organization.

See you in July in California. Don't forget your Coggins papers.

*Valeria Howard-Cunningham*



## A MESSAGE FROM CAROLYN

As an organization and as we find our way, I want you all to know as the GM, my intent is to stay in the middle and make decisions based on what's good for everyone in the organization, as a whole. While some decision, you as a contestant may not like, please be mindful that decisions have many edges and many perspectives which have to be considered when presented. As many of you already know we have made staff changes and created new staff roles to assist us in our journey.

These changes proved very effective in Memphis. We have additional changes planned in the coming year as well. One of the biggest changes is the **elimination of taking 'local' walk ups** at our show. This rule was created for local contestants to be able to enter our show once we were in the venue. Due to social media, this is no longer necessary. Eliminating this rule will free up very valuable time for our secretary staff, thus making the flow of each show much more effective. Another major change we are considering for 2019 is the change of the *rough stock event of Bareback Riding* to **Ranch Bronc Riding**.

### COWGIRL GLAM PHOTO SHOOT!

We have a few events planned for the west coast tour and I hope everyone takes the time to participate. One of the first items planned is a **GROUP PHOTO SHOOT OF ALL THE WOMEN OF THE BPIR**. Invitations will be sent out via email with further instructions for this fun event. Some of you may not have even thought about this, but we are the only group of women of color, in the world that can pull this one off.

Valarie wants to show the world what "Real Cowgirls" actually look like and the fact, were not just talk.

In addition we need **EVERYONE** to be prepared to take an **UP CLOSE HEAD SHOT** on **Saturday in Oakland** before the first performance. Ed Miller will be set up near the arena, so please take the time while you're fresh to get with him. Plan to write your full name out and hold it in front of you for the pic.

Lastly, we all must remain cohesive as we continue on this once in a life time journey and continue to live Lu's Legacy. Only the members of the BPIR can say they are part of this multi-generational, 34 year historical journey. This doesn't happen often, I hope you all understand you're a part of history in the making.

Sincerely

**Carolyn Carter,**  
BPIR General Manager

**All ARENAS REQUIRE: CURRENT COGGINS PAPERS (No exceptions)**



Photos taken at  
Memphis TN Rodeo 2018  
by Astar's Photography

# BPIR Rules & Regulations 2018

BPIR will use its own rules for 2018. If a specific rule is not covered in the BPIR Rule Book, the IPRA Rule shall govern.

**Please note:** There will be a \$25 fine for anyone (other than BPIR staff) that are inside the arena when not performing. \$50 for 2nd offense/fine. Stock charges will be \$15 and 6% will be taken at all BPIR, MLK and Associated Rodeos from the total money for each event and a timer fee of \$7 a rodeo.

Membership cards must be purchased or renewed PRIOR to competing in any sanctioned rodeo for the rodeo points to count towards 2018 standings. New membership cards will remain at \$80 for 2018 and renewal membership cards at \$70 (2016 members ONLY). 2017 Rodeo Champions are exempt from paying membership fees. Seniors - 50 years and above must purchase a membership the 1st year for \$30. All memberships are free afterwards as long as there has been 5 years of consecutive participation.

Please note that contestants that win money in Atlanta, GA rodeo where your membership card balance is deducted out of your winnings, your card membership will remain in good standings for the following rodeo season until the Atlanta rodeo the following year at which time you MUST renew or purchased a permit before the Atlanta rodeo begins. If an Atlanta contestant chooses to compete at the BPIR Finals, note that your card will expire on December 31st of the year you competed.

## PAYOUTS ARE CHANGING. SEE BELOW

### PAYOFF FOR EACH B.P.I.R. RODEO WILL BE STRUCTURED AS FOLLOWS;

TOTAL PRIZE	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH
\$0 - \$5	50%	30%	20%				
\$501 - \$1700	40%	30%	20%	10%			
\$1701 - 3500	30%	25%	20%	15%	10%		
\$3501- \$4999	30%	24%	18%	14%	9%	5%	
\$5000 OR MORE	27%	22%	17%	13%	9%	7%	5%

