

MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINTUES AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Remind that Spring Jackpots start at 11 am. Summer Jackpots start at 10 a.m.

Spring Dates: Sunday, March 7, 2010 - Farmington Legacy Arena

Saturday, March 13, 2010 - Lehi Indoor Arena

Saturday, March 20, 2010- Lehi Indoor Arena

CANCELLED (Legacy Target Race) Sunday, March 28, 2010-South Jordan

Saturday, April 3, 2010- Lehi Indoor Arena

PENDING – Salina Race? Sunday, April 11, 2010- South Jordan

Sunday, April 18, 2010- Farmington Legacy Arena

Friday (Night), April 23, 2010- Farmington Legacy Arena

Sat. + Sun. April 24, 25, 2010- Farmington Legacy Arena

Summer Time Change to starting at 10 a.m. T/O Poles at 9:30 a.m.

Sunday, May 2, 2010- South Jordan, Salt Lake County Eq. Park

Saturday, May 8, 2010- Tooele

Saturday, May 22, 2010- South Jordan Outside

Saturday, May 29, 2010- Tooele Outside

- All correspondence will be by email no more snail mail if you are not on the email list get your email address to Shellie Dalton **Please check your email for news and information. If you have no access to email at all please select snail mail on your membership form and the ubra secretary will mail you newsletters. All Results and Point Standings will be updated the webpage. Check the webpage often for updates and information.**
- Time Only Barrels before jackpots **Voted at membership meeting that we would keep time only barrels the same as now (end of jackpots) we will be limiting time only barrels on weeknights to 40. Pre-Entries will come first and then if spots are available that night it will be first come first served.**
- Time Only Barrels to be limited in number? Also if you spend \$3 you should be able to "School" your horse and not be limited on time? **If you pay for a time only you are allowed to**

school your horse and take a minute per time only run if needed. Again time only barrels will be limited to 40 on weeknight races.

- Poles start time after T/O Barrels or after jackpot? Poles will remain before the jackpot. Time only poles will be at 9:30 am and Pole class to start at 10 a.m.
- Regular Jackpot rule: Circle barrel only once please do not circle more than once it is unfair to those who are in the class at up after you. Come back in and school during time onlys. **Please be courteous to those who are running in your class and only circle the barrel one time.** It makes a difference on the ground for runners who are following you.

Rule Changes: Limited – Being a “Beginner Barrel Racer”

Limited Rider Class requirements:

- ✓ Rider must be a beginner barrel racer
- ✓ Rider has not won more than \$500 lifetime barrel racing
- ✓ Limited Competing
- ✓ Rider who is starting to build their barrel racing foundation
- ✓ Applicant must be a member in good standing with the UBRA.

If you have been competing as a barrel racer and have advanced in your skills you may not be eligible for this class. It will be at the discretion of the UBRA Board and all decisions are final.

There will be a 3 year cap on this class starting 2010. If you have improved on your skills and are advanced before the 3 years are up, **the UBRA Board has the right to ask you to move on to another class at anytime in the year.**

- Raise fees in classes that are \$11 raise to \$13 and the 4D from \$14 to \$15 (including carry over)
Members Voted to raise each class straight across the board \$2 per class. Updated Entry Forms can be found at utbra.com
- Propose to change the withholding percentage so we have enough money to go toward year end awards, for all classes. **Members Voted to make the pay off percentage and withholding the same amount straight across the board for every class.**
- Family Membership **Voted for no Family Memberships**

- Sponsorship \$20 – Due with membership. **SPONSORSHIPS are individual please no sharing. Incentives for members and getting sponsors:**
 - If you get a sponsorship of \$200 your membership is free
 - If you get a sponsorship of \$500 your membership is free and you get 1 horse entered into the 5D race in April for Saturday and Sunday runs.
 - Making sure that someone else doesn't have a sponsor before you ask... Keeping your own sponsors not taking someone else'. **There will be a list on the utbra website of sponsors and members who were able to get those sponsors. Please do not go to these sponsors without checking with the member listed. It is hard to get sponsors so please be courteous to those who have gotten them before. List to be posted by the end of January 2010**
- **Weeknight jackpots: in general how do people feel? Pressured? Like? Start later? Members voted to have 2 weeknight jackpots in the months of June, July and August. Majority love the weeknight jackpots and they are nice when you have weekends that are booked with other things!**
- **Youth 10 and under class Youth Class for 10 and under they will RUN AFTER THE LIMITED and before the 4D. This is a class for 10 and under only. Anyone participating in the Youth class may NOT run in any other class including the 4D. Membership for this class is \$20 and they are not required to get a sponsorship. Run each week entry fee is \$8 + \$2 Insurance fee totaling \$10. This is a trial basis and awards for this class will be determined at the end of the year.**

FROM THE RULE BOOK:

Youth 10 yrs and younger Barrel Class

1. Designed for younger kids who may not have a chance to win in a 4D setting.
2. Youth member must be 10 years or younger as of the beginning of November 2009
3. Youth Class form must be submitted with youth membership dues of \$20 (youth is not required to get a sponsor)
4. Youth member may run one time per jackpot in the Youth class only and may NOT run in any other class including the 4D.
5. Member who runs in another class will not be eligible to run in the Youth class and will forfeit all their Youth class points.
6. Youth member will be eligible for year-end prizes in the Youth Class and they will be awarded at the UBRA's finals race.

- 4D change to traditional discussion? Members voted to leave the 4D the same $\frac{1}{2}$ second splits for each D. Board will discuss the option of going to a 5D more information to come.
- If someone is late and comes after the rakes are done should they have to run 6th out on the ground in that class or at the end of the 4D? Every member is required to run in their assigned class. No running out of order or in another class for your class. If you enter late and your class has not ran you can run 6th out on the ground in your class only. NO EXCEPTIONS it is unfair to those who have already ran in that class! You will be able to run in the 4D for the 4D class only no carrying your time back.