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# 2018 MEDIA GUIDE











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#### **Abbreviations of Rodeo Organizations**

CFD: Cheyenne Frontier Days™

CPRA: Canadian Professional Rodeo Association

RNCFR: Ram National Circuit Finals Rodeo

NFSR: National Finals Steer Roping

PRCA: Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association

WNFR: Wrangler National Finals Rodeo

WPRA: Women's Professional Rodeo Association

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## **ABOUT CFD**

Since 1897, Cheyenne has celebrated its Old West roots by serving up non-stop outdoor rodeo action in one of the largest outdoor arenas on earth.

Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) is commonly referred to as the "Daddy of 'em All"®—the world's largest outdoor rodeo. The phrase was coined in 1919 when Cheyenne had gained worldwide recognition for having the biggest and best rodeo. Some folks credit T. Joe Cahill, who served as a committeeman that year, for the nickname. But, no matter who christened Cheyenne's rodeo with the name, one thing is certain; each year since, CFD has lived up to its reputation.

The "Daddy of 'em All" © continues as a leader in rodeo action. It remains the favorite rodeo for most PRCA contestants and rodeo fans alike. Rodeo cowboys are known to proudly display their winning belt buckles as status symbols. A recent study of rodeo points out that contestants who have competed at Cheyenne prefer to sport their CFD championship buckles even more so than a world champion buckle.

#### IMPORTANCE OF VOLUNTEERS

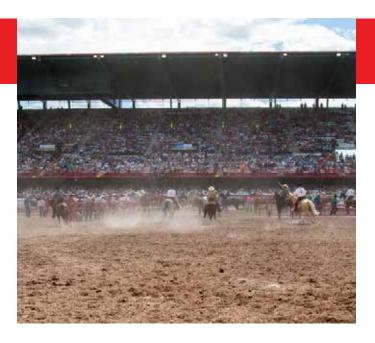
For more than 100 years the citizens of Cheyenne have banded together in this annual community project. CFD has a minimal staff with the rest of the work being done by over 2,500 volunteers. Because of this effort, and numerous other community-oriented volunteer projects, Cheyenne has been dubbed "the volunteer capital of the world."

## LARGE OUTDOOR RODEO COMMITTEE OF THE YEAR

Cheyenne was voted "Large Outdoor Rodeo Committee of the Year" by the PRCA for 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 2000, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014. The award was voted on by the top 100 contestants in each PRCA event, stock contractors, and PRCA contract personnel.

#### **ECONOMIC IMPACT**

CFD was organized over 122 years ago to economically benefit the City of Cheyenne, and we continue to stay focused on delivering our mission to be a positive economic resource in our community. CFD draws cowboys and rodeo and music fans from throughout the country for a spirited, ten-day celebration of Western heritage. CFD serves as an important boost to



Cheyenne's economy, bringing hundreds of thousands of visitors who pump a significant amount of money into the local community.

- In 2017, total ticketed attendance for rodeos, concerts and other Frontier Park events was over 241,000. Over 2,754 people attended the free pancake breakfasts, 9,181 visited the Indian Village, and 3,725 went on the behind-the-scenes chute tour.
- As it did last year, CFD expects to serve about 100,000 flapjacks to nearly 25,000 during its free pancake breakfasts served downtown.
- Visitors spent nearly \$28 million in Laramie County during CFD, including \$5.3 million at restaurants and bars, \$3.7 million on accommodations, \$7.6 million on entertainment and recreation, and \$10.8 million on shopping, gas and other retail purchases. CFD also creates over 300 full and part-time jobs.

#### 122<sub>ND</sub> ANNUAL "DADDY OF 'EM ALL"

World's Largest Outdoor Rodeo 1 p.m. daily, July 20-29 Frontier Park opens at 11 a.m.

#### **FUTURE DATES**

July 19-28, 2019 July 17-26, 2020 July 23 - August 1, 2021

## **CHEYENNE**

#### **About the Wyoming State Capital**

Cheyenne was founded on the banks of Crow Creek in July 1867. The town, named by Army General Grenville Dodge after the Indians who inhabited the area, took on many nicknames over the years. Cheyenne originally was referred to as "Hell on Wheels" because the first businesses to arrive at the new railhead were ones that traveled along with the Union Pacific as it broke ground westward across the Great Plains. These businesses were set up in tents with false storefronts. Most were drinking and gambling establishments catering to the rough and tumble life of transient cowboys, local ranch hands and soldiers at nearby Fort D.A. Russell.

Within 15 years Cheyenne became known as the "Magic City of the Plains" and gained status as the "richest city of its size in the world." Wealthy cattle barons from the East and abroad invested in the booming cattle industry and built huge, elaborate mansions in Cheyenne. Many of these historic landmarks are still standing today, including the historic Governor's Mansion which is open to the public year-round.

Today, Cheyenne's economic base is supported mostly by government, wholesale and retail trade, and tourism. Cheyenne still serves as a major crossroad in the West for the Union Pacific and the Burlington Northern Railroads, as well as Interstates 80 and 25. Most recently, Cheyenne has gained international and national recognition with the location of the NCAR-Wyoming Supercomputing Center and the Microsoft data center.

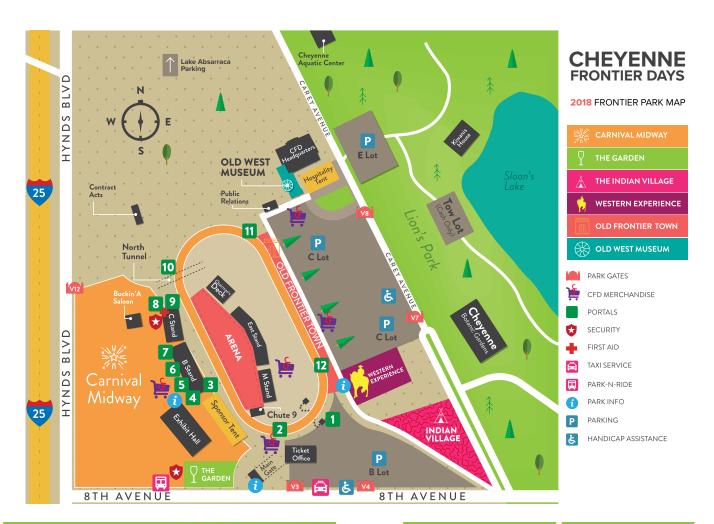
#### **FACTS ABOUT CHEYENNE**

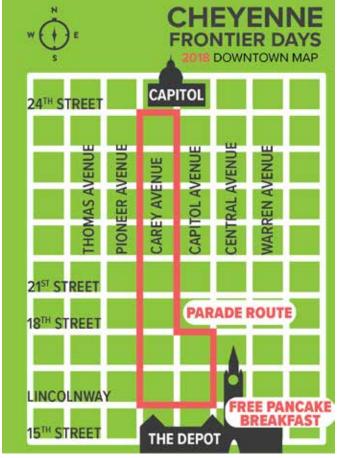
Founded	1867
Status	State Capital
Population in City Limits	60,691
MSA Population	93,663
Elevation	6,062 feet
Humidity	51 percent
Average Wind Speed	2.9 m.p.h.
Average Monthly Temperatures	high: 58°F
	low: 33°F
Average Annual Precipitation	rainfall 13.31"
-	snowfall 52.1"



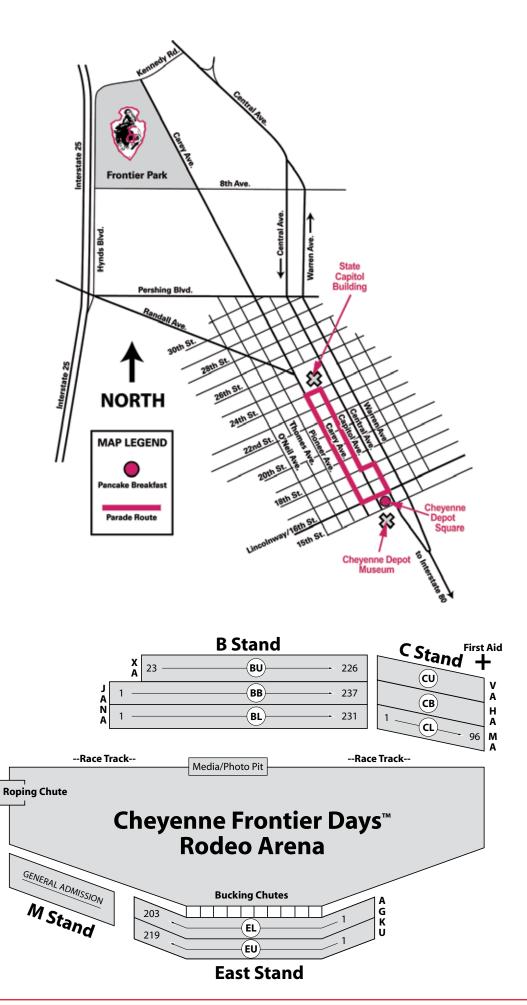












## **MEDIA INFO**

The Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) Media Guide is produced to help with coverage of the rodeo and other events/attractions. Our media team is dedicated to providing assistance in planning and obtaining coverage. Please contact us with your coverage needs.

#### **IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS**

Area code 307, dial "9" to call off the park	
Media Trailer	778-7246
CFD Headquarters	778-7201
Public Relations Facility	778-7245
Press Deck (E Stands)	778-7257
Ticket Office	778-7222
Contestants Office	778-7215
Contract Acts	778-7254
Park Security	778-7261
Museum	778-7290
Cheyenne Area Convention and Visitors Bureau/ Cheyenne City Trolley Tours	778-3133

#### OTHER HELPFUL PUBLICATIONS

- Cheyenne Frontier Days™ Souvenir Program
- Cheyenne Frontier Days<sup>™</sup> Schedule of Events
- · WTE Frontier Edition and Frontier Daily
- PRCA Media Guide
- Trader's Visitor's Guide to CFD
- CFD Rodeo App

#### **BOOKS**

- Behind the Chutes at Cheyenne Frontier Days:
   A pocket guide to rodeo by Avis Acton
- Cheyenne Frontier Days: "A Marker From Which To Reckon All Events" by Milt Riske
- Cheyenne Frontier Days The First 100 Years:
   A Pictorial History Wyoming Tribune-Eagle
- Daddy of 'em All: The Story of Cheyenne Frontier Days by Robert Hanesworth
- Let's Go! Let's Show! Let's Rodeo! by Shirley Flynn
- Images of America Cheyenne Frontier Days™ by Shirley Talbot & Linda Graves Fabian



Shooting B-Roll Behind the Chutes

#### PR MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES



Mike Martin
Public Relations Chairman



**Kim Floyd** Media Director





## CREDENTIALS

Credential requests should be submitted as early as possible. Priority is given to professionals working on assignment for specific media outlets approved by the Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) PR Committee prior to the celebration. Media credentials for free-lancers not on assignment will be considered after submitting samples of published work.

#### **FULL CREDENTIALS**

Full credentials are valid for all ten days of CFD, and will be issued only to the following:

- · Paid employees of media outlets or CFD
- Writers or photographers with a valid letter of assignment from a media outlet. We do request that all individuals in this category provide us with a copy of their work when it is published.
- PRCA photographers with a valid 2017 membership card.

#### LIMITED CREDENTIALS

Limited Credentials valid only for Monday through Thursday are issued on a case-by-case basis to freelance writers and photographers without a valid letter of assignment.

#### PHOTOGRAPHER PIT PASS

These passes are issued daily on a first-come, first-served basis to photographers. The photo pit is an excellent vantage point to capture action shots of arena events. Photographers requesting a pit pass should contact the PR Media Office prior to 10 a.m. Movement to and from the pit is prohibited during the rodeo with the exception



Inside View of the Photo Pit

of a short intermission period halfway through the show. During this time, photographers wishing to stay for only of half the events may leave, and others may take their place. This allows a greater number of photographers the opportunity to take photographs. Please note that bottled drinking water is available in the photo pit, however, there are no rest rooms.

Space in the pit is very limited and access will be prioritized as follows:

- Paid employees of media outlets (working press)
- Writers or photographers with a valid letter of assignment from a media outlet
- PRCA photographers with a valid 2017 membership card
- Freelance photographers

#### PHOTOGRAPHER CHUTE PASS

Photographers requesting a chute pass should contact the PR Media Office prior to 10 a.m. There are a limited number of chute passes available to general media. If you have a specific need that cannot be met with the photo pit's accommodations, contact the Media Office at the PR facility.

Chute passes allow the holder to photograph rodeo events from a restricted area alongside the roping and bucking chutes. For safety reasons, the chute area and arena are the most restricted areas and PRCA regulations apply.

PLEASE NOTE: The PRCA retains media rights to all sanctioned rodeos. These rights are specific to rodeo action and competitors. Complete rules governing broadcast and print are available at the PR Media Office or by contacting the PRCA directly.



Outside View of the Photo Pit





#### **NIGHT SHOW POLICY**

All night show/concert press passes must be approved in advance. If you wish to cover a nightshow, please submit a request in writing to the Cheyenne Frontier Days™ Public Relations Committee by Friday, June 30. Any media who does not request a night show/ concert media pass in advance will not be able to take photos, video or review the show. When the request is submitted please include information on what you intend to do (e.g. photography, video, or review of the show). The Public Relations (PR) Committee will have a listing for who is approved, the artists' restrictions and any added requirements (often only the first 2-3 songs) one or two days prior to the show. If you wish to conduct an interview with an artist, we can provide contact information for the artist's management and you can contact them directly. The PR Committee will not set up interviews for you.

## **DRESS REQUIREMENTS**

PRCA clothing regulations state all media personnel and photographers must wear a long-sleeve western style shirt, long pants, boots and western hat while present in the photo pit, arena, chute area and in the cowboy ready area. The rodeo is highly photographed for both television and print media; the clothing requirement ensures the western flavor of the event and the safety of working media in and around the arena. If the requirement presents a problem, please contact the PR Media Office. We have extra hats and western shirts available to borrow.



Behind the Chutes

## **FUN FACTS**

- Approximately 1,800 contestants will compete for a total purse of cash and prizes expected to reach \$1 million, the largest purse award in regular season pro rodeo.
- The Rookie Saddle Bronc event was originally called the "Amateur Bucking Contest." The name was changed for the 1974 performance.
- Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) continued the tradition of signaling "8 seconds" with a gunshot until the 1994 rodeo performance, when it was replaced by a buzzer.
- Frontier Park became the home of CFD in time for the 1908 celebration. The cost for the structures totaled \$20,000, and the total seating capacity for the rodeo was 7,700.
- This is the world's largest outdoor rodeo arena. The arena is over 700 feet long and 200 feet wide! The seating capacity for the rodeos is 15,000 and over 20,000 for the night shows.
- In 2013, a new all-time attendance record for CFD was achieved when 25,000 enjoyed Jason Aldean (2013 Academy of Country Music Male Vocalist of the Year) on a wet Friday night making Frontier Park the fifth-largest city in Wyoming.
- During a pancake breakfast, Cheyenne Kiwanis Club volunteers feed nearly 40,000 folks in six hours.
   The record day was Wednesday, July 24, 1996– 16,897 guests served in two hours. The Record Year: 1996—39,112 guests served in six hours total.







## **MEDIA PLACES**

#### MEDIA CENTER

Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) has a dedicated trailer for media, located behind the Public Relations Building. PR Volunteers are available to help you obtain pit and chute passes, as well as helping you with story ideas and interviews. The trailer has wireless internet and work areas for media.

#### MEDIA BOX

During the rodeo, media can watch from a shaded box located in the east stand. PR volunteers are available to answer questions and help obtain interviews with contestants. Be sure to secure your seat early as this area fills up quickly.

#### PHOTO PIT

The photo pit is an excellent vantage point to capture action shots of arena events. It is in the middle of the arena and allows photographers to capture contestants launching out of the chutes. It is also the best place to get photos of steer wrestling. You need a pass to get in this area.

#### **CHUTES**

The chutes are restricted areas that require a pass. The chutes on the north end of the arena tend to be less crowded than the southern chutes, which include sponsors. Photographers must first check with a CFD PR volunteer before going on the chute platform. You are only allowed to stay on the chute platform for a few rides.

#### **COWBOY READY AREA**

Underneath the east stand near the north chute, rodeo contestants are getting ready for their rides. PR volunteers are available to help you find an interview and escort you into the area for photos/b-roll.

## **PARKING**

• Directions to the Public Relations Facility: Take Exit 12 off I-25. Turn right on Central Ave. to Kennedy Rd. Turn right on Kennedy into the park and travel approximately one and a half blocks to Carey Ave. Turn left on Carey and proceed to Gate V-8 just past CFD Headquarters. Tell the gate attendant you are on your way to pick up media credentials. The attendant will direct you to the Public Relations Facility. Once you receive your parking pass, you may park in "C" Lot. Parking is subject to availability. Additional parking is available through the "Park-n-Ride" service.

• Park-n-Ride Shuttle Service: Take advantage of the CFD Park-n-Ride service, we will operate one park and ride location this year. The "Bull" park and ride will be at I-25 and Happy Jack. Cost will be \$10 per carload and will operate from 10 a.m. to 12:30 a.m. The bus will make a loop starting at the Bull lot and then travel to CFD. For the "Bull" lot, heading Northbound on I-25, take exit 10B and southbound on I-25, take exit 10D. A quick five minute bus ride takes you directly to the celebration! Shuttle hours are: July 20: 10 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.; July 21 – 28: 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.; July 9: 10:30 a.m. – 6 p.m.



Getting Interviews



Looking at the Media Box





### LOCAL MEDIA CONTACTS

#### **RADIO**

KGAB-AM 650—www.kgab.com KIGN-FM 101.9 (KING)—www.kingfm.com KLEN-FM 106.3—www.1063cowboycountry.com 632-4400 | 1912 Capitol Avenue , Cheyenne, WY 82001

KOLT-FM 100.7 - www.koltfm.com 970-461-2560 | 4270 Byrd Dr., Loveland, CO 80538

KAZY-FM 93.7—937kazy.com KRAN 103.3

KRRR-FM 104.9—www.1049krrr.com

KRAE-AM 1480

638-8921 | 1600 Van Lennen Ave, WY 82001

KOLT-FM 92.9 THE BOSS KFBC-AM 1240- www.kfbcradio.com 634-4461 | 1806 Capitol Ave, Cheyenne, WY 82001

KJUA-AM 1380—1380theblock.com KRND-AM 1630 970-336-1630 | 3400 W. 16th St. Bldg 6 Suite M, Greeley, CO 80634

KYOY 92.3, 100.3 and 107.1 - www.kyoy.net 637-0301 | 2232 Dell Range, Suite 102, Cheyenne, WY 82009



#### **TELEVISION**

KGWN-TV Channel 5 (CBS) - www.kgwn.tv 634-7755 | 2923 E. Lincolnway, Cheyenne, WY 82001

KKTU-TV Channel 33 (ABC)- www.k2tv.com 237-3711 |1896 Skyview Drive, Casper, WY 82601

KLWY-TV Channel 27 (FOX) 635-7881 | 2220 Dell Range Blvd., Suite 101, Cheyenne, WY 82009

KCWY Channel 13 (NBC) - www.kcwy13.com 577-0013 | 141 Progress Circle, Mills, WY 82644

#### **PRINT**

Wyoming Tribune-Eagle - www.wyomingnews.com 634-3361 | 702 W Lincolnway, Cheyenne, WY 82001

Associated Press - www.ap.org/wyoming 632-9351 | 320 W 25th St., Ste. 310 Cheyenne, WY 82001

Wyoming Business Report www.wyomingbusinessreport.com 638-3200 | 200 W 17th St., Ste. 10 Cheyenne, WY 82001

Warren Sentinel - www.warrensentinel.com 632-5666 | 307 E. 20th Street, Cheyenne, WY 82001



## **SCHEDULE**

#### **SUNDAY, JULY 15**

**7:15–10 A.M.:** CFD Cattle Drive at the intersection of I-25 & Horse Creek Road

#### **MONDAY, JULY 16**

11 A.M.: Barrel Racing Slack

#### **TUESDAY, JULY 17**

**7 A.M.:** Steer Wrestling Slack **8 A.M.:** Steer Roping Slack

#### **WEDNESDAY, JULY 18**

**7 A.M.:** Steer Wrestling Slack **8 A.M.:** Tie-Down Roping Slack

#### **THURSDAY, JULY 19**

**7 A.M.:** Tie-Down Roping Slack **9 A.M.**: Team Roping Slack

**3:30 P.M.:** CFD Annual Western Art Show & Sale opening reception. Art Show features the nation's top cowboy artists presenting over 300 works of original Western Art.

