

**2011 APPLICATION/OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM
RODEO DE SANTA FE QUEEN/PRINCESS CANDIDATES**

RUNNING FOR:

_____ QUEEN (ages 18-25)

_____ PRINCESS (ages 13-17)

_____ JUNIOR PRINCESS (ages 7-12)

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY STATE ZIP CODE

PARENTS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ PARENT'S WORK #: _____

CELL PHONE: _____ AGE: _____ BIRTHDATE: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

HORSE'S NAME: _____ HORSE'S AGE: _____

SCHOOL: _____ GRADE: _____ GPA: _____

HOBBIES/HORSE ACTIVITIES: _____

CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS (past or present) _____

FUTURE GOALS: _____

OTHER TITLES HELD (past or present): _____

I certify that the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge, and acknowledge the fact that knowingly falsifying this

information will result in my immediate dismissal from this competition. I also agree to abide the rules established for this competition, and that failure to comply with the rules will necessitate surrendering all privileges as a Rodeo de Santa Fe Royalty contestant.

Signed (Contestant) _____

Date _____

Parent/Guardian signature _____

The Rodeo de Santa Fe Association and Queen Committee act as sponsors only. The Association and Committee accept no responsibility or liability for injuries to contestants or animals during the competition or any functions that are attended by the contestants.

**RODEO DE SANTA FE
PARENT/GUARDIAN RELEASE FORM**

I, AND/OR WE, _____(parent or guardian) and _____, a minor, do hereby consent and agree that it is satisfactory for our said minor to compete in the Queen's contest of the Rodeo de Santa Fe, and that I and/or we joined by said minor, do hereby consent and agree that the Rodeo de Santa Fe Association, it's business associates, and all cooperating persons or groups shall not be held responsible for any and all loss, damage, costs, and other damages or injury sustained or suffered by said Minor, while entered in any portion or activity of the Rodeo de Santa Fe in _____ (year), or any day prior to or subsequent thereto.

Signed this _____ day of _____ (month), _____(year)

Parent/Guardian _____

Parent/Guardian _____

Contestant _____

**STATEMENT OF EXPECTATION
RODEO DE SANTA FE
2011 RODEO ROYALTY**

I, _____, have competed in the 20____Queen's Contest for the Rodeo de Santa Fe and won the title of _____. I received my title at the final rodeo of 20____ and serve until the final rodeo of 20____. I understand I will wear my sash and/or crown with a long sleeved, collared shirt at all functions where I represent the Rodeo de Santa Fe. I will conduct myself at all times in a polite and courteous manner which will reflect well on the Rodeo de Santa Fe. I will attend all functions as directed by the Queen Coordinator or any Board member of the Rodeo de Santa Fe.

I understand I will not be reimbursed for expenses associated with my title, as the Rodeo de Santa Fe is an organization composed of volunteers. I understand I will not be reimbursed for any costs associated with photos for the program, wardrobe, or time missed from work or school. I will provide my own horse and transportation to all performances of the Rodeo de Santa Fe or any other function I attend as a representative for the Rodeo de Santa Fe. I understand I may be removed from office and forfeit all benefits for conduct unbecoming the Royalty of the Rodeo de Santa Fe.

I further acknowledge it is inappropriate to approach Board Members directly myself about budget matters, expenses, or gifts associated with my title and that such inquiries should be directed to the Queen Coordinator. I also acknowledge it is inappropriate to engage in public displays of affections with boyfriends, such as holding hands, etc., while I am wearing my crown and/or sash and representing the Rodeo de Santa Fe.

Signature, Title Holder

Date

Parent (if under 18)

Date

Queen Coordinator or Board Member

Date

**RODEO DE SANTA FE
2011 ROYALTY CONTEST
RULE AND PROCEDURES**

Read and sign all forms in this packet and return to the Queen Coordinator by the deadline of 5 PM on Friday, April 30, 2010. Applications may be submitted by fax, mail, or hand delivered to the address below.

**Beth Gray
3239 Rodeo Rd
Santa Fe, NM 87507**

**490-3008 (after 7:00pm)
473-2971 (Fax)
beth.gray@rocketmail.com**

Parents need to sign the waivers for girls under age 18. The itinerary and schedule for the contest and events planned so far is included in this packet. The 2011 Rodeo Royalty Contest will be held at the Rodeo Grounds on Sunday, May 9th, 2010 at 10:00 AM with introduction of current royalty, contestants, and judges. Parents and supporters are invited. Cameras are OK. Order of go for the contest will be drawn randomly. This contest has two parts, scored by the judges at 50% each for personality and horsemanship. Please ask any questions you might have prior to beginning each segment of the contest.

A. For personality segment, each girl should have a Modern day western outfit, this may include western dress, skirt, pants, all accompanied with cowboy hat, and boots. All shirts or tops must be long sleeved and collared. Each Queen and Princess candidates will give a 3 minute memorized speech Jr. Princess 1-2 minute Memorized speech on her hometown, county/city. There will then be a brief modeling session. Each girl will answer impromptu questions and have a brief personal interview with the judges. Questions can range from application, speech, PRCA rodeo, animal welfare, etc.

B. Immediately following this phase of the contest, we will take a 30 minute break and adjourn to the rodeo arena for the horsemanship portion of the contest. There will be three phases for this part.

1. Horsemanship pattern – (provided in application packet) Dress – long sleeve white shirts, plain, with no decorations. Scarves or jewelry accents is allowed, black

or blue Wrangler jeans (PRCA sponsor) and cowboy hat. Secure your hat to your head.

2. Free style presentation -of your choosing. Music, props, costumes, etc. are OK. Do not exceed 2 minutes. Be creative; show you and your horses strengths and abilities. Give your music to the Queen Coordinator before we start this phase. Have your cassette, CD, etc. ready to go. You will have time to change before your turn.

3. Queen's run, keeping your horse controlled, saluting/waving to the crowd.

4. The judges reserve the right to ask for additional tasks ie; swapping horses, verbal patterns, etc.

**2011 RODEO DE SANTA FE
QUEEN'S CONTEST
Sunday, May 9th, 2010**

**AGENDA
(Times approximate)**

- 10:00 AM Assemble at the Rodeo Clubhouse
Explanation of Contest, Introduction of reigning royalty and judges.
Introduce Candidates
Begin Contest – Draw for Order of Go
Speeches, Modeling, & Impromptu Questions
Interview with Judges
- 11:00 AM Adjourn to Rodeo Arena (approximate time – upon completion of personality portion of the contest)
- Girls prepare horse and change into riding attire; give music to Queen Coordinator.
- Maintaining same order of go, girls begin one at a time, one event at a time.
1. Horsemanship pattern after checking with judges you'll be excused from the arena.
 2. Prepare yourself and horse for free style.
 3. Free style horsemanship with costume and music, enter from south end of arena.
 4. Upon completion of free style, do queen's run from Southeast gate.

The judge shall indicate with markers on arena fence or wall the length of the pattern.

Ride horsemanship pattern as follows:

1. Enter arena at southeast gate do extended jog along side of fence, then to the center
2. Begin at the center of the arena facing the Grand Stands lope left circle on left lead
3. Change leads at center of arena and lope right circle on right lead
4. Change leads at the center of the arena continue loping around end of arena.
5. Once on the straight, increase speed and continue around end of arena
6. Stop and back
7. Trot over to judges stop and dismount for any additional questions