

# DFI Alberta Snaffle Bit Futurity



## & ARCHA Cow Horse Show & Bridle Spectacular

Entry information for horse show will be available on website [www.albertareinedcowhorse.ca](http://www.albertareinedcowhorse.ca)

**Claresholm Agriplex September 3<sup>rd</sup>- 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

### Terms & Conditions

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#### DIVISIONS – for Futurity & Derby

1. Open – Open to any rider
2. Limited Open- Any rider with less than \$15,000 lifetime Working Cow Horse earnings. Lifetime earnings are considered as all monies won in any & all Working Cow Horse events including Limited Age Events. Drawn concurrently with the Open.
3. Non pro – Rider must meet definition pursuant to 2010 ARCHA rulebook
4. Intermediate non pro - Non Pro riders with less than \$10,000 lifetime Working Cow Horse earnings . Lifetime earnings are considered as all monies won in any & all Working Cow Horse events including Limited Age Events. Drawn concurrently with the Non Pro.

#### GENERAL

1. ARCHA rules apply unless specifically altered or deleted – REFER TO YOUR 2010 ARCHA RULEBOOK FOR COMPLETE RULES & REGULATIONS
2. **Futurity Entries**- All Futurity classes open to 3yr. old horses of any breed. All horses are to be shown in 3 rounds of competition: herd, rein & cow work. Horses may have been previously exhibited in a snaffle bit, hackamore or bridle; however, they may not have been shown down the fence in a bridle.
3. **Derby Entries**: Open to horses 4 & 5 yrs. of age of any breed that have never been shown in a bridle down the fence at any judged cow horse event held anytime, any place. Horses to be shown in an approved hackamore with closed reins, or approved snaffle bit in herd, rein & cow work rounds of competition (must use same equipment in all three events). Rein and cow work will run concurrently with Open and Non pro snaffle bit/hackamore class.
4. **Cow horse Show** - Subject to 2010 ARCHA rules and regulations for horse shows **Points will count towards year end standings.** Classes that run concurrent are as follows:
  - a. Open Bridle Spectacular with Open/Limited Open Bridle
  - b. Non Pro Bridle Spectacular with Non Pro/Novice Non Pro Bridle
  - c. \$2,000 Limit and \$500 Limit WCH
  - d. \$1,000 Limit Rein/box and Youth Rein/Box
  - e. Open Derby rein/cow work with Open Snaffle Bit/Hackamore (horseshow class)
  - f. Non pro Derby rein/cow work with Non pro Snaffle Bit/Hackamore (horseshow class)

5. **Bridle Spectacular** – Horses must be shown in full bridle (see 2010 ARCHA rule book for specifications) in 3 rounds of competition; herd, rein and cow work. Rein and cow work will run concurrently with Open and Non pro bridle classes.
6. Owners & riders must be current members in good standing with the ARCHA by noon the day preceding competition.
7. All entries must be named, and a copy of the horse's registration papers or a written veterinary age authentication including complete horse description for unregistered horses included for Futurity & Derby classes, at the time of entry. Failure to include a copy of registration papers or veterinary age authentication will constitute an incomplete entry (Futurity & Derby classes only).
8. Prize money will be paid to the rider and payout will be paid out in accordance with current ARCHA payout schedule & rules.
9. An owner may enter more than one horse. A rider may ride more than one horse. A horse may only be entered once in each division.
10. The Snaffle Bit Futurity Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any entry. All decisions are final.
11. The ARCHA reserves the right to cancel, transfer or reschedule the event without notice &/or liability. In the event of cancellation all entry fees paid to date will be refunded. Any interest earned on the entries is the property of the ARCHA.
12. These rules & conditions are subject to change by action of the ARCHA Board of Directors &/or Committee on behalf of the ARCHA Board of Directors.
13. Ties for first place will be broken by the highest cow work score. In the event cow work scores are the same, the tied contestants will have a work off in the cow work portion only to determine the winner. Ties below first place will split the payout for the tied places, prizes will be determined by highest cow work score & if still tied then coin flip. Ties for any special award prizes will be determined by coin flip.

## **EQUIPMENT**

1. **Snaffle Bit Futurity:** Entries will be shown using a "D" ring or "O" ring type snaffle - refer to ARCHA rulebook for complete equipment specifications.
2. **Derby:** Entries will be shown in either a Snaffle Bit or Hackamore. – refer to ARCHA rulebook for complete equipment specifications.
3. **Cow Horse Show:** Entries will be subject to 2010 ARCHA rules for the specific class.
4. **General:** After each work, headstalls must be dropped and viewed by the appointed representative and mouth checked. Size and design of horseshoes will be the exhibitor's discretion. Use of illegal &/or training equipment will not be permitted in the show arena on the day of the show, either previous to or during the performance. Exhibitors must wear a western hat or helmet approved for riding by an equine organization, boots & long sleeve shirt, chaps or chinks are mandatory. On show day & until the conclusion of the show, any persons entering the show pen must be wearing a western hat and long sleeve shirt. If at any time during a performance a piece of equipment breaks, the rider may continue provided the broken equipment does not pose a hazard to the rider &/or is not cruel to the horse. If the rider is not able to continue due to the broken equipment, the rider will be excused with a score of zero.