#### **FRIDAY, JULY 20**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

10 A.M.-12:30 A.M.: Located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

2 P.M.: Wild West Show

8 P.M.: Frontier Nights® concert FLORIDA GEORGIA LINE

WITH SPECIAL GUEST MICHAEL RAY

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party at 5–7 p.m. and the After-Party 10 p.m.-Midnight

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Western Art Show

**8 A.M.-7 P.M.:** Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

11A.M.-8 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

6-8 P.M.: Frontier Nights® Pre-Party with Boogie Machine

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Interactive Western Experiences

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

**11 A.M.-7:30 P.M.:** Indian Village

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Petting Zoo

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Sidewinder Saloon

#### **SATURDAY, JULY 21**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

8 A.M.-12:30 A.M.: Located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

9:30 & 10:30 A.M. & 5 P.M.: Behind the Chutes Tours

Tours 11:45 A.M.: Pre-Rodeo Entertainment

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All<sup>®</sup>" rodeo

**8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> concert COLE SWINDELL WITH SPECIAL GUESTS CHASE RICE & MORGAN EVANS

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party at 5–7 p.m. and the After-Party 10 p.m.-Midnight

#### **DOWNTOWN/OFF PARK**

9 A.M.: Grand Parade

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Western Art Show

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

11 A.M.-8 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

**4 P.M.:** Andy Stewart on the Couch & Rodeo Autographs **6–8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party with New Nashville

Artist Savanna Chestnut

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Interactive Western Experiences

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

11:15 A.M., 3 P.M. and 6 P.M.: Dance Performances

1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing

11 A.M.-1 P.M.: Kid's Crafts

2 P.M. and 5:15 P.M.: Native American Flute Player

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Petting Zoo **10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Sidewinder Saloon

#### **SUNDAY, JULY 22**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

10:30 A.M.-12:30 A.M.: Located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### FRONTIER PARK ARENA

**9 A.M.:** Cowboy Church Service in B-Stand with **Susie** McEntire & Mark Eaton

9:30 & 10:30 A.M. & 5 P.M.: Behind the Chutes Tours

11:45 A.M.: Pre-Rodeo Entertainment

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All<sup>®</sup>" rodeo



## **QUICK PEEK AT CFD DAILY CALENDAR**



**8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights® concert CHARLIE DANIELS BAND WITH SPECIAL GUEST TRACY LAWRENCE

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights Pre-Party with **Sean Curtis & the Divide** at 5–7 p.m. and the After-Party 10 p.m.-Midnight

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Art Show

**8 A.M.-7 P.M.:** Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

**11 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Fiesta Day

6:30-8 P.M.: Pre-Party with La Fiera de Ojinaga

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Interactive Western Experiences

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

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1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing

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#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Petting Zoo **10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Sidewinder Saloon

#### **MONDAY, JULY 23**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

**6 A.M.-12:30 A. M.:** The Park-n-Ride is located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

7 A.M.: Rodeo Slack

**9:30 & 10:30 A.M.:** Behind the Chutes Tours **11:45 A.M.:** Pre-Rodeo Entertainment

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All<sup>®</sup>" rodeo

8 P.M.: PROFESSIONAL BULL RIDING (PBR) CHEYENNE

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party with **Sean Curtis & the Divide** at 5–7 p.m. and the After-Party 10 p.m.-Midnight

#### **DOWNTOWN/OFF PARK**

7 A.M.: Free Pancake Breakfast

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#### **THE GARDEN**

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**4 P.M.:** Andy Stewart on the Couch & Rodeo Autographs **6–8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party with New Nashville artist **American Young** 

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

**10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Interactive Western Experiences

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

11:15 A.M., 3 P.M. and 6 P.M.: Dance Performances

1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing

**2 P.M. and 5:15 P.M.:** Native American Flute Player

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Petting Zoo **10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Sidewinder Saloon

#### **TUESDAY, JULY 24**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

**8 A.M.-12:30 A.M.:** The Park-n-Ride is located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

9:30 & 10:30 A.M.: Behind the Chutes Tours

11:45 A.M.: Pre-Rodeo Entertainment

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All"" rodeo

8 P.M.: CHAMPIONSHIP BULL RIDING 2018 WORLD

FINALS "THE ROAD TO CHEYENNE"

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights® Pre-Party with **Sean Curtis & the Divide** at 5–7 p.m. and

the After-Party 10 p.m.-Midnight

#### **DOWNTOWN/OFF PARK**

**9 A.M.:** Grand Parade

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Western Art Show

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

11 A.M.-8 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

4 P.M.: Andy Stewart on the Couch & Rodeo Autographs

**6–8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party with New Nashville artist **American Young** 

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Interactive Western Experiences

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

11:15 A.M., 3 P.M. and 6 P.M.: Dance Performances

1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing

2 P.M. and 5:15 P.M.: Native American Flute Player

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.: Petting Zoo
10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Sidewinder Saloon



## **OUICK PEEK AT CFD DAILY CALENDAR**



#### **WEDNESDAY, JULY 25**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

6 A.M.-12:30 A.M.: Located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

9:30 & 10:30 A.M.: Behind the Chutes Tours

11:45 A.M.: Pre-Rodeo Entertainment including the

Challenge Rodeo

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All" rodeo

**8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> concert **ERIC CHURCH** 

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT: Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping

**11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon — Frontier Nights Pre-Party with **Sean Curtis & the Divide** at 5–7 p.m. and

the After-Party 10 p.m.-Midnight

#### **DOWNTOWN/OFF PARK**

7 A.M.: Free Pancake Breakfast

9:30 A.M.: U.S.A.F. Thunderbird Aerial Demonstration

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Art Show

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

11 A.M.-8 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

**6-8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights® Pre-Party with New Nashville

artist Jeremy McComb

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

8 A.M.: Chuckwagon Cookoff Wagon Judging

**10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Interactive Western Experiences

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

11:15 A.M., 3 P.M. and 6 P.M.: Dance Performances

1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing

7 P.M.: Pow Wow

11 A.M.-1 P.M.: Kid's Crafts

2 P.M. and 5:15 P.M.: Native American Flute Player

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Petting Zoo

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Sidewinder Saloon

#### **THURSDAY, JULY 26**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

**8 A.M.-12:30 A.M.:** Located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

9:30 & 10:30 A.M. & 5 P.M.: Behind the Chutes Tours

**11:45 A.M.:** Pre-Rodeo Entertainment including the

Challenge Rodeo

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All<sup>®</sup>" rodeo

**8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights® concert **NICKELBACK WITH** 

**SPECIAL GUESTS POP EVIL** 

#### CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup>

Pre-Party with **Sean Curtis & the Divide** at 5–7 p.m. and

the After-Party 10 p.m.–Midnight

#### DOWNTOWN/OFF PARK

9 A.M.: Grand Parade

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Western Art Show

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

11 A.M.-8 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

4 P.M.: Western Fashion Show

**6–8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party with **Jeremy McComb** 

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

**10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Interactive Western Experiences

**11 A.M.-1 P.M.:** Chuckwagon Cookoff cooking demo

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

11:15 A.M., 3 P.M. and 6 P.M.: Dance Performances

1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing

2 P.M. and 5:15 P.M.: Native American Flute Player

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.: Petting Zoo

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Sidewinder Saloon

#### **FRIDAY, JULY 27**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

6 A.M.-12:30 A.M.: Located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

9:30 & 10:30 A.M. & 5 P.M.: Behind the Chutes Tours

11:45 A.M.: Pre-Rodeo Entertainment

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All<sup>®</sup>" rodeo

**8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights® concert TOBY KEITH WITH SPECIAL GUESTS BOBBY BONES & THE RAGING IDIOTS AND NED

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#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights<sup>®</sup> Pre-Party at 5–7 p.m. and the After-Party 10 p.m.–

Midnight)

#### **DOWNTOWN/OFF PARK**

**7 A.M.:** Free Pancake Breakfast

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Western Art Show

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: Shopping at the CFD Store

**THE GARDEN** 



## **QUICK PEEK AT CFD DAILY CALENDAR**



11 A.M.-8 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

**4 P.M.:** Andy Stewart on the Couch & Rodeo Autographs **6-8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights Pre-Party with Chad Bushnell

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

10 A.M.-8 P.M.: Interactive Western Experiences

**4 P.M.:** Live auction and bidding (approved horse/burro adopters only)

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

11:15 A.M., 3 P.M. and 6 P.M.: Dance Performances1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing2 P.M. and 5:15 P.M.: Native American Flute Player

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Petting Zoo **10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Sidewinder Saloon

#### **SATURDAY, JULY 28**

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

**8 A.M.-12:30 A.M.:** Located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

9:30 & 10:30 A.M. & 5 P.M.: Behind the Chutes Tours

11:45 A.M.: Pre-Rodeo Entertainment

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All<sup>®</sup>" rodeo

8 P.M.: Frontier Nights concert DIERKS BENTLEY WITH

**SPECIAL GUEST KIP MOORE** 

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA**

10:30 A.M.-9:30 P.M.: CFD Exhibit Hall

**10:30 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Carnival/Midway Area/Shopping **11 A.M.-MIDNIGHT:** Buckin' A Saloon—Frontier Nights Pre-Party at 5–7 p.m. and the After-Party 10 p.m.-Midnight)

#### **DOWNTOWN/OFF PARK**

9 A.M.: Grand Parade

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Western Art Show

8 A.M.-7 P.M.: Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

11 A.M.-8 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

**4 P.M.:** Andy Stewart on the Couch & Rodeo Autographs **6–8 P.M.:** Frontier Nights® Pre-Party with Chad Bushnell

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

**10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Interactive Western Experiences

**NOON:** Chuckwagon Meal To Go

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

11:15 A.M., 3 P.M. and 6 P.M.: Dance Performances 1 P.M. and 4 P.M.: Interactive Cultural Sharing

**11 A.M.-1 P.M.:** Kid's Crafts

2 P.M. and 5:15 P.M.: Native American Flute Player

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Petting Zoo **10 A.M.-8 P.M.:** Sidewinder Saloon

**SUNDAY, JULY 29** 

#### **PARK-N-RIDE**

**10:30 A.M.-6 P.M.:** The Park-n-Ride is located at I-25 and Happy Jack

#### **FRONTIER PARK ARENA**

**9 A.M.:** Cowboy Church Service in B-Stand.

**10 A.M.:** Behind the Chutes Tours **12:30 P.M.:** Pre-Rodeo Entertainment

**12:45 P.M.:** Grand Entry & "Daddy of 'em All<sup>®</sup>" rodeo. Championship Saddles, Championship Packages, Championship Buckle Awards and Championship

Chuckwagon Cookoff buckles awarded

#### **CARNIVAL/MIDWAY AREA**

**10:30 A.M.-6 P.M.:** CFD Exhibit Hall/Shopping **10:30 A.M.-6 P.M.:** CFD Carnival/Midway Area

#### **CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM & STORE**

8 A.M.-6 P.M.: CFD Old West Museum & Western Art Show

8 A.M.-6 P.M.: Shopping at the CFD Store

#### **THE GARDEN**

11 A.M.-6 P.M.: Relax and Recharge

#### **WESTERN EXPERIENCE**

**7 A.M.-NOON:** New owners load adopted horses/burros

10 A.M.-6 P.M.: Interactive Western Experiences

#### **INDIAN VILLAGE**

**10 A.M.-1 P.M.:** Frontier Park Native American Indian Village

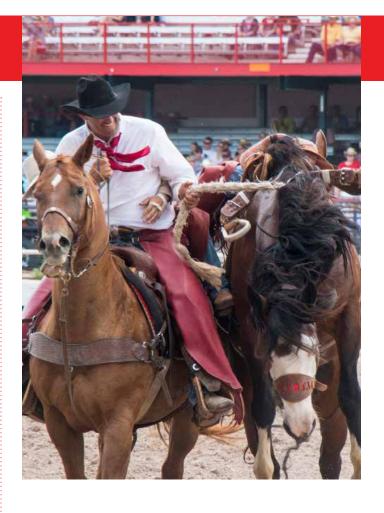
11:15 A.M.: Native American Dance Performance

#### **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

**10:30 A.M.-6 P.M.:** Petting Zoo **11 A.M.-6 P.M.:** Sidewinder Saloon

## **RODEO**

Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) has over 1,800 cowboys/cowgirls and over 2,000 animal athletes. More cowboys/cowgirls and animal athletes compete in Cheyenne than at any other rodeo. In fact, you will see more contestants at CFD than many other rodeos have in an entire weekend. Our prize money again this year exceeds \$1 million, making it one of the largest purses in professional rodeo.





## **CFD RODEO**











Cowboy Ready Area



Championship Bull Riding World Finals

CFD offers many events beyond the rodeo including a world famous night show lineup, free pancakes, a carnival and parade.

## FRONTIER NIGHTS®

Night time entertainment naturally followed the rodeo performances in Cheyenne, but it became an official part of Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) on the eve of the Great Depression. In 1929, the committee built a small version of old-time Cheyenne on the grounds at Frontier Park complete with false-front saloons and theaters to depict the rowdy days of yesteryear. Soon, a carnival was added to the park's attractions. Downtown, square dancing on a designated street intersection along with dance performances by the Sioux Indians lured people out for the July evenings.

During the big band era of the 1940s and 50s, top-name bands provided music and dancing at Frontier Park. In the late 50s, a 10-cent fee was charged for each dance. The "dime-a-dance" feature was a Frontier Days favorite of Cheyennites who danced at the Pavilion, which now houses the CFD Headquarters and CFD Old West Museum. The first night arena show was staged in front of the grandstands in 1951. Television's Fred McMurray held the audience spellbound that first year along with Lawrence Welk and his orchestra just prior to landing their famous television show. The early night arena entertainment ranged from clown and dog acts to chariot races, fancy and trick riding, and drum and bugle corps performances. Other Hollywood stars that followed in the 1960s included Michael Landon as "Little Joe" of TV's Bonanza and Robert Conrad of The Wild Wild West. In the early '70s, the current "B" stands replaced the old stands, and in 1977 Frontier Days was extended to 10 days. Now, Cheyenne is equipped to book top country and western entertainment as well as rock acts. The night arena shows that year featured Johnny Cash, Mel Tillis, Barbara Mandrell, Jimmy Dean, and Jerry Jeff Walker.

## FRONTIER NIGHTS® CONCERTS

Grandstands open at 7 p.m.
Concerts begin at approx. 8 p.m.\*

### FRIDAY, JULY 20

Florida Georgia Line and special guest Michael Ray

#### **SATURDAY, JULY 21**

Cole Swindell and special guests Chase Rice and



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Morgan Evans

#### SUNDAY, JULY 22

**Charlie Daniels Band** and special guest Tracy Lawrence

### MONDAY, JULY 23 & TUESDAY, JULY 24

Two Day Bull Riding Event

#### **WEDNESDAY, JULY 25**

**Eric Church** and special guest Chris Janson

#### **THURSDAY, JULY 26**

Nickelback and special guest Pop Evil

#### FRIDAY, JULY 27

**toby Keith** with Bobby Bones & The Raging Idiots and Ned Ledoux

#### **SATURDAY, JULY 28**

**Dierks Bentley** and special guest Kip Moore

## **BEHIND THE CHUTES TOURS**

**Cost: FREE** 

July 21-22, 25-28: 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m. July 23-24: 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. July 29: 10 a.m.

Guests get a first-hand look at what goes on during the rodeo from behind the scenes. They follow the path of the bulls and broncs as the animals are rounded up and threaded through the maze of gates on their way to the chutes and out into the arena with cowboy in tow. Guests encounter a special experience when they step into the chutes and finish the tour by walking across the arena.

The tours have become a Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) favorite in short order. They begin in front of the CFD Old West Museum by the "No Looking Back" bronze statue. The chute tour sign at the statue as a gathering point.





#### **Sponsored by: Carpet One**

### **CARNIVAL MIDWAY**

Admission: adults \$5, or FREE for Park-n-Ride customers; children 9 & under—Free

Admission is free with current day's rodeo ticket or current day's Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) concert ticket. Daily armbands and ride tickets purchased separately. Also, a \$125 unlimited ride pass or a \$60 four-day carnival armband for are available for purchase until July 19, 2018.

Carnival Americana provides carnival rides, games and amusement on the midway at CFD. Fresh Connections provide the food and beverage concessions. The midway offers exhibits that feature a variety of merchandise such as jewelry, clothing, arts, furniture and novelties.

## CFD OLD WEST MUSEUM

Open daily: 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. (307) 778-7290 Admission: Adults \$10, Children under 12 FREE www.oldwestmuseum.org

Cheyenne Frontier Days' history comes alive at the CFD Old West Museum! Inside the Museum, you will experience the stories of the individuals, livestock, and organizations whose distinctive contributions to CFD have helped grow a dream into "The Daddy of 'em All." For an hour or two, this Museum helps you travel back in time through the rich history of Cheyenne Frontier Days and relive the Western legend.

In 1978, a group of volunteers established the CFD Old West Museum with the goal of preserving the historic carriage collection used in the annual Frontier Day Parades. Today, with a collection of over 160 carriages, the Museum boasts one of the largest carriage collections in the United States. Guided by a mission to cultivate and preserve the Western legacy of Cheyenne Frontier Days, the Museum now houses a collection of over 149,000 artifacts relating to Cheyenne and Cheyenne Frontier Days. A truly volunteer-oriented organization, the Museum recognizes that Cheyenne Frontier Days volunteers make the history the Museum preserves.

This family-friendly institution has interactive elements in the galleries so everyone can explore this history of Cheyenne Frontier Days and the stories of those who helped make it happen. From our interactive Hole in the Wall Children's Gallery to permanent pieces in the Museum collection, including our extensive carriage



Rotunda Exhibit in the CFD Old West Museum



Magic Hour by Brandon Bailey





exhibit, the Museum brings the past to life and invites visitors to immerse themselves in this thrilling history.

# CFD WESTERN ART SHOW & SALE

Art Sale & Reception: July 9 Show: July 20- August 19, 2018 Location: CFD Old West Museum

Converging on the CFD Old West Museum like cowboys to the rodeo arena, the artists featured in the Cheyenne Frontier Days Western Art Show celebrate the American West's heritage, scenery and the Western way of life. This year the popular event will feature the works of the country's top western and wildlife artists in paintings, sculptures, wood and alabaster carvings and Navajo weavings.

Every year, the Cheyenne Frontier Days Western Art Show and Sale attracts artists from Nebraska to California and Montana to Arizona who all share the same passion-a love for the great American West and its traditions.

In addition to the sale, the CFD Western Art Show and Sale Committee produce a commemorative CFD poster and a limited edition print each year. Prairie Fire by Bruce Graham is this year's print. Rough Stock Rhythm by Lindsey Bittner Graham is the featured artwork on this year's Cheyenne Frontier Days Western Art show poster

For more than a century, Cheyenne Frontier Days has preserved the western way of life, the rich traditions of the sport of rodeo, and the spirit of community involvement. Through the arts, the Western Art Show proudly takes its place among the traditions of Cheyenne Frontier Days.

## **Participating Artists**

The Cheyenne Frontier Days Western Art Show features the Nation's top artists presenting original art that celebrates the heritage of the American West.

