

June News

Dear Ropers,

June has blown in with more wind and extremely dry weather. It has been a tough start to the month for many roping producers due to the after effects of the EHV-1 outbreak and subsequent scare. Team counts have been down dramatically in some cases throughout the effected areas. We just completed our first event of the summer after having to cancel two events in May.

However, the World Series Qualifier we just produced June 11-12, thankfully showed signs of increased participation. Perhaps ropers are making a statement that you just can't keep us down for long. We ran over 300 teams and paid out just over \$65,000 in cash. Ropers came from Arizona, Colorado, Texas and New Mexico to participate in the event. We know there are a lot of choices where you can go rope and we appreciate that you ropers have chosen to come to Las Vegas to rope with us.

It was a great roping as we ran the event off in 12 total hours. The cattle were great and we received numerous compliments. Thanks to Jeff Smith for sending us some nice steers to rope,

As a reminder, we will be hosting the 13th Annual USTRC Lasso Del Norte June 23-26, 2011. Then on to Ft. St. John British Colombia Canada to produce a World Series Qualifier over the 4th of July weekend. The following weekend on Sunday July 10th we will be in Santa Fe, NM at Javier Chavez' Busted Boot Arena for the rescheduled Cinco De Mayo Trailer and Saddle Roping. Then July 30th we will have a St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital Benefit Roping. July 31st will be the 6th Annual Church on the Trail Trailer Roping. We have also rescheduled the Pueblo World Series Qualifier that was previously postponed to August 20-21, 2011 in Penrose, Colorado. We plan to rope in the outdoor arena and have an indoor arena for backup.

As you can see we have a busy summer ahead and would like to invite you to come rope with us at one of the events listed above. As always we appreciate your support.

Until next month, Good Luck and go get the Money!