

The Blast 2022 Rules

General

1. Mail in entries must be **postmarked by May 4th**. Mail to: Cloverleaf Productions, 21113 Brimstone Pl. Sturgis, SD 57785
2. **Online entries** must be submitted by **May 8th** to avoid a late fee.
3. Late online entries will be accepted until May 10th with a late fee **\$25/day/rider fees apply**.
4. Late entries after May 10th will need to be completed onsite **during office hours \$25/day/rider fees apply**.
5. Exhibitions will be sold on a first come first serve basis. They will be available for purchase **online onl**. Link will be found on www.cloverleafbarrelracing.com/ and we will post a reminder on Facebook. \$6 each. A one (1) minute time limit will be enforced for each one, if you exceed one minute, you will be **assessed a fine of \$20 for each instance**.
6. Must enter Open 5D to be eligible to enter sidepots.
7. Horse or rider changes must be made during office hours onsite only. There will be a **CHANGE FEE of \$25 and will require Cloverleaf approval**.
8. Vet/Doctor Releases will be accepted until 12:00pm on May 9th, 2022. Any releases after must be done on-site. Refunds with a veterinarian letter will be issued (less 20% and already processed card fees) and will be mailed out AFTER the event.
9. **Draw will be posted on May 10th** after all changes have been completed.
10. Late entries accepted until 2 pm Saturday and 11 am Sunday. **\$25/day/rider fees apply**. If you are entered on another horse and **late entering a different one, late fee does apply**.
11. No check-in but all accounts must be paid in full before competing and have all paperwork on file. This includes W-9 before any checks will be issued and all futurity/derby related paperwork.
12. There will be a \$40 service charge on all returned checks.
13. **W-9 must be on-file before checks will be issued**.
14. No double entries. If you miss your run, you may not late enter on that horse. Once a horse is entered, it cannot be entered again.
15. Horse must run in draw order or forfeit fees and winnings. **There will be no preference for one horse over another on multiple horse entries**.
16. Open is 5D format with .5 splits throughout. Payout is per round. No average.
17. Futurity is 3D format with .75 splits per round. No Average.
18. Derby is 3D format with .75 splits per round. No Average.
19. **Cloverleaf has the right to refuse entry. Cloverleaf decision is final**.
20. **ABSOLUTLEY NO DOGS ALLOWED IN THE FACILITY**. This is a FACILITY POLICY and **there is a \$50 fine**.
21. Only the next 5 horses in the holding pen during competition.
22. Absolutely no training during your competition run. You must maintain forward motion.
23. Tipped barrels are considered No Times
24. Rakes will be every 5 with a big drag at every 50 (subject to change).
25. You have 3 announcer calls at the gate before being turned out.
26. No dress code.
27. **If you lose your lid (hat), pay barrel setter \$5 to get it back**.
28. Stalls are overseen by the Bowman High School Rodeo Club. All agreements are with them regarding stalling. **ABSOLUTLEY no tie-outs in the RV park. FINE WILL BE ASSESSED OF \$50**.
29. Any damage to premises needs to be reported to Cloverleaf as soon as possible and we will discuss matters.
30. Abuse of livestock/animals will not be tolerated. Forfeiture of fees and disqualification will follow.

31. No level of vendors and products can be sold on site by contestants or others unless authorized. Contact Cloverleaf directly for more information.

Sidepots

1. You must enter the Open 5D to enter the sidepots.
2. Ireland Performance Horses 3D Futurity is open to 4 (2018) and 5 (2017) year olds that have not competed in barrel racing prior to 11/15/2021.
3. 3D format with .75 second splits.
4. 3D Derby is open to 5 (2017) through 8 (2014) year olds.
5. 3D format with .75 second splits.

YOUTH

1. Youth must be 9-15 years old.
2. 3D format with .75 second splits.
3. Youth will run in their own division after the Open 5D.
4. Youth may also enter the Open, but will run in both.
5. Youth may only enter the Futurity or Derby sidepot if they are entered in the Open. The Open run time will carry to the sidepots.
6. Youth may not enter Peewees.
7. All other Open Division rules apply to the Youth Division.

Peewee

1. Peewees must be 8 years old and under.
2. 1D format. Everyone gets a prize.
3. Peewees will run in their own division after the Open 5D.
4. Peewees cannot enter the Open or the Youth.
5. Enter onsite only.

Open 5D

1. Open to all riders and horses. Riders may enter multiple horses.
2. Open 5D will be paid out in the 5D format and be 1/2 second splits. All late, drop out and office fees will be sustained by the committee.
3. No average awards.
4. A Knocked Barrel down will result in a no time.
6. An electric timer will be used. If timer fails the contestant will be given the option of a rerun and penalties from the original run will carry over.
7. DRAW OUTS: Must have a draw out form submitted to the office by NOON Thursday September 16. for a refund minus the office fee. **THERE WILL BE ABSOLUTLEY NO REFUNDS AFTER THIS TIME.** Refunds checks will be mailed out after the event.
8. **ABSOLUTELY NO BUYOUTS OR SWITCHING POSITIONS.** You must run in your drawn position or you will be disqualified and forfeit your entry fees.
10. Riders May Not Switch their horses' positions. Horses must run as they appear in the draw. and big drags will be determined by the total entries.