

2019 ATCPS Show Program

Significant Changes:

1. Ten and seven classes will now have a maximum of 4 teams per rider where the MANDATORY draw requirement has been removed. There is still an optional draw within each of these classes for those riders that may not be able to find 4 picked teams. Therefore, your 4 teams can be made up of any combination of picks and draws. The Open/Ltd Open and 5 class stay the same as 2018.
2. A new mandatory DRAW class will be incorporated. Any rider who rides at least one team in the Open/Ltd Open, Ten, Seven or Five **WILL** be automatically entered into the DRAW class. Entry fee will be \$30 per ride. A rider may enter the draw class up to 4 times.
3. After very careful and complete consideration of all aspects of the Thorsby facility, the ATCPS board has made the difficult decision to move all shows away from Thorsby. The following dates and locations have been secured for the 2019 show season. Watch for further details about stalling, camping and other specifics regarding these new facilities.
 - a. April 27/28, 2019 – Rimbey Agrim Centre
 - b. May 18/19, 2019 – Creekland Ranch
 - c. June 8/9, 2019 – Creekland Ranch
 - d. July 20/21, 2019 – Barrhead Agriculture building
 - e. August 24/25, 2019 – Creekland Ranch
 - f. September 14/15, 2019 – Rimbey Agrim Centre

Start Time: Saturday and Sunday 8:00 am

Time Limit: 60 Seconds for Open, Ten and Seven, 75 seconds for the 5 class and 90 seconds for both the Senior and Junior youth.

Daily format:

Open / Ltd Open class 1st go, 2nd go

Ten Class 1st go, 2nd go

Draw Class 1st go, 2nd go

Senior youth 1st go, 2nd go

Junior youth 1st go, 2nd go

Seven Class 1st go, 2nd go

Five Class 1st go, 2nd go

****Note:** Second go will be limited to 30% back, however if a class contains less than 40 teams in the first go, then there will be a full half back.

****Note:** The Limited 11 class will run concurrent within the open class.

Rider Rule for all classes except draw class: Change out one rider

Number of rides per class:

Open / Ltd Open Class: Unlimited entries

Ten / Seven Class: Maximum of 4 teams ****NOTE:** in 2019, there is no longer a MANDATORY draw however these classes will allow for riders to enter an optional draw. Therefore, the 4 team maximum can be made up of any combination of draw or pick teams. For example, all 4 picked teams, 3 picked / one draw, 2 picked / 2 draw, 1 pick / 3 draw or all 4 draw teams.

Five Class: Maximum of 5 teams with the requirement to enter a MANDATORY draw team after picking at least 3 teams. Therefore the possible combinations available are all 5 draw teams, 4 draw teams and 1 pick team, 3 draw teams and 2 pick teams, 2 draw teams and 3 pick teams, 1 draw team and 4 pick teams, 1 draw team and 3 pick teams and 1 draw team and 2 pick teams.

Youth Class: Youth classes will be run according to the CTCPA rules. Therefore the format will be pick 2 teams with one mandatory draw team for a limit of 3 rides per rider.

Draw Class: Any rider who has at least one team entered in the Open/Ltd Open, Ten, Seven and Five will be automatically entered once in the Draw Class. The entry fee for this class will be \$30 per rider and the class will be capped and drawn to a maximum team rating of 8 or as close to as possible based on entries. Any member wishes to ride in the draw class in addition to the 1 mandatory draw will be allowed to enter up to an additional 3 times for a maximum number of teams in the draw class of 4.

Sub Rule:

The no sub rule applies to the 2019 show season. With board approval, the ATCPS will allow for a medical sub if a rider was hurt on a show weekend. The sub is valid for the weekend only. The sub may ride above the allotted class cap. The sub does not collect individual points however the team may collect points if the team finishes accordingly.

Governing Rules:

The ATCPS will conform to and follow the CANADIAN TEAM CATTLE PENNING ASSOCIATION (CTCPA) rules. Please refer to www.ctcpa.com for a complete set of the current CTCPA rules. If you would like further information or rule clarification, please contact a board member or the CTCPA office.

NOTE: It is your responsibility as a rider to know and understand the rules.

Entry Fees and Payouts

CLASS	ENTRY FEE
Open	\$48/rider
Ltd 11	\$58/rider

(NOTE: Ltd 11 has an additional \$10 entry fee above the Open class entry fee. This \$10 fee / Ltd 11 rider is put into a separate pool and is

100% paid out based on the team count. 1 – 14 Ltd 11 teams will pay out one placing, 15 – 30 Ltd 11 teams will payout 2 placings and 31 teams and above will payout 3 placings.

10, 7, 5 Class	\$43/rider
Jr Youth	\$13/rider
Sr Youth	\$13/rider
Mandatory Draw	\$30/rider

NOTE: All entry fees (including the required draw class are due before you ride)

NSF Check: Any NSF checks will be assessed a \$25 NSF administration fee

Stall and power: The ATCPS will announce prior to each show who should receive payment for any stall and RV power/parking. As we are at all new facilities this year (except for Barrhead), we will provide the contact for coordinating your stall requests.

On-line Entries: On-line entries are required for each show. Visit our website at www.atcps.ca or www.eenner.com to enter your teams. Entries close 6:00 pm Monday prior to the show date.

Day Teams: Day teams will be accepted as determined by the ATCPS board on the Friday before the show date.

Cancellations/Change: Cancellations and changes must be submitted by Wednesday 6:00 pm the week of the show to avoid any penalty. Please contact Josephine Walters at penningcows@gmail.com or 780-848-7503.

ATCPS MEMBERSHIP & \$60 NON-REFUNDABLE WORK LEVY

ATCPS membership forms are available on line. Memberships are due no later than March 31, 2019. Memberships received after this date will be assessed a late fee of **\$25.00, NO EXCEPTIONS.**

A non-refundable work levy of \$60 per member (youth excluded) is required. The proceeds from this levy will be used to pay members who wish to do any of the required volunteer tasks at a rate of \$15 per hour worked. This program is self-funded so there is no impact on payouts or budgets.

2019 ATCPS YEAR-END AWARDS & POINT SYSTEM

The point calculation system will be for both individual and team and will be determined prior to the first show weekend.

Points will be calculated using all shows up to and including the final sanctioned show on August 25, 2019 for both team and individuals.

The final weekend will be considered a **non-sanctioned** jackpot weekend with no points awarded however you must still qualify to ride the finals weekend.

To qualify to ride on the finals weekend (September 14/15, 2019), you must have ridden at 6 prior ATCPS shows. Riders qualify as individuals and by class. The draw team rules will apply.

The top 2 teams in the Open, Ten, Seven, and Five will be awarded year-end prizes. The top team in the limited 11 will be awarded a year end prize.

Maximum of the top 5 individuals in the Open, Ten, Seven, and Five will be awarded year end prizes however, depending on the subscription of riders to the class over the course of the year, the number of individual prizes may be reduced to less than 5, including the youth classes.

ZERO TOLERANCE FOR ABUSE

Any verbal, emotional or physical abuse of any ATCPS member, including but not limited to the Board of Directors, Officials, Volunteers, Show committee people, arena operators, or any paid employee of the ATCPS during or after any ATCPS sanctioned or affiliated show will result in disciplinary action which will be adjudicated by the disciplinary committee. Penalties may include suspension, termination of membership, and/or forfeiture of points. Any member of the Board of Directors or the Chair of the Disciplinary committee may provide a warning to the instigator that such abuse will not be tolerated and advise the instigator of further action which can be taken should it be necessary.

John Hope is the Disciplinary Chairman.