Meagan Abra Blessing Lindsey Bittner Graham

Maura Allen Michael Blessing
Brandon Bailey Julie T. Chapman

Guadalupe Barajas Julie Cole

Phil Beck Steve Devenyns
Mike Beeman Kelly Donovan
Susan Bell Lisa Gordon
Julie Bender Bruce Graham

Margaret Graziano Joel Ostlind Sheri Greves-Neilson Mary Pape Ann Hanson Jan Perkins **Gary Huber** Renee Piskorski Susie Hyer Connie Robinson Paul Kethley Marlin Rotach Robin Laws Laurie Lee Sabrina Stiles Linda Lillegraven Gail Jones Sundell Tom Lockhart Glenn Swanson

Cindy Long **Carol Swinney** Jerry Markham Michael Thomas Robert McFarland Joshua Tobey **David Mensing** Ezra Tucker Audrie Mergelman Paul Waldum Don Weller Gerry Metz James Moore Carrie Wild Chris Navarro Matt Wolf E. Denney Neville Sarah Woods

**Rock Newcomb** 

## **CHALLENGE RODEO**

Dan Young

11:30 a.m., Location: CFD Rodeo Arena Wednesday, July 25 and Thursday, July 26

This special children's rodeo is patterned after the PRCA's Exceptional Rodeo<sup>©</sup>, which was featured at CFD from 1992–1994.

In 1995, the CFD Committee and other volunteers and sponsors of the special rodeo decided they wanted to make it a permanent feature of CFD. And so, the CFD Challenge Rodeo became a reality for the 100<sup>th</sup> annual "Daddy of 'em All®".

Each of the 60 Challenge Rodeo children are paired up with a specially selected volunteer "buddy." These all-day volunteer chaperones are chosen according to their knowledge, medical training, and expertise in working with children who face mental and physical challenges. The children share one-on-one attention with their buddy and a rodeo V.I.P. while participating in modified rodeo events. V.I.P.s such as PRCA cowboys, clowns, barrel racers, Dandies, committee chairmen, and others, assist the buddies and children in the events which include 8-second bull rides, barrel racing, steer roping and more. Each Challenge Rodeo child receives a t-shirt, cowboy hat, trophy and a canvas bag to tote the goodies in. The kids are recognized individually with





a certificate and a trophy. They receive a snapshot of themselves taken with one of the V.I.Ps.

The Challenge Rodeo is supported by donations from the **Swire Coca-Cola Foundation.** Other sponsors and volunteers include members of the CFD Buckle Club, CFD Concessions Committee, Warren Air Force Base, and Laramie County School District #1. After the Challenge Rodeo, the children are treated to lunch and a trip to the carnival by the volunteers.

# CFD INVITATIONAL CHUCKWAGON COOKOFF

**Cost: FREE** 

View and visit with authentic chuckwagon crews as they give a glimpse into life on the Goodnight Trail more than 100 years ago. Demonstration cooking Thursday and youth cook off on Friday. Invitational Cook off: Noon, Saturday, July 28. Located in the Western Experience in the South portion of C lot on Frontier Park.

## **DENVER POST TRAIN**

Watch the train arrive at the Depot for Free

The 26th Annual Denver Post CFD Train is scheduled to operate Saturday, July 21, 2018. For more than 60 years, this annual trip was a highlight for Denver and Colorado politicians and businessmen. In 1992, The Denver Post revived this wonderful event to help



Chuckwagon Cookoff

celebrate the 100<sup>™</sup> anniversary of The Denver Post. This excursion has become a popular summer event. It features a full day of western excitement with an historic train ride, barbecue lunch feast, and the world famous "Daddy of 'em All®" CFD Rodeo. Tickets also include a continental breakfast, admission to the Old West Museum in Frontier Park, beverages, and a light dinner on the return trip. Visit http://cfdtrain.com. Tickets are available through a lottery and 2018 is already sold out.

## **INDIAN VILLAGE**

**Cost: FREE** 

#### LITTLE SUN DRUM & DANCE GROUP

Performances daily (Saturday - Sunday) 11:15 a.m., 3 p.m. & 6 p.m.

NATIVE AMERICAN FLUTE PLAYER

Daily: 2 & 5:15 p.m.

#### **STORYTELLING**

Daily: 1 & 4 p.m.

#### **POW WOW**

Wednesday, July 25: 7:15 p.m.

#### KIDS CRAFTS

Sat., Sun., Wed., Sat.: 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

American Indians have always been an important part



Western Experience





of western history. In 1898, just after the second annual Frontier Days rodeo, the CFD committee invited American Indian performers to participate in the CFD celebration. American Indian performers have returned to CFD each year since, entertaining and educating visitors about American Indian heritage and culture. Historically, the visiting performers camped on a corner of Frontier Park, and that became a tourist mecca. Over the years, the site of the campground shifted from place to place. In the 1960s, the CFD committee established a permanent campground, dubbed the "Indian Village," on the southeast corner of the park, where it remains to this day. In addition to hosting authentic American Indian dancing, music playing and storytelling, the Indian Village also includes a number of Native American exhibit booths and food vendors.

**Sponsored by: Cheyenne Radiology** 

## PANCAKE BREAKFASTS

**Cost: FREE** 

Monday, July 23; Wednesday, July 25; and Friday, July 27 Time: 7 - 9 a.m.

The Cheyenne Kiwanis Club is the organization that puts on the pancake breakfast with the help from the CFD Indian Committee.

The all-time Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) free breakfast single-day record was registered during the Wednesday 1996 feeding frenzy where 16,897 people were served. The weekly record was broken that same year when 39,111 people enjoyed a free breakfast and Cheyenne western hospitality. Just for the record, the almost 40,000 were fed in a combined serving time of eight hours, ten minutes.

This year, the volunteers will serve up more than 100,000 flapjacks made from 5,000 pounds of pancake mix, cook-up 3,000 pounds of ham, serve 9,200 cartons of milk and 520 gallons of coffee, along with 630 pounds of butter and 475 gallons of syrup!

Started by the Cheyenne Frontier Committee in 1952, the traditional free breakfast (originally served twice a week) has since been a favorite of locals and visitors alike. The Cheyenne Kiwanis Club, with the help of the Cheyenne Boys and Girl Scouts, cook up the grub on military ranges. For the Kiwanis, the CFD breakfast is not only a great time, but a chance to practice as well. The ranges have proved to be useful in past years in feeding victims of natural disasters, and Frontier Days is the perfect opportunity to show Civil Defense just how many people they can feed in a short period of time.

Sponsored by: Grease Monkey, Hormel, and Cheyenne Light Fuel & Power

### **PARADES**

**Cost: FREE** 

Saturday, July 21; Tuesday, July 24; Thursday, July 26; Saturday, July 28 Time: 9 a.m.

Until 1925 (with the exception of the spectacular parade staged in 1898 for Buffalo Bill and one in 1910 for President Theodore Roosevelt) the Frontier Days parades were nothing more than wild gallops through the streets of Cheyenne by a bunch of unruly cowboys on wild broncos. Pistols were aimed at upper story windows, pretty girls were lassoed, and pandemonium reigned. That year, the Frontier Committee enlisted Fred and Margaret Boice to stage a pageant using the theme of "The Evolution of Transportation." In 1926, Dazee Bristol was asked to create some floats for the parade that would last. The ones she created are still highlights of current parades. They include Dazee's Dance Hall, Harry P. Hynds Blacksmith Shop, the Placer Mine (depicting South Pass City, Wyoming) and the Silver Crown Mine (which pokes fun at some early residents who invested in a mining scam). In the 1930s and 40s, Dazee added the Vigilante Float, the Hells Half Acre Saloon Float and the One-Room School House. Join us in Cheyenne as people from all over the world take in the sights and sounds of some of the top marching bands and horse-drawn vehicles in the country! The parade starts in front of the Wyoming Capitol.

## **OLD FRONTIER TOWN**

Cost: FREE
Open from 10:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily
and 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. on July 29

All the features of an Old West town complete with a school, saloon and church. Old Frontier Town also plays home to various artisans and craftsmen for the week long celebration. Old time western clothiers, soap maker, rug maker, wood carver, as well as several artists all reside in here. There is also the Cowboy Boot Camp and a petting zoo. Old Frontier Town is also the home of many of the Wild West's most infamous characters. Old Frontier Town is located between the Indian Village and the Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) Old West Museum on the East side of Frontier Park.

## THUNDERBIRDS AIR SHOW

Wednesday, July 25, 2018 9:30 a.m.
Cost: FREE
Media need a special pass, available at
CFD Media trailer and through the college.

The U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds, sponsored by F.E.





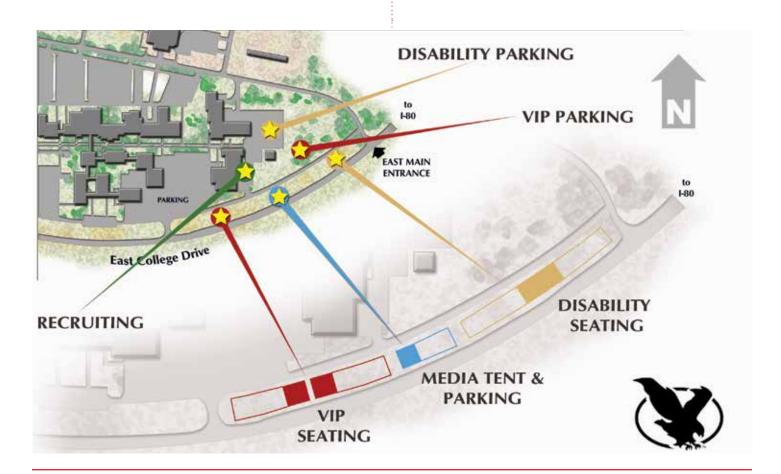
Warren Air Force Base, will fly over Laramie County Community College (LCCC).

The Thunderbirds have the privilege and responsibility to perform for people all around the world, displaying the pride, precision and professionalism of American Airmen. In every hour-long demonstration, the team combines years of training and experience with an attitude of excellence to showcase what the Air Force is all about. The sharply choreographed, drill-style ground ceremony kicks off the demonstration by showcasing the attention to detail and esprit de corps that defines our enlisted members. As the jets take to the skies and fly only a few feet from wingtip to wingtip, the crowd gets a glimpse of the awesome skills and capabilities that all fighter pilots must possess. The solo pilots integrate their own loud and proud routine, exhibiting some of the maximum capabilities of the F-16 Fighting Falcon – the Air Force's premier multi-role fighter jet.

**AVOID PARKING ISSUES — TAKE A FREE SHUTTLE!** Free shuttle buses run 7–9 a.m:

- Holliday Home Plaza Nationway & Windmill
- Cheyenne Plaza E. Lincolnway & College Drive East Entrance for VIP and handicapped parking. Disabled Vets with a handicapped sticker may park in the lot for handicapped parking.

PRACTICE FLIGHT — MONDAY, JULY 23, 2018	
1 p.m.	College Dr. closes completely between Avenue C and Fox Farm Rd. No traffic allowed to enter LCCC
1:30 p.m.	Practice flight
3 p.m.	College Drive opens
AIR SHOW — WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 2018	
7:30 a.m.	College Drive closes to through traffic between Avenue C and Fox Farm Rd. Campus opens for spectator parking
9 a.m.	College Drive closes completely. NO traffic allowed between Avenue C and Fox Farm Rd.
9:30 a.m.	Performance begins
10:30 a.m.	College Drive opens



Not all the fun during Cheyenne Frontier
Days™ (CFD) is sanctioned by the Committee.
Through the years other groups of individuals,
businesses, and associations in Cheyenne have
joined in to enhance the annual celebration
and become a part of it all. Following the
example set by CFD volunteers a long time
ago, these individuals spend a great amount
of time and energy preparing for their
contribution to the show each year.

In the 1960s, a few downtown businessmen were known to assume the status of a vigilante committee aimed at men in golf shorts and boat shoes. The makeshift lawmakers took matters into their own hands by tossing the nonconformists in the lake at Holliday Park—only to give themselves an excuse to donate articles of western attire to poor wet souls who dared not to dress accordingly during Cheyenne Frontier Days (CFD).

#### **Atlas Theater**

211 W. 16th Street | 635-0199

### Cheyenne Area Convention and Visitors Bureau/ Cheyenne City Trolley Tours

www.Cheyenne.org| 121 W. 15th Street | 778-3133

#### **Cheyenne Depot Museum**

121 W. 15th Street 632-3905

#### **Chevenne Botanic Gardens**

www.botanic.org | 710 S. Lions Park Dr. | 637-6458

#### **Historic Governor's Mansion**

www.wyoparks.state.wy.us/govern1 300 E. 1st Street | 777-7878

#### **Nelson Museum of the West**

www.nelsonmuseum.com 1714 Carey Avenue | 635-7670

#### **Terry Bison Ranch**

www.terrybisonranch.com 51 I-25 Service Road | 634-4171

#### **Warren Heritage Museum**

www.pawnee.com/fewmuseum on F.E. Warren Air Force Base | 773-2980

#### **Wyoming Arts Council Art Gallery**

www.artswyoco.org | 2320 Capitol Ave. | 777-7742

## **Wyoming Game & Fish Dept. Visitors Center** www.gf.state.wy.us | 777-4600

**Wyoming Department of Travel and Tourism** 

www.wyomingtourism.org | 777-7777



The Cheyenne Gunslingers

### **CHEYENNE GUNSLINGERS**

During Cheyenne Frontier Days, performances are: Monday - Saturday at high noon and 6 p.m. and Sundays at high noon

In 1983 a local downtown art gallery owner, Ron Levene, sat drinking coffee with a few other 16th Street business owners discussing the western-ness of Cheyenne. It seems they all shared the same blank expressions when summer visitors and tourists came into their shops and asked, "So, where's all the cowboys and Indians?" Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) certainly provided the old western frontier atmosphere, but only for 10 days in July. These fellas decided to give 'em what they asked for. Armed with a sizeable donation from the head office of the LaQuinta Inn hotel chain in San Antonio, Texas, these businessmen started the Cheyenne Gunslingers.

They got off to a slow start that first season. The volunteers didn't anticipate the costs involved with staging the gunfights. But, within a few years the association had grown into a first-rate tourist attraction not only during CFD, but for the whole summer. The men furnish their own guns and costumes, and together, they write the scripts that are staged twice daily at Gunslinger Square, 16th Street and Carey Avenue. In addition to the fun-filled skits, the Cheyenne Gunslingers also have a more serious side. They show the audience the importance of gun safety, and much of the information is aimed effectively at the youth in the crowd. The "shoot 'em up" show is free to the public.



### OTHER EVENTS



# OLD FASHIONED MELODRAMA

Atlas Theatre, 211 West 16th Street
July 13- August 6:
Monday-Saturday performances are at 7 and 9
p.m.; Sunday performance is 7 p.m. Tickets are
\$10-16

The Cheyenne Little Theatre Players added to the night time entertainment of Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) in 1958 by staging an Old Fashioned Melodrama performance at the Frontier Park Pavilion. The show was a hit, and the performers have carried on their volunteer tradition ever since.

In 1966, they were moved to the abandoned and dilapidated Atlas Theatre downtown. The Atlas Theatre building was erected in 1887. Originally, it housed a confectionery shop on the main level with office spaces on the upper floors. The building was remodeled in 1907 with the assistance of local architect William Dubois. The upper floors were converted into rooms for rent with the main level reserved for the elegant Atlas Theatre, a soda fountain, and a large penny arcade—Wyoming's first. Today, the Atlas Theatre seats 260 guests per performance. Much of the interior has been restored to its original state. The original fire curtain installed in 1908 still hangs from the ceiling above the stage.

The Cheyenne Little Theatre Players have entertained thousands of visitors during CFD with sellout shows that bring about rounds of "boos" and "hisses" for the villain, "cheers" for the hero, and "ah-h's" for the heroine. The melodrama is a three-act play that focuses on some part of Wyoming's western heritage. It is often written by local talent and includes a variety of crowd-pleasing olio acts, can-can dances, and fun for the whole family.

# FORT D.A. RUSSELL DAYS - MUSKETS TO MISSILES

Fort D.A. Russell Days is a celebration of the U.S. military throughout the history of what is now, Francis E. Warren AFB. The base is the oldest active Air Force base and has been an active duty military installation since its inception in 1867. The installation's ties to CFD dates back to the very first installment of the famous rodeo in 1897, when soldiers from the post fired a canon signifying the start of the event and staged a mock battle in the arena. Today, the base holds its annual open house during the rodeo so that the public can learn about its current and past missions. Visitors to Ft. D.A. Russell Days will be able to tour the historic brick homes, several dating back to the 19th century,

tour the base museum and watch historic military reenactments. The base also demonstrates modern technology associated with its current intercontinental ballistic missile mission. Visitors can observe military working dogs in action, tour a real-life training launch facility, and marvel at the wide variety of missile support vehicles, such as the gigantic missile transporter erector. F.E. Warren Air Force Base is located at exit 11 on I-25 in Cheyenne.

## 2018 SCHEDULE FT. D. A. RUSSELL DAYS MUSKETS TO MISSILES 25TH ANNUAL AND OTHER MILITARY EVENTS

All Base Events are located at Centennial Lake/Main Gate. Park along the street. These events are free to the public unless otherwise stated.

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#### FRIDAY, JULY 20

9 A.M.-4 P.M.: Living History Presentations

**10 A.M.-4 P.M.:** Food Vendors, bring your family and friends for a delicious meal

11 A.M.: Security Forces Dog Presentation

**11:30 A.M.:** Camp Carlin Supply Run, a race for children

1 P.M.: Camp Carlin Supply Run, A race for children

**2:30 P.M.:** American Revolution Historic Military Demonstration

**2:45 P.M.:** Gunfight demonstration by the Wyoming Widowmakers

**3 P.M.:** The Trotters Cavalry Performance. Historical Cavalry Precision Riding Drills Demo

#### **SATURDAY, JULY 21**

9 A.M.-4 P.M.: Muskets to Missiles Displays

**9 A.M.-3 P.M.:** Tours of Minuteman ICBM Launch Facility (U-1, with Payload Transporter) and Launch Control Center Trainers, and the Warren ICBM & Heritage Museum, Maintenance Vehicles: Transporter Erector and Periodic Maintenance Team Van (Tractor/Trailer), Nuclear Payload Transporter, HMMWV, other vehicles. Last tour bus leaves at 2:30 p.m. Provide picture ID, no cameras or large bags allowed

**9 A.M.-4 P.M.:** Living History Presentations Demonstrations

**10 A.M.-4 P.M.:** Food Vendors, bring your family and friends for a delicious meal

**11 A.M.-4:30 P.M.:** Buffalo Roast Dinner. Trails End Club. Pay at the door

**11:30 A.M.:** Camp Carlin Supply Run, a race for children

**11:30 A.M.:** Military Demonstration



## **OTHER EVENTS**



**NOON:** High Noon Gunfight demonstration by the Wyoming Widowmakers

**12:30 P.M.:** Ft. D. A. Russell Days Historic WWII Military Demonstration

1:30 P.M.: Buffalo Soldiers Presentation

**2 P.M.:** Camp Carlin Supply Run, a race for children

**2:30 P.M.:** American Revolution Historic Military Demonstration

**3 P.M.:** The Trotters Cavalry Performance. Historical Cavalry Precision Riding Drills Demo

4 P.M.: Military Demonstration

**5:30 P.M.:** Period Style Dance. Dance instruction provided. For all ages

#### **SUNDAY, JULY 22**

**9 A.M.:** Historic Colonial Church Service. Sarsaparilla Saloon

**9 A.M.-4 P.M.:** Muskets to Missiles Displays

**9 A.M.-3 P.M.:** Tours of Minuteman ICBM Launch Facility (U-1, with Payload Transporter) and Launch Control Center Trainers, and the Warren ICBM & Heritage Museum, Maintenance Vehicles: Transporter Erector and Periodic Maintenance Team Van (Tractor/Trailer), Nuclear Payload Transporter, HMMWV, other vehicles. Last tour bus leaves at 2:30 p.m. Provide picture ID, no cameras or large bags allowed

**9 A.M.-4 P.M.:** Living History Presentations Demonstrations

**9 A.M.-2:30 P.M.:** Warren Spouses' & Balfour Beatty Communities Historic Homes Tour and Warren ICBM & Heritage Museum Tour. National Register Historic buildings will be on display. Provide picture ID, no cameras or large bags allowed. Last tour bus leaves 2:30 p.m.

