



KIMES RANCH

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SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA

NATIONAL REINED COW HORSE ASSOCIATION

2025 Exhibitor Packet

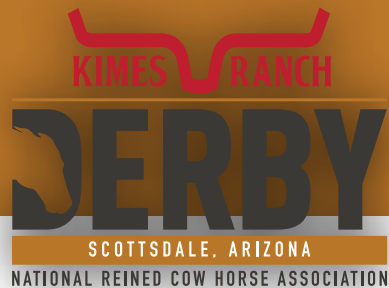
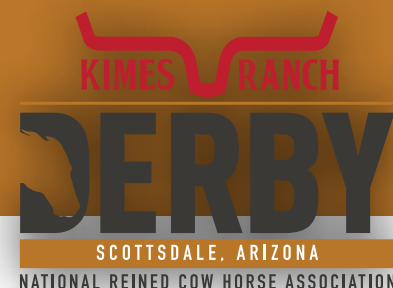


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Entry Deadlines & Show Dates



- April 28, 2025 - Entries Open**
- [Click for online entries at NRCHA CowHorse+](#)
- May 7, 2025 - In-Office Deadline for:**
- Entries
 - Stalls
- May 16, 2025 - Draw Date for:**
- Kimes Ranch Derby Prelims
 - Spectacular Herd Work
- May 25, 2025 - Early Move In (\$50 per stall, beginning at 1 p.m.)**
- May 26, 2025 - Exhibitor Move In (Beginning at 8 a.m.)**
- May 27, 2025 - Draw Date for:**
- Spectacular Rein and Cow Work
 - Horse Show Classes
- May 28 - June 7, 2025 - Show Dates** ([click here for the full schedule](#))
- June 8, 2025 - Move Out**



General Information

Contact Information

National Reined Cow Horse Association
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Judges

Monitor

Bill Enk – Paso Robles, CA

Patterns

Kimes Ranch Derby Prelims: TBD
Kimes Ranch Derby Finals: TBD
Horse Show Classes / Spectaculars: TBD
Open Bridle Spec/IOBS/OB/IOB/LOB/RFAM: TBD

Practice Pen & Warm Up Arenas

A schedule will be posted prior to the show. Priority Work pen(s) will be ran the same day the class shows. Additional works may be scheduled after the priority works for that set have completed. Practice pen works will be billed to the show tab. Single cow practices are \$85 and herd work practices are \$100.

The arenas will have open riding time when classes have ended for the day. A schedule with exact times will be posted prior to the show. This is subject to change based on arena prep needed.

General Information



Veterinarian

Dr. Joe Carter is the Official Veterinarian of the NRCHA and will be on site with his team from Oklahoma Equine. Contact Brooke Carpenter at (405) 830-1685.

Move In

General horse and exhibitor move in will be offered May 26-27 beginning at 8 AM. Early Move In will be offered on May 25 beginning at 1 PM. All early move ins must make a reservation with the NRCHA Office. Please email entries@nrcha.com if you plan to use the early move in. Early move in will be charged for all stalls used (including tack) at \$50/stall.

Health Documents

To comply with state animal health regulations, **ALL HORSES INCLUDING THOSE FROM ARIZONA** will require a negative Coggins (Equine Infectious Anemia) dated within 12 months of the event, and a health certificate dated within 10 days. **ALL** horses, including non-compete horses, are required to check in at the NRCHA Show Office.

Office Hours

The NRCHA office in Weatherford, TX will remain open during normal business hours during the Kimes Ranch Derby. The NRCHA Derby Show Office will handle all Derby business. The office will be open on move in days from 8 AM – 5 PM and on show days one hour prior to the start of the show until 6 PM or until last class is over, whichever comes first.

Shipping Address

Name of Recipient/NRCHA Show Office
WestWorld of Scottsdale
16601 N. Pima Road
Scottsdale, AZ 85260

NRCHA claims no responsibility for any/all packages delivered to the NRCHA Derby.