## QUALIFYING FOR THE 2018 BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL FINALS RODEO - TOP 10

**TOP 10:** To qualify for the BPIR Finals a participant must compete in one (1) more than 1/2 of BPIR rodeos including sanction rodeos in each event, prior to the BPIR Finals. If a rodeo event is not included in all rodeos, the 1 more than 1/2 will be based on the number of rodeos the event was included in. The one (1) more than 1/2 creates an interesting dilemma when there are an odd number of rodeos. To clarify, if there are seven (7) rodeos, the participant would have to compete in a total of five (5) rodeos (Example: 1/2 of seven is 3.5 and one (1) more would be 4.5; since one cannot compete in half a rodeo, the number required would be rounded up to the next whole number). **If a rodeo event is not included in all rodeos, the 1 more than 1/2 will be based on the number of rodeos the event was included.**

The top 10 point (money) leaders who are BPIR members and have met the rodeo requirement rule of (one more than half) will qualify for BPIR Championship Rodeo. The top 10 leaders in each event will be invited to compete in the finals for that event. Please note: The BPIR Finals does not count as a qualifying rodeo.

If a BPIR member competes in two or more events during the current rodeo year, they qualify for All-Around Cowboy/Cowgirl competition. However, mere qualification alone does not guarantee a spot in both events at the finals. For example, if a contestant is NOT one of the top 10 leaders in one of their events, they may not be a BPIR finalist in that event merely because they competed in a second event and/or won money in that event. Monies won in each event will count towards All-Around Cowboy/Cowgirl points.

If a contestant is invited to compete at the BPIR finals as an alternate and DID NOT compete in one more than half of the rodeos, he/she WILL NOT be eligible for year-end awards (i.e., saddles, buckles, etc.). Contestant is eligible to win Money ONLY! To be eligible for a BPIR Championship title, you must compete in the BPIR Finals.

Please note, Contestants will be grouped according to how they qualify to compete at the finals as follows:

- ONLY Group 1 (Qualified Rodeo requirements & earned money) will be eligible for Year End Awards.
- Group 2 (Qualified Rodeo requirements & No Money) will be considered Alternates
- Group 3 (Money & Not Enough Qualified Rodeos) will be considered Alternates.

Group 2 and 3 Alternates will be notified of the alternate position and must pay by the specified deadline to secure their position.

# **BPIR Rules & Regulations 2018** continued

## **CO-APPROVED/ SANCTIONED RODEOS:**

Co-Approved Rodeos may require you to PURCHASE A PERMIT OR CARD in order to compete. You MUST be a BPIR Member BEFORE competing in a Co-Approved/Sanction Rodeo in order for your points to count for BPIR association. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!

## **2018 BPIR SANCTIONED RODEOS: (subject to change)**

Midwest Rodeo-Huntsville, AL, Arizona Black Rodeo-Chandler, AZ | Roy LeBlanc Invitational Rodeo- Okmulgee, OK | ASCGA Easter Rodeo- Liberty, TX

## **BPIR FINALS JACKETS:**

All contestants competing at the finals will receive a BPIR Finals jacket.

## **RFKS ENTRY RULE:**

All timed events (CR, SW, LSU) are last to ENTER first to go EXCEPT Ladies Barrel Racing. All CONTESTANTS and STAFF must check in with Secretary on day of event unless pre-entered via online or mail entry.

## **STALLS and RV HOOK-UPS:**

Contestants, Staff and Specialty Acts are responsible for paying their Stall, RV's and Electrical Hook-up Charges in each market. If anyone leaves a market without paying their charges, they will not be allowed to enter another BPIR rodeo until all charges are paid.

**RELAY RACE RULE:** All Relay teams MUST register with the secretary. If there are any changes to your team members, you must notify the secretary before competing in order to avoid disqualification. If there is (7) Relay Teams or Less, Each team will run both days (SAT & SUN) and both Performances (1:30 & 7:30) and paid on an AVERAGE of the combined times. If there is (8) or more teams, the relay race will be ONE RUN based on FASTEST TIMES. The Teams will be divided based on ODD Numbers running on (SATURDAY or 1:30) Performance and EVEN numbers running on (Sunday or 7:30PM Performance). In the event the Rodeo only has one performance, the odd numbers will compete in the (pre-show or 1st session) and the even numbers will compete in the (2nd session). The Relay pattern will be stakes prior to competing in a one run competition.