10 A.M.: Buffalo Soldiers Presentation

**10 A.M.-4 P.M.:** Food Vendors, bring your family and friends for a delicious meal

11 A.M.: Security Forces Dog Presentation

**11:30 A.M.:** Camp Carlin Supply Run, a race for children

**11:30 A.M.:** Military Demonstration

**NOON:** High Noon Gunfight demonstration by the

**Wyoming Widowmakers** 

12:30 P.M.: Buffalo Soldiers Presentation

1:30 P.M.: Military Demonstration

2 P.M.: The Trotters Cavalry Performance. Historical

Cavalry Precision Riding Drills Demo



Fort D. A. Russell Days

For more than a century, chief executive officers of large companies, bank presidents, school teachers, realtors, homemakers, state and federal employees-literally folks from every walk of life-have devoted millions of volunteer hours to plan, organize and execute all the events associated with Cheyenne Frontier Days™.

## **VOLUNTEERS**

"IT'S THE CHEYENNE THING TO DO..." That's how Bill Dubois, a 2004 inductee in the Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) Hall of Fame, replied when asked why he had been volunteering for more than four decades in a variety of capacities at the "Daddy of 'em All." "It's the Cheyenne thing to do" for tens of hundreds of volunteers who provide the people power to produce what arguably is the largest outdoor western celebration in the world.

It began as a simple one-day celebration in September of 1897 when a group of volunteers from the Cheyenne business community thought it would be fun and profitable to stage a western celebration. Today, more than 3,000 volunteers work around the calendar to produce an event that borders on two weeks long and includes parades, pancake breakfasts, world-class concerts, chili and chuckwagon cookoffs, carnival, exhibits, Indian Village, military open houses and performances by the U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds and, of course the event that started it all-nine Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) rodeos.

Volunteers are the fuel that drives the CFD engine. Tasks range from sorting stock for the nine rodeos plus the slack performances; caring for the world's largest horse-drawn carriage collection and a remarkable period clothing collection; mucking horse stalls; directing traffic in all types of weather; manning gates; the care and feeding of a large media contingent; serving as hosts to the tens of thousands of spectators who enjoy the variety of events; the care and maintenance of a 100-acre park with barns, grandstands, exhibit halls, food facilities and arenas and thousands of other grizzly little details that must be accomplished for the event to succeed.

## **STRUCTURE**

Only a handful of the estimated 3,000 workers who make Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) come to life each July are paid for their services. The Committee employs 17 full-time people to manage the year-round production of the show, and a Board of Directors serves as an advisory council to the General Committee.



CFD Native American Indian Village

#### **STAFF**

Chief Executive Officer	Tom Hirsig
Sponsor/Exhibit Manager	Kerry Balcaen
Chief Business Development Officer	Brandon Kramer
Malt Beverage/ Volunteer Coordinator	Dawn Thompson
Controller	Jeannie Gebhart
Office Manager/ Facilities Coordinator	Carrie Lockwood
Ticket Office Manager	Justin Gorman
Asst. Ticket Office Manager	Barb Robertson
<b>Grounds Superintendent</b>	Robert Roedocker
Grounds	Chris Roedocker
Grounds	Brandon Romsa
Marketing Director	Nicole Gamst
Marketing Coordinator	Bree Burtis
CFD Products/Retail Manager	J.D. McGee
CFD Products Accounting	Denise Medina
Corporate Relations Manager	Jim wilkinson

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Chairman – Lynne Boomgaarden
Vice Chairman – John Contos
Secretary/Treasurer – Tom Glause
Gunnar Anderson
Bill Cole
Todd Bishop
Darin Westby
Larry Kehl
Renée Middleton
Larry Sutherland
Rick Schum





#### **GENERAL COMMITTEE**

The General Committee is comprised of a General Chairman and 10 committee chairmen who oversee the operation of the individual committees. The chairmen are selected from the volunteer force based on their merit and dedication to their particular committee, and in most cases, serve a three-year term. The General Chairman is chosen from a pool of past committee chairmen. Each committee is responsible for carrying out specific functions of Frontier Days and incorporates the motivation and talents of willing volunteers proportionate in number to the tasks of the committee.

COMMITTEE	<b>VOLUNTEERS</b>
Concessions	88
<b>Contract Acts</b>	271
Grounds	69
Indians	61
Military	44
Parades	689
Public Relations	323
Rodeo	186
Security	168
Tickets	332





PR Volunteers help in the Howdy Wagons

#### GENERAL CHAIRMAN

#### **BILL BERG**

Bill is a 20-year volunteer veteran and oversees the 10 committees that work in unison to produce the "Daddy of 'em All". "From the first year volunteer to the eldest HEEL volunteer, we are proud in our success of our three legged mission: support the community by promoting



western heritage and lifestyle, encouraging economic success, and providing educational opportunities. We all strive to give our consumer the best experience imaginable and plan year round to ensure the best product. I am proud of all of our volunteers and staff, and our exuberant pride is shown in our entertainment product."

- Family: Wife, Heidi; daughters, Danielle, Madison and Emma
- **Employment:** Department of Defense Employee; Retired U.S.A.F.
- Years of CFD Service: 20 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Family, camping, ATVing, hunting

## GROUNDS COMMITTEE

#### **BILL McINERNEY**

The Grounds Committee volunteers take care of the maintenance and repair of Frontier Park. They also take care of the electrical, plumbing, rest room and park clean-up activities. The Grounds Committee coordinates the workdays and work nights for the 2,500 volunteers, the Grounds



volunteer doctors and medics take care of the First Aid Stations and are also the arena doctors. Bill has been a HEEL since 2001 and this is his second year as Grounds Committee Chairman. Bill is a very proud volunteer and enjoys working with the many dedicated volunteers to produce the Number one Rodeo in the World.

- **Family:** Significant other, Debbie. Children: Zac, Shae and Scott
- Employment: State of Wyoming
- Years of CFD Service: 22 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Refereeing and sports





## RODEO COMMITTEE

#### MITCH CARTER

This is Mitch's third year as Rodeo Chairman, his committee oversees all aspects of the nine performances and slack events. Along with the addition of the Cinch Shootout. Production activities range from actual rodeo duties done to bring the show to the viewing public



to behind the scenes activities such as contracting with the stock contractors, announcers, bullfighters, clowns, and specialty acts. He works year round with the governing bodies of Rodeo, the PRCA and WPRA. Other behind the scenes activities include checking in and accounting of the approximately 1,800 contestants, keeping the official results, calculating payoffs, issuing winnings to contestants. Other areas of responsibility for the committee are the Cowboy Hospitality area, coordinating the annual cattle drive to kick off Frontier days, the finals Calcutta, Night of Champions Award ceremony, working with veterinarians to ensure for the care and responsible treatment of all livestock.

- **Family:** Wife, Lori; son, Jonathon; daughter, Shayne
- Employment: Carter Brothers Construction
- Years of CFD Service: 17 years
- Hobbies and interests: Family, hunting and sports

## CONTRACT ACTS SCOTT FLEMING

The Contract Acts Committee produces the Frontier **Nights** entertainment. Some Contract Acts responsibilities include contracting with the artists, stage set up, sound, lights, video, artist security, concert security and artist merchandise. Contract Acts also operates the Buckin'A



Saloon. Fleming was elected to the HEELS organization in 2008. Scott and all of the great volunteers of the Contract Acts Committee are looking forward to a spectacular year of world class entertainment. They are proud to present concert experiences that are equal to any venue in the Rocky Mountain West.

- Family: Wife, Cathy; son, Tyler; daughter Danielle
- Employment: Dyno Nobel Inc.
- Years of CFD Service: 23 years
- Hobbies and Interests: Motorcycles, hunting, fishing and golf

## PARADES COMMITTEE

#### **TERRY RUIZ**

Terry is a third-year Parades chairman, who oversees Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) largest volunteer committee. The Parades Committee produces four CFD grand parades, the rodeo's grand entry and the Chuckwagon Cook-off. The Parades Committee



partners with the Pancake Breakfast security, the W-HEELS organization, the CFD Old West Museum, visiting rodeo royalty and CFD ambassadors riding group, the Dandies. Ruiz was elected into the HEELS organization in 2005.

- Family: Wife, Kelly; sons, Trevor and Kyle
- **Employment:** Owner of One Hour Cleaners
- Years of CFD Service: 38 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Baseball

### PUBLIC RELATIONS (PR) COMMITTEE

#### **MICHAEL MARTIN**

This is Mike's first year as Public Relations (PR) Chairman. The PR Committee provides information to the general public, facilitates media events, and serves as hosts for sponsors, visiting rodeo royalty and other special



guests. Public Relations volunteers help to produce and distribute publications such as the official Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) Souvenir Program, Schedule of Events, and Media Guide, and PR volunteers represent CFD at promotional shows and other events throughout the year. They also provide photography services to other CFD committees, and coordinate social media and other promotions. The CFD Western Invitational Art Show is also an arm of the PR Committee.





- **Family:** Wife Kelley; daughters Hayley and Sarah Martin, Halley and Hannah Jankovsky
- **Employment:** Chief Lending Officer Blue Federal Credit Union
- Years of CFD Service: 16 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Golf, biking and hiking

## MILITARY COMMITTEE

#### **COL. MATT DILLOW**

This is Matt's third year as Military Chairman. Military personnel from F. E. Warren Air Force Base have played an integral part in Frontier Days since they helped kick off the first celebration with a historic cannon blast in 1897. Today, the committee sets the stage for the crowning of Miss



Frontier at the Coronation Ball. They also host the 90<sup>th</sup> Missile Wing's Fort D.A. Russell Days, which includes the Buffalo Stampede 10K Race, the historic homes tour, and live historical military reenactments. In addition, Military Committee volunteers organize and execute the Thunderbirds Air Show and work with other Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) volunteers to host distinguished military visitors. The Military Committee also provides the "Cowboy Medics" — the team who assists the Grounds Committee doctors by furnishing medical aid to injured cowboys in the arena.

- **Family:** Wife, Elizabeth; children: Madeline, Grace and Bridget
- Employment: USAF
- Years of CFD Service: 6 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Hunting, fishing and hiking

## CONCESSIONS COMMITTEE

#### **ALAN STOINSKI**

The Concessions Committee oversees all activities pertaining to the carnival midway and the food and beverage concessions, exhibits and free entertainment "The Garden" area at Frontier Park. The committee, through hard work and diligence, has secured an



outstanding working relationship with the City and County officials to ensure compliance with all safety and health standards for the Carnival and Food vendors. The Committee takes pride in monitoring and ensuring the integrity of the midway's carnival gaming and safety of the carnival rides for the public. They also contract with and coordinate the exhibit areas, to include the old west township "Frontier Town." All done to standard 'Western Theme' so visitors can enjoy their shopping/ browsing experience. He and the great volunteers of the Concessions Committee are anticipating a banner year. They welcome all visitors to Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) and know that all will enjoy taking part in the state of the art carnival, food concessions, exhibit, and entertainment areas. They would like to extend the opportunity to take a step back in time at the Frontier Town and by all means 'live the legend' of Cheyenne's Western Celebration.

- **Family:** Wife, Marcy; daughter, Taylor; son Michael
- Employment: Black Hills Energy
- Years of CFD Service: 18 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Camping, ATVing, hunting, fishing and spending time with the grand baby

### INDIANS COMMITTEE

#### **BOB MATHEWS**

The Indians Committee volunteers negotiate contracts for dancers, entertainers and vendors for the Indian Village, as well as maintain the village grounds at Frontier Park. The group also facilitates the activities of



Miss Frontier and her Lady-in-Waiting, and produces the three free pancake breakfasts during Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) in partnership with the Cheyenne Kiwanis Club members and city personnel. Bob is honored to be serving as a first-year chairman and encourages everyone to experience the hospitality and free entertainment at the Indian Village and Pancake Breakfasts. The 2018 show promises something for everyone—Native American dancing, singing, story telling and flute playing; kids crafts; numerous vendors; Indian Tacos and more. Andrea and the Indians Committee hope to see you there.

- Family: Wife, Erica; Sons, Bobby and Owen
- Employment: Blue FCU
- Years of CFD Service: 14 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Music/Country Club Band, hunting, fishing and spending time outdoors





## SECURITY COMMITTEE

## WILLIAM "BUCK" REISNER

The Security Committee manages the overall safety and security of Frontier Park. During Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) they provide for gate access and crowd control, and handle all parking, both on and off the park, including the shuttle sites. Their

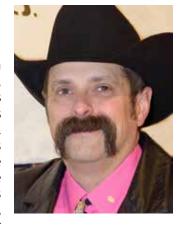


duties include contracting uniformed security and coordinating the bus shuttle services. They maintain an Emergency Response Plan for the entire park and coordinate various issues with the Cheyenne Fire and Polices Departments, Laramie County Sheriff's Department, Wyoming Highway Patrol and Homeland Security. Ron's team issues the badges, passes and parking stickers to the other committees for distribution to volunteers and special guests. Additionally, this committee is responsible for the First Aid on the West side of the park, providing doctors and nurses for any situation. Lastly, they are also responsible for over 90 percent of the signs around the Park, making, hanging and maintaining them. This is Buck's first year serving as Chairman for the Security Committee and is proud to represent such a great committee and be part of such a great celebration.

- **Family:** Wife, Koko; daughter Melissa son in law Roy, daughter Becky son in law Shawn, granddaughter Kymberely
- Employment: Retired Highway Patrol
- Years of CFD Service: 24 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Family, Hunting and Fishing

# TICKETS COMMITTEE JOHN SVOBODA

As a first year chairman to the Tickets committee, John Svoboda and his group of 350 volunteers are responsible for several aspects of our guest's experience at Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD). The Ticket Committee handles all CFD ticket sales, including rodeo, night



show and gate admission to the park. They provide

assistance to patrons with disabilities; handle all issues that arise with tickets and provide ground transportation for patrons on the park. The Ticket Committee has volunteers on the park from the beginning of slack early in the morning until all patrons are safely out of the stands at the conclusion of our night shows. We are very proud of the hard work, dedication and energy given by the Ticket Committee family of volunteers.

- **Family:** Wife, Kimberley; daughter, Kathryn, son-in-law, Joe, son, Kenny, granddaughters, Kassidee, Caycee, and Carsynn
- **Employment:** US Army Corps of Engineers Construction Representative
- Years of CFD Service: 32 years
- Hobbies & Interests: Hunting, Camping and gardening

MISS FRONTIER Emily Breeden

Emily Breeden is the daughter of Kyle and Tip Breeden. She is a proud sixth generation rancher in Laramie County with her younger brother, Royce.

"Growing up on my family's ranch, quickly instilled a love for the Western way of life and the sport of rodeo, and I can't imagine my brother and I growing up anywhere else. Wyoming truly has the blue



jean hospitality and that becomes very apparent once you cross the state line."

Emily has been involved with Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) since she was 7 years old; competing in the junior barrels and has been hooked ever since. She served the Dandies team throughout high school and served as the assistant director in 2015 and 2016.

"Serving as a goodwill ambassador in Dandies for the World's Largest Outdoor Rodeo was so amazing because you share a common love for the sport of rodeo with everyone you meet and that love has only grown. Being a part of the CFD family is something I will forever cherish and serving as the 2017 Lady In Waiting was an absolute honor and I can't wait to serve as the 2018 Miss Frontier!"

Emily is a 2014 graduate of Cheyenne East High School where she was involved in Future Farmers of America (FFA) and soccer. During soccer, she was a two-time state champion, and she received All State defender her junior and senior year. She was also an active member of 4-H





and competed in the County and State fair. She has also competed in many rodeos throughout the cowboy state in the barrels, goat tying, breakaway, and team roping events.

She currently is attending Laramie County Community College (LCCC) and plans to graduate in December of 2017 with her associate's degree in Education. She then plans to further her education at the University of Wyoming (UW) and receive her master's degree in Special Education.

"I love being an advocate for others, and I feel absolutely blessed to serve as Miss Frontier for the 122nd Daddy of 'em All®; and to be able to promote Cheyenne Frontier Days™ and the Western way of life. I take a great amount of pride in not only representing CFD with our 2,500+ volunteers but also in representing Laramie County and our great state of Wyoming and look forward to the future of the sport of rodeo and especially Cheyenne Frontier Days!".

## LADY-IN-WAITING Halley Jankovsky

Halley Zoe Jankovsky is the daughter of Matt and Cat Jankovsky and Mike and Kelley Martin. She is a Cheyenne, Wyo., native and a 2015 graduate of East High School where she was involved in orchestra, FFA, and swim team. Through her swimming career Halley



was a two-year team captain, member of the 2012 state champion team, and a state champion/all-state team selection in both individual and relay events in 2013.

Halley graduated from Laramie County Community College (LCCC) with an associate of arts degree in 2017 and was a member of Phi Theta Kappa national honor society. She currently attends the University of Wyoming (UW) where she studies Agricultural Education.

Halley participated for many years in the Laramie County Fair where she received the Richard Ingersoll award for citizenship in 2012, was the Senior Timed Event Champion in 2013, and named Top Hand and Top Horse in 2015. She also participated in the Wyoming State Fair several times and was the reserve champion in English Hunt Seat Equitation in 2016.

"My love for Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) began at an early age when I would go out to the park and help feed the bucking stock with my dad." When she was old enough, Halley became a Toe on the Rodeo Committee; spending her Frontier Days behind Chute 9 loading livestock. She had the privilege of representing CFD as a Dandy for four years and was a lead Dandy in her final year. Halley returned to the Rodeo Committee, and in 2017 she was once again a

Toe, this time serving as a coordinator for the group that includes some of the youngest volunteers on the Rodeo Committee. "It is such fun to work with the Toes, you can just feel their excitement and know that their experience with rodeo is helping build our future."

### THE DANDIES

The Dandies of the "Daddy of 'em All"® serve as good will ambassadors for the world's largest outdoor rodeo celebration. They represent Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) at rodeos, fairs and celebrations throughout the Rocky Mountain Region. During CFD they attend the Coronation Ball, the Western Art Show and Sale, pancake breakfasts, and the USAF Thunderbird Aerial Demonstration. In addition, they participate in each of the four downtown parades, nine rodeo performances and eight night shows. Director, Michelle Hess develops routines, selects clothing, supervises practices, makes travel arrangements and mentors the girls. Clothing sponsors for the Dandies include Wrangler shirts and jeans, Justin Boots, and Bailey Hats.

#### 2018 DANDIES

Director: Michelle Hess
Assistant: Katherine Olson

Sara Brennecke Jordan Johnson
Lexi Childress Shelbee Juschka
Raegen DeLancey Amelia Lohrenz
Mackenzie Faircloth Jenna Tast
Caitlin Garcia Jazlyn Underhill
Yves-Marie Hess

## **2017 VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR**

Concessions	JoAnn Reid
<b>Contract Acts</b>	Coy Malcom
Grounds	Scott Lesco
Indians	Bill Oates
Military	Jim McDonnell
Parades	Lynn McColl
<b>Public Relations</b>	Gregg Lamb
Rodeo	Casey Medina
Security	Melissa Sommers
Tickets	Kristy Westfall





### **BUCKLE CLUB**

The Buckle Club is comprised of past and present committee chairpersons and their spouses. This group was organized in 1979 and utilizes the talent and experience of seasoned volunteers to assist with various functions of Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD). Members have been instrumental in producing the Exceptional Rodeo in past years and continue with the Challenge Rodeo, which is Cheyenne's independent version of the special children's rodeo.

### **HEELS**

The idea of the "HEELS" emerged in 1934 as a result of financial difficulties brought on by the Great Depression. Because the pocket linings of Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) were pulled inside out and drooping, a group of volunteers put their heads together and brainstormed over how to remedy the show's tough financial situation. They tossed around the idea of replacing paid arena help with volunteers of the committee, and the HEELS organization was born. It is said that volunteer Ed Storey commented during that casual meeting that they'd be a bunch of heels if they didn't help out, and the name stuck.

Today, the HEELS are comprised of 430 volunteers who have been recognized for their exceptional service to CFD. Each year new members are nominated and voted into the select group based on their contribution of volunteerism to the show. Each HEEL is entitled to wear a specially designed badge and belt buckle to distinguish the honor.

