



ACT CENTRAL REGIONAL SEMI-FINALS
FORD TRUCK ARENA - TULSA, OKLAHOMA - FEBRUARY 13-15, 2025

Congratulations on qualifying for The American Contender Tournament (ACT) Central Regional Semi-Finals at Ford Truck Arena at the Expo Square in Tulsa, Oklahoma, February 13-15, 2025! Each Regional Semi-Finals rodeo offers \$180,000 in guaranteed prize money, plus jackpot payouts.

A Top 5 finish at a Regional Finals allows you to advance to The American Contender Tournament Finals, April 11, 2025, at Globe Life Field in Arlington, Texas. The Top 5 Contenders from the Contender Tournament Finals advance to The American Rodeo on April 12 for a shot at the Million-Dollar Contender Bonus!

IMPORTANT DEADLINES: All qualified (Automatic Advancements & points qualifiers) athletes must confirm their intent to compete at the ACT Central Regionals by **JANUARY 8, 2025**, no later than 5 PM CST via text @940.765.4641, or email competition@tetonridge.com. All Turnouts must be submitted via text to Paul Crain (940.765.4641) no later than **February 11** at 5 PM PT. (Absolutely no refunds on Buy-In entries.)

RULES: Official Competition Rules and ACT Advancement Rules are posted [HERE](https://americanrodeo.com/rules-and-payouts/):
<https://americanrodeo.com/rules-and-payouts/>.

ADDRESS: Enter through [Gate 5](#). Expo Square - 4145 East 21st Street, Tulsa, OK 74114. The main competition arena is Ford Truck Arena. The main warm-up arena is the Mustang Arena. Stalling is available in the [Oklahoma Ford Dealers Barn](#) adjacent to Ford Truck Arena.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS:

Residence Inn Tulsa Midtown

4522 E Skelly Drive, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74135

In order to obtain the special group rate, guests must identify themselves as being with Teton Ridge - American Contender Central Regional Finals.

STALLS: Stalls are available at a cost of \$100 per stall for the run of the show, which includes two (2) bags of shavings. Stalls may be reserved via this link:

https://tetonridge.formstack.com/forms/stall_reservations_portal

January 30 by 5 PM CST is the deadline for stall reservations. Stall assignments will be posted by February 3. If you prefer to arrange stalls next to your traveling partners, advance reservations are necessary. Pre-purchase is also advised for night-time arrivals. Pre-purchased stalls will be labeled. The

on-site stall office in Oklahoma Ford Dealers Barn will be open Wednesday from 8AM - 10PM and Thursday 6-3PM for those who wish to purchase stalls upon arrival.

Anyone overnighting on the grounds must stall their horses. Tie-outs are not allowed by Tulsa Expo. No arrivals prior to 8 AM on Wednesday, February 12. *Barns to be vacated by Sunday, February 16 @10 AM. **Any stall refunds must be requested by Tuesday, February 11.***

STALL ARRIVAL HOURS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Enter through Gate 5 and load-in to stalls using the Livestock Complex Parking area.

Wednesday, February 12 from 8 AM to 10 PM

Thursday, February 13 from 6 AM to 3 PM

FEED, BEDDING AND STALL MATS:

Visit [Expo Square Feed and Bedding](#) for on-site feed and bedding needs. Delivery hours are 8 AM - 4:30 PM for shavings. Any arrivals after 4 PM must have your shavings order in prior to 4 PM to guarantee delivery.

Visit Stallmatrentals.com to pre-purchase mats.



WWW.STALLMATRENTALS.COM

855-MATS-200

DAY HAULER PARKING: Lot 7 is the designated parking area for day haulers.

HEALTH DOCUMENTS: To comply with Oklahoma state animal health regulations, **a negative Coggins dated within 12 months of the event and a 30-day health certificate** is required and will be checked upon arrival. ALL horses, including non-compete horses, must have health documents to enter the facility.

RV RESERVATIONS: Reservations can be made by calling the RV Park Office, (918) 744-1113, ext. 2154, or via www.exposquare.com/rvpark. All RVs and campers must check in at the RV Park Office upon arrival.