\* Each contestant will be allowed to compete on TWO TEAMS ONLY. If a person is found to have competed on more the TWO TEAMS, ALL the teams will be DISQUALIFIED. ALL THREE TEAMS will be disqualified and NO MONEY will be REFUNDED.

## **LADIES BARREL RACING:**

The ladies barrel race will be ONE run with 16 or more PAID contestants.

Two runs with (1-15) paid entries. Contestants will be notified once the rodeo books are closed at the event prior to the 1st performance.

## **BAREBACK ADDED MONEY:**

If there is 4 or more paid contestants, BPIR will add 100% of Added Money. If there is (1-3) PAID contestants, BPIR will add 50% of Added Money. This rule applies only to the Main performances ONLY.

## **TIMED EVENTS:**

For timed events, the contestant has 3 attempts to set their animal to contest their stock. After the 3rd attempt, the Judge will allow 45 seconds before your stock is released.

## **ROOKIE OF THE YEAR QUALIFICATIONS:**

To be eligible for Rookie of the year, a participant must compete in one (1) more than 1/2 of BPIR rodeos including sanctioned rodeos in an event. The one (1) more than 1/2 creates an interesting dilemma when there are an odd number of rodeos. To clarify, if there are seven (7) rodeos, the participant would have to compete in a total of five (5) rodeos (Example: 1/2 of seven is 3.5 and one (1) more would be 4.5; since one cannot compete in half a rodeo, the number required to compete in would be rounded up to the next whole number). A Rookie contender must have a membership card and have not participated previously as a BPIR member.

## **GROUND MONEY:**

If there is no qualified score or time in an event, the ground money will not count toward points.

## **BULL RIDING PAY OUTS:**

Bull Riding will be paid on each go round per rodeo. BPIR Finals will pay each go round and an average.

## **COGGINS REQUIRE:**

Current Coggins Papers (No Exceptions)

# BPIR Rules & Regulations 2018 continued

## BOOKS CLOSE:

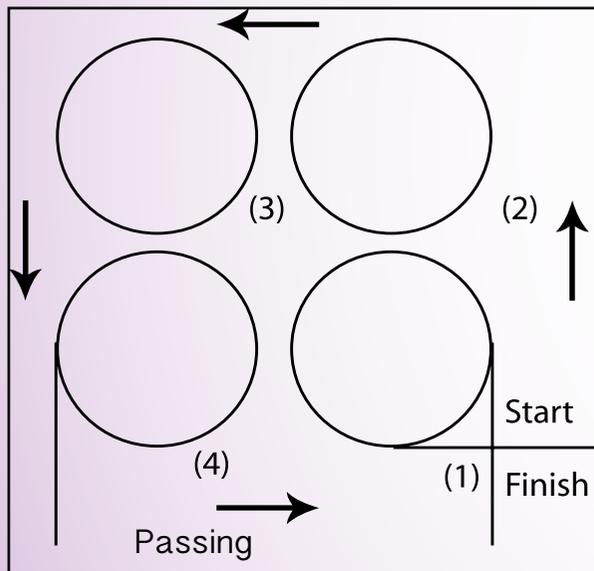
\* All Contestants Must Be Present In The Arena And Entry Fees Paid One (1.5) Hour Before The Performance. All Bpir Books Will Close (1.5) Hour Before Performance.

## BPIR PERMITS:

- Non-members must purchase permits and the permit fee must be paid at the time the entry fee is paid.
- Permit holders(Non-Members) must call in their entry. All entries of permit holders must be paid no later than one (1) hour before the rodeo performance. If entry is not paid, contestant will be withdrawn from the event and fined if contestant does not call secretary and withdrawn 24 hours before rodeo.
- If a Permit Holder earns money during a rodeo, and elects to purchase a membership during payoff the cost of membership is eighty dollars (\$80.00) less the twenty dollars (\$20.00) permit fee or sixty dollars (\$60.00). Points (earnings) won under a permit will not count towards the standings. Points earned under the newly purchased membership will begin to count at the next BPIR or Approved Sanctioned Rodeo with money earned.
- Permit holders will not be eligible for any prizes other than money earned at BPIR rodeos in which permit holder participates. Permit holders will not be eligible for finals.