## W-HEELS

The W-Heels is a group of volunteer women who work with the Parades Committee in producing the horse-drawn vehicle section of the four Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) parades each year. These gals provide the carriage riders with over 600 authentic costumes that reflect the styles worn between 1897 and 1914. The group supports the CFD Old West Museum and is active in carriage preservation and restoration.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

The Cheyenne Frontier Days™ (CFD) Scholarship Foundation has awarded \$69,450 in 70 scholarships for the 2016-2017 school year.

Scholarship recipients are: Jonna Brown and Jacob

Zumo, University of Wyoming partnership scholarship, Derrick Holzhausen, Milt Nation Scholarship and, Jubilee Hoover, Chuckwagon Gourmet Scholarship.

Other scholarships were granted to: Jordyn Anderson, Alyssa Bever, Kathryn Bolton, Cole Bostron, Graclyn Brown, Robert Brown, Shayne Carter, Kaycie DePorter, Rachel Derner, Grayson Fleming, Paul Fleming III, Kylie Foster, Eric Gerhart, Brandon Gettman, Oliva Goetz, Sebastien Goetz, Victoria Hageman, Jordan Hardsocg, Jake (JT) Hirsig, Justene Hirsig, Annaliese Jacobson, Kirsten Jacobson, Halley Jankovsky, Brandi Jones, Hunter Jones, Lyndsay Jones, Hunter Jurenka, Shelby Kindsvater, Ian Kline, Mackenzie Klipstein, Dixon Maggard, Kenna Malcom, Megan Marker, Hayley Martin, Jessica McLane, Mariah Miller, Carsen Mowry, Taylor Oates, Stacia Olson, Taylor Olson, Jasline Pace, Hunter Petsch, Heidi Pfoor, Carissa Pickard, Dillon Pilch, Blare Romsa, MacKenzie Sewell, Jordan Simonovich, Brittany Singhas, Heather Skirvin, Cali Stewart, Samantha Stoffer, Shyanne Stoffer, Amber Sullivan, Daniek Taylor, Brandon Troudt, Ashley Turner, Jason Wales, Brennan Westby, Colton Westby, Javen Westby, Eric Williams and Kristina Zaharas.

Foundation board members are Mike Lane, Rod Hottle, Jim Hearne, Phil VanHorn, Jim Johnson, Tim Allen, Laura Jeffrey, Bill Benskin and Darin Westby.



Ticket Volunteer manning a gate

## **SPONSORS**

Cheyenne Frontier Days™ would not be possible without our sponsors.

We'd like to say thank you to each and every one of them, for all the great rodeo action and exciting night show entertainment their support makes possible!

# PRESENTING SPONSOR



# BANK SEWEST BNP PARIBAS

Bank of the West is pleased to be the Presenting Sponsor of Cheyenne Frontier Days™. Like this great event, we also have a long history in the region, stretching back to our earliest days as a small community bank in 1891.

Today, we're one of the leading regional financial services companies in the nation, with team members now serving more than 2 million customers through a network of more than 500 offices in 23 states and digital channels.

We recognize the important history and tradition that Cheyenne Frontier Days™ plays in the region, and we're proud to be a part of the week-long activities celebrating our Western heritage. Our sponsorship of Cheyenne Frontier Days™ speaks of our commitment to the region, and also highlights our support for the many entrepreneurs, small business owners, and visitors who live and work in this community.

On behalf of my Bank of the West colleagues, thank you for joining us at this year's Cheyenne Frontier Days™. We look forward to meeting you, making new friends, and celebrating the Spirit of the West.



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Born in the Wild West over one hundred years ago, Union Wireless continues a legacy of putting the customer first. Founded in Mountain View Wyoming in 1914, and built on the belief of serving its rural ranching community when no one even knew where Mountain View was; John Woody laid the ground work for what the company is today.

Union Wireless provides every service that the "big providers" do, with a notable exception—we offer outstanding customer service in every aspect. We pride ourselves on a highly trained care staff that can make product and plan recommendations that meet your needs; answer tech questions, and





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This same commitment to customer satisfaction is embodied in every department; our tower team that climbs towers in 40 M.P.H. wind to reconnect a microwave dish so that calls can go through; to network engineers that answer the call to work at 3 a.m., when suppliers notify us of a customer impacting concern. This same commitment is also clear in the continued investment in infrastructure development to meet the ever evolving needs of our customers.

Beyond customer service, Union Wireless is committed to making a difference. We actively contribute, sponsor and participate in events and causes that make a positive impact in the communities we serve. To name but a few, "Hear in the Dark"-providing support to those with auditory challenges; Cheyenne Regional Medical Foundation assisting in the renovation of the mother/baby unit; University of Wyoming's STEM program; the Hungry Back Pack Program to feed children in need.

Proud sponsors of Cheyenne Frontier Days™, we invite you to share in our enthusiasm of experiencing the world's largest outdoor rodeo and the heritage that helped shape the West.



Through the years, our name has changed and our MillerCoors has been a proud and loyal sponsor of professional rodeo since 1980. For more than 30 years, Coors Banquet has been a deep-rooted supporter of the inspirational lifestyle of the rodeo cowboy. Coors Banquet knows rodeo. That's why it's the official beer sponsor of the Wrangler NFR and has been the official beer of the PRCA since 1987. Since 1984, Coors Banquet has recognized the top barrelmen of ProRodeo through its "Man in the Can" program, which recognizes the unique abilities and uncompromising efforts put forth by these tough men in rodeo arenas throughout the

United States. With its grass-roots sponsorship of local rodeos and innovative marketing, Coors Banquet stays true to its hard-working, relentless fans.

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Honesty, pride, and respect—these are the values the pioneers of the frontier West lived by. Over 100 years later, they're the same values that drive Simon today. It's a way of working—the right way that's stood the test of time, and allowed us to help shape the landscape for over 60-years, since 1954.

What we do at Simon is bigger than construction. It's about connecting communities, building new roads to the future, and keeping the spirit of the pioneers alive and well.

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We are pleased to call Cheyenne home, and strive to employ people from the local community that embody the same hard-working spirit, determination, professionalism and quality Simon is known for – we are always welcoming motivated, safety-oriented individuals to join our team! For more information, visit www.simonteam.com.

Simon is excited to be a sponsor of Frontier Days and support the Cheyenne community – please be safe as you enjoy the 2018 Daddy of 'em All®







#### We Inspire Great Health

Healthcare is ever-changing. To stay the course, a hospital must rely on its leadership, physicians and employees to focus, unwaveringly, on the mission at hand. At Cheyenne Regional Medical Center and Cheyenne Regional Medical Group, that mission is to "inspire great health!"

Our full mission statement—which was revised and adopted earlier this year—says: "We inspire great health! Putting service before self, our family cares for your family with compassion, experience and innovation. We inspire great health!"

As a health system, we have made a promise to our community and one another that we will do everything in our power to serve and care for each person we encounter with dignity and compassion and will provide the highest level of experience and innovation possible to ensure great outcomes for our patients. We are also committed to working alongside others in our region to offer services, technology and care that will improve the overall well-being of our community.

Entering into a management services agreement with UCHealth earlier this year is one important step we've taken toward fulfilling our mission. This agreement will allow us to work side by side with a world-class healthcare system, while also keeping vital services and care close to home.

In addition, we continue our commitment to providing innovative, state-of-the art technology and treatments. In 2018 Cheyenne Regional Medical Center was the first hospital in Wyoming to implant a minuscule pulmonary artery pressure sensor that will improve the quality of life for heart failure patients. We also continue to offer major technological advancements, including use of the da Vinci Xi® and MAKO® robotic surgical systems.

Another key part of our mission is to ensure great patient outcomes. Our health system is routinely recognized by health ratings firms for providing best-in-practice, award-winning care.

Equally important is our focus on providing a vital safety net to vulnerable individuals and families. In 2016 CRMC's overall contributions to our community totaled more than \$42 million. Over \$17 million of that was used to support and subsidize local health improvement services, support health professions education and provide community partner grants/in-kind services and community-building activities.

We have been part of this community for more than 150 years. During this time, our health system has grown in size and expertise as we've strived to meet the diverse health needs of our community. Today, we continue to move forward with a renewed sense of focus and purpose: to inspire great health!



Swire Coca-Cola, USA headquartered in Draper, Utah, began operations in the United States in 1978. Since then, Swire has grown into the 5th largest bottler in the United States. Over the past 3 years, Swire has quadrupled in size. Key to our success is our commitment to the communities we touch. Our brands and operations focus on what is important to consumer and customers, from Cheyenne to Chicago and everywhere around and between. Swire Coca-Cola employs 42 associates in Cheyenne who run our warehouse, sales force, delivery, merchandizing and vending services for all classes of trade throughout Laramie and Albany counties Throughout the market, we offer some of the most recognizable beverage brands including Coca-Cola, Dr Pepper, Minute Maid, Gold Peak, Honest Teas, Monster, Full Throttle/NOS Energy, vitaminwater, Dasani and Glaceu SmartWater. To learn more about our company, our brand and our mission, please visit our website at www.swirecc. com.







# RAM

For over 35 years RAM Rodeo has been an avid sponsor of rodeo. RAM Rodeo was established to assist U.S. RAM Truck Dealers in showcasing new product through the venue of rodeo. RAM and RAM Rodeo is proud to partner with organizations such as PRCA, WPRA, NHSRA, NLBRA and NIRA as the Official Automotive Sponsor.

In addition to being the Official Automotive Sponsor of Cheyenne Frontier Days, RAM also has a presence at over 500 events annually.

RAM Rodeo is a company that supports two of American's favorite pastimes...Rodeo and Pickups! Be sure to stop by the RAM Display and check out the 2018 Lineup. While you are there be sure to register for the \$70,000 RAM Sweepstakes. And yes...visit as often as you like, you can enter daily! RAM...America's Longest Lasting Pickups.

# **GOLD BOOT SPONSORS**

# BOOT BARN<sup>®</sup>

Our story began in 1978, and since then, we have shared our customer's ambition to preserve western heritage and the cowboy way of life. For the past forty years, our customers have inspired us to provide unique, high quality, durable products that fit their lifestyle. And with their help, we've become the leader in western, work, and western inspired fashion. In honor of the people we admire most, our customers, we simply want to say thank you. Here's to another forty years. Welcome to

Boot Barn—Welcome Home.



Hospitality by definition is the friendly and generous reception and entertainment of guests, visitors, or strangers. At Red Lion Hotel & Conference Center you will find just that. Built in 1982 we have filled our halls over the years with caring staff, trending food and beverage concepts, friendly smiles, satisfied guests and the comfort of home. The property was purchased in December of 2015 by Inner Circle Management who converted the hotel from a Holiday Inn to a Radisson in February of 2016 and then took on the Red Lion flag in February of 2018. Why the flag changes? The Red Lion flag and what it represents fit the needs of our community, offering a great room and great events at a great rate. The Red Lion flag has the benefit of being a well-known western based brand that is constantly growing with technology and the younger generations yet still possesses the friendly hometown values of hospitality that are the cornerstone of a hotel's success. These values allow our flag to proudly be a part of the history and heritage of Cheyenne Frontier Days™.

As a part of the Cheyenne community our flag is actively involved with multiple community organizations as both sponsors and volunteers. Year-round Red Lion supports non-profits such as Black Dog Animal Rescue, Grace for 2 Brothers, Kiwanis, United Way, Cheyenne Frontier Days™ Old West Museum, Boys and Girls Club of America, Cheyenne Little Theater, Meals on Wheels, the COMEA Shelter, Safehouse, Wyoming Equality and the Armed Forces Association, to name a few.

This will be the first year of flying the Red Lion flag into the arena in the arms of a Cheyenne Dandy; but, this ain't our first rodeo! As our property grows into this new flag you will still see the same faces, have that at-home feeling, enjoy great meals, cozy rooms with comfortable beds, full service amenities and the third largest event space in the state of Wyoming. We are proud of the tradition of partnership we have held with Cheyenne Frontier





Days and the volunteers that make this great event happen since 2011. We look forward to sharing with you all the hospitality Cheyenne has to offer!

## **CHUTE 9 SPONSOR**



LONG LIVE COWBOYS.

Established in 1947, Wrangler®—the iconic American denim brand—is celebrating 70 years of rich history grounded in the western lifestyle. Wrangler is a proud supporter of Cheyenne Frontier Days™. As the official jeans and shirts of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) for decades, Wrangler is synonymous with rodeo legends such as Jim Shoulders and Freckles Brown. Today, top rodeo athletes Sage Kimzey, Nellie Miller, and the Wright family all wear Wrangler jeans and shirts.

Wrangler has made its mark inside and outside the rodeo arena for 70 years, starting with the Original Cowboy Cut® 13MWZ jean—"made for cowboys by cowboys." Today, the brand remains true to its roots by offering contemporary fits and technologies that allow rodeo athletes to excel in the heat of competition. Alongside rodeo, Wrangler reaches across generations, occupations and lifestyles to provide men, women and children with authentic, great-looking apparel no matter what the day brings.

For more information regarding Wrangler and its family of products, or to locate the Wrangler retailer nearest you, visit www.wrangler.com. Also, don't forget to tune into www.WranglerNetwork. com to watch over 120 live rodeos and country music concerts all year long. From Sage Kimzey and Ryder Wright competing in the rodeo arena to Aaron Watson and George Strait performing on stage, the Wrangler Network is your number-one source for western lifestyle content!

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Kaiser Flooring (Team Roping Header)

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# IN THE ARENA

Cheyenne's world-class rodeo is truly the Daddy of 'em All. Ultimately, the rodeo is about the people who make it great: the contestants, the announcers, the barrelman, and last but not least, the bullfighters.

# STOCK CONTRACTORS

#### **ROUGH STOCK**

#### Stace Smith Pro Rodeos of Athens, Texas

- Bull of the Year: 2001
  - Copenhagen Hurricane
- Honors: "PRCA Stock Contractor of the Year" for 11 consecutive years (2004–2014)
- Career: PRCA stock contractor since 1995

# STEER ROPING, STEER WRESTLING & TEAM ROPING

Lee Lancaster of Denver

#### TIE-DOWN CATTLE

**Dan & Dillion Mundorf** 

# **RODEO ANNOUNCER**

#### **ANDY STEWART**

**From:** Collinston, Louisiana

Born: 1972 in Louisiana

**Family:** Wife, Shelley; Children, Kash and Shaye

Rodeo History: PRCA since

1993

Andy has 23 years of announcing experience. Here are his credentials:

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- Two time PRCA Southeastern Circuit Finals announcer.
- 10X CBR World Championships Announcer (Chevenne Frontier Days)
- 2006 Ram National Circuit Finals Announcer.
- Former Host of PRCA Rodeo on The Outdoor Channel
- 8X Top Five Finialist for PRCA Announcer of the Vear
- Selected for RFD-TV 2014 The American as Announcer. (AT&T Stadium Dallas)



Dusty Tuckness prepares for the buck off

Andy announces 41 events in 14 states, from California to the East Coast and is one of the most sought after announcers in professional rodeo today.

# **RODEO ANNOUNCER**

#### **KYLE SHOBE**

**From:** Lewistown, Montana

Born: October 1, 1982

**Family:** Wife, Jodie; son, McKay; daughters, Hadlee

and Tessa

**Education:** University of Wyoming, B.A. Agricultural

**Business** 

#### Other Employment:

Auctioneer and real estate agent, Shobe Auction & Realty

Rodeo History: PRCA since 2003

#### **Rodeo Announcer:**

- Cheyenne Frontier Days<sup>™</sup>, Cheyenne, WY 2007-14
- Bear Paw Round Up, Chinook, MT 2012
- Roughrider Days, Dickinson, ND 2004-12
- Dillon Jaycees, Dillon, MT 2007-12
- Killdeer Mountain Roundup, Killdeer, ND 2008-2012
- Dacotah Stampede, Aberdeen, SD 2009-12





### IN THE ARENA



- Bustin' at the Bluffs, Fort Benton, MT 2007-09, 2011 12
- Shawnee Mountain PRCA Rodeo, Shawnee, PA 2011
- Yankton PRCA Rodeo, Yankton, SD 2009-10
- Catfish Stampede PRCA Rodeo, Onida, SD 2010
- Richland County Fair & PRCA Rodeo, Sidney, MT 2007
- North Dakota Winter Show PRCA Rodeo, Valley City,
   ND 2005
- Little Belt Cowboys Assn. PRCA Rodeo, Belt, MT 2004-07
- Marias River Stampede PRCA Rodeo, Shelby, MT 2005-06
- MacDonald Ranch Demo Rodeo, Scottsdale, AZ 2005-07
- C.M. Russell Stampede PRCA Rodeo, Stanford, MT 2004-05
- Dawson County Fair & PRCA Rodeo, Glendive, MT 2006-07
- Cody Nite PRCA Rodeo, Cody, WY 2004
- Northeast Montana Fair PRCA Rodeo, Glasgow, MT 2004
- Montana High School State Finals, Sidney, MT 2003

# BARRELMAN & BULLFIGHTERS

Bullfighters may appear to do a lot of "clowning around," but their role is of utmost importance to the contestants. Their job is to help prevent the contestants from sustaining injuries by the bulls. In many cases, these bullfighters have been responsible for saving a contestant's life. For this reason, they must be in peak physical condition and mentally alert for their "dances with bulls." Most bullfighters and clowns wear good athletic shoes or cleats as part of their costume. The costumes are generally quite colorful and loose fitting to divert the bull's attention from the contestant after the ride. Occasionally, a contestant's hand may become "hung up" in the rope when he is bucked off. When this happens, the bullfighters are right there risking their own safety to free the cowboy's hand from atop the bucking bull's back. One bullfighter distracts the bull while another tries to free the cowboy's hand. At Cheyenne, two bullfighters work together in the arena to assist the contestants during the bull riding events.

#### **CODY SOSEBEE**

From: Charleston, Arkansas

**Education:** Southern Arkansas University, bachelor's in

agricultural business

Rodeo History: PRCA since 1998

**Employment:** Ranching

Outfit: Flame shirts, baggies, blackfelt hat, newstyle

jerseys, board shorts

Website: www.codysosebee.com

#### **DUSTY TUCKNESS**

From: Meeteetse, Wyoming

Dusty Tuckness has a lifetime passion for the sport of rodeo. He provides cowboy protection and its his job to keep the bullrider out of harms way in the rodeo arena. Not only has Dusty been named four time Bullfighter of the Year but also served as a bullfighter at the National Finals Rodeo the last five years. Dusty was born and raised in a rodeo family as well as being a cowboy, he has competed in rodeo his whole life starting with little kid rodeos on to high school rodeos, amateur ranks, and then furthered his career to become a PRCA Bullfighter. Dusty has competed in steer riding, bull riding, and has clowned around the arena for many years. He really started his bullfighting career around the age on ten and now it has become his biggest achievement. Dusty has earn the respect of many professionals, bull riders, stock contractors and also his own peers. Dusty feels blessed to get to live out his dream as a bullfighter and to be able to work some of the best rodeos.

#### **CODY WEBSTER**

From: Wayne, Oklahoma

Cody Webster joined the PRCA in February 2011 and was selected by PRCA bull riders to work the sport's "Super Bowl," the Wrangler NFR, less than two years later – a huge honor. "I used to watch the NFR in diapers, with my folks," Webster said. "I've been dreaming about working it all my life, so it really was a dream come true. It was everything I thought it would feel like, but walking down that alley ... you've got to times it by 100 to get close to what it really feels like. It's very heart-touching." Webster, at age 21, was the youngest bullfighter ever to work the Wrangler NFR. "With 18,000 people watching you, you don't want to mess up."

