



2020 RODEOHOUSTON® Super Series

Enter Online: www.rodeohouston.com

Entries Open: Monday, December 16, 2019 (8 am CT)
Entries Close: Thursday, January 2, 2020 (11:59 pm CT)

- 1.1 The 2020 RODEOHOUSTON Super Series is an invitational championship rodeo featuring the top athletes in the sport of rodeo. HLSR management and staff have the sole authority and responsibility to determine the list of invitees to participate in each Super Series and to determine, on a case-by-case basis, which alternate entry will replace any originally invited contestant that chooses not to enter or decides, for whatever reason, not to compete. The initial invited list is determined using the following criteria (see 4.2). Invitations and alternate entry openings will be published by HLSR in late 2019. HLSR will not be subject to entry rules and procedures of any sanctioning organizations to include, but not limited to, grace periods and office rules. Once entries are accepted and confirmed, HLSR will assign the respective Super Series competition and performance dates. HLSR will not move or change competition dates due to conflicts with other events; except for athletes that qualify/advance to The American finals and are conflicted with their Super Series assignment. (Athletes that advance to The American finals, and are conflicted with their Super Series assignment, must find another athlete to trade Super Series and contact HLSR with the trade directly.) HLSR has, in its sole discretion, the right and ability to change competition dates when needed (due to rare and/or extenuating circumstances). Further, HLSR retains the sole authority to accept or decline the entry of any and all contestants regardless of their standings on the invitation list below.
- 1.2 **Entry Procedures:** Bareback Riding, Barrel Racing, Bull Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Steer Wrestling, Team Roping Headers, Team Roping Heelers and Tie-Down Roping will consist of 40 contestants each (see below).
 - (a) Bareback Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Steer Wrestling and Tie-Down Roping invitation criteria:
 - i. Past two (2) RODEOHOUSTON Super Series Champions (2018 & 2019).
 - ii. Two (2) Special Invitations from HLSR Management.
 - iii. Top 32 of the published 2019 official PRCA world standings.
 - iv. Top two (2) of the published 2020 official PRCA world standings (as of Dec. 1, 2019), excluding the circuit finals, not already qualified through the above criteria.
 - v. 2020 Sandhills Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.
 - vi. 2020 San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.
 - vii. Any remaining or open positions will be filled from the published 2019 official PRCA world standings.
 - (b) Bull Riding invitation criteria:

- i. Past two (2) RODEOHOUSTON Super Series Champions (2018 & 2019).
- ii. Two (2) Special Invitations from HLSR Management.
- iii. Reigning Xtreme Bulls Champion.
- iv. Top 31 of the published 2019 official PRCA world standings.
- v. Top two (2) of the published 2020 official PRCA world standings (as of Dec. 1, 2019), excluding the circuit finals, not already qualified through the above criteria.
- vi. 2020 Sandhills Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.
- vii. 2020 San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.
- viii. Any remaining or open positions will be filled from the published 2019 official PRCA world standings.

**For their entry to be accepted and to be eligible to compete, athletes must secure PRCA membership no later than 6 pm (CT) / 5 pm on January 2, 2020.*

(c) Barrel Racing invitation criteria:

- i. Past two (2) RODEOHOUSTON Super Series Champions (2018 & 2019).
- ii. Two (2) Special Invitations from HLSR Management.
- iii. Top 28 of the published 2019 official WPRA ProRodeo Standings
- iv. Top two (2) of the published 2020 official WPRA ProRodeo standings (as of Dec. 1, 2019), excluding the circuit finals, not already qualified through the above criteria.
- v. Top two (2) of the published 2019 official WPRA Tour standings, not already qualified through the above criteria.
- vi. Top two (2) average finishers from the 2019 WPRA World Finals Card Holder Race, not already qualified through the above criteria.
- vii. 2020 Sandhills Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.
- viii. 2020 San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.
- ix. Any remaining or open positions will be filled from the published 2019 official WPRA ProRodeo Standings.

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(d) Team Roping invitation criteria for both Headers and Heelers:

- i. Past two (2) RODEOHOUSTON Super Series Champions (2018 & 2019).
- ii. Two (2) Special Invitations from HLSR Management.
- iv. Top 32 of the published 2019 official PRCA world standings.
- v. Top two (2) of the published 2020 official PRCA world standings (as of Dec. 1, 2019), excluding the circuit finals, not already qualified through the above criteria.
- vi. 2020 Sandhills Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.

- vii. 2020 San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Champion, or the highest placed individual not already qualified/accepted entry.
- viii. Any remaining or open positions will be filled from the published 2019 official PRCA world standings.

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The 40 headers that are selected must rope with the 40 heelers that are selected to compete. If a contestant's partner is drawn out due to qualification, the contestant who qualified will not be allowed to draw out. A replacement partner will be drawn at random from the other contestants whose partners were drawn out due to qualification.

- (e) Alternate entries will be accepted. Entered alternates will be used to fill positions of invited contestants who did not complete the entry process or who elect not to compete for any reason, including medical release.
- (f) All contestants must be in good standing with HLSR and PRCA.