

2010 TWJHD STATE FINALS

In addition to the 2008-2010 RULE BOOK OF THE NHSRA & THSRA, plus GROUND RULES FROM THE CITY OF GONZALES: the following will be Ground Rules at the 2010 TWJHD STATE FINALS – Gonzales, Texas – May 28 – June 6, 2010.

1. All contestants must bring either their final report card for the 2009-2010 school year or a letter from their school (on school stationary with school seal) listing their Spring semester Grades or a letter stating that the contestant has passed at least four (4) subjects. The letter must be signed by school counselor, principal or superintendent.
2. Any contestant having a problem making the check in time on Sunday, May 30, 2010 needs to call me at 979-272-2249 or 979-412-2551. The only excuse for being late to check in has to be school related.
3. Check in will be Sunday, May 30th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Show Barn office. You must be checked in by 1 p.m. You will be allowed to come onto the grounds Saturday, May 29th beginning at 7 a.m. The City of Gonzales will have staff available 24 hours to help you with RV and stall assignments. There will be no stall refunds after May 1st.
 - a. Each contestant must present a photo ID at check in.
 - b. There will be no refunds after May 1st without a medical release, and there will be no moving up after May 15th if a contestant drops out for any reason.
 - c. Each contestant will have a morning and an evening run. The order will be reversed for the second go. The second go will not start until the first go is complete.
 - d. The morning perfs will start at 9 a.m. and the evening perfs will start at 6:30 p.m. beginning with the first perf on Monday morning. The Short-Go will start at 11 a.m. Saturday and will be the only performance that day.
4. Proof of a negative coggins test, taken within the 12 months prior to the State Finals, must be furnished along with a proper and current Health Certificate issued if you are crossing state lines by a licensed veterinarian within 45 days of the opening of the State Finals. Only one (1) horse will be allowed in each stall. A copy of these must be turned in when you get your stall assignment.
5. The price of admission will be \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for a child for a performance. Season passes may be purchased from your region secretary when you turn in your entry form. Passes can be picked up when you check in.
6. The Dress Code will be as follows:
 - a. Full dress code inside the fenced arena (hats, boots, long sleeves, and back numbers) while competing or sitting in the stands.
 - b. Back number only in the stalling area and warm up pen.
7. There will no tolerance for alcohol/drug/tobacco consumption or in presence thereof.

GROUND RULES FOR J. B. WELLS ARENA - GONZALES, TX

1. Covered arena will NOT be open for practice at any time; however, the practice arena will be open for riding day and night.
 2. For the safety of your horses, we ask that you NOT clip or tie horses to chain link fences anywhere on the grounds at any time. Also, NO horses are allowed on grass area around the cemetery.
 3. If you park in a RV spot and plan to run your generator you still have to pay for the spot.
 4. NO horses are allowed to be washed inside the horse stall barn. Horses can only be washed in the wash racks or at your RV spot.
 5. There will not be a honey wagon. There is a dump station located on the grounds. Every RV spot has water, sewer, and electric hook-ups. Each spot has a 20, 30, and 50 amp service.
 6. There is no water hoses allowed in the horse barn. We provided a water faucet at every pole inside the horse barn.
 7. For the safety and because the practice arena is available at all times, NO horses are allowed to be left in the practice arena over night. If a horse is on the premises over night they must be in a stall.
 8. Bicycles, scooters, and roller blades are not allowed to be ridden in the bleacher area at any time.
 9. Please don't stand at the rail around the arena. Be considerate of the spectators in the bleachers and handicap areas that came to support you.
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10. NO GLASS CONTAINERS ALLOWED ANYWHERE IN THE PARK.
 11. NO DOGS ALLOWED in the covered arena area and bleachers.
 12. All dogs on park grounds must be on a leash.
 13. No horses are allowed on sidewalk area or tied close by. These areas are for spectators.