**E-MAIL ENTRIES WILL BE ALLOWED FOR MEMBERS AND PERMIT ENTRIES.** E-mail should be sent to [stephaniehaynes2@gmail.com](mailto:stephaniehaynes2@gmail.com) prior to Call-In DATES for all Rodeos. **ENTRY FEES** can be paid by Credit Card by viewing the BPIR WEB page and clicking on the RODEO SOUL tab and following the link and instructions. A (\$2.50) processing fee will be added to your total.

## RELAY RACE RULES



1. THE START OF THE RELAY WILL BEGIN AT THE FIRST BARREL AND THE FINISH WILL BE AT THE FIRST BARREL (reason: the majority of the relay racers will be accustomed to starting at the 1st barrel and stopping at the 4th. The relay racers are generally the same group of people each year.
2. THE PASSING OF THE BATON WILL OCCUR BETWEEN THE 4TH AND 1ST BARREL ONLY (i.e. the pass can't happen at the 4th, nor can it. The passing of the baton will occur between the 4th and 1st barrel only (i.e. The pass can't happen at the 4th, nor can it happen at the 1st, it must be between the barrels).
3. You have to be ready to enter the arena when your team is called, if not, you will be disqualified and will forfeit your entry fee.
4. You can encourage your horse to run; however, the designated relay baton is all that you can pass between riders.
5. The barrel will be staked at the very beginning and will remain the same for the duration of the race for both performances.



## 2018 Schedule

### DENVER CO

MLK Jr. Rodeo of Champions  
Monday, January 15, 2018  
6:00 pm

Slack, Monday morning,  
January 15th @ 8:30am

National Western Stock Show  
Denver Coliseum

### MEMPHIS, TN

(Rodeo for Kidz Sake)  
April 6, 2018 10:30 am

Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo  
April 7, 2018 | 7:00 pm

Agri Center International  
105 South Germantown Rd., Memphis, TN

### OAKLAND, CA

Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo  
Saturday, July 14, 2018 | 2:30 pm  
Sunday, July 15, 2018 | 2:30 pm

Rowell Ranch Rodeo Ground  
9711 Dublin Canyon Road, Hayward, CA

### LOS ANGELES, CA

Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo  
Saturday, July 21, 2018 | 6:30 pm  
Sunday, July 22, 2018 | 3:30 pm

Industry Hills Expo Center  
16200 Temple Ave., City of Industry, CA 91744

### ATLANTA, GA

Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo  
Saturday August 4, 2018 | 7:30pm  
Sunday August 5, 2018 | 3:30pm

Georgia International Horse Park  
1996 Centennial Olympic Pkwy, Conyers, GA

BPIR CHAMPIONSHIP RODEO

### WASHINGTON, DC

Rodeo For Kidz Sake  
Friday, September 21, 2018  
10:00 AM

Bill Pickett Championship Rodeo  
Saturday, Sept. 22, 2018  
1:30 pm & 7:30 pm

The Show Place Arena and  
Prince George's Equestrian Center  
14900 Pennsylvania Ave.,  
Upper Marlboro, MD

### SANCTIONED RODEO'S

*SANCTIONED RODEO points will count  
towards BPIR Championship Finals for BPIR  
Members ONLY!*

Midwest Rodeo Agricultural Center @  
Alabama A&M  
February 16 & 17, 2018

Arizona Black Rodeo  
Wild Horse Pass Arena  
March 10, 2018

Chandler, Arizona

ASGCA Easter Rodeo  
TVE Fairgrounds  
April 1, 2018  
Liberty, TX

63rd Annual Okmulgee  
"Roy LeBlanc" Invitational Rodeo  
Bob Arrington Arena  
August 10-11, 2018  
Okmulgee, OK

## HOTEL RESERVATION DETAILS

### OAKLAND CA RODEO HOTEL INFO

#### MARRIOTT HOTEL PLEASANTON

11950 DUBLIN CANYON ROAD | PLEASANTON, CA

THE RATE IS \$119.00 PER NIGHT, INCLUDES BREAKFAST FOR TWO PEOPLE AND WIFI.

