Rules and Regulations Qualifications for the St-Tite Western Festival 2nd Weekend

Dates: September 12-17, 2023 **Sanction:** IPRA and/or IPRA Canada

Entry fees: \$250 + \$20 (fee)

Information: The ranking in each discipline are taken on the Monday before registrations for St-Tite. There will be 2

goes in each discipline except for juniors and men's barrels.

1. Bareback Bronc and Saddle Bronc Riding

Distribution of participants: 2 WCRA

5 IPRA

4 IPRA Canada

4 Wild Time Total: 15 participants

Added money: \$15,000

Novice Bareback \$500 Novice Saddle Bronc \$500

Novice Bareback / Saddle Bronc:

Distribution of participants: 2 Wild Time

1 IPRA Canada

2. Bull Riding

Distribution of participants: 2 WCRA

8 IPRA

5 IPRA Canada

5 Wild Time Total: 20 participants

Added money: \$15,000

3. Junior Bull Riding:

Distribution of participants: 4 Junior Bull

Added money: \$500

4 Steer riding

4 Calf riding

Added money: None

Distribution: 2 Wild Time

2 IPRA Canada

During the Festival, if there is no score, there will be no final. If only one qualification, there will be no final and the competitor will win the title of champion in their category.

4. Tie-Down Roping

Distribution of participants: 2 WCRA

15 IPRA

5 IPRA Canada

8 Wild Time Total: 30 participants

Added money: \$15,000

5. Steer Wrestling

Distribution of participants: 2 WCRA

20 IPRA

9 IPRA Canada

9 Wild Time Total: 40 participants

Added money: \$15,000

6. Ladies Barrel Racing

Distribution of participants: 2 WCRA

20 IPRA

48 IPRA Canada 10 Wild Time

Added money: \$15,000 Total: 80 participantes

Only competitors listed in the standings and having participated in IPRA or IPRA Canadian rodeos during the season, and possessing a valid membership card, will be able to enter the women's barrel class. No cards or permits will be issued at the event. For the 48 contestants from the IPRA Canada standings, a cumulative with participation points will be posted online to determine the following positions of those who accumulate money during the season. Ranking cloases the weekend before registration. If there is a tie at 80th position, a draw will be made among the ties.

7. Team Roping:

Distribution of participants: 2 WCRA

23 IPRA

15 IPRA Canada Total: 40 teams

Added money: \$4,000

Entry fees: \$150 + \$20 (fees)

Slack: This discipline will be presented in slack only (September 12, 2023).

One team per competitor.

8. Cowgirl Breakaway Roping:

Distribution of participants: 2 WCRA

18 IPRA

20 IPRA Canada Total: 40 participants

Added money: \$4,000

Entry fees: \$150 + \$20 (fees)

Slack: This discipline will be presented in slack only (September 12, 2023).

9. Pickup Race

Distribution of participants: 40 Circuit Wild Time

Added money: \$10,000

Regulations:

Teams must have participated in at least one rodeo on the WildTime circuit to have the right to enter St-Tite. During each of the competition weekends during the summer, participation points will be given to each team (10 points per participation). At the end of the summer, all those who want to participate in thr rodeo and who are on the official standings, can make their entries, even if they are not qualified. If a place is available, the next in the ranking, who will have made their entreis, will have the place. If there is a tie, there will be a draw to determine the participants.

10. Exchange Race

Distribution of participants: 40 Circuit Wild Time

Added money: \$10,000

Regulations:

Teams must have participated in at least one rodeo on the WildTime circuit to have the right to enter St-Tite. During each of the competition weekends during the summer, participation points will be given to each team (10 points per participation). At the end of the summer, all those who want to participate in thr rodeo and who are on the official standings, can make their entries, even if they are not qualified. If a place is available, the next in the ranking, who will have made their entries, will have the place. If there is a tie, there will be a draw to determine the participants.

