

## GREAT LAKES CIRCUIT FALL 2019 NEWS

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### **Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**

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 14<sup>th</sup>**

**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 15<sup>th</sup>**

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 16<sup>th</sup>**

**11am:** Group Photo at Churchill Downs

**1pm:** Race Time!

### GLC FINALS

NOVEMBER 14, 15, 16 2019

The 41<sup>st</sup> 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](http://www.livestockexpo.org)

### REMINDER

Watch your email for a web link from the PRCA or WPRA to Survey Monkey.

This is to VOTE for Small, Medium and Large Rodeos of the Year. It will take less than a minute, and really means a lot to the committees!

### 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**

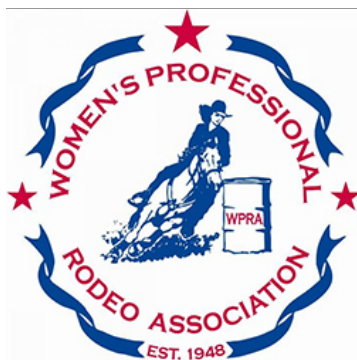
**You may pay your 2020 Awards Fee at Finals (\$25 until June 30<sup>th</sup> 2020)**

### JACKETS

NEW MEMBERS/SIZE CHANGES

Please contact Carol Knutson with your jacket size—if you have not already updated with Kris. This year they are unisex sizing.

Carol Knutson: 660.676.7551 (text okay)



## CONTACT INFORMATION

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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.

2019 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. The 2019 rate is \$100 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.

Other hotels are:

Holiday Inn 502.966.0000

Town Place Suites 502.749.6634

Comfort Suites (Paramount Park)  
502.964.0740