

May 2021



Dear Potential Sponsor,

The Nanton Ag Society is once again organizing the Nanton Junior Rodeo series. It will consist of 6 dates throughout the summer and be hosted at the Nanton Agripark. The Nanton Junior Rodeo series allows contestants ages 3 -16 to develop and showcase their skills in the following events: Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Goat Tying, Breakaway Roping, and Team Roping. In the past, we have attracted over 200 contestants from all over Alberta, Saskatchewan and BC as well as local contestants. With Covid regulations, we are unsure of the geographical area that our contestants will be able to travel from, but we want to still provide this opportunity for those who can attend. This Junior Rodeo series is a great place for youth to develop their rodeo skills, build camaraderie as well as learn responsibility and dedication.

Our rodeos are run by volunteers who dedicate their time to putting on these rodeos so that kids have an opportunity to compete and practice the sport of rodeo. However, there are many costs associated with putting on a rodeo and we are asking for your support. We have several sponsorship opportunities available this season:

**Half Saddle Sponsorship: \$1000**

This year we have decided to bring back the draw for a custom Saddle from Cowboy Country Clothing. All contestants who participate in 4 out of the 6 rodeos, regardless of where they end up in the standings, will be entered into the draw. The saddle will be drawn at our finals on August 4th.

**Full Event Sponsorship: \$450** (Half event sponsorship is \$225)

This package sponsors prizes from 1st to 4th in a designated event and age category. This includes a buckle to the event winner. Your name and business will be written in the programs and announced several times throughout the rodeos. Your name or the name of your business may also be printed on the prize itself, when possible. We have 18 events total, if you have a specific event or age category you would like to sponsor, please let me know.

**Male and Female Top Hand Awards or High Point Awards: \$450**

An award for the male and female contestant who demonstrate success in multiple events, show respect for their fellow contestants and equine partners and help out around the arena. This award is voted on by the Nanton Junior Rodeo Committee.

If you aren't able to do a full sponsorship, we welcome any amount you are willing to donate. Right now we are looking for a commitment to sponsor, but we don't want to collect actual funds until we are sure we can hold our series this summer.

We thank you for your time and support this 2021 rodeo season. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at (403) 422-1601 or [gillespiea84@gmail.com](mailto:gillespiea84@gmail.com).

Sincerely,

*Amy Gillespie* (Nanton Junior Rodeo committee Chair)

If you choose to sponsor, please fill out this form with a cheque made out to the

**Nanton Ag Society.**

**Sponsorship can be mailed to:**

Amy Gillespie  
Box 1842  
Nanton, AB  
T0L 1R0.

Name of Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

(Name you would like printed on the prizes)

Please select which events you would like to sponsor.			
	<i>7 and Under Pole Bending</i>		<i>13 &amp; over breakaway</i>
	<i>7 and Under Barrel Racing</i>		<i>14-16 Goat Tying</i>
	<i>7 and Under Goat Tail Untying</i>		<i>14-16 Barrel Racing</i>
	<i>8-10 Barrel Racing</i>		<i>14-16 Pole Bending</i>
	<i>8-10 Goat Tying</i>		<i>Team Roping Header</i>
	<i>8-10 Pole Bending</i>		<i>Team Roping Heeler</i>
	<i>11- 13 Barrel Racing</i>		<i>Top Hand Male</i>
	<i>11-13 Goat Tying</i>		<i>Top Hand Female</i>
	<i>11-13 Pole Bending</i>		<i>High Point Male</i>
	<i>Boys Goat Tying</i>		<i>High Point Female</i>
	<i>12 and under breakaway</i>		

If your first choice is not available, what is your second choice? \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship Total: \_\_\_\_\_

Any Notes for us?

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**Again, we sincerely thank you for your generous support!**