



Friday, September 13, 2024

TEAM RANCH BRANDING RULES

Must pay CASH for entry prior to competition and sign a Cascades Futurity Liability Waiver to compete

DEADLINE: 9/12 - 12:00pm

JUDGE: LINDY BURCH

OPEN: Must change out 2 team members for additional teams. Max 2 entries. 2 calves branded in 2.5 minutes

NON-PRO: Must change out 3 team members for additional teams. 1 calf branded in 2 minutes.

Must be a loper, trainer or owner entered and/or working at the 2024 Cascades Futurity

There will be a mandatory contestant meeting in the branding arena prior to the competition

OPEN: Ropers switch with the ground crew on second calf. Same horses to be used in switch. (2 horses used per team.)

Ground crew to remain in designated area until calf is roped, stretched, and horses are facing each other

Calf must be headed before it can be heeled

Legal head catch is around the neck or neck with one front leg

Branding iron cannot be removed from paint bucket until both front and back legs are secure on calf

Calf must be branded on the designated location with iron in the correct position to qualify

Incorrect application of the brand is an immediate disqualification. Brand must be legible

Iron must be returned to bucket before second calf is roped

Time is called when branding iron is returned to the bucket after branding OPEN: second calf, NON-PRO one calf

Any unnecessary roughness to cattle will be an immediate disqualification and will be STRICTLY enforced

Decisions of judge and flaggers are final