## **BOSS LADY BREAKAWAY ROPING RULES**

- 1. Shall be timed in the 1/100's (3.24) and open to females only in the Open division coed in the youth division. The open will have at least 2Ds with 1/2 second splits.
- 2. There will be a 30 second time limit to complete the catch.
- 3. Only one loop will be permitted in any round. A dropped loop is considered a thrown loop.
- 4. Rope must be tied to saddle horn with a nylon string and have a handkerchief or other
  colorful cloth attached to the rope at the saddle horn. Strings will be provided by a judge
  or the contestant may provide a string, but must be nylon string of any color. Penalty for
  misplacement of the handkerchief or string will be disqualification by the line judge; no
  coils or knots allowed between the end of rope and string.
- 5. The field judge will flag the contestant when the rope breaks away from the saddle horn and time will be given.
- 6. The contestant will receive a "no-time" should she break the rope away from the Saddle horn with her hand. However, if the rope should dally around the horn, the contestant may ride forward, un-dally the rope, and stop her horse to make the rope breakaway from the horn.
- 7. The contestant must pass through the barrier before throwing her loop. Breaking a barrier will result in a 10 second penalty.
- 8. The contestant must be on her horse when time is given.
- 9. A legal catch is a bell collar catch. Bell collar defined as passing over the calf's head And must not include any appendages including figure eight over the tail.
- 10. A spotter will be used at all rodeos. Time to be given between barrier flag and field flag.

- 11. Once score has been set in timed events, it will not be changed at that roping, nor can the length of box be changed.
- 12. Animal belongs to contestant once stock crosses score line, regardless of what happens, except in cases of mechanical failure. If contestant accepts animal, she accepts it as sound.
- 13. All stock will be run on before any cattle can be re-run.
- 14. Tampering of calves in pen or chute and/or barrier results in disqualification of contestant. A contestant may have a person to push their calf out of the chute. No pusher will be allowed to follow the calf out of chute in the act of tailing cattle. This will incur an immediate disqualification.
- 15. When a barrier is stretched and the animal is standing, contestant has a 45 second time limit to call for stock. After 45 seconds the animal will be released and contestant receives a no time.
- 16. All judges decisions will be final.
- 17. D format will be at producer's discretion with minimum 2D with 1/2 second splits additional D will be based on the number of entries.



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• 18. Points are distributed as follows:

- 1<sup>st</sup> 5 pts
- 2<sup>nd</sup> 4pts
- 3<sup>rd</sup>- 3 pts
- 4<sup>th</sup>- 2pts
- 5<sup>th</sup>- 1 pt