CHECK-IN: Check-in begins Wednesday, February 12, from 2PM - 6PM at the Ford Truck Arena show office. Check-in remains open each day. All athletes must be checked in at least two hours prior to their competition or ride-time participation. Win checks **WILL NOT** be released without a signed W9 or W8 (non U.S. resident), and an athlete waiver must be on file. If you have not completed an athlete waiver, do so via: https://tetonridge.formstack.com/forms/athlete_registration_cc_no [Password: GaMC&Y]

OFFICE HOURS: The show office will open at 7AM daily and remain open until the end of competition. The American Contender Tournament Office will be located in Ford Truck Arena Exhibit Hall.

FINALISTS: There is a contestant meeting for all Finalists on Saturday at 5:30 PM in the Ford Truck Arena Exhibit Hall outside the show office to cover the awards presentation and interview process in the run of show. All Saturday Finalists will need to take a head shot in Western attire on Saturday morning at 10 AM outside the show office.

STREAMING: The ACT Central Regional Semi-Finals stream live on TetonRidgePlus.com. **Watch FREE!**

TELEVISED FINALS: The ACT Central Regional Finals will be televised **LIVE on FS2!**

VETERINARIAN: Pine Ridge Equine Hospital, 2281 W 171st St S, Glenpool, OK - 918.827.8000

FARRIER: TBD

CONTESTANT SCHEDULE

**All times subject to change*

Please keep in mind that event run times depend upon contestant numbers.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Athlete Check-in.

Timed Event Athletes must be checked in at least 2 hours prior to their competition & prior to participating in ride times. Please reach out in the case of extenuating circumstances, inclement weather, etc.

6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Barrel Racing Exhibitions in Draw Order, one per draw number

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Open ride time (1 hour) ALL Timed Events

8:00 a.m. BBR Barrel Race Go Round 1
 Breakaway Roping Go Round 1
 Tie-Down Roping Go Round 1
 Steer Wrestling Go Round 1
 Team Roping Go Round 1

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

8:00 a.m. BBR Barrel Race Go Round 2
 Breakaway Roping Go Round 2
 Tie Down Roping Go Round 2
 Steer Wrestling Go Round 2
 Team Roping Go Round 2

Redemption Rounds

Order: Breakaway, Tie-Down, Steer Wrestling, Team Roping

Not before 5 p.m. Barrel Racing Redemption Round

5:30 p.m. Roughstock Check-in Closes

6:00 p.m. Doors Open to Spectators

**8:00 p.m. Bareback Riding Preliminary Round
 Saddle Bronc Riding Preliminary Round
 Bull Riding Preliminary Round**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25

10 a.m. **Finalists photos in Western attire - tentative time**

4:30 p.m. Open ride – 1 hour ALL events

5:30 p.m. **Mandatory Athlete Meeting for Finalists**

6:00 p.m. Doors Open to Spectators

7:30 p.m. **ACT Central Regional Finals:**

Bareback Riding

Breakaway Roping

Team Roping

Saddle Bronc Riding

Steer Wrestling

Tie-Down Roping

Barrel Racing

Bull Riding

ACT REGIONAL SEMI-FINAL FORMATS FOR BREAKAWAY, TIE-DOWN, STEER WRESTLING & BARREL RACING:

- Each ACT Regional Semi-Finals consists of two long go-rounds.
- Based on the aggregate of Go Rounds 1 and 2, the Top 10 fastest Contenders advance to the Finals.
- Athletes who do not earn a spot in the Top 10 aggregate may enter the Redemption Round.
- The Top 3 from the Redemption Round advance to the Finals for a total of 13, plus Super Contender qualifiers.

Athletes who make the Top 10 will make three (3) runs total over the course of the three (3) days.

Athletes who qualify for the Finals via the Redemption Round may make four (4) runs total over three (3) days.

ACT REGIONAL SEMI-FINAL FORMATS TEAM ROPING:

- \$750 per man, may enter twice (with the same partner)
- Each ACT Regional Semi-Finals consists of two long go-rounds.
- The Top 10 from the Semi-Finals aggregate will advance to the Finals.
- Ropers who do not earn a spot in the Top 10 aggregate, may enter the Redemption Round.
- The Top 3 from the Redemption Round advance to the Finals.

ACT REGIONAL SEMI-FINAL FORMATS ROUGH STOCK:

- Roughstock athletes will compete in one preliminary go round with the Top 10 athletes advancing to the Finals. Top 5 from the Finals will advance to ACT Tournament Finals.

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