#### **HOTEL ROOMS MUST BE BOOKED THROUGH**

THE BILL PICKETT OFFICE 510-357-3667.

### LOS ANGELES RODEO HOTEL INFO

#### COMFORT INN HACIENDA HEIGHTS

753 N. GLENDORA AVE LA PUENTE, CA 91744  
(626) 330-0030 |(626) 330-0027 FAX

BPIR GROUP RATES \$109 INCLUDES BREAKFAST FOR UP TO 4

### ATLANTA GA RODEO HOTEL INFO

#### HAWTHORN SUITES

1659 Centennial Olympic Parkway  
Conyers, GA 30013  
770-761-9155 ext. 7155

#### BPIR GROUP RATE

HOTEL RATE: | \$95.00

### CHAMPIONSHIP RODEO HOTEL INFO

#### COLONY SOUTH

7401 SURRETT'S ROAD | CLINTON, MD 20735  
301-877-4801  
WWW.COLONYSOUTH.COM

Deluxe King - \$89.00 | Deluxe Double Double - \$89.00

Group Code: 09222017BILLPICK

### 2018 EVENT DIRECTORS

Bareback – Lamontra Hosley | Alt. Jason Griffin  
Bull Dogging – Arnold Laskey | Alt. Rodney Demery  
Calf Roping – Deon Osborne | Alt. Harrel Williams  
Bull Riding – T yree Kossie | Alt. Jimmy Patterson.  
Barrel Racing – Danielle Clark | Alt. Kanesha Jackson  
Ladies Steer Undecorating – Neysha Laskey | Alt. Stephanie Haynes  
Relay Race – Rodney Demery | Alt. Carolyn Carter

# ENTRY FORM

## OAKLAND CA RODEO • ENTRY FORM ROWELL RANCH RODEO GROUNDS

9711 DUBLIN CANYON ROAD | CASTRO VALLEY, CA 94552

Saturday, July 14, 2018 | 2:30 pm  
Sunday, July 15, 2018 | 2:30 pm

**COGGINS PAPERS REQUIRED | BOOKS CLOSE 1.5 HOURS BEFORE RODEO**

**OAKLAND CA RODEO ADDED MONEY \$12,950**

EVENT	FEE	ADDED
CALF ROPIN	\$75	\$2000
BAREBACK RIDIN	\$75	\$2000
BULL DOGGIN	\$75	\$2000
LADIES STEER UNDECORATIN	\$75	\$2000
LADIES BARREL RACIN	\$75	\$2000
JR. BARREL RACIN (12 & UNDER)	\$20	\$100
JR. BREAK-AWAY (14 & UNDER) LIMIT 8	\$25	\$100
RELAY RACE	\$40	\$750
BULL RIDIN	\$75	\$2000

Entry Fee - \$75 and open to All African American Cowboys & Cowgirls

2018 PERMIT OR MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED FOR POINT TO COUNT TOWARDS  
FINALS RODEO

Annual Memberships - New Membership \$80 - Renewal Membership \$70  
(2017 Members). Permits are \$20.

PLEASE NOTE \*\$15.00 Stock Charge-- \$7.00 timer charge per run.

HOST HOTEL: MARRIOTT HOTEL PLEASANTON | 11950 DUBLIN CANYON ROAD  
PLEASANTON, CA • \$119.00 per night, includes breakfast for two people and wifi. Hotel  
rooms must be booked through the Bill Pickett Office 510-357-3667

ALL ENTRY FEES CAN BE PAID IN ADVANCE ONLINE at:  
**CLICK: RODEO SOUL – CA ENTRY**

BOOKS OPEN/CALL-IN:

CALL-IN: Call in date is Thursday, July 5th from 6:00pm - 10:00pm CST

POSTITION will posted on FB and BPIR website on Tuesday, July 10, 2018 or call secretary after  
6PM.

CALL or TEXT: Stephanie Haynes, TEXAS BPIR Office at 713-253-3334 or by email:  
stephaniehaynes2@gmail.com TO ENTER

Entry fees must be made payable to BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO and must be paid by CASHIER'S CHECK, WESTERN UNION, PAYPAL, MONEY ORDER or Credit Card. Absolutely no personal or business checks accepted. Please make certain that all information requested is completed and form is properly signed. Return entry and release form, along with entry fee, to:

**BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO •**

**P.O. Box 39163 • Denver, CO 80239**

Neither entry form nor entry fees are transferable/refundable. Please contact the TEXAS, B.P.I.R. CALL-IN OFFICE at 713-253-3334 on Tuesday, July 10, 2018 to confirm your participation. Check on FB Contestants Page or BPIR Website for Position Posting.

