

# 10TH ANNUAL IBRA MATCH RACE & PREFERRED SHOW MATCH RACE RULES

**\$2000 Added - 100% Payback. Match Race Early Bird Deadline: Oct 2nd, 2023. Late Entries accepted at higher entry fee.**

- Teams will consist of 5 different IBRA Members.
- Team entry fee is \$200 pre entered (\$40 per team member) or \$250 day of show (\$50 per team member) -100% Payback • You may be on more than one team if you are running more than one horse. You may not run two horses on the same team. You may not enter the same horse for multiple teams.
- There will be a Long Go run in conjunction with the \$1,500 Saturday Open Barrel Race that will determine the top 7 teams to come back for the Match Race Finals on Sunday.
- In the Long Go, the match teams will run after the first 50 of the Saturday Open Barrels. Each team will run in the same drag together. There will be no dress code for teams that have team themed outfits. The Open Barrel class will resume at the completion of our Match Race Long Go.
- The Top 7 Teams to come back on Sunday will be determined on the following point system from Saturday. 1st place in each division will receive 20 points, 2nd place 19, 3rd place 18 and so on down to 20th place which will receive 1 point. Your 5 team members' points will be added together and the 7 teams with the highest cumulative points will advance to the finals. Ex: If you have one team member win a division and the other 4 hit barrels or fall below the top 20 mark in any division then you would have 20 total points for your team.
- The Winning Team from Saturday's Long Go Round will earn a \$1000 (\$200 each) Team Bonus.
- Sunday's Championship Round will be a clean slate format for the 7 qualifying teams. The running order on Sunday will be the slowest to fastest times of the remaining contestants from Saturday's Long Go.
- Match Race Short Go Qualifiers times will automatically roll over to Sunday's Open.
- Payback: 100% of the entry fees plus \$2,000 added. 75% of the total purse will be split between the winning team. The remaining 25% will be paid out to the fastest times of each division for the finals paid 40%, 30%, 20%, 10%.
- Example: If there are 40 pre entered teams X \$200 EF= \$8,000 + \$2,000 added = \$10,000 purse. \$1,000 to the team with the highest total points from Saturday. 75% of the remaining amount (\$9,000) is split between winning team which would be \$6,750 to the Champions or (\$1,350 each team member). 25% or \$2,250 would be paid to the division winners 1D = \$900, 2D = \$675, 3D = \$450, 4D = \$225
- Wild Cards: Each member of the winning team will earn a Wild Card for the IBRA National Finals. Each division winner of the match race will win a Wild Card for the IBRA National Finals
- 100% refunds will be given to anyone who enters a horse and must scratch due to death. If you must scratch due to injury a credit will be applied towards any future IBRA Preferred Show.