Media Services

Photographer

Award photos may be taken in the arena by appointment with Primo Morales Photography. Visit Primo's booth that is located on the concourse of the Equidome. You are welcome to bring your awards as well as friends and family for group photos.

Videographer

Immediately following your run, you are able to view your run on the replay monitor at no charge. The monitor will be set up near the exit gate. Owners and riders may also visit the Equine Promotion's booth at any time to watch the run at no charge. If you wish to watch a run of a horse that you do not own or are not the rider of, there will be a charge to do so. The Equine Promotion's booth is located on the arena concourse. Exhibitors at the Kimes Ranch Derby will be emailed their videos at no cost courtesy of video sponsor Scooter Kat. The email listed on the entry form will receive the run video.

Media Policy

Visitors, spectators and exhibitors at NRCHA Premier Events are permitted to take photographs and record video for personal use only. Visitors, spectators and exhibitors are strictly prohibited from taking photographs and video for commercial distribution, including printed publications, web sites, social networking sites or similar media. This policy applies to, but not limited to, competition arenas; warm up arenas; barn and stall areas; and cattle facilities. Media representatives with NRCHA approved credentials are the only exception to this policy. The NRCHA Official Photographer Primo Morales, and the NRCHA Official Videographer Equine Promotion, are the only authorized outlets for competition photos or videos. The NRCHA will eject and/or indefinitely ban from its events anyone who provides, or intends to use, photo or video footage in violation of this policy. For media questions contact Callie Boevers via email at callie@nrcha.com.

Stalls, Bedding & Feed

Stalls

The deadline to order stalls is **May 7, 2025**. A stall list will be posted on the NRCHA website approximately one week before move in. Please verify that your stall count is correct and contact the office with any changes. Cancelled stalls need to be verified by the NRCHA office for a refund. When you check in to the show office on arrival, notify the office of any cancelled stalls. You will be charged for any stalls you did not have the office verify.

Stall Fees

All outdoor stalls in the barns for the duration of the Kimes Ranch Derby will be \$310. Youth outdoor stalls will be \$150. Indoor stalls (South Hall - air conditioned barn) will be \$425. Youth indoor stalls will be \$250. Youth stalls are open to youth riders that show in **ONLY** youth classes.

Stalls located in the South Hall and in the Big Tent on the West side of North Hall are on concrete. Stall mats can be rented from Cre8ive Events for \$140 per stall.

Bedding

Bedding is not included in the stall fee and must be ordered through the facility. Outside shavings at WestWorld are prohibited. You must call the Shavings Office to pre-order bedding at (480) 312-6814. A separate form of payment will be needed to pay for bedding. Stall numbers will be required at the time of the order.