How Points Work:

At each qualifying weekend, competitors accumulate points according to the following principle:

1. Participation points will be awarded for each weekend of competition. Eg. 10 points per participation per weekend.

Point Grid:

| Position | Points | Points participation | Total |
|------------------|--------|----------------------|-------|
| 1 st | 100 | 10 | 110 |
| 2 nd | 90 | 10 | 100 |
| 3 rd | 80 | 10 | 90 |
| 4 th | 70 | 10 | 80 |
| 5 th | 60 | 10 | 70 |
| 6 th | 50 | 10 | 60 |
| 7 th | 40 | 10 | 50 |
| 8 th | 30 | 10 | 40 |
| 9 th | 20 | 10 | 30 |
| 10 th | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| 11 th | 0 | 10 | 10 |

The cumulative points will be available on the St-Tite Western Festival website, as well as on the WildTime website.

11. Men's Barrels:

Locations of competitions and distribution of participants:

2 best times of the weekend – 2 go – St-Tite June 2-3-4

Non-cumulative – Association Western de Portneuf

4 best times of the weekend – barrels 5D - 2 go June 9-10-11

Non-cumulative – **Bécancour**

4 best times 1 go - RC Show - June 22-25

Bedford (exhbition site)

2 best times - 1 go - Sorel July 8-9

Non-cumulative – Coupe Legacy

4 best times of 2 goes - Sorel July 21-22-23

Non-cumulative - Association: AGRY

4 best times of the weekend 2 goes - St-Honoré de Témiscouata July 22-23

Non-cumulative – Association: **AEGEQ**

4 best times 1 go – Festival du Cowboy Chambord August 4

Mandatory membership card Club de barils du Saguenay

Lac-St-Jean et de la Côte-Nord

2 best times of the weekend - 2 goes - Non-cumulative August 12-13

St-Bruno-de-Guigues

8 finalists in the men's barrels St-Tite September 2022

2 invites at our discretion

(The competitor can propose his candidacy by justifying his performances of the season to rodeosttite@yahoo.ca before the 15th of August)

Total: **36** participants maximum

Added money: \$10,000 Entry fees: \$250 Number of goes: 1

Riders must have participated in one of the barrel competitions listed in the competition location section. On each weekend, riders can qualify for the right to enter St-Tite (depending on the results of the competitions). If a rider is already qualified in the 1st positions of the go, we take the following positions. The rider can present a single mount at St-Tite. When the rider is qualified, we go directly to the next position. During registration, the rider can register with the mount of his choice. If the rider is injured, we move on to the next person.

Entries:

Entries will be taken online, at a date to be determined. Verify the entry date and information during the summer on the St-Tite Western Festival website: www.festivalwestern.com.

Dans les classes de sauvetage, échange de cavaliers et barils hommes :

Anyone who has entered the pickup race, exchange race and men's barrel classes and who does not show up for the competitions, must pay the registration fees for the class or classes concerned. Only medical proof can cancel these costs.

Operation and distribution of the 2nd weekend:

There will be 2 goes for all disciplines except for juniors and men's barrels.

Bareback Bronc and Saddle Bronc Riding:

6 / rodeo on Wednesday, September 13 to Sunday, September 20 at 8pm; 8 top in the average continue to the Finals;

Bull Riding:

8 / rodeo on Wednesday, September 13 to Sunday, September 20 at 8pm 8 top in the average continue to the Finals;

Tie-Down Roping and Steer Wrestling:

8 / rodeo on Wednesday, September 13 to Sunday, September 20 at 8pm; 8 top in the average continue to the Finals, Slack will be Thursday, September 14 for all contestants not in a rodeo.

Pickup and Exchange Race:

8 / rodeo on Wednesday, September 13 to Sunday, September 20 at 8pm;

8 best times continue to the Finals;

All teams will pass in the slack on Tuesday, September 12 and Wednesday, September 13 and then all the teams will pass again in the rodeos.

Men's Barrels

Slack Thursday, September 14 mid-day; 8 best times continue to the Finals.

Ladies Barrels

8 / rodeo on Wednesday, September 13 to Sunday, September 20 at 8pm;

8 best in the average continue to the Finals;

All the ladies barrels will compete once in the slack on Tuesday, September 12 and then the best will run their second run in the rodeos.