# TRICK ROPER

#### **RIDER KIESNER**

Returning to CFD is Rider Kiesner. Rider is a 4 time world champion trick roper and two time world champion gun spinner. Given a Will Rogers trick roping kit for



# IN THE ARENA



Christmas when he was nine, Rider found his passion for trick roping and performing. Rider has performed at many of pro rodeos feature events including the Wrangler National Finals Rodeo, performing at rodeos and Wild West shows he has performed all across the United States as well as Canada, Mexico, Japan, China, Oman, Lebanon and France. Rider is a 5th generation horsemen and 2nd generation to be professionally involved in the rodeo industry. Rider's younger brother Roper is also a rodeo performer and contestant. Roper will be making his debut at Cheyenne this year in the rookie saddle bronc riding

## ARENA DIRECTOR

#### **FRANK THOMPSON**

Frank Thompson is a former World Champion PRCA Steer Wrestler and CFD Volunteer. The arena director is responsible for the activities in the arena. He ensures that PRCA rules are followed and provides the safest environment possible for anyone who enters the arena. During the rodeo he coordinates the roping events that take place at Chute 9 on the south end of the arena with the rough stock events that come out of the bucking chutes. Frank acts as a troubleshooter and takes action to solve problems that arise in the arena. He also starts the wild horse race and decides which direction around the track the horses will travel.

# **CHUTE 9 BOSS**

#### **PAUL CLEVELAND**

Paul is the "chute boss" for the timed events at Cheyenne. He is responsible for facilitating the correct order of the stock and the contestants. Paul physically inspects the equipment used and by the contestants to make sure it complies with PRCA regulations. He is in charge of the Chute 9 setup and makes certain the equipment is functioning properly. Paul also supervises the grading of the tie-down cattle and steers to meet the weight requirements.

# JUSTIN SPORTS MEDICINE

Justin Sports Medicine maintains a comprehensively equipped mobile medical unit directly behind the "E" Stands during the CFD rodeo. Cheyenne physicians volunteer their time and services by working with the Justin team to patch up the contestants should they require medical attention. The unit and its staff focus

on prevention as the first line of defense against injury, but provide emergency medical attention including cardiac life support if it is needed.

#### **CHEYENNE PHYSICIANS**

- Dr. Jean Basta
- Dr. Mike Herber
- Dr. M. Peter Kuhn
- Dr. Josh LaHiff
- Dr. Mark Rangitsch
- Dr. Skip Ross
- Dr. Bill Wyatt
- Dr. Georgia Young

### ARENA VETERINARIAN

Supervises the safety and well-being of the animals on the park.

- Dr. Heather Schneider
- Dr. Josh Bradley
- Dr. JD Fox
- · Dr. Gary Norwood
- Dr. Paul Fornstrom
- · Dr. Tim Dawson

# **ARENA JUDGES**

#### **Timed Events**

- Bobby Davis
- Travis Howe

#### **Rough Stock Events**

- Steve Knowles
- Mike Todd
- Buddy Reynolds
- Scott Quick

#### **Rookie Bronc Futurity Judges**

- New for 2018
- New for 2018

# **PICK-UP MEN**

- Jason Bottoms
- Shawn Calhoun
- Duane Gilbert
- Dalton Ward
- Josh Edwards
- Tommy Pettit

Since 1897, athletes have competed at the world's largest outdoor rodeo, seeking cash, prizes and the coveted buckle.

# 2017 CFD DEFENDING CHAMPIONS

Overall, rodeo attendance in 2016 topped out at 94,267. During the 2017 event, over 1,243 competitors from the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association and Women's Professional Rodeo Association participated in bull riding, saddle bronc, bareback, rookie saddle bronc, steer wrestling, steer roping, team roping, tie-down roping, barrel racing, the famous wild-horse race, Championship Bull Riding (CBR), junior barrel racing, and mare and colt race events. Money and prizes, including trophy saddles and buckles worth nearly \$1 million were awarded to contestants at the rodeo and the Championship Bull Riding/World Championship event.

#### **ALL AROUND COWBOY**

Trevor Brazile Decatur, Texas

Total Take Home: \$13,949

#### **BULL RIDING**

Clayton Foltyn Winnie, Texas

Total Take Home: \$13,804

#### SADDLE BRONC RIDING

Brody Cress Hillsdale, WY

Total Take Home: \$14,241

#### BAREBACK RIDING

Tim O'Connell Zwingle, IA

Total Take Home: \$12,568

#### **TEAM ROPING**

Erich Rogers (header) - Round Rock, AZ

Finals: \$12,226

Cory Petska (heeler) - Marana, AZ

Finals: \$12,226

#### STEER WRESTLING

Baylor, Roche Tremonton, UT

Total Take Home: \$12,498



#### STEER ROPING

Brady Garter Chelsea, OK

Total Take Home: \$10,850

#### TIE-DOWN ROPING

Lane Livingston Seymor, Texas

Total Take Home: \$22,554

#### BARREL RACING

Stevi Hillman

Weatherford, Texas

Total Take Home: \$22,554

#### ROOKIE SADDLE BRONC

**Quincy Crum** 

#### SENIOR STEER ROPING

Will Gasperson

#### WILD HORSE RACE

Team Agin





# **CFD ARENA RECORDS**

#### **Bull Riding**

Arena Record: Lynn Uptmor, 1999 Score: 94

#### **Saddle Bronc Riding**

Arena Record: Cody DeMoss, 2010 Score: 91

#### **Bareback Riding**

Arena Record: Joe Alexander, 1974 Score: 93

#### **Rookie Saddle Bronc Riding**

Arena Record: John Jones, 2002 Score: 85

#### **Tie-Down Roping**

Arena Record: Chad Johnson, 1997 Time: 9.9 seconds

#### **Steer Wrestling**

Arena Record: Rick Myhre, 2000

#### **Steer Roping**

Arena Record: Justin McKee, 2004 Time: 10.1 seconds

#### **Team Roping**

Arena Record: Steve Purcella & Britt Bockius, 2004 Time: 6.0 seconds

#### **Barrel Racing**

Arena Record: Kristie Peterson, 1996 Time: 17.03 seconds

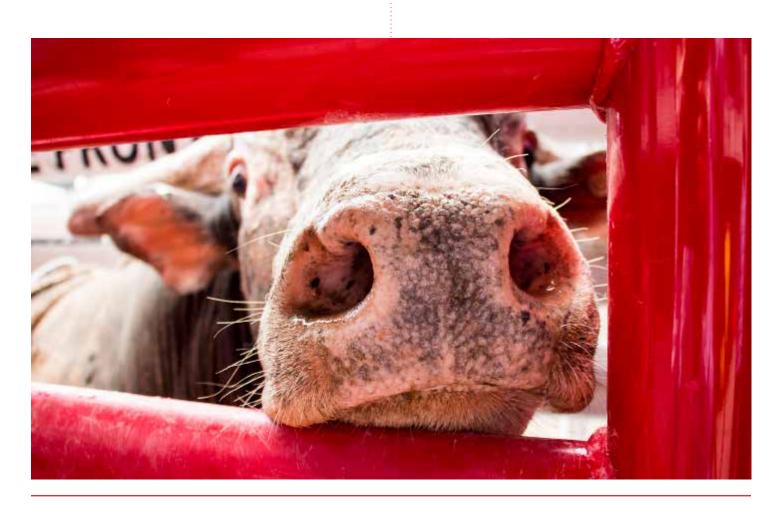
#### **Chuckwagon Racing**

Arena Record: Buddy Bensmiller, 1992 Time: 1:09:36

#### **Senior Steer Roping**

Arena Record: fastest steer; Arnold Felts, 1998 Time: 14.7 seconds fastest on 4 head; Arnold Felts, 1998

Time: 70.3 seconds



Time: 5.1 seconds





### **CFD ALL AROUND COWBOYS**

# 1944 - 2017

1944	Bill McMacken	1981	Charlie Lowry
1945		1982	Lewis Feild
1946	Ken Roberts	1983	Marty Melvin
1947	Toots Mansfield	1984	Harold Bumguardner
1948	Gene Rambo	1985	Chris Lybbert
1949	Jim Snively	1986	Arnold Felts
1950	Bud Linderman	1987	Arnold Felts
1951	Bud Linderman	1988	Tuff Hedeman
1952	Billy Weeks	1989	Roy Cooper
1953	Casey Tibbs	1990	Ty Murray
1954	Buck Rutherford	1991	Todd Garrison
1955	Jim Shoulders	1992	Marty Jones
1956	Jim Shoulders	1993	Roy Cooper
1957	Jim Teschera	1994	Marty Jones
1958	Bennie Reynolds	1995	Doug Clark
1959	Don McLaughlin	1996	Keith Hudson
1960	Don McLaughlin	1997	Keith Hudson
1961	Sonny Worrell	1998	Chad Klein
1962	Tom Nesmith	1999	Cody Ohl
1963	Jim Shoulders	2000	Trevor Brazile
1964	Jim Shoulders	2001	Cody Ohl
1965	Warren Ruthier	2002	Trevor Brazile
1966	Jim Tescher	2003	Jason Evans
1967	Walt Linderman	2004	Tee Woolman
1968	Corky Warren	2005	Tee Woolman
1969	Paul Mayo	2006	Garrett Nokes
1970	Allen Keller	2007	Chad Eubank
1971	Allen Keller	2008	Cody Lee
1972	Walter Arnold	2009	Clayton Folton
1973	Jack Ward	2010	Curtis Cassidy
1974	Sonny Davis	2011	K.C. Jones
1975	Eldon Dudley	2012	Lawson Plemons
1976	Tom Ferguson	2013	Tuf Cooper
1977	Jack Hannum	2014	Trell Etbauer
1978	Gary Good	2015	JoJo LeMond
1979	Jack Hannum	2016	J.D. Yates
1980	Danny Torricellas	2017	Trevor Brazile

### **CFD SENIOR STEER ROPING**

### 1987 - 2016

1987	Corky Berry	2003	Kenneth Mauldin
1988	H.L. Todd	2004	Harold Bumguardner
1989	Jeff Smith	2005	Corky Warren
1990	Walter Arnold	2006	Rocky Garnett
1991	Don McLaughlin	2007	Bobby Brock
1992	Myrl Goodwin	2008	Roy Cooper
1993	H.L. Todd	2009	Mike Lohof
1994	Sam Falks	2010	Tim Tillard
1995	Mel Potter	2011	Rocky Garnet
1996	Mel Potter	2012	R.A. Lovell
1997	Don Dyer	2013	Don Fisher
1998	A.R. Northcott	2014	Randy Mekelburg
1999	Wade Lewis	2015	CA Lauer
2000	Jeff Markham	2016	J.D. Yates
2001	A.R. Northcott	2017	Will Gasperson
2002	Jim Evans		

### **CFD BAREBACK CHAMPIONS**

	1930 -	201	•
1936	Chuck Hanson	1957	Eddie Akridge
1937	Phil Carney		Don Wilson
1938	Fritz Becker	1958	Bennie Reynolds
1939	Paul Carney	1959	Pete Crump
	Cecil Henley	1960	John Hawkins
1940	Carl Dossey	1961	Bob Cullison
1941	Hank Mills	1962	Ralph Buell
1942	David Shellenberger	1963	Jim Shoulders
1943	Wag Blessing	1964	Jim Shoulders
1944	Lewis Brooks	1965	Jackie Wright
1945	Bill Linderman	1966	Phil Heinen
1946	Carl Williams	1967	James Mihalek
1947	Bill Weeks	1968	Dale Trotter
1948	Gene Rambo	1969	Ace Berry
1949	Jack Bushbaum	1970	Gary Tucker
1950	J.B. Bradshaw	1971	Jim Ivory
1951	Bud Linderman	1972	Rusty Riddle
1952	Marvin Holmes	1973	Joe Alexander
1953	Gail Orr	1974	Joe Alexander
1954	Jack Bushbaum	1975	Royce Smith
1955	Eddie Akridge	1976	Joe Alexander
1956	Jim Shoulders	1977	Jim Dix





#### CFD BAREBACK CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

1978	Jack Ward	1997	Denny McLanahan
1979	Bruce Ford	1998	Roger Lacasse
1980	Mickey Young	1999	Pete Hawkins
1981	Sandy Kirby	2000	Robert Bowers
1982	Bruce Ford	2001	Lan Lajeunesse
1983	Jim Dunn	2002	Larry Sandvick
	Larry Peabody	2003	Darren Clarke
1984	David Appleton	2004	Bobby Mote
1985	Clint Corey		Cimmaron Gerke
1986	Dave Appleton	2005	Andy Martinez Rowdy Buechner
1987	Marvin Garrett	2006	•
1988	Gary Hemsted	2006	Forest Bramwell
1989	Bruce Ford	2007	Scott Montague
1990	Deb Greenough	2008	Cimmaron Gerke
1991	Clint Corey	2009	Will Lowe
1992	Clint Corey	2010	Steven Dent
1993	Rocky Steagall	2011	Casey Colletti
1994	Marvin Garrett	2012	Will Lowe
100 .	Roger LaCasse	2013	Taylor Price
	Ken Lensegrav	2014	Richmond Champion
1995	Shawn Vant Marvin Garrett	2015	Tanner Aus
	Chuck Kite	2016	Orin Larsen
1996	Pete Hawkins	2017	Tim O'Connell

# **CFD BULL RIDING CHAMPIONS**

# 1936 - 2017

1936	Shorty Hill	1952	Buck Rutherford
1937	Smokey Snyder	1953	Gerald Roberts
1938	Bob Estes	1954	Buck Rutherford
1939	Gerald Roberts	1955	Jim Shoulders
	Smokey Snyder	1956	Ed Barz
1940	Hank Mills	1957	Freckles Brown
1941	Smokey Snyder	1958	Jim Shoulders
1942	Nub Martin	1959	Bob Shepherd
1943	Fred Badsky	1960	Freckles Brown
1944	Smokey Snyder	1961	Delbert Hataway
1945	Todd Whatley		Bob Wegner
1946	Dick Griffith	1962	Bob Wegner
1947	Kirby Walters	1963	Bob Wegner
1948	Sonny Lavender	1964	Bill Kornell
1949	Harry Tompkins	1965	Ronnie Rossen
1950	Tex Bowen	1966	Dennis Wall
1951	Pete Baker	1967	R.C. Bales

#### CFD BULL RIDING CHAMPIONS CONT'D

1968	Ken Stanton	1993	Jimmie Morris
1969	Ronnie Rossen	1994	Ray Wessel
1970	Larry Mahan	1995	Tuff Hedeman
1971	Myrtis Dightman	1996	Tuff Hedeman
1972	Larry Rohrig	1997	Tony Mendes
1973	Dickie Cox	1998	Chad Brennan
1974	John Quintana	1999	Cody Custer
1975	Charles Underwood	2000	Jaron Nunnemaker
1976	Pete Gay	2001	Blue Stone
1977	Don Gay	2002	Rusty Patrick
1978	Wacey Cathey	2003	Casey Baize
1979	Jerry Beagley	2004	Cory McFadden
1980	Mac Chancellor	2005	Matt Austin
1981	Dave Urich	2006	Dustin Elliott
1982	Rickey Lindsey	2007	Clint Craig
1983	Ken Wilcox	2008	Steve Woolsey
1984	Joe Wimberly	2009	Brad Pierce
1985	Denny Flynn	2010	Wesley Silcox
1986	Clint Green	2011	Shane Proctor
1987	Rickey Lindsey	2012	Cody Whitney
1988	Ervin Williams	2013	Cody Whitney
1989	Jim Sharp	2014	Austin Meier
	Marty Staneart	2015	Aaron Pass
1990	Jim Sharp	2016	Roscoe Jarboe
1991	Scott Mendes	2017	Clayton Foltyn
1992	Randy Thornton		

### **CFD SADDLE BRONC CHAMPIONS**

1897	Bill Jones	1910	Sam Scoville
1898	Fred Bath	1911	Charlie McKinley
1899	William Cramer	1912	Frank Carter
1900	Thad Sowder	1913	Henry Webb
1901	Otto Plaga	1914	Floyd Carroll
1902	Elton Perry	1915	Harry Walters
1903	Guy Holt	1916	Hugh Strickland
1904	Harry Brannan	1917	Sam Brownell
1905	Hugh Clark	1918	Leonard Stroud
	Sam Scoville	1919	Ed McCarty
1906	Henry Grieser	1920	Hugh Strickland
1907	Clayton Danks	1921	Phil Yoder
1908	Dick Stanley	1922	<b>Howard Tegland</b>
1909	Clayton Danks	1923	Dave Whyte





# CFD SADDLE BRONC CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

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1924	Paddy Ryan	1972	<b>Hugh Chambliss</b>
1925	Billy Wilkinson	1973	Darryl Kong
1926	Mike Stewart	1974	Marty Wood
1927	Earl Thode	1975	<b>Howard Hunter</b>
1928	Sharkey Irwin	1976	Monty Henson
1929	Floyd Stillings	1977	<b>Hugh Chambliss</b>
1930	Pete Knight	1978	Larry Johnson
1931	Earl Thode	1979	Bobby Berger
1932	Earl Thode	1980	Jim Meeks
1933	Turk Greenough	1981	Joe Marvel
1934	Earl Thode	1982	Buddy Reynolds
1935	Turk Greenough	1983	Richard Oehmigen
1936	Turk Greenough	1984	Brad Gjermundson
1937	Eddie Woods	1985	Bud Pauley
1938	Nick Knight	1986	Derek Clark
1939	Doff Aber	1987	Mel Coleman
1940	Chet McCarty	1988	Guy Shapka
1941	Stub Bartlemay	1989	Clint Johnson
1942	Doff Aber	1990	Brad Gjermundson
1943	Louis Brooks	1991	Kent Cooper
1011	Jackie Cooper	1992	Paul Peterson Tom Reeves
1944	Bill McMacken	1993	Ty Murray
1945	Bud Linderman	1994	Butch Small
1946	Ken Roberts	1995	Craig Latham
1947	Bill Ward	1996	Dan Etbauer
1948	Casey Tibbs	1330	Jeff Shearer
1949	Gerald Roberts	1997	Jess Martin
1950	Bud Linderman	1998	Dan Mortensen
1951	Gene Pruett	1999	Bud Longbrake
1952	Bill Hancock	2000	Rod Hay
1953	Casey Tibbs	2001	Todd Hipsag
1954	Deb Copenhaver	2002	Charley Gardner
1955	Guy Weeks	2003	Glenn O'Neill
1956	J.D. McKenna Jim Tescher	2004	Cody DeMoss
1957	Enos Walker	2005	Bryce Miller
1959	Winston Bruce	2006	Dan Mortensen
1960	Marvin Holmes	2007	Taos Muncy
1961	Kenny McLean	2008	Dusty Hausauer
1962	Alvin Nelson	2009	Billy Etbauer
1963	Tex Martin	2010	Cody DeMoss
1964	Kenny McLean	2011	Jesse Bail
1965	Jim Tescher	2012	Cody DeMoss
1966	Shawn Davis	2013	Chad Ferley
1967	Mel Hyland		Wade Sundell
1968	Larry Mahan	2014	Chad Ferley
1969	Buzz Seely	2015	Bradley Harter
1970	Bill Smith	2016	Jacobs Crawley
1971	J.C. Bonine	2017	Brody Cress

### **CFD STEER ROPING CHAMPIONS**

	1030 -	<b>ZUI</b>	•
1898	Duncan Clark	1937	Forman Faulkner
1899	Hugh McPhee	1938	Hugh Bennett
1900	Hugh McPhee	1939	Dick Truitt
1901	Duncan Clark	1940	Clay Carr
1902	F.W. Fitch	1941	Ike Rude
1903	William Wilde	1942	Buck Sorrels
1904	Clayton Danks	1943	Tommy Rhodes
1905	Jack Dolan	1944	Clyde Burke
1906	Charles B. Irwin	1945	Carl Arnold
1907	Angus McPhee	1946	Cotton Lee
1908	Ikua Purdy	1947	Carl Arnold
1909	Ed McCarty	1948	Toots Mansfield
1910	J. Ames (team)	1949	Jim Snively
1011	Van Gilford (team)	1950	Shoat Webster
1911	A.L. Clark (team) Buffalo Vernon (t)	1951	<b>Everett Shaw</b>
1912	Frank Meisch	1952	Buddy Neal
1913	Hugh Stemler	1953	Everett Shaw
1914	John Murray	1954	Clark McEntire
1915	George Weir	1955	Shoat Webster
1916	Fred Lowrey	1956	Ike Rude
1917	John Murray	1957	Everett Shaw
1918	Phil Yoder	1958	Bill Harlan
1919	Walter Sterling	1959	Everett Shaw
1920	Tommy Grimes	1960	Don McLaughlin
1921	Fred Lowery	1961	Clark McEntire
1922	Ben O. Johnson	1962	Shoat Webster
1923	Ben O. Johnson	1963	Shoat Webster
1924	Fred Lowery	1964	Kelly Corbin
1925	Fred Lowery	1965	Jim Prather
1926	Ben O. Johnson	1966	Olin Young
1927	Fred Lowery	1967	Jim Bob Altizer Bill Teague
1928	Fred Beeson	1968	Sonny Davis
1929	Fred Lowery	1969	Walter Arnold
1930	Carl Arnold	1970	Randy Burchett
1931	Herb Meyers	1971	Jerry Kauffman
1932	Bob Crosby	1972	Allen Keller
1933	Jake McClure	1973	John Miller
1934	John McEntire	1974	Olin Young
1935	John Rhodes	1975	Eldon Dudley
1936	Bob Crosby	1976	Bill Spratt