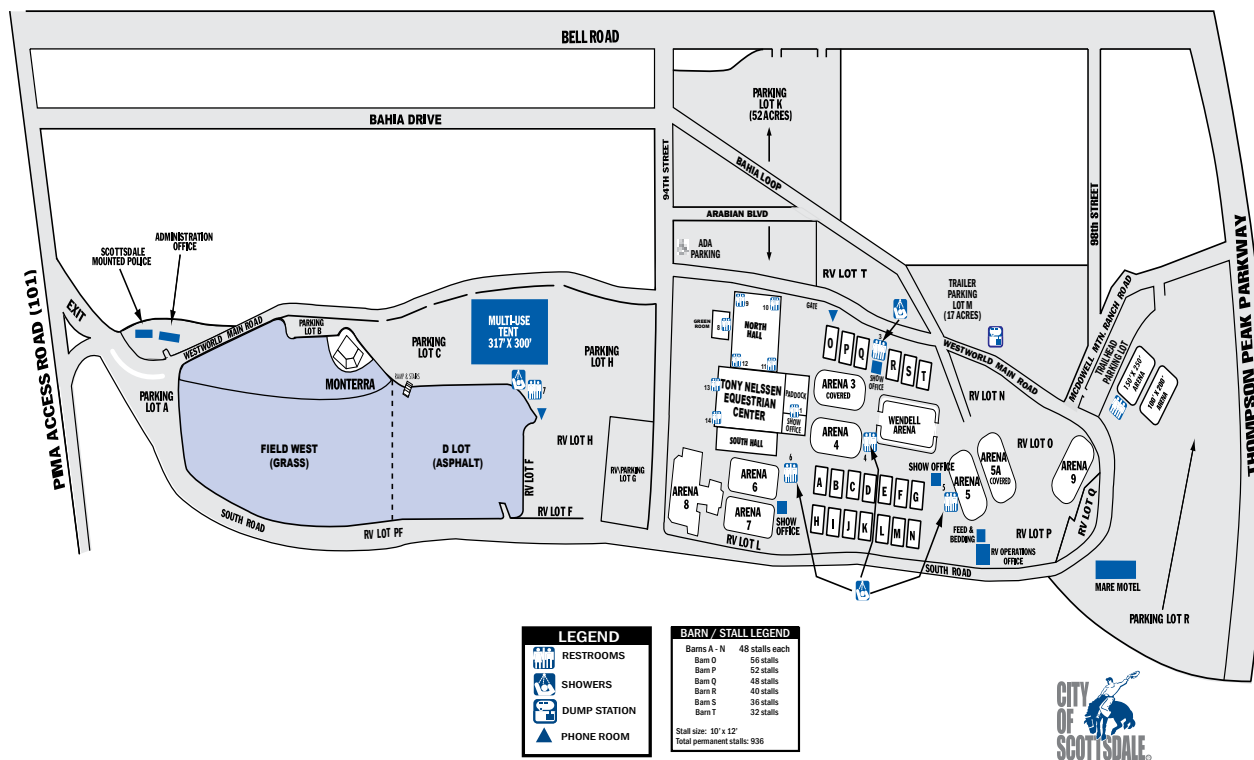
Feed

WestWorld has hay and feed available for purchase – (480) 312-6814.

Haul In

If you haul in and do not need a stall, there is a day fee of \$25 per day, per horse.

Map



RV Spaces

RV spaces must be reserved and paid through WestWorld. Call (480) 312-6802 to reserve.

Dogs & Pets

No dogs or pets, other than ADA-approved service animals, will be allowed in the show arenas, or any part of the arenas, including the warm-up area, during NRCHA Premier Events.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and relevant Texas and other state statutes, service animals are permitted at NRCHA Premier Events. Service animals may not enter the stands of any show arena but are allowed only in the concourse areas of the show arenas. Pets, or dogs whose sole purpose is to provide comfort or emotional support, do not meet the ADA's definition of a service animal and are therefore not allowed in the arenas of NRCHA Premier Events.

Under the ADA, service animals are specifically trained dogs that assist individuals with disabilities by performing tasks or doing work. Examples of such tasks include guiding individuals who are blind, alerting those who are deaf, pulling wheelchairs,

assisting during seizures, reminding individuals with mental illness to take medication, calming individuals with PTSD during anxiety attacks, or performing other specific duties. Texas law defines assistance animals as those specifically trained or equipped to aid a person with a disability.

A person with a service animal may be asked to remove the animal from the premises if: 1) the animal is out of control and the handler fails to take effective action to manage it; or 2) the animal is not housebroken. Any visitor who is required to remove their animal from the event grounds will still be able to participate in all NRCHA Premier Event offerings without the animal's presence.

Animal Welfare

The National Reined Cow Horse Association takes seriously the welfare of the equine partners and the cattle that allow for participation in our sanctioned events. Animal use is deeply ingrained in our society, benefiting the health of people, supporting commerce, and enhancing our enjoyment of life. NRCHA acknowledges the valuable role of these animal partners in our lives, in history and in horse shows, and is committed to providing a proper environment for them in competition, in transport and at rest, and to providing humane guidelines for care and treatment of both horses and cattle. Inhumane treatment of the equine partners we ride or the cattle vital to our competition is not acceptable.

