# **Mutton Busting**

## Pee Wee Boys/Girls (Ages 3-7)

Required to ride 5 seconds to receive a score

## **GENERAL RULES**

A contestant can ride with one or two hands, with or without hand held.

#### **SCORING AND PENALTIES**

- 1) Contestants riding the 5 seconds shall receive a score. Score will be as follows: One hand qualified ride is minimum 70 points, two handed qualified ride is maximum of 69 points.
- 2) The contestant is disqualified when any of the following occur:
  - a) Getting bucked off before the time limit
  - b) Rider touches the animal, self or equipment with his/her free hand
  - c) Rider's rowels are too sharp
  - d) Rider places his/her spurs or chaps under the rope while the rope is being tightened

RE-RIDES: If sheep falls, disqualifying the contestant, the judge shall have the final decision to award a re-ride at his/her discretion.

## **STEER RIDING**

Junior Boys/Girls (Ages 8-13)

Required to ride 6 seconds to receive a score

### **GENERAL RULES**

- 1) Contestants must ride with one hand and wrap, with or without handhold.
- 2) The rope must have a bell. The bell must be under the belly of the animal.
- 3) Hooks, rings or posts will not be used on steer ropes.

## **SCORING AND PENALTIES**

The contestant is disqualified when any of the following occur:

- a) Getting bucked off before the time limit
- b) Rider touches the animal, self or equipment with his/her free hand
- c) Rider's rowels are too sharp
- d) Rider places his/her spurs or chaps under the rope while the rope is being tightened

RE-RIDES: JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL