

GREAT LAKES CIRCUIT FALL 2018 NEWS

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Wednesday, November 7th

If you would like a pass to get into the rodeo grounds, please call or text me and I will have one waiting for you at the front desk of the host hotel (Comfort Inn and Suites on Phillips Lane). Otherwise, your passes and tickets will be in your packet when you check in on Thursday.

Following the jackpot the arena will be prepped for the rodeo (banners hung) prior to running the rodeo cattle. Pitch in and we can all get done early and enjoy the evening before things get rolling!

Thursday, November 8th

10am-2pm: Contestant Check-In and packet pickup at the host hotel (Comfort Inn and Suites on Phillips Lane). Any fees due need to be paid at this time, and you will receive 2 tickets per performance in your packet. Be prepared to fill out a brief bio for the announcer.

4pm: Mandatory Contestant Meeting at the Freedom Hall Ballroom (Second Floor). You will receive your contestant jacket here and we will discuss the rodeo schedule for the duration. *There is a \$50 fine for not attending.* The PRCA photographers will be taking pictures prior to the meeting.

Following the rodeo: Please plan to come to the Host Hotel (Comfort Inn and Suites on Phillips Lane) for food and an informal social gathering. The main course will be provided by circuit committees and served by our GLC Rodeo Queens.

Friday, November 9th

9am: Board Meeting

10am: Stock Contractor Meeting

11am: General Membership Meeting in the Freedom Hall Ballroom

Following the rodeo: Bowling! The Executive Strike and Spare has been notified of our plans to spend the evening with them at 911 Phillips Lane.

Saturday, November 10th

11am: Group Photo at Churchill Downs

1pm: Race Time!

GLCF DATES

NOVEMBER 8, 9, 10 2018

The 40th annual Great Lakes Circuit Finals will be held at Freedom Hall at the Kentucky State Fairgrounds, Louisville, KY.

Ticket information and livestock expo details will be on the following website:

www.livestockexpo.org

REMINDER

Be sure to VOTE for Small, Medium and Large Rodeos of the Year—your ballot is enclosed. Please get your ballot to Wayne by October 26th. This really means a lot to the committees, so please take the time to complete and send!

AWARDS FEE

If you have not already paid, your Awards Fee (Formerly called Circuit Fees, Futurity Fees, etc.) is now \$150--this MUST be taken care of before competing at finals.

Please mail your fee to:

Wayne Knutson
4050 Highway U
Clifton Hill MO 65244

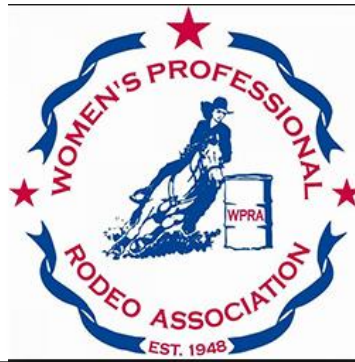
You may pay your 2019 Awards Fee at Finals (\$25 until June 30th 2019)

JACKETS

NEW MEMBERS/SIZE CHANGES

Please contact Carol Knutson with your jacket size—if you have not already updated with Kris. This year there are mens and womens sizes.

Carol Knutson: 660.676.7551 (text okay)



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SPONSORSHIPS

DEADLINE OCTOBER 15

Contact Wayne Knutson with sponsor information--make sure to have the Name, City, State, website information or a contact ready for him.

2018 Event Sponsorship: \$1500 (will receive two circuit jackets)

HOTEL INFORMATION

The host hotel Comfort Inn & Suites on Phillips Lane has been booked full, but some rooms may open up.

Call 1.888.527.4866 or 502.375.2233 to check and make reservations. Ask for the Great Lakes Pro Rodeo block, password is CHURCHILL DOWNS.

The 2018 rate is \$95 per night plus taxes. All rooms are suites with a microwave and refrigerator, and options are 1 King bed or 2 Queen bed rooms.

There is a pool in the hotel, and continental breakfast daily.

We will be seeking an additional hotel (maybe 2) nearby for reservations in 2019!