Payment Policy

All entries for the Kimes Ranch Derby must be accompanied by a form of payment. Entries **WILL NOT BE PROCESSED** without a form of payment.

An open check or credit card will be required at check-in, in the Horse Show Office. In the event that no charges are incurred during the event, your check will be returned to you. Any practice pen charges will be added to your show tab.

All show tabs **MUST** be closed out at the horse show. Show office reserves the right to close your tab via the payment method on file at end of business the day you are done showing. Should your account be closed out using the card on file and you wish to change payment to a check, credit card fees will not be returned. Current credit card fees are 3.5% for US funds and 4.2% for Canadian or international transactions. Any NSF checks or credit cards will be charged a \$35 NSF fee. Any tabs that are not paid in full at the end of the show (including scratched entries) will be charged a \$50 late fee

Payout Requirements

In order to receive your win checks from the Kimes Ranch Derby, you must have a current W-9 on file with the NRCHA Office. W-9's can be filled out in the Horse Show Office shortly after the class has ended. You will not be able to pick up your check without a current W-9 on file with the NRCHA.

Late Entries & Fees

Late entries will be accepted until noon the day before the class begins.

Late fees will be charged to any new entry received after the due date. Before the draw, late fees are not charged to add classes or divisions to the original entry that was on time. After the draw, a late fee will be charged for any entry that is given a late draw position.

After the draw, when a horse moves from one equivalent class to another (ie: LAE for LAE, Spectacular for Spectacular or horse show for horse show) due to rider illness/injury; cattle, video and NRCHA fees will move with the entry. Office and add back fees will be charged for both entries. The new entry will receive fresh cattle but a late draw position.

Cattle Fees

Due to the ongoing nationwide cattle shortage, NRCHA cattle prices have reached an all-time high. As a result, Limited Aged Events (LAEs), Spectaculars and Horse Show classes at the NRCHA Derby have been significantly increased to cover the cost of cattle. We sincerely appreciate your understanding and flexibility. Please know that we remain committed to supporting our members and will continue working hard to secure the best cattle and pricing possible under the circumstances.

Terms & Conditions

The Kimes Ranch Derby is specifically for 4- and 5-year-old horses to be shown in a snaffle or hackamore. Six year old horses may be shown in a snaffle in the Non Pro Boxing Derby only. Horses may not switch headgear within the competition.

The NRCHA Rule Book (NRCHA 10.4) contains the eligibility rules for NRCHA Limited Age Events and will be followed. Both current horse owner and rider must be current NRCHA members.

The Level 1 Open and the Novice Horse division may have a separate draw within the Open draw depending on the number of entries.

Open entries are automatically entered into Open divisions for which they are eligible (Intermediate Open, Limited Open). The **tentative** payout per division for the Open will be: O – 72%, IO – 22%, LO – 6% (NRCHA 10.5). This payout will be evaluated by the NRCHA Board of Directors at the event. 70% of entry fee will go to the payout.

Level 1 Open can be entered as its own class. Participants do **NOT** need to be entered in the Open, but may opt to enter the Open at a reduced fee for the Level 1 Open.

- Level 1 Open **ONLY** - \$600 entry fee – 70% of entry fee to payout
- Level 1 Open **WITH OPEN** - \$420 entry fee in addition to the Open entry fee – 100% of entry fee to payout

The Novice Horse class (\$12,500 earnings limit) will run concurrent with the Open division, but those entering the Novice Horse class do not need to enter the Open or Level 1 but may enter either/both.

The East West Equine Mare Incentive of \$2,500 will be paid to the highest placing mare in the Open finals. If no mare makes the Open finals, the incentive will be award to the highest placing mare of the preliminary go-rounds. There is no entry required to be eligible for this incentive.

