

BC High School Rodeo Association

Event Reps

Job Description

Event Representatives are elected by their peers. Event reps are appointed in each event and are appointed each year.

The purpose of the event rep is to represent all the competitors in that particular event. They are responsible for knowing the rules of the event that they have been appointed in. Event Reps act as advocates and mediators. All student event reps will also have an adult director appointed to assist them.

The following is a list of possible situations in which the event rep might be required to assist in.

A competitor might believe that a call was wrongly made by a judge.

The directors have made a decision that the competitor believes is wrong

Uneven stock

Poor ground conditions

When the event rep is approached by a student competitor about a judges call then it is their responsibility to look up the rule before approaching a judge. It is a good idea to have the competitor who is concerned to actually look up the rule and know what it says before approaching the judge.

Event Reps do not have to agree with the competitor to assist them. Student event reps should be working closely with the adult directors.

Individual events also require event reps to take on further responsibility.

Barrel Racing Event Rep –in addition to the above you are also required to be in charge of the Timer and the Display clock. This requires that you insure that the timer arrives at each rodeo in working order and with new batteries in the box. Also making sure that the display clock is set up. The barrel racing event rep must also make sure the timers and display clock are taking care of in the evenings after the rodeo. It is not the committees responsibility to look after these items.

Barrel covers are also the responsibility of this rep.

Ensure that there are competitors in the arena to assist with setting up knocked barrels.

Pole Bending

This event rep is responsible for ensuring that the poles get to the rodeo. Also assist the Barrel Rep with the timer and the display clock.

Ensure that there are competitors available to line poles and set up knocked poles

Breakaway Roping – is responsible for the breakaway string. Ensuring that it is cut and readily available each day of the rodeo. Also making sure that someone is appointed to check that ropes are tied on properly and assisting with lining the cattle if required by the judge.

Goat Tying- is responsible for the rope for the goats and to ensure it is a legal length. It is also your responsibility to have some in the arena to either hold goats or to catch horses.

Calf Roping – Steer Wrestling – is responsible for ensuring that the calves are tied and the steers are thrown before the first rodeo performance.

Saddle Bronc, Bareback and Bull Riding – working with the stock contractor as required.

Remember as event reps you are not single handedly responsible for your event. It is only your responsibility to delegate some jobs. If you need

assistance and members are not being cooperative when asked then seek the help of your adult event rep or a director.