### RELEASE

I, the undersigned, do hereby release the management, all executives, managers or owners of buildings, owners of livestock, promoter, sponsors and their employees, etc., attached to the BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO, from all damages for injuries sustained while participating in any event or act therein. I will not, in any, hold the show management responsible, and will participate in this show absolutely at my own risk.

I, the undersigned, do hereby further agree to allow the management, without additional compensation, to use any and all photographs, videos and motion pictures taken of me in connection with the BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO for use in both commercial and non-commercial advertisements, motion pictures, videos and promotions of any kind.

I agree that this instrument be binding on my heirs, next of kin and assigns.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**SO THAT WE CAN UPDATE OUR OFFICE FILES, PLEASE COMPLETE THE  
INFORMATION BELOW.**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ SOC. SEC. NO. \_\_\_\_\_

CITY STATE ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* ALL CONTESTANTS MUST BE PRESENT IN THE ARENA AND ENTRY FEES PAID ONE (1.5)  
HOUR BEFORE THE PERFORMANCE. All BPIR Books will close (1.5) Hour before Performance.**



# ENTRY FORM

## LOS ANGELES CA RODEO • ENTRY FORM INDUSTRY HILLS EXPO CENTER

16200 TEMPLE AVENUE | CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA 91744

Saturday, July 21, 2018 | 6:30 pm

Sunday, July 22, 2018 | 3:30 pm

**COGGINS PAPERS REQUIRED | BOOKS CLOSE 1.5 HOURS BEFORE RODEO**

**LOS ANGELES CA RODEO ADDED MONEY \$11,450**

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CALF ROPIN	\$75	\$1750
BAREBACK RIDIN	\$75	\$1750
BULL DOGGIN	\$75	\$1750
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HOST HOTEL: Comfort Inn Hacienda Heights | 753 N. Glendora Ave La Puente, CA 91744  
| (626) 330-0030 |(626) 330-0027 Fax

BPIR Group Rates \$109 Includes Breakfast For Up To 4

For Stalls contact: Lugenia Ricks323.395.4046 | email: [jijeana@gmail.com](mailto:jijeana@gmail.com)

Stalls @ \$22 per stall per night (no weekend rates)

RV's @ \$25 per night

Pre-ordered shavings @ \$13 per bag. Alfalfa hay st \$20 per bale

ALL ENTRY FEES CAN BE PAID IN ADVANCE ONLINE at:

**CLICK: RODEO SOUL – CA ENTRY**

BOOKS OPEN/CALL-IN:

CALL-IN: Call in date is Thursday, July 5th from 6:00pm - 10:00pm CST

POSTITION will posted on FB and BPIR website on Tuesday, July 17, 2018 or call secretary after 6PM.

CALL or TEXT: Stephanie Haynes, TEXAS BPIR Office at 713-253-3334 or by email:  
[stephaniehaynes2@gmail.com](mailto:stephaniehaynes2@gmail.com) TO ENTER

Entry fees must be made payable to BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO and must be paid by CASHIER'S CHECK, WESTERN UNION, PAYPAL, MONEY ORDER or Credit Card. Absolutely no personal or business checks accepted. Please make certain that all information requested is completed and form is properly signed. Return entry and release form, along with entry fee, to:

**BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO •**

**P.O. Box 39163 • Denver, CO 80239**

Neither entry form nor entry fees are transferable/refundable. Please contact the TEXAS, B.P.I.R. CALL-IN OFFICE at 713-253-3334 on Tuesday, July 17, 2018 to confirm your participation. Check on FB Contestants Page or BPIR Website for Position Posting.

### RELEASE

I, the undersigned, do hereby release the management, all executives, managers or owners of buildings, owners of livestock, promoter, sponsors and their employees, etc., attached to the BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO, from all damages for injuries sustained while participating in any event or act therein. I will not, in any, hold the show management responsible, and will participate in this show absolutely at my own risk.