Non Pro entries are automatically entered into all Non Pro divisions for which they are eligible (Intermediate Non Pro and Limited Non Pro only). The **tentative** payout per division for the Non Pro will be: NP – 65%, INP – 25%, LNP – 10% (NRCHA 10.5). This payout will be evaluated by the NRCHA Board of Directors at the event. 70% of entry fee will go to the payout.

Terms & Conditions

Level 1 Non Pro can be entered as its own class. Participants do **NOT** need to be entered in the Non Pro, but may opt to enter the Non Pro at a reduced fee.

- Level 1 Non Pro ONLY - \$600 entry fee – 70% of entry fee to payout
- Level 1 Non Pro WITH NON PRO - \$420 entry fee in addition to the NP entry fee – 100% of entry fee to payout

Novice Horse Non Pro Derby is for those horses with \$5,000 or less in NRCHA earnings and must be entered in the Non Pro Derby. \$250 of entry fee will go to the payout.

Non Pro Boxing entries are automatically entered into all Non Pro Boxing divisions for which they are eligible (Level 1 Non Pro Boxing only). The **tentative** payout per division for the Non Pro Boxing will be: NPBX – 85%, L1NPBX – 15% (NRCHA 10.5). This payout will be evaluated by the NRCHA Board of Directors at the event. 70% of entry fee will go to the payout.

Select Non Pro and Select Non Pro Boxing is open to riders 50 years of age and over as of November 16th of the 2025 show year. The classes will be run concurrent in each of the Non Pro and Non Pro Boxing divisions. They will not count toward National Standings, and will be offered as jackpot only.

Chrome Cash will be offered in the Open, Non Pro and Non Pro Boxing divisions. Exhibitors must enter the main class in order to enter the Chrome Cash.

Refund Policy

The NRCHA Limited Age Event Refund Policy requires scratches to be made in writing and received in the NRCHA office.

- Scratches made on or before the due date will not be charged
- Scratches made after the due date but before the draw will be charged a 20% office retainage fee
- Scratches made after the draw will be charged all fees with the exception of the NRCHA fee(s) and video fee

Added Money

Total added money for the Kimes Ranch Derby Limited Age Event is \$183,500.

Payout

The payouts for all divisions will follow NRCHA rule 10.5.1.

Entry Fees

Class Code	Class Name	Added Money	Entry Fee	Cattle Fee	Video Fee	NRCHA Fee	Total Fees	Late Fee
OD	Open Derby	\$125,000	\$2,500	\$790	\$52	\$10	\$3,352	\$560
auto entry	Int. Open Derby (must enter OD)					\$10	\$10	
auto entry	Ltd. Open Derby (must enter OD)					\$10	\$10	
L1OD	Level 1 Open Derby	\$5,000	\$600	\$790	\$52	\$10	\$1,452	\$150
	Level 1 Open Derby w/ Open Derby		\$420	–	–	\$10	\$430	
NHD	Novice Horse Derby	\$5,000	\$600	\$790	\$52	\$10	\$1,452	\$150
	Novice Horse Derby w/ OD or L1OD		\$600	–	–	\$10	\$610	
NPD	Non Pro Derby	\$35,000	\$1,500	\$790	\$52	\$10	\$2,352	\$375
auto entry	Int. Non Pro Derby (must enter NPD)					\$10	\$10	
auto entry	Ltd. Non Pro Derby (must enter NPD)					\$10	\$10	
NHNP	Novice Horse Non Pro Derby (must enter NPD)	\$1,500	\$300	–	–	\$10	\$310	–
SNPD	Select NP Derby (must enter NPD)	Jackpot	\$50	–	–	\$10	\$60	–
L1NPD	Level 1 NP Derby	\$2,000	\$600	\$790	\$52	\$10	\$1,452	\$150
	Level 1 NP Derby w/ NP Derby		\$420	–	–	\$10	\$430	
NPBXD	NP Boxing Derby	\$10,000	\$1,000	\$790	\$52	\$10	\$1,852	\$150
auto entry	L1 NP Boxing Derby (must enter NPBXD)					\$10	\$10	
SNPBXD	Select NP Boxing Derby (must enter NPBXD)	Jackpot	\$50	–	–	\$10	\$60	–

