## ZIEBACH COUNTY 4-H RODEO GENERAL RULES

The 4-H Rodeo Committee encourages both parents to fully read the published rules, which apply, to contestants and all events during this show. No deviations or exceptions can be made. We encourage you to obtain and read the State 4-H Rodeo Rules and Regulations (YD4H 414). These are available at your County Extension Office or the 4-H Website at http://www.sd4hrodeo.org/

## <u>Buckles will be awarded based on the two day average in each event, you must be entered both days to qualify.</u> A point system will be used to determine the All-Around Champion Winners, these will also be figured on a two day average. All-Around Prize will be mailed.

After reading these general rules, we call your attention to the specific rules, which apply to individual events. The committee reserves the right to cancel any event due to lack of contestant participation.

- 1. Eligibility: The 4-H Rodeo is open to a 4-H member in good standing.
- 2. Entries: Entries will close on July 1, 2015. We shall require that the fee must accompany each entry. This can be cash, check or money order, made payable to the ZIEBACH COUNTY 4-H LEADERS ASSOCIATION.
- 3. You will only be called twice per event. Have all equipment ready before the event.
- 4. There will be "No Video review" made available to the judges or arena personnel to assist in making a judgment call.
- 5. The decision of the judges, flagmen, timers and arbitration board who have been approved by the sponsoring rodeo board shall be final and no further protest by contestants will be allowed.
- 6. If using 1 horse in more than one age division, please inform the secretary at the crows nest of this.
- 7. All contestants must be in western attire when receiving awards.

## 8. State Finals Rodeo Entry

State Finals paper work entry deadline is May 1<sup>st</sup>. Contestants are responsible to read and follow the General Information on Finals Entry Forms and the Ground Rules pertaining to the 4-H Finals Rodeo. All contestants qualifying for the 4-H Finals Rodeo (by finishing in the top 4 places at a Regional/County 4H Rodeo) are automatically entered. If a contestant does not wish to enter the finals or has event/events that they wish to not enter, then they will have to notify the Finals secretary by e-mailing sd4hfinals@hotmail.com by AUGUST 6th. If the contestant does not notify the secretary prior to the finals draw, the contestant is responsible for the entry fees. For further information refer to the SD 4-H Rodeo Finals website www.sd4hrodeo.org

## NOTES TO PARENTS

CHECK YOUR CHILD'S ENTRY FOR COMPLETE DETAILS. MAKE CERTAIN EVENTS ENTERED ARE ONLY THOSE OF WHICH YOU APPROVE.

GATE ENTRY FEE: There will be a two day pass for the weekend if attending both days. The cost is \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for school age children. The one day will be \$6.00 adults and \$3.00 for school age children. You will be given a wrist bracelet for the weekend pass.