# CFD STEER ROPING CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

1977	Sonny Davis	1997	Rocky Garnett
1978	Sonny Worrell	1998	Jim Davis
1979	Gary Good	1999	Jim Davis
1980	Arden Cunningham	2000	Trevor Brazile
1981	Terry McGinley	2001	Trevor Brazile
1982	Wade Lewis	2002	Tom Hirsig
1983	Ray "Tuffy"	2003	Ora Taton
1004	Thompson	2004	Troy Tillard
1984	Wade Lewis Joe Talbot	2005	Cody Scheck
1985	Sterling Price	2006	Neal Wood
1986	Rod Hartness	2007	Neal Wood
1987	Bill Goodger	2008	Tim Abbott
1988	Roy Cooper	2009	Scott Snedecor
1989	Harold Bumguardner	2010	Chance Kelton
	Wade Lewis	2011	Rocky Garnet
1990	Arnold Felts	2012	Jay Pixley
1991	Marty Tillard	2013	Trevor Brazile
1992	Keith Hudson	2014	Jarrett Blessing
1993	Roy Cooper	2015	Shay Good
1994	J.D. Yates	2016	Jarrett Blessing
1995	Bucky Hefner	2017	Brady Garten
1996	Guy Allen		

# CFD STEER WRESTLING CHAMPIONS

# 1914 - 2017

1914	Ed McCarty	1928	Grady Wilson
1915	Ed Lindsey	1929	Ervin Collins
1916	Ed Lindsey	1930	John Bowman
1917	Cy Perkins	1931	Mike Hastings
1918	Scout Maish	1932	Hugh Bennett
1919	Rube Roberts	1933	Jim Irwin
1920	Shorty Kelso	1934	Jim Irwin
1921	Jim Massey	1935	Everett Bowman
1922	Jim Massey	1936	Dick Truitt
1923	Perch Porter	1937	<b>Hub Whiteman</b>
1924	Jack Kerscher	1938	Tex Doyle
1925	Ed L. Herrian	1939	Hub Whiteman
1926	Slim Kaskey	1940	<b>Hub Whiteman</b>
1927	Dick Shelton	1941	Buck Sorrels

# CFD STEER WRESTLING CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

1942	Hugh Bennett	1981	Charlie Lowry
1943	Bill Lowry	1982	Randy Vaughn
1944	Homer Pettigrew	1983	Ote Berry
1945	Bill Lowry	1984	Gary Green
1946	Ken Boen	1985	Fred Sherwood
1947	Dub Phillips	1986	Steve Duhon
1948	Homer Pettigrew	1987	Bob Christopherson
1949	Carlos Green	1988	John W. Jones, Jr
1950	Stan Gomez	1989	John W. Jones, Jr
1951	Lex Connelly	1990	Peter Orradre
1952	Joe Madden	1991	Ote Berry
1953	Gordon Davis	1992	Bob Lummus
1954	Harley May	1993	Mike Smith
1955	Bill Rush	1994	Dean Edelman
1956	Benny Combs	1995	Todd Boggust
1957	Bill Rush	1996	Ivan Teigen
1958	John Hatley	1997	Stephen Canik
1959	Dick Stull	1998	Leon Vick
1960	Don Fedderson	1999	Tommy Cook
1961	Dewey Dunaway	2000	Sean Mulligan
1962	Harry Charters	2001	Ivan Teigen
1963	Neil Love	2002	Lee Graves
1964	Tater Decker	2003	Mickey Gee
1965	Harley May	2004	Todd Suhn
1966	Walt Linderman	2005	Seth Brockman
1967	Roy Duvall	2006	Linn Churchill
1968	Jim Calvert	2007	TIE - William
1969	Eugene Weakley		Beierbach & Jason Miller
1970	Allen Keller	2008	Dean Gorsuch
1971	Jack Roddy	2009	Jake Rinehart
1972	Bob Marshall	2010	Cody Moore
1973	Bob Marshall	2011	Olin Hannum
1974	Tom Elliot	2012	Gabe Ledoux
1975	Jim Robinette	2013	Matt Reeves
1976	Dan Jackson	2014	K.C. Jones
1977	Steve Bland	2015	Nick Guy
1978	Ron Ary	2016	J.D. Struxness
1979	Jack Hannum	2017	Baylor Roche
1980	Danny Torricellas		-





# CFD ROOKIE SADDLE BRONC CHAMPIONS

# 1911 - 2016

1911	Ernest Green	1959	John Keller
1912	Charles Tipton	1960	Aaron Pursley
1913	W. Brown	1961	Bill Smith
1914	Don Thompson	1962	Shawn Davis
1915	Tommy Grimes	1963	Ralph Maynard
1916	Billie Killum	1964	Johnny Holloway
1917- 3	1925 not listed	1965	Clyde Longfellow
1926	Artie Orser	1966	J.C. Bonine
1927	R.R. Hayworth	1967	John Holman
1928	Harry Knight	1968	Larry Robinson
1929	Eddie Woods	1969	Dale Svoboda
1930	Hub Whiteman	1970	Brian Anderson
1931	Cecil W. Kennedy	1971	Dennis Williams
1932	Emory McCrorey	1972	Wilf Hyland
1933	Mel Stonehouse		Gary Schmidt
1934	Len Walker	1973	Joe Dodds
1935	R.L. Nelson	1974	Mike Finney
1936	Chet McCarty	1975	Dixon Hamilton
1937	Eddie Jones	1976	Bruce Keller
1938	Jim Like	1977	Hank Franzen
1939	Frank Pearson	1978	Randy Bourne
1940	Eddie Cain	1979	Randy Buck
1941	Sonny Trueman	1980	Mike Miller
1942	Buck Johnson	1981	Marty Forster
1943	Jiggs Thompson	1982	Skeeter Thurston
1944	Carl Olson	1983	Guy Shapka
1945	Jack Smith	1984	Lee Meketi
1946	Virgil Miranda	1985	Dean Voigt
1947	Deb Copenhaver	1986	Dan Etbauer
1948	Bob Terrill	1987	Vincent Larry
1949	Les Gore	1988	Jimmy Gardner
1950	John Ross	1989	Keith Tribe
1951	Jackie Wright	1990	Steve Manning
1952	Roy Lilly	1991	Ken Taton
1953	Edwin Neal	1992	Shane Lyon
1954	Clint Roberts	1993	Travis Griffin
1955	Connie Cox	1994	Marty Hebb
1956	Walter Heiland	1995	Paul Sundahl
1957	Jim Groves	1996	T.C. Holloway
1958	Dean Reeves	1997	Luke Schalla
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# CFD ROOKIE SADDLE BRONC CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

1998	Matthew McCloy	2008	Cort Scheer
1999	Shane Moran	2009	Wayne Kogianes
2000	Dan Latham	2010	Dustin Moody
2001	Will Berg	2011	J.D. Johnson
2002	John Jones	2012	Cody Anthony
2003	Matt Hebbert	2013	Wil Shafer
2004	Marty Eakin	2014	Wyatt Kammerer
2005	William Hughes	2015	Audy Reed
2006	Brad Pierce	2016	Blaise Freeman
2007	Jace Garrett	2017	Quincy Crum

# CFD TIE DOWN ROPING CHAMPIONS

1920 - 2017			
1920	Fred Beeson	1947	Toots Mansfield
1921	Fred Lowery	1948	Gene Rambo
1922	Billy Kingham	1949	Doyle Riley
1923	George Kline	1950	Jess Goodspeed
1924	Herb Meyers	1951	J.D. Holleyman
1925	Ike Rude	1952	Bill Tatum
1926	Jim Coffey	1953	Jim Bob Altizer
1927	Everett Bowman	1954	Troy Fort
1928	Bob Crosby	1955	Mack Yates
1929	Ike Rude	1956	Troy Fort
1930	Jake McClure	1957	Lanham Riley
1931	Herb Meyers	1958	Buddy Groff
1932	Breezy Cox	1959	Jim Bob Altizer
1933	Charles E. Jones	1960	Dale Smith
1934	Jake McCkure	1961	Sonny Worrell
1935	John Bowman	1962	B.J. Pierce
1936	Richard Merchant	1963	Ronnye Sewalt
1937	Clyde Burk	1964	John Leonard
1938	Andy Juarequi		B.J. Pierce
1939	Toots Mansfield	1965	Jack Burkholder Bud Smith
1940	Tony Salinas	1966	Lee Cockrell
1941	Buck Sorrels	1967	Barry Burke
1942	Clyde Burk	1301	Glen Franklin
1943	Buck Sorrels	1968	Corky Warren
1944	Jiggs Burke	1969	Dean Oliver
1945	Walter Poage	1970	Junior Garrison
1946	Royce Sewalt		





# CFD TIE DOWN ROPING CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

	CIMITI TONO		INOLD
1971	Gary Ledford	1995	David J. Dohlman, Jr
1972	Jack Witcher	1996	Keith Hudson
1973	Linus Thornton		
1974	Dean Oliver	1997	Mike Johnson
1975	Don Smith	1998	Cody Ohl
1976	Bobby Goodspeed	1999	Kyle Kosoff
1977	Jack Hannum	2000	Fred Whitfield
1978	Roy Cooper	2001	Cody Ohl
1979	Jarrell Russell	2002	Brent Lewis
1980	Doug Johnson	2003	Mike Johnson
1981	Jim Warren	2004	Clint Cooper
1982	Jerry Jetton	2005	Ricky Canton
1983	Ray Hollabaugh	2006	Clint Robinson
1984	Dee Pickett	2007	Houston Hutto
1985	Joe Lucas	2008	Todd Brown
1986	Rabe Rabon	2009	Cody Ohl
1987	Ricky Canton	2010	Clint Arave
1988	Chip Porterfield	2011	Jerrad Hofstetter
1989	Chris Lybbert	2012	Beau Marshal
1990	Fred Whitfield	2013	Scott Kormos
1991	Jim Fuller	2014	Trevor Brazile
1992	Marty Jones	2015	Marty Yates
1993	Shawn McMullen	2016	Jerome Schneeberger
1994	Fred Whitfield	2017	Lane Livingston

### **CFD TEAM ROPING CHAMPIONS**

### 2001 - 2017

2001	Blair Burk - Header; Preston Williams - Heeler	2007	Travis Tryan - Header; Michael Jones - Heeler
2002	Jake Barnes - Header;Clay Cooper - Heeler	2008	Logan Olson - Header; Broc Cresta - Heeler
2003	Speed Williams - Header; Rich Skelton - Heeler	2009	Chad Masters - Header; Jade Corkill - Heeler
2004	Frank Graves - Header; Brad Culpepper - Heeler	2010	Britt Williams – Header; Bobby Harris – Heeler
2005	Steve Purcella - Header; Britt Bockius - Heeler		Tie: Derrick Begay – Header; Cesar de la Cruz – Heeler
2006	Colter Todd - Header; Cesar De La Cruz - Heeler	2011	Jake Barnes – Header; Walt Woodard – Heeler

# CFD TEAM ROPING CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

2012	Trevor Brazile – Header; Patrick Smith – Heeler	2015	Luke Brown - Header; Kollin VonAhn - Heeler
2013	Clay Tryan Jade Corkhill	2016	Tyler Wade - Header, Dakota
2014	Brandon Beers – Header; Jim Ross Cooper – Heeler		Kirchenschlager - Heeler
		2017	Erich Rogers - Header, Cory Petska - Heeler

# **WOMEN'S BARREL RACING**

### 1972 - 2017

1971	Karen Greenough	1998	Kristie Peterson
1972	Gail Petska	1999	Rachael Myllimaki
1973	Gail Petska	2000	Charmayne James
1974	Lila Mae Stegart	2001	Gloria Freeman
1975	Lila Glade	2002	Tami Fontenot
1976	Connie Combs	2003	Melanie Southard
1977	Jimmie Gibbs	2004	Paula Seay
1978	Carol Goosetree	2005	Terri Kaye Kirkland
1979	Carol Goosetree	2006	Kelly Maben
	Lonnie Wilson	2007	Brittany Pozzi-Phari
1980	Lynn McKenzie	2008	Lindsay Sears
1981	Lynn McKenzie	2009	Tiffany Fox
1982-1	.990 no races	2010	Lindsay Sears
1991	Deb Mohon	2011	Kim Schulz
1992	Lita Scott Price	2012	Mary Walker
1993	Kristie Peterson	2013	Christy Loflin
1994	Deb Mohon	2014	Brenda Mays
1995	Sherry Potter-Cervi	2015	Lisa Lockhart
1996	Kristie Peterson	2016	Tillar Murray
1997	Kristie Peterson	2017	Stevi Hillman
	1972 1973 1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1982-1 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996	1972 Gail Petska 1973 Gail Petska 1974 Lila Mae Stegart 1975 Lila Glade 1976 Connie Combs 1977 Jimmie Gibbs 1978 Carol Goosetree 1979 Carol Goosetree Lonnie Wilson 1980 Lynn McKenzie 1981 Lynn McKenzie 1982-1990 no races 1991 Deb Mohon 1992 Lita Scott Price 1993 Kristie Peterson 1994 Deb Mohon 1995 Sherry Potter-Cervi 1996 Kristie Peterson	1972       Gail Petska       1999         1973       Gail Petska       2000         1974       Lila Mae Stegart       2001         1975       Lila Glade       2002         1976       Connie Combs       2003         1977       Jimmie Gibbs       2004         1978       Carol Goosetree       2005         1979       Carol Goosetree       2006         Lonnie Wilson       2007         1980       Lynn McKenzie       2008         1981       Lynn McKenzie       2009         1982-1990       no races       2010         1991       Deb Mohon       2011         1992       Lita Scott Price       2012         1993       Kristie Peterson       2013         1994       Deb Mohon       2014         1995       Sherry Potter-Cervi       2015         1996       Kristie Peterson       2016

### WILD HORSE RACE CHAMPIONS

1947	Joe Patterson	1953	Booger Red Nixon
1948	Johnny Faber	1954	Bobby Dowd
1949	Bobby Dowd		Buddy Heaton
10 10	2022, 20114	1955	Billy Hale
1950	Jack Swope	1333	Ditty Trate
1051	Carald Maring	1956	Jack Mitchell
1951	Gerald Waring	1057	ELP.E
1952	Chuck Davis	1957	Eddie Evans
<b></b>		1958	Ruster Childers





# WILD HORSE RACE CHAMPIONS CONTINUED

1959	Bill R. Ward	1992	Rick Erdman Team
1960	Carl Fedderer	1993	Halladay Motors
1961	Johnny Hastings	1994	Halladay Motors
1962	Bernis Johnson	1995	Sand Creek Cattle Co.
1963	Frank Baber	1996	Wildhorse Racers
1964	Francis Kneeland	1000	Only
1965	Jack Gill Jim Lay	1997	Bob Mafeo
1966	Monte Hemenover	1998	Sand Creek Cattle Co.
1967	Dennis Forrester	1999	Diamond G Haying
1968	Nick Mousel	2000	Shawn Savage
1969	Bob Hurst	2001	Team
1970	Orville Strandquist	2001	Jack & Gloria Horn's Cowboy
1971	Orville Strandquist		Bar
1972	Frank Merritt	2002	Bob Royle
	Orville Strandquist	2003	Joe AppleBaker
1973	Robert Martin	2004	Jason Smith
1974	Ken Booth	2005	Sid Reddest
1975	Jeff Agin Nick Mousel	2006	Jason Smith
1976	Mark Lyons	2007	Ryan Gerber's Team
1977	Frank Wilson	2008	T.C. Buntin's Team
1978	Chuck Kalb	2009	Jason Smith
1979	Marvin Schulte	2010	Brandon Begaye Team
1980	Lyle Panburn	2011	Jeremy Fox, Shane
1981	Blair Bishop Bill Sherritt		Hansen, Jimmy Federer
1982	Mike Nolan Tracy Robinson	2012	Agin.com/ Poseidon Concepts Team
1983	Tad Riley	2013	•
1984	Troy Hoefer	2013	Chris Graves, Scott Hajek, Raymond Brent
1985	Troy Hladky	2014	Casey Heemsah
1986	Bob Filter	2014	Team
1987	Troy Hladky	2015	Joe Applebaker
1988	Dave Biever	2010	Team Krak A Latch
1989	John Shellhart	2016	Team Krak-A-Latch
1990	Art Hansen	2017	Team Agin
1991	John Shellhart		Č

# CFD CHUCKWAGON CHAMPIONS 1952 – 1998

1952	Buster Rusk	1976	Tom Glass
1953	Jack Gill	1977	Ward Willard
1954	Phil Gooch	1978	Ward Willard
1955	Tom Dorchester	1979	Ward Willard
1956	Ed Kroeschil	1980	Kelly Sutherland
1957	Harley Walgenbach	1981	Herman Flad
1958	Harley Walgenbach	1982	Buddy Bensmiller
1959	Tom Dorchester	1983	Buddy Bensmiller
1960	Ralph Vigen	1984	Buddy Bensmiller
1961	Dale Flett	1985	Herman Flad
1962	Dale Flett	1986	Ray Croteau
1963	Bill Greenwood	1987	Buddy Bensmiller
1964	Bob Cosgrave	1988	Ray Mitsuing
1965	Bob Cosgrave	1989	Buddy Bensmiller
1966	Ron Glass	1990	Ray Mitsuing
1967	Bob Cosgrave	1991	Buddy Bensmiller
1968	Bill Greenwood	1992	Buddy Bensmiller
1969	Bob Cosgrave	1993	Buddy Bensmiller
1970	Ron Glass	1994	Bert Croteau
1971	Kelly Sutherland	1995	Buddy Bensmiller
1972	Bill Greenwood	1996	Bert Croteau
1973	Ralph Buzzard	1997	Ray Mitsuing
1974	Tom Glass	1998	Rod Salmond
1975	Orville Strandquist		

# CFD LADIES SADDLE BRONC CHAMPIONS

1906	Mrs. A.C. Clayton	1919	Ruth Roach
1907	Esther Pawson	1920	
1908-	no contest	1921	Lorena Trickey
1913	no contest	1922	Bonnie McCarroll
1914	Dorothy Morrell	1923	Mabel Strickland
1915	Mrs. Ed Lindsey	1924	Marie Gibson
1916	Catherine Wilkes	1925	Gene Kreig
1917	Mrs. Ed Wright	1926	Grace Runyan
1918	Mildred Douglas	1927	Brida Miller





# **DENVER POST LADIES RELAY RACE**

# 1906 – 1946

1906	Mrs. A.C. Clayton	1927	Josephine Wicks
1907	Esther Pawson	1928	Pauline Sawyer
1908	Mrs. Clayton Danks	1929	Josephine Wicks
1909	Lillie Nicholson	1930	Tad Lucas
1910	Mrs. Clayton Danks	1931	Tad Lucas
1911	Joella Irwin	1932	Danetta Gilbert
1912	Pauline Irwin	1933	Mrs. Cy Gray
1913	Lenor Mattingly	1934	Reva Gray
1914	Mary Harsch	1935	Danetta Gilbert
1915	Joella Irwin	1936	Reva Gray
1916	Mrs. J.A. Parsons	1937	Gene Creed
1917	Ruth Parton	1938	Jean Allen
1918	Mrs. Barney Sherry	1939	Polly Mills
1919	Kitty Canutte		Della Shriver
1920	Lorena Trickey	1940	Anna Lee Wiley
1921	Lorena Trickey	1941	Donetta Burns
1922	Mabel Strickland	1942	Donetta Burns
1923	Mabel Strickland	1943	Alma Rossell
1924	Lorena Trickey	1944	Phyllis Cannon
1925	Donna Cowan	1945	Alice Yardley
1926	Lorena Trickey	1946	Marilyn Murphy









#### **CFD MISS FRONTIER**

1931 - 2018

The first Miss Frontier was selected in 1931 when the Chevenne Frontier Days committee sponsored a contest. All six of the girls who entered were sponsored by a civic organization. Each girl was judged based on the number of tickets sold be her sponsoring organization. Miss Jean Nimmo Dubois had the honor of becoming the first Miss Frontier when the Cheyenne Post of the American legion sold the most tickets to the show. Edith Gogerty Stevens won the honor in 1932 by a popularity vote determined by the number of tickets sold at the Frontier Pavilion. In 1933, another contest sponsored by the Tribune-Eagle selected Maysie McKay Christensen as the third Miss Frontier. The year 1934 saw the CFD committee selected Lois Crain Moor as Miss Frontier and Leona Burner Gillen as her Lady-in-Waiting, starting a tradition that follows to this day. During the reign of Mary Helen Warren Welborn in 1936, Miss Frontier acquired he traditional garb of the "White Bucks." Mary Helen had seen Sally Rand, the fan dancer who appeared at CFD wearing an outfit of leather, consisting of a divided skirt and vest trimmed in fringe and silver conches. Mary Helen thought the outfit was most appealing and so the familiar official clothing of Miss Frontier came into being work with a satin blouse. The role of Miss Frontier has evolved through the years. Today, as well as appearing at all of the events of the show, she is a visible representative of CFD appearing at other rodeos, press conferences and special events to promote and annual event born of an idea to create a celebration for Cheyenne.

