



2009

# Colorado County Fair Rodeo



## Colorado County Fairgrounds

### Lancaster Rodeo Company

CPRA RODEO - Sept. 11th - 12th — 8:00 p.m.

**\$3,000 ADDED MONEY**

The annual Colorado County Fair & Rodeo promises to be bigger and better than last year! Rodeo action will begin on Wednesday, September 9, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. with a draw pot team roping.

On Thursday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. we will be having a ranch rodeo. The events will include trailer loading, wild cow milking, mugging and branding.

Fast paced action continues on Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 p.m. with two full days of the true American sport-RODEO! Rodeo productions are made possible by Lancaster Rodeo Company Inc. of Fairfield, Texas.

This year's rodeo will be sanctioned by the Cowboy's Professional Rodeo Association or CPRA. The sanctioned events are: bareback riding, saddle bronc, bull riding, tiedown calf roping, steer wrestling, team roping, girls breakaway roping and barrel racing.

Books open for the rodeo contestants on Monday, September 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. for

rough stock and for timed events from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. and Tuesday, September 8<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. call 1-800-54-RODEO (1-800-547-6336). For more information about the CPRA Rodeo visit [www.cprarodeo.com](http://www.cprarodeo.com).

On Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup> the 4-H mounted drill team Texas Thunder will perform at 7:45 p.m. Texas Thunder is the younger of the Champion Rider teams.

They have competed at the Matagorda County Fair and Livestock Show, various rodeos throughout the year, and have competed in the United States Equestrian Drill Team Competition in Canton, TX for the last 5 years.

They placed 6<sup>th</sup> in Abilene in 2007 and 2008 were only 1 point away from 5<sup>th</sup> place at the State 4H Horse Show where they performed to their "Tough Enough to Wear Pink" drill. They placed 8<sup>th</sup> at State in 2009; however they were second among the younger teams.

Texas Thunder was named the USEDCC Theme with prop champions in 2009 with a John Deere

Tractor theme and placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the youth intermediate division. T

Their hard work and dedication paid off. 2008-09 members were: Christina Henry, Ashley Henry, Brittany Henry, Jennie Reynolds (leader), Bailey Schmoker (leader), Jennie Reyna, Angela Kristynik, Sarah Murphree, Haylee McKissick, Joseph Reynolds, Hannah Vern and Justice Brooks.

Drillmasters are Gary Murphree and Ray Smithey with Pat Vern and Ronnie Plant.

On Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup> the 4-H Mounted Drill Team Thundering Hooves will perform at 7:45pm. The Thundering Hooves began in 1990 and strive to teach horsemanship, professionalism, drill team preparation and execution, teamwork, competition, respect for authority and community service. They also seek to entertain through excellence in showmanship and to instill pride in a job well done.

Thundering Hooves have enjoyed being TX State Champions as well as USEDCC Champions. The Thundering Hooves have been named 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2008 Texas State Champs; 2007 & 2009 Reserve State Champions; 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, AND 2008 USEDCC National Theme Champs; 2004 USEDCC National Champs; 2005 & 2008 USEDCC Reserve National Champs; 2008

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Thursday, September 10th:  
Ranch Rodeo 7:00 p.m.

Friday, September 11th  
CPRA Rodeo, 8 p.m.

Saturday, September 12th  
CPRA/Open Team Roping 9 a.m.

CPRA Rodeo, 8 p.m.  
Sunday, September 13th  
Team Sorting Clinic 8 a.m.  
Youth Team Sorting Clinic 9 a.m.  
Team Sorting 10 a.m.