

SUMMER IN JANUARY

SORT & PENNING

JANUARY 11 - 13



Enjoy pleasant Summer temperatures in
COMPLETELY ENCLOSED HEATED INDOOR ARENA

BELL COUNTY EXPO CENTER
 301 WEST LOOP 121, BELTON TX 76513

3 SORTING PENS FOR A FASTER SHOW!

LIVE VIDEO FEED OF THE ENTIRE SHOW

\$35 Fee for all classes unless otherwise noted.
 50% Payback in all classes unless otherwise noted.



RSOA classes are Pick 5 Draw 1.
 USTPA classes are Pick 4 Draw 1 (unless otherwise noted)

FRIDAY

6:00-8:10 Beginner Penning Clinic - \$125
 by Brian and Sonya Buckner and Rodi Torres

8:15 PM

#4 LIMITED (All Draw) Penning
 No riders rated above 2 USTPA or 4 RSOA

Classes **SHOWN IN RED** are USTPA classes.
 USTPA ratings and rules apply, USTPA & RSOA points
 Classes **SHOWN IN BLACK** are RSOA classes.
 RSOA ratings and rules apply, RSOA points
 Add association fee of \$3 per ride RSOA ride or \$3.50 per USTPA ride
 \$2 administration fee is already included in listed prices.

SATURDAY

SAT START 8:00 AM

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#10 Elite HC Penning - 60% Payback- Pick up to 6- \$45
 (If you pick more than 1 you must draw 2)
 Open HC (All Levels) (All Draw) Penning
 Pro/Novice Penning (All Draw) Pro sorts with N or 1

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Open HC (All Levels) (All Draw) Sort
 #13 Mix HC
 #11/2 (2 cap on the sorter) BUCKLES
 #9 Sort
 #11 Legends HC Sort (over 50)
 #5 Sort
 #5 No-Lope HC Sort BUCKLES
 #3 Sort BUCKLES

SUNDAY

SUN START 8:00 AM

#13 HC Sort BUCKLES
 Pro/Novice (All Draw) Sort Pro sorts with N or 1
 #10 Beginner Ranch-hand \$25 fee for Gate Holder BUCKLES
 #10 Beginner Youth/Adult Gate Sort BUCKLES
 \$20 Youth No charge for Adult Great prizes for youth/ no-payback
 #6 Youth Sort \$25 BUCKLES
 #12/3 (3 cap on the sorter)
 #4 Sort BUCKLES
 #8 Sort

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 All announcements at show supercede printed material

For Stalls and RV call or text (281)785-1709 or visit www.RanchSortingOfAmerica.com
 Stalls \$25 or \$30 (see page 2) Shavings \$9.00 * RV Hook-ups \$30 or \$35 (see page 2) *Full service Bar with live music Saturday night
 We don't care what you wear in the RSOA classes. USTPA dress code requires a western hat and a long-sleeve collared shirt.
 Our host hotel is Holiday Inn Belton. Book online at RSOA or call 254-778-5511 and ask for RSA Block.
 See page 2 for for Ratings Information, Class Descriptions and More Info. **Coggins Required**

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CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

FRIDAY

#4 Limited (All Draw) Penning begins after the clinic. Riders are not required to participate in the clinic to ride in this class. This class is designed for beginners and those that are somewhat hesitant to try penning. Riders will pen on herds of 21 not 30. Riders will be given 75 seconds to pen, not 60. No Riders rated above a 2 USTPA or 4 RSNC may ride in this class.

SATURDAY PENNING

10 Elite HC Penning \$7 fee is added for each rider. Pick 1 and receive an automatic draw. If you pick 2 or more you must draw 2. You may draw to 8. You may pick up to 6. The top 30% of this class are qualified to ride in the 10 Elite HC Penning at the USTPA World Championship Finals. That one class paid out over \$175,000 cash and prizes in the 2018 Finals.

Open HC (All Levels) (All Draw) Penning is open to all levels and handicapped. All Draws no picks.

Pro/Novice Penning Designed to allow the newer riders to ride with the professionals, this class is a lot of fun and the N's and 1's are GUARANTEED all of their rides are with a pro!

USTPA 5-7 rated rider rides with only N or 1 rated riders. All Draw. The Pros DO NOT pay an entry fee but share prize money. The Pro cannot go into the herd to bring out the cow (unless the cow already came out and then went back into the herd).

SATURDAY SORTING

Open HC (All Levels) (All Draw) Sort is open to all levels and handicapped All Draws no picks.

#13 Mix HC Sort Must have riders from 2 of the following categories (Male, Female, Youth, Over 65 yrs age)

#11/2 (2cap on sorter) The sorter must be rated 2 or under, gate holder cannot make a move towards the good cow. If both riders are 2 or below may switch out.

#11 Legends HC Sort Riders must be 50 years of age or older on any day during 2019.

#5 No-Lope HC Sort This class is designed for those that prefer a slower pace. The sorter cannot lope, while the gate person may lope towards bad cow and lope in the gate, but not in an effort to direct the good cow towards the gate. Yell all you want, we don't care.

SUNDAY SORTING

Pro/Novice (All Draw) Sort Designed to allow the newer riders to ride with the professionals, this class is a lot of fun and the N's and 1's are GUARANTEED all of their rides are with a pro!

USTPA 5-7 rated rider rides with only an N or a1 rated rider. All Draw. The Pros DO NOT pay an entry fee but share prize money. The N or 1 must sort the first cow.

#10 Beginner Ranch Hand The beginner is the sorter, the gate person may not make an aggressive move towards the good cow. Discounted fee of \$25 for the gate holder. Both the beginner and the gate holder on the winning team receives buckles.

#6 Youth Sort Both riders must be 18 or younger on any day during 2019. This class offers a 50% payback.

#12/3 (3 cap on sorter) The class designed for the 3 rated rider that misses the 11/2 class. The sorter must be rated 3 or under, gate holder cannot make a move towards the good cow. If both riders are 3 or below they may switch out.

RSOA Ratings are 1-9. RSOA Classes have a 6 ride limit with 1 mandatory draw.

You may pick 5 draw 1, Pick 2 draw 4, ...Draw all 6 etc.

Most new RSOA sorters will be rated according to their RSNC Rating.

RSOA points will be awarded for all USTPA and all RSOA classes.

USTPA Ratings are N-7. USTPA classes have a 5 ride limit, including 1 mandatory draw (with the exception of the #10 Elite) USTPA penning ratings will be used for all penning classes.

USTPA points awarded only for USTPA classes. Those previously unrated by USTPA will be rated at the show. Note: USTPA penning ratings are always lower than RSOA ratings. For Example, typically an RSOA rider rated 1 or 2 will be rated an N penner. Riders will be rated before or at the event.