1931	Jean Nimmo	1943	Mary Ellen Jensen
1932	Edith Gogerty	1944	Barbara Ann Benton
1933	Maysie Mackay	1945	Orlene "Sis" Merritt
1934	Lois Crain	1946	Lois Hofmann
1935	Leona Bruner	1947	Ann Dinneen
1936	Mary Helen Warren	1948	Susan Murray
1937	Katherine	1949	Norma Jean Bell
	Schroeder	1950	Joy Vandehei
1938	Helen McCarty	1951	Laura Bailey
1939	Louise Holmes	1952	Jane Henderson
1940	Bette McIver	1953	Carol Rees
1941	Mary Anna Klett	1954	Margy Hirsig
1942	Teddy Ann Storey	1955	Nancy Black



1956	Marilyn Ryan	1987	Michele Albert
1957	Lynne Mabee	1988	Shannon Humphrey
1958	Jeanette Tyrrell	1989	Tammy Powers
1959	Merrilyn Farthing	1990	Trish Moore
1960	Judy Read	1991	Niffy McNiff
1961	Mary Caldwell	1992	Kimm Acton
1962	April Belecky	1993	Shelly Hayes
1963	Suzanne Hanes	1994	Tricia Weppner
1964	Susan Dubois	1995	Stacy Bishop
1965	Sharon Kay Hanson	1996	Kristen Dolan
1966	Kathleen Keefe	1997	Jamie Fox
1967	Carolyn Holmes	1998	Kellie Sharp
1968	Dianne Spear	1999	Tristan Johnson
1969	Marie Nimmo	2000	Paige Vossler
1970	Carol Powers	2001	Kristy Barr
1971	Patty Berry	2002	Britt Holmes
1972	Julie Robinson	2003	Heather Sanchez
1973	Mary Boice	2004	Tara Vreeland
1974	Beth Murray	2005	Joanne Brewster
1975	Teresa Jordan	2006	Julianna Edwards
1976	Cynthia Lummis	2007	Katie Mae Landers
1977	Nancy Borthwick	2008	Kari Ward
1978	Deidre Kilty	2009	Kim Kuhn
1979	Shirley Holmes	2010	Rachel Shutter
1980	Shelly Howe	2011	Amy Berry
1981	Rita Holmes	2012	Sami Jo Heitsch
1982	Tricia Pattno	2013	Cloe Pfoor
1983	DeDe Schuppan	2014	Kaci Malmberg
1984	Tamra Dereemer	2015	Sara Rangitsch
1985	Libby Crews	2016	Jonna Brown
1986	Marcy Morris	2017	Rylee Anderson
		2018	Emily Breeden





#### **CFD CONCERT ENTERTAINERS**

- 1977 Jerry Jeff Walker with Red Steagall, Johnny Cash Show, Barbara Mandrell Jimmy Dean, Mel Tillis
- 1978 Larry Gatlin with Gunshy, Charley Pride, Johnny Paycheck, Dolly Parton, Kenny Rogers
- 1979 Charlie Daniels Band, Don Williams, Donna Fargo, Kenny Rogers, Dottie West,Mel Tillis, Merle Haggard
- 1980 Charlie Daniels Band, Mac Davis, Johnny Cash, Eddie Rabbitt, Dottie West
- 1981 Charlie Daniels Band, Larry Gatlin and the Gatlin Brothers, Oak Ridge Boys, Barbara Mandrell, Moe Bandy and Joe Stampley
- 1982 Charlie Daniels Band, Mickey Gilley, Johnny Lee and the Urban Cowboy Band, The Barbara Mandrell Show, Ronnie Milsap, T.G. Sheppard
- 1983 Charlie Daniels Band, Lacy J. Dalton, Oak Ridge Boys, The Charley Pride Show, Conway Twitty with The Twitty Birds, David Frizzell and Shelly West
- 1984 Waylon Jennings & Jessi Coulter, Mickey Gilley, Charly McClain, Eddie Rabbitt, Louise Mandrell, Mel Tillis
- 1985 Oak Ridge Boys, Night Ranger, Roy Clark, Lee Greenwood, Reba McEntire, Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Charley Pride
- 1986 John Cafferty and the Beaver Brown Band, Sawmill Creek, Exile, The Judds, Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Johnny Cash
- 1987 The Judds, Willie Nelson, Emmy Lou Harris, Starship, Randy Travis, Sawyer Brown, Oak Ridge Boys
- 1988 Beach Boys, Randy Travis, REO Speedwagon, Charlie Daniels Band, Highway 101 & Sweethearts of the Rodeo, The McCarters, Restless Heart, George Strait
- 1989 Escape Club, Joan Jett, Alabama, K.T. Oslin, Skip Ewing, Reba McEntire, Ricky Van Shelton, Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, George Strait
- 1990 Chicago, Mark Collie, Reba McEntire, The Judds, Lori Ruso, Michael Damian, Williams & Ree, Clint Black, Ricky Skaggs, Tanya Tucker, Randy Travis, George Strait
- 1991 Robert Palmer, LaToya Jackson, Trisha Yearwood, Garth Brooks, Williams & Ree, Dan Seals, Lorrie Morgan, Kentucky Headhunters, Oak Ridge Boys
- 1992 Charlie Daniels Band, Marty Stuart, Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Reba McEntire, Randy Travis, Restless Heart, Kathy Mattea, Alan Jackson, Tanya Tucker, Travis Tritt, Wynona Judd, Clint Black
- 1993 Suzy Bogguss, Dwight Yoakam, George Strait,
  Pam Tillis, Chris LeDoux, Kathy Mattea, Ricky Van
  Shelton, Shawn Camp, Brooks & Dunn, Garth
  Brooks

- 1994 Sawyer Brown, Clay Walker, George Strait, Confederate Railroad, Mark Chesnutt, Willie Nelson, Brooks & Dunn, Alan Jackson
- 1995 Clay Walker, Boy Howdy, John Michael Montgomery, Pam Tillis, John Anderson, Chris LeDoux, Joe Diffie, Alan Jackson
- 1996 Terri Clark, Mark Chesnutt, Charlie Daniels, Sawyer Brown, Kathy Mattea, Randy Travis, Tanya Tucker, Jeff Carson, Garth Brooks, Vince Gill, Alabama, Brooks & Dunn, George Strait
- 1997 The Oakridge Boys, Toby Keith, Sammy Kershaw, Chris LeDoux, Brian White, Richochet, Trisha Yearwood & The Cheyenne Symphony, Collin Raye, Wyonna, Tim McGraw
- 1998 Sawyer Brown, B.T.O., John Michael Montgomery, Doug Supernaw, Mark Chesnutt, Neal McCoy, Patty Loveless, Vince Gill, The Kinleys, Clay Walker, Faith Hill, Trace Adkins, Alan Jackson
- 1999 ZZ Top, Brooks & Dunn, JoDee Messina, Blackhawk, Williams & Ree, The Bellamy Brothers, Chris LeDoux, Creedence Clearwater Revisited, Beach Boys, Reba McEntire
- 2000 The Judds, Styx, Don McLean, Randy Travis, Ty Herndon, Tanya Tucker, Sammy Kershaw, Neal McCoy, Ricochet, Charlie Daniels Band, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Reba McEntire
- Survivor, Kansas, REO Speedwagon, Lonestar,
   Tantric, Lifehouse, 3 Doors Down, Clay Walker,
   Toby Keith, Chris LeDoux, Bryan Adams, LeAnn
   Womack, Brooks & Dunn
- 2002 Nickelback, Vince Gill, Pat Green, The Guess Who, Steppenwolf, Kenny Chesney, Tracy Byrd, Huey Lewis & the News, Doobie Brothers, Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Travis Tritt, Asleep at the Wheel
- Stained, Static X, Lo Pro, Toby Keith, Blake Shelton,
   Doors Down, Our Lady Peace, Shinedown,
   Seether, Chris LeDoux, Diamond Rio, Willie Nelson,
   Montgomery Gentry, Alan Jackson, Joe Nichols
- 2004 George Strait, Dierks Bentley, ZZ Top, The Marshall Tucker Band, Randy Travis, Amy Dalley, Brad Paisley, Chris Cagle, Keith Urban, Trick Pony, Kenny Chesney, Uncle Kracker
- 2005 Ted Nugent, Tesla, The Warren Brothers, Tim McGraw, Professional Bull Riders (PBR) and American Freestyle Bullfighting, Sara Evans, Gary Allan, Big & Rich, Cowboy Troy, Toby Keith, Scotty Emerick
- 2006 Steve Miller Band, Martina McBride, Mark Wills, Keith Urban, Hot Apple Pie, Dierks Bentley, Billy Currington, Phil Vassar, Josh Gracin, Montgomery Gentry, Trace Adkins, Larry the Cable Guy





- 2007 Bon Jovi, Oxygen, Reba McEntire, Trisha Yearwood, LeAnn Rimes, Neal McCoy, Los Lonely Boys, Ronnie Milsap, Big & Rich, Cowboy Troy, Gretchen Wilson, Def Leppard, Ricky Warwick
- 2008 The Guess Who, WAR, Firefall, Atlanta Rhythm Section, Rascal Flatts, Taylor Swift, Blake Shelton, Kellie Pickler, Jason Aldean, Miranda Lambert, Sugarland, Tracey Lawrence, Bill Engvall, Randy Owen with Cheyenne Symphony Orchestra
- 2009 3 Doors Down, Theory of a Deadman, Parachute, Safetysuit, George Strait, Julianne Hough, Sawyer Brown, Rodney Atkins, Taylor Swift, Kellie Pickler, Kenny Chesney, Jake Owen
- 2010 KISS, Alana Grace, Brooks & Dunn, The Band Perry, Aaron Tippen, Neal McCoy, Clay Walker, Glen Templeton, Dierks Bentley, Miranda Lambert, Sugarland, Danny Gokey, Alan Jackson, Josh Turner
- 2011 Kid Rock, Sheryl Crow, Jason Aldean, Mark Chesnutt, Thompson Square, Charlie Daniels Band, JaneDear girls, Mötley Crüe, Sick Puppies, Darius Rucker, Kevin Costner and Modern West, Zac Brown Band, Sonia Leigh, Blackberry Smoke, Toby Keith, Eric Church
- 2012 Zac Brown Band, The Marshall Tucker Band, Sonia Leigh and Nic Cowan, Brad Paisley, The Band Perry, Merle Haggard, Chancey Williams and the Younger Brothers Band, REBA, Rodney Atkins, Hunter Hayes, Journey, Pat Benatar & Neil Giraldo, Loverboy, Hank Williams, Chris Young, Blake Shelton, David Nail
- 2013 Journey, Alan Jackson, Dwight Yoakam, Championship Bull Riding, Luke Bryan, Rascal Flatts, Jason Aldean, Toby Keith
- 2014 John Mellencamp, Lady Antebellum, Gary Allan, Championship Bull Riding (CBR), Brad Paisley, Kid Rock and Tim McGraw
- 2015 Blake Shelton, Jackson Michelson, Miranda Lambert, Tyler Farr, Big and Rich, Brulé, Aerosmith, Living Colour, Alabama, Montgomery Gentry, Toby Keith, Trace Adkins, Keith Urban, and John Anderson
- 2016 Sam Hunt, Maddie&Tae, Fall Out Boy, Rooney, Billy Currington, Ned LeDoux, Championship Bull Riding, Courtney Cole, Kenny Chesney, Old Dominion, Jake Owen, Aaron Watson, KISS, Cole Swindell and Florida Georgia Line
- 2017 Brantley Gilbert, Tyler Farr, Little Big Town, David Nail, Sawyer Brown, Joe Diffie, The Bellamy Brothers, Luke Bryan, Chris Janson, Thomas Rhett, Dan & Shay, Jason Derulo, Flo Rida, Casey Donahew, and Jason Aldean

### **CFD HALL OF FAME**

The CFD Hall of Fame showcases individuals, livestock and organizations whose distinctive contributions to Cheyenne Frontier Days have helped grow one man's dream into "The Daddy of 'em All." Whether contestants, contract personnel, entertainers, livestock, organizations, families or volunteers, those voted into the CFD Hall of Fame represent the wonderful competitive and cooperative spirit that has remained the hallmark of CFD since 1897. Members of the CFD Old West Museum at the Hall of Fame Level (and above) vote for each class of the CFD Hall of Fame.

- Joe Alexander-2004
- Ben Johnson Sr.-2005
- George Strait-2004
- Guy Allen-2008
- Calvin Jumping Bull-2004
- Orville Strandquist-2007
- John Bell-2003
- Arlene Kensinger-2002
- Mabel Strickland-2002
- Bertha Kaepernick
   Blanchett-2006
- Don Kensinger-2002
- Dan Taylor-2006
- Margaret Boice-2002
- Jack Ketcham-2004
- Jim Tescher-2005
- Buzz Bradley-2005
- Harry Knight-2005
- Earl Thode-2004
- Dazee Bristol-2002
- Chris LeDoux-2003
- Casey Tibbs-2002
- Freckles Brown-2006
- Linderman Family-2006
- Tillard Family-2007
- George Bruegman-2003
- Fred Lowry-2004
- Lorena Trickey-2004
- Paul Bruegman-2003
- Tad Lucas-2002
- Ace Tyrrell-2008
- Willtis A. Brewster-2007
- Buddy Lytle-2007
- Union Pacific Railroad-2002
- Gene Bryan-2006

- John D. "Jack" Mabee-2007
- U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds-2003
- Dutch Buckles-2003
- Larry Mahan-2002
- J.D. Vandewark-2003
- Lynn Beutler-2008
- Leonard Mayer
- Harry Vold-2003
- T. Joe Cahill-2002
- Ed McCarty-2002
- Duane Von Krosigk-2003
- Charles D. Carey Jr-2005.
- Clark McEntire-2003
- Lois Wade-2005
- Mary Elizabeth Carpender-2004
- Reba McEntire-2002
- F.E. Warren Air Force Base-2004
- Johnny Cash-2003
- Don McLaughlin-2005
- Corky Warren-2008
- Roy Clark-2007
- Ruby Mercer-2005
- Princess Blue Water-2002
- John Cole-2003
- Merritt Family-2004
- Shoat Webster-2003
- Roy Cooper-2004
- George Michael-2006
- Mary Weppner-2005
- Crooked Nose-2008
- Midnight-2003





- Fred Whitfield-2005
- Clayton Danks-2008
- Jack Miller-2008
- Sonny Worrell-2006
- Charlie Daniels-2002
- Norma Bell Morris-2003
- Hadley Barrett-2009
- E.O. Davis-2003
- Mr. T-2004
- Buddy Bensmiller-2009
- Shawn Davis-2002
- Dr. J.S. Palen-2006
- Shirley Holmes Churchill-2009
- The Denver Post-2005
- Chuck Parkison-2002
- Floyd & Diane Humphrey-2009
- Marietta Dinneen-2002
- Wick Peth-2004
- Charles "Sharkey" Irwin-2009
- Quail Dobbs-2003
- Wilbur Plaugher-2002
- Ned Murray-2009
- Lou Domenico-2006
- Mel Potter-2003
- Dean Oliver-2009
- Bill Dubois-2004
- Powers Family-2005
- Phil Van Horn-2009
- Verne Elliott-2002
- Jim Powers-2005
- Tom Bauman-2010
- Red Fenwick-2006
- Tom Powers-2006
- Garth Brooks-2010
- Gus Fleischli-2002
- Professional
- Rodeo Cowboys Association-2006
- Floyd Carroll-2010
- Shirley Flynn-2004
- Ikua Purdy-2007
- Louise Cole-2010
- Lane Frost-2003
- Sally Rand-2005 Brad Churchill-2010
- Turk Greenough-2003
- Dan Rees-2004
- T.V. & April Jones-2010

- Robert D. Hanesworth-2003
- Warren Richardson-2005
- Ronda Mahan-2010
- Jim Hearne-2006
- Ike Rude-2004
- John Morris-2010
- Tuff Hedeman-2003
- W.J. "Jack" Ryan, DDS-2008
- J. Kent Rutledge-2010
- Monty Henson-2006
- **Everett Shaw-2003**
- Chuck Baley-2011
- Hirsig Family-2003
- Jim Shoulders-2002
- Ray Boeshart-2011
- Charlie Hirsig-2003
- Col. E.A. Slack-2002
- Ralph Buell-2011
- Rudy Hofmann-2004
- SSRA-Senior **Steer Ropers** 
  - Association-2008
- Carol Farthing-2011
- C.B. Irwin-2002
- Steamboat-2002
- Margaret Irwin-2011
- The Irwin Family-2008
- Joseph E. Stimson-2004
- Dr. Donald Kougl-2011
- Jerry Jessen-2005
- Edward T. Storey-2002
- William "Obie" Obermeier-2011
- Enid Lummis & the Lummis Family-2011
- Montie Montana-2011
- Don Stanfield-2011
- Dick Pickett-2011
- Albert "Whitey" Christensen-2013
- The HEELS of Cheyenne
- Frontier Days-2013
- Tucker Fagan-2013 Vianna Gurney-2013
- Dick Sherman-2013
- Jeremy Sparks-2013
- Earl Vandehei Family-2013

- Cheyenne Frontier Days Western Art Show Committee-2014
- Dr. Frank Barrett-2014
- Elizabeth "Liz" Escobedo-2014
- Harrison Halligan-2014
- Ken McCann-2014
- Hank Thompson-2014
- Ty Murray-2015
- Bobby Romer-2015
- Reva Gray-2015
- Dr. Norman Swanson-2015
- Spiro 'Sam' Contos-2015
- Kay Jessen-2015

- W.E. Dinneen Family-2015
- Duane "Bubba" Roedocker-2016
- Billy Ward-2016
- Ann King-2016
- James Mueller-2016
- Teresa Jordan-2016
- Cynthia Lummis-2016
- Darrell Barron 2017
- Ote Berry 2017
- Helen Bowen 2017
- Jerry Carter 2017
- Rod Hottle 2017
- James "Jim" Johnson 2017