Chrome Cash Entry Fees

Class Code	Class Name	Added Money	Jackpot	APHA Fee	Office Fee	Total Fees
OCC	Open Chrome Cash (must enter OD)	\$1,000	\$400	\$10	\$10	\$420
NPCC	Non Pro Chrom Cash (must enter NPD)	\$600	\$200	\$10	\$10	\$220
NPBXCC	NP Boxing Chrome Cash (must enter NPBXD)	\$400	\$200	\$10	\$10	\$220

Spectaculars & Horse Show

Terms & Conditions

The Kimes Ranch Derby Spectaculars and Horse Show classes are open to all horses.

Rules for all NRCHA classes will follow the [2025 NRCHA Rule Book](#). The online version of the *NRCHA Rule Book* contains the most updated version of the rules.

The Spectacular herd work will be drawn on May 16, 2025. The rein and cow work for all Spectaculars and Horse Show classes will be drawn on May 27, 2025.

Refund Policy

The NRCHA Horse Show Refund Policy requires scratches to be made in writing and received in the NRCHA office.

- Scratches made on or before the due date will not be charged
- Scratches made after the due date but before the draw will be charged the office fee as a retainage
- Scratches made after the draw will be charged all fees with the exception of the NRCHA fee(s) and video fee

Added Money

Total added money for the Kimes Ranch Western Derby Spectaculars and Horse Show is \$135,750.

Payout

The Kimes Ranch Derby Spectaculars and Horse Show classes payout will follow rule 7.2.