I, the undersigned, do hereby further agree to allow the management, without additional compensation, to use any and all photographs, videos and motion pictures taken of me in connection with the BILL PICKETT INVITATIONAL RODEO for use in both commercial and non-commercial advertisements, motion pictures, videos and promotions of any kind.

I agree that this instrument be binding on my heirs, next of kin and assigns.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ SOC. SEC. NO. \_\_\_\_\_

CITY STATE ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

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# ENTRY FORM

**ATLANTA GA RODEO • ENTRY FORM**  
**GEORGIA INTERNATIONAL HORSE PARK**  
1996 CENTENNIAL OLYMPIC PARKWAY | CONYERS, GA 30013

**Saturday, August 4, 2018 | 7:30 pm**  
**Sunday, August 5, 2018 | 3:30 pm**

**COGGINS PAPERS REQUIRED | BOOKS CLOSE 1.5 HOURS BEFORE RODEO**

ATLANTA GA RODEO	ADDED MONEY	\$10,300
EVENT	FEE	ADDED
CALF ROPIN	\$75	\$1600
BAREBACK RIDIN	\$75	\$1600
BULL DOGGIN	\$75	\$1600
LADIES STEER UNDECORATIN	\$75	\$1600
LADIES BARREL RACIN	\$75	\$1600
JR. BARREL RACIN (12 & UNDER)	\$20	\$100
JR. BREAK-AWAY (14 & UNDER) LIMIT 8	\$25	\$100
RELAY RACE	\$40	\$500
BULL RIDIN	\$75	\$1600

Entry Fee - \$75 and open to All African American Cowboys & Cowgirls

**2018 PERMIT OR MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED FOR POINT TO COUNT TOWARDS FINALS RODEO**

Annual Memberships - New Membership \$80 - Renewal Membership \$70 (2017 Members). Permits are \$20.

PLEASE NOTE \*\$15.00 Stock Charge-- \$7.00 timer charge per run.

**HOST HOTEL: HAWTHORN SUITES | 1659 CENTENNIAL OLYMPIC PARKWAY CONYERS, GA 30013 | 770-761-9155 EXT. 7155 | \$95.00**

**All overnight guests are required to use the facility horse stalls**

Stalls are \$10.00 per stall per day (Does Not include shavings, can bring your own)

Shavings are \$8.00 per bag ( 2 Bags Required )

RV with Electric Hook Up is 22.00 per night

**ALL ENTRY FEES CAN BE PAID IN ADVANCE ONLINE at:**

**CLICK: RODEO SOUL – ATL ENTRY**

**BOOKS OPEN/CALL-IN:**

CALL-IN: Thursday, July 26, 2018 from 6:00pm - 10:00pm CST

CALL-BACK: Thursday, July 31, 2018 from 6:00pm - 10:00pm CST

POSTITION will posted on FB and BPIR website on July 31, 2018 or call secretary after 6PM.

CALL or TEXT: Stephanie Haynes, TEXAS BPIR Office at 713-253-3334 or by email:

