



South Dakota High School Rodeo Association



THE AMERICAN LEGION announces...

High School Rodeo Top Cowboy and Top Cowgirl Award Program

“An Americanism Patriotic Citizenship Contest”

Americanism is one of the four pillars of The American Legion and as such is one of the most important aspects of everyone’s lives. The purpose of this program is to develop a greater sense of Patriotic Citizenship and Americanism Principles among high school students who compete within the South Dakota High School Rodeo Association.

The objective of the program is to:

- Develop leadership qualities
- Fair-minded competitiveness
- Sportsmanship
- Courage, honor, citizenship and patriotism.

High school students who are members of the SDHSRA will complete “tasks” in citizenship and Americanism. Students competing in this program will not be judged by their athletic performance in the rodeo arena but only by their Americanism and Citizenship practiced in their lives during the year.

Winners will be selected at the Post (local) level and District (area) level.

The Top Cowboy and Top Cowgirl in each post, will each receive a \$50 Scholarship and Post Champion Belt Buckle.



What Does the Cowboy or Cowgirl Do?



Go to www.custerlegion46.org/events-activities/rodeo

Read information about the program



Download All the Information and Forms –



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Study the List of Citizenship Tasks Sheet



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Take a Task Verification Form around to all those people who you want to interview for a task signature.

When you have completed as many task sheets as you are satisfied with, take as many task sheets along with your Application Form.

Once your Task Verification Sheets have been given to your American Legion Post, your work is done.

Your Tasks will be certified by two Post Rodeo Award Judges as legitimate and accurate and the participant with the most verified tasks turned in, will be declared the Post Champion in Americanism and will be awarded a \$50 Cash Scholarship and a Post Champion Belt Buckle.