Spectaculars & Horse Show

Entry Fees

Class Code	Class Name	Added Money	Add Back	Office Fee	Cattle Fee	Video Fee	NRCHA Fee	Total Fees	Late Fee
OBS	Open Bridle Spectacular	\$25,000	\$700	\$120	\$695	\$52	\$10	\$1,577	\$100
IOBS	Int. Open Bridle Spec.**	\$7,500	\$350	\$60	-	-	\$10	\$420	-
OB	Open Bridle	\$10,000	\$500	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$852	\$100
IOB	Int. Open Bridle**	\$500	\$100	\$50	-	-	\$10	\$160	-
LOB	Limited Open Bridle	\$1,500	\$250	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$602	\$100
OBSS	Open Bridle Super Spec.**	\$4,000	\$125	\$30	\$50	-	\$10	\$215	-
NPBS	Non Pro Bridle Spectacular	\$8,500	\$400	\$120	\$695	\$52	\$10	\$1,277	\$100
NPB	Non Pro Bridle	\$5,000	\$300	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$652	\$100
INPB	Int. Non Pro Bridle	\$2,000	\$225	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$577	\$100
L1NPB	Level 1 Non Pro Bridle	\$1,000	\$220	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$572	\$100
SNPB	Select NP Bridle**	\$500	\$75	\$50	-	-	\$10	\$135	-
NPBSS	NP Bridle Super Spec.**	\$1,000	\$125	\$30	\$50	-	\$10	\$215	-
OTRS	Open Two Rein Spectacular	\$10,000	\$500	\$120	\$695	\$52	\$10	\$1,377	\$100
IOTRS	Int. Open Two Rein Spec.** (Cat. 2)	\$2,000	\$200	\$60	-	-	\$10	\$270	-
OTR	Open Two Rein	\$5,000	\$300	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$652	\$100
IOTR	Int. Open Two Rein**(Cat. 2)	\$1,000	\$100	\$50	-	-	\$10	\$160	-
LOTR	Ltd. Open Two Rein**(Cat. 2)	\$750	\$250	\$110	195*	37*	\$10	\$602	\$100
NPTRS	Non Pro Two Rein Spec.	\$4,000	\$300	\$120	\$695	\$52	\$10	\$1,177	\$100
NPTR	Non Pro Two Rein	\$1,500	\$220	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$572	\$100
OH	Open Hackamore	\$3,500	\$300	\$110	195*	\$37	\$10	\$652	\$100
IOH	Int. Open Hackamore**	\$500	\$100	\$50	-	-	\$10	\$160	-
LOH	Limited Open Hackamore	\$1,000	\$250	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$602	\$100
NPH	NP Hackamore	\$2,000	\$220	\$110	\$195	\$37	\$10	\$572	\$100
NPBXS	Non Pro Boxing Spectacular	\$15,000	\$350	\$120	\$695	\$52	\$10	\$1,227	\$100
NPBX	Non Pro Boxing	\$10,000	\$165	\$110	195*	\$37*	\$10	\$517	\$100
BD	Box Drive	\$1,500	\$165	\$110	\$195	\$37	\$10	\$517	\$100
SBD	Select Box Drive** (Cat. 2)	\$250	\$50	\$50	-	-	\$10	\$110	-
INPBX	Int. Non Pro Boxing	\$1,500	\$100	\$55	\$180	\$37	\$10	\$382	\$100
LNPBX	Limited Non Pro Boxing	\$250	\$85	\$55	180*	\$37*	\$10	\$367	\$100
SNPBX	Select Non Pro Boxing**	\$500	\$75	\$50	-	-	\$10	\$135	-
YCHS	Youth Cow Horse Spec.	\$1,500	\$125	\$60	\$695	\$52	\$10	\$942	\$100
YCH	Youth Cow Horse	\$500	\$115	\$75	180*	\$37*	\$10	\$417	\$100
auto entry	Youth CH 13 & Under**	-	-	-	-	-	\$10	\$10	-
YBXS	Youth Boxing Spectacular	\$1,500	\$125	\$60	\$695	\$52	\$10	\$942	\$100
YBX	Youth Boxing	\$500	\$75	\$50	180*	\$37*	\$10	\$352	\$100
auto entry	Youth Boxing 13 & Under**	-	-	-	-	-	\$10	\$10	-



The Run For A Million Qualifier

Terms & Conditions

The Run For A Million Open Bridle Qualifier is open to all horses entered in the NRCHA Open Bridle at the Kimes Ranch Derby.

A rider may enter the qualifier more than once, however, they may only qualify once for The Run For A Million in Las Vegas, NV in August.

The top 5 riders at The Run For A Million Qualifier will be invited to The Run For A Million in Las Vegas, NV in August. Each rider can qualify only once, and does not need to show at The Run For A Million on the same horse they rode to qualify.

Rules for all NRCHA classes will follow the [2025 NRCHA Rule Book](#). The online version of the NRCHA Rule Book contains the most updated version of the rules.

The rein and cow work will be drawn on May 27, 2025.

Earnings from this event will count toward Lifetime Earnings and Limited Aged Event eligibilities where applicable. Earnings from these events will not count toward Merit Awards.

Refund Policy

The NRCHA Horse Show Refund Policy requires scratches to be made in writing and received in the NRCHA office.

- Scratches made on or before the due date will not be charged
- Scratches made after the due date but before the draw will be not be charged the office fee as a retainage
- Scratches made after the draw will be charged all fees with the exception of the NRCHA fee(s) and video fee

Added Money

Total added money for The Run For A Million Qualifier is \$5,000.

Payout

The Run For A Million Qualifier payout will follow rule 7.2.

Entry Fees

Class Code	Class Name	Added Money	Add Back	Cattle/ Office Fee	NRCHA Fee	Total Fees
RFM2	Open Bridle Qualifier 2	\$5,000	\$500	\$500	\$10	\$1,010

