

Contestant Information IPRA Canadian Finals



1. Brief Event Overview:

 Dates:
 May 25th & 26th, 2019

 Times:
 Saturday, May 25th @ 8PM

 Sunday, May 26th @ 2PM

Seating assigned in the arena by seats and section

Show approximately 2 ½ hours long

Location: Festival Western St-Tite Coors Banquet Arena, St-Tite, Quebec

Phone: 418-365-7524 or 1-877-493-7837 or 1-514-865-2493

2. Point Standings:

Top 10 positions qualify for the finals. Enclosed is a copy of the current standings as of the last qualifying event. Full standings can be found on this website at www.ipracanada.com.

Important Note: If one or more persons cannot compete among the top 10 in any event, the 11th person will become eligible to compete, and so on. If there is a tie for 10th and 11th position, both contestants will be eligible. Positions will be filled based on standings and availability for those who sent the entries form between April 1st & 7th, 2019. Must had participate minimum 3 rodeos during season 2018.

3. Contestant Entry Information:

Entry Fees: \$150.00 (BB-SB-BR-TD-SW-CBR-TR-CGBKR)

\$50.00 (Novice & junior events)

Entry fees are payable to the rodeo secretary on May 25th, 2019

Entries date: <u>Internet Entries: Open April 1st-7th -ipracanada.com</u>

Phone number: 418-507-1968

Information: In order to ensure your spot in the Finals, all contestants that have interest in

being a part of the Finals must send the entries form to make their entries. If any contestants in top 10 cannot compete, the next position will be qualified

Call back: April 15, 2019 between 7:30 pm to 9 pm

Only position starting at 11th need to make the call back

4. Camping spot and stalls:

Camping: Available on the Festival Western Camping site.

Price: 40\$ / weekend NO RESERVATION

Hook-ups and water on each spot

Places available when you arrive on site.

Stalls: 20\$ / weekend NO RESERVATION

Savings and hay available (\$)

Places available when you arrive on site

20\$ deposit will be ask for the stall keys and cleaning

You can also keep your horse on your camping spot, a 20\$ fees will also be

charge for the weekend and 50\$ deposit for cleaning.

5. Contestant Awards:

All awards will be given after the last performance on Sunday at the rodeo secretary office. There will be buckles for the SEASON champion and the FINALS champion, there will also be a buckle for the all-around cowboy. Participants/Finalists who submitted their entries forms between April 1^{st} & 7^{th} , 2019, will also receive a coat as a finalist.

6. Rules and Guidelines

You must have paid or pay your IPRA Canada 2019 Card or IPRA Card to participate in the IPRA Final in St-Tite. The cost of the IPRA Canada card is 195\$. If you buy your card at the rodeo secretary at the same time as you pay for your entries, 25\$ will be added to your membership.

Following the conclusion of the finals, if there is a tie for the first place Finals Champion in any event, the individual winning the most points in that event during the regular 2018 Canadian IPRA Tour will be declared the winner. The prize money will be divided as per regular payout procedure however the prizes will be distributed equally to both competitors.

7. Total Cash Purse & Payouts:

The following chart displays the \$41,000.00 purse distribution for each event at the finals, providing all holes are filled in each event.

Event Total Purse:

Bull Riding	\$5000.00
Saddle Bronc Riding	\$5000.00
Saddle Bronc Riding Novice	\$1000.00
Bareback Bronc Riding	\$5000.00
Bareback Bronc Riding Novice	\$1000.00
Barrel Racing	\$5000.00
Steer Wrestling	\$5000.00
Calf Roping	\$5000.00
Team Roping	\$5000.00
Breakaway Roping	\$2500.00
Junior Bull Riding	\$500.00
Junior Barrel Racing	\$1000.00

8. Contestant & Guest Credentials:

Each contestant will be given a competitor bracelet as well as a guest bracelet. A section in the stand will be determined in advance for all contestants and guests. The information will be given you when you pay your entries at the secretary office.

Your bracelet will allow passable access to all areas throughout the duration of the event. Any abuse, transfer or attempt to duplicate bracelet in any way will result in the removal and the disqualification of the contestant whom the bracelet was issued to. Also, all monies, prizes and awards won to that point will immediately be forfeited.

9. Purchasing Additional Rodeo and Guest Tickets:

You can purchase additional tickets by phone at: 1-877-493-7837 or online at: www.festivalwestern.com. The ticket office is open Monday to Friday from 8:30am to 5pm.

10. Other information:

Team roping and breakaway 1st go will be Saturday May 25th at 1pm.

Breakaway $2^{nd}\,go$ round will be Saturday May 25^{th} in perf at 8pm.

Team roping 2nd go round will be Sunday May 26th in perf at 2pm.