stephaniehaynes2@gmail.com TO ENTER

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# 2018 BPIR STANDINGS

Event	Contestant	MLK	Alabama	MT/RFKS	Memphis	Ariz	Liberty, TX	Total
BB	Harold Miller	\$1,189.29	\$1,440.00		\$439.92			\$3,069.21
BB	Lamontre Hosley	\$1,783.93						\$1,783.93
BB	Jason Griffin			\$502.90	\$293.28			\$796.18
BD	Tory Johnson	\$1,326.25		\$398.56				\$1,724.81
BD	Arnold Laskey		\$720.00	\$249.00		\$651.00		\$1,620.00
BD	James Taylor	\$884.16					\$362.00	\$1,246.16
BD	Rodney Demery	\$1,105.21						\$1,105.21
BD	Denell Henderson					\$1,085.00		\$1,085.00
BD	Aaron Laskey		\$480.00	\$249.00	\$225.60			\$954.60
BD	Andrew Madden					\$868.00		\$868.00
BD	Calgry Smith					\$506.00		\$506.00
BD	Andrew Hosley	\$442.08						\$442.08
BD	Jamel Hunt				\$338.40			\$338.40
BD	Wefus Tyus					\$181.00		\$181.00
CR	Jarvus Demery	\$1,061.00	\$774.00		\$789.60			\$2,624.60
CR	Calgry Smith		\$645.00		\$394.80			\$1,039.80
CR	Matthew Sloan		\$387.00	\$476.58				\$863.58
CR	TJ Hewitt	\$795.75						\$795.75
CR	Glenn Jackson					\$700.50		\$700.50
CR	Denell Henderson	\$530.50						\$530.50
CR	Justin Dan	\$397.87						\$397.87
CR	Justin Richard				\$394.80			\$394.80
CR	Tory Johnson					\$394.00		\$394.00
CR	Steve Green	\$221.00						\$221.00
LSU	Dayna Carter	\$1,122.02	\$270.00	\$385.40		\$604.00		\$2,381.42
LSU	Meagan Byrd	\$1,122.02	\$180.00		\$313.02			\$1,615.04
LSU	Jhani Hardin					\$906.00		\$906.00
LSU	Denise Tyus			\$289.05	\$104.34	\$453.00		\$846.39
LSU	Danielle Clark		\$360.00	\$96.35			\$365.00	\$821.35
LSU	Reneisha Hardin					\$755.00		\$755.00
LSU	Linda Knight	\$721.30						\$721.30
LSU	Denesha Henderson					\$626.04		\$626.04
LSU	DeShauna Loud					\$521.70		\$521.70

Event	Contestant	MLK	Alabama	MT/RFKS	Memphis	Ariz	Liberty, TX	Total
LSU	Kanesha Jackson	\$480.87						\$480.87
LSU	Sonya Hopkins					\$302.00		\$302.00
LSU	Natasha Caldwell			\$192.70				\$192.70
LSU	Stephanie Haynes				\$104.34			\$104.34
LBR	Mikala Nealy	\$1,065.06	\$717.00	\$479.02	\$601.60	\$1,008.00		\$3,870.68
LBR	Kanesha Jackson	\$399.40		\$119.76	\$721.92		\$355.00	\$1,596.08
LBR	Savannah Roberts	\$1,420.08						\$1,420.08
LBR	Stephanie Haynes			\$359.27		\$504.00		\$863.27
LBR	Denise Tyus					\$840.00		\$840.00
LBR	Yatiska Gatson		\$597.00		\$240.64			\$837.64
LBR	Danielle Clark	\$798.79						\$798.79
LBR	Linda Brown					\$672.00		\$672.00
LBR	Denesha Henderson	\$532.53						\$532.53
LBR	Kortnee Solomon				\$360.96			\$360.96
LBR	Leslie Davis		\$358.00					\$358.00
LBR	Jhani Hardin					\$336.00		\$336.00
LBR	Whitney Jefferson			\$239.51				\$239.51
LBR	Linda Brown	\$221.89						\$221.89
JBR	Kortnee Solomon	\$87.50		\$66.00	\$57.81			\$211.31
JBR	Arya Nero			\$110.00	\$96.35			\$206.35
JBR	Sadie Jackson	\$52.50						\$52.50
JBR	Zakeria Loudd			\$44.00				\$44.00
JBR	Cheyenne Williams				\$38.54			\$38.54
JBR	Savannah Roberts	\$35.00						\$35.00
BR	Tyree Kossie			\$568.70	\$564.00			\$1,132.70
ARB	Tory Johnson	\$1,326.25		\$398.56		\$394.00		\$2,118.81
ARB	Denell Henderson	\$530.50				\$1,085.00		\$1,615.50
ARB	Calgry Smith		\$645.00		\$394.80	\$506.00		\$1,545.80
ARG	Kanesha Jackson	\$880.27		\$119.76	\$721.92		\$355.00	\$2,076.95
ARG	Denise Tyus			\$289.05	\$104.34	\$1,293.00		\$1,686.39
ARG	Danielle Clark	\$798.79	\$360.00				\$365.00	\$1,523.79
ARG	Jhani Hardin					\$1,242.00		\$1,242.00
ARG	Denesha Henderson	\$532.53			\$626.04			\$1,158.57