## **SCRATCHES**

If an entry is scratched, all fees will be forfeited. No refunds shall be given except in the event of death or a disabling injury to a horse. The owner of said horse must provide written verifications of such from an approved Veterinarian. Any veterinary fees will be the responsibility of the horse owner. If the owner provides written verification prior to the draw date, **August 25, 2010**, the owner will be refunded half of the office fee & half of the cattle fee. After the draw date, **August 25, 2010**, no refunds will be given.

## **SUBSTITUTIONS**

1. Rider Substitutions: Rider substitutions can be completed by contacting the ARCHA Office. Rider substitutions may be subject to the Snaffle Bit Committee's approval (i.e. Non-Pro).
2. Horse Substitutions: In order to complete a horse substitution the following items must be sent to the ARCHA office or presented to the Horse Show office at the show:
  - A substitution fee of 10% of the total entry fee.
  - A copy of the new entry's registration papers or veterinary age authentication (Futurity & Derby classes only).
  - A new entry blank must be completed.

Any current entry that would like to substitute must provide all the items listed above or it will be considered a late entry & will be assessed late entry fees at the time of entry.

3. Change of ownership: If any entry changes ownership, the entry will retain eligibility by complying with the following:
  - Notification of change in ownership to the ARCHA office.
  - New owner is or becomes a member of the ARCHA.

## **PAYMENT OF FEES**

1. It is the owner's responsibility to ensure payments of fees and proper forms are **received** by the due dates. There will be no grace period. Payments returned due to insufficient funds or denied credit card will constitute an incomplete entry, & the responsible party will be subject to all late fees upon re-entry, a \$50 NSF charge will also be assessed. All entries must be complete by due dates & incomplete entries are subject to late fees.
2. Entry fees are payable by cheque, cash, Visa or MasterCard. Visa & MasterCard payments are subject to a 4% service charge. Payments must be **received** on or before August 16, 2010. Entries & payments **received** August 17 – 20, 2010 will be charged a late fee of \$100. No entries will be accepted after 6:00 pm August 20, 2010. If you would like to use your Credit Card to guarantee entry & pay by cash or cheque at the show, please indicate on the entry form, no 4% service charge will apply unless used, NSF charge will apply to any dishonored cheques or credit card charges. ARCHA reserves the right to charge dishonored cheques to the credit card used to secure entries.
3. All entries will be acknowledged by e-mail or phone.

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**Tentative Schedule (subject to change pending entries)**

**Thursday, September 2, 2010 –**

- 1:00 to 4:00 - Paid warm-ups – must be pre-booked see entry form
- 5:00 to 7:00 - Cattle Practice Pen - must be pre-booked see entry form

**Friday, September 3rd, 2010 - 9 am**

- Open/Ltd Open Derby Herd Work
- Non Pro/Int. Non Pro Derby Herd Work
- Open/Ltd. Open Futurity Herd Work
- Non Pro/Int Non Pro Futurity Herd Work
- Bridle spectacular Herd Work – Open/Non Pro

**Saturday, September 4, 2010 - 9 am**

- Non Pro Derby Rein & Fence & Non pro Snaffle Bit/Hackamore
- Open Derby Rein & Fence & Open Snaffle Bit/Hackamore
- Rein/Box classes – non pro Rein/Box, NP \$1,000 Limit Rein/Box, Youth Limited
- Non Pro/Int. Non Pro Futurity Reined Work
- Open/Int. Open Futurity Reined Work
- Saturday special event (7:00 pm)– Team Steer Doctoring – enter day of show

**Sunday, September 5th, 2010 - 8am**

- \$2,000 Limit and \$500 Limit WCH
- Open & Non pro Two Rein
- Youth Bridle
- Non Pro Bridle Spectacular concurrent with Non pro/Novice non pro Bridle
- Open Bridle Spectacular concurrent with Open & Limited Open Bridle
- Non Pro/Int. Non Pro Futurity Fence Work
- Open/Ltd Open Futurity Fence Work

7pm Canadian Snaffle Bit Futurity & Championships & ARCHA Year End  
Banquet & Awards Claresholm Golf Club