

UCSC Club News

May 2024

Hey Everyone! It's been a busy start to our show season!

* SPECIAL INVITATIONAL SHOW *

Our Spring Special Invitational show was held on May 18. We had a great time! So many smiling faces from the riders, families and volunteers! Y'all plan to come out in September when we have our Fall Invitational.

* SUMMER SIZZLER*

The first show of our Summer Sizzler Series is this Friday, May 31! Exhibitions are from 6:00 - 7:00. Show starts at 7:30. The arena will close at 12:00 so Shane can prep the ground.

You can pre-enter on Saddle book! <https://saddlebook.com/events/7438>

The following show dates are June 14, July 12, August 2 & August 9.

*YOUTH RODEO PRACTICE *

The next youth rodeo practice will be Tuesday, June 4. Reach out to Pepper Ledbetter if you have any questions! 706-897-5608

* WE NOW HAVE REMIND TEXTS *

UCSC signed up for REMIND! We will send out texts for arena closures, show dates, reminders, etc. Sign up and stay in the know! Text 81010 to @unioncosa

* FUNDRAISER *

The saddle club officers will be setting up at American Cowboy Store for their customer appreciation day on June 1st from 8:30 - 5:00 pm to sell rodeo tickets as well as boiled peanuts. Y'all come out and get your tickets while filling up your belly! There is going to be lots of vendors there!

* BLAIRSVILLE PRO RODEO *

Our Blairsville Pro Rodeo is around the corner! Y'all mark your calendars for June 21st & 22nd. Its going to be a great one! Lots of vendors and competitors!

The arena will be closed for rodeo set up and take down from Tuesday, June 18 to Monday, June 24. If those dates were to change I will send out a remind text and email. Please also check the calendar.

If you are willing to help with parking please reach out to Nanon Russell by emailing ngw2@tds.net . She is making a list of willing volunteers!

Below are some reminders...

- **If you turn on the arena lights please turn them off when you leave!**
- Even though the lights are on a timer there is no reason they should be running for hours when no one is at the arena riding. We still have to pay a power bill....
- Please be courteous of others while you are riding. Lets share the arena so everyone can enjoy it!
- Help us to keep our arena clean from trash!
- Do NOT tie a horse to the loose panels in the warm up area or alleyway! Those panels are not secured in the ground!
- **Keep dogs on a leash at all times! Do not let them run loose at the arena!**
- We have a practice set of poles, cones and barrels out for you to use. The poles and cones are located between the bleachers near the middle of the arena gate.
- If you move barrels, use the poles and cones or open gates please put everything BACK where it belongs!
- Remember, if you are an adult please be a good example and role model for our youth. Little eyes are always watching.

As always.... Please reach out if you have any questions or concerns!

See y'all at the arena!

~ Kayla Murphy ~

UCSC Secretary