



CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER '07

6 - General Meeting
8pm @ Charlies

8 - Boulder Pride
Block Party on
Pearl Street - 10am

9 - Gymkhana @
JeffCo - 10am

15 - Miss Eryn &
Rocket Coxx
Fundraiser
Royalty Candidate Show
8pm at Atrium

29 - Bryan Williams
& Aspen Vails
Fundraiser
Royalty Candidate Show
7pm @ Charlies

OCTOBER '07

11 - General
Meeting 8pm @
Charlies

A Word from the President...

Hello CGRA Members,



We want to thank everyone for their support with RMRR 25 back in July. We had a great turn out and had a successful rodeo. The sun was shining and everyone had a great time. Thanks again to all our sponsors and volunteers. The CGRA BOD did a wonderful job in producing RMRR 25 with the help of our entire community

We are now working very hard to get ready for the 2007 IGRA Finals Rodeo to be held here in Denver October 12-14, at the Western Stock Show Events Center. We are expecting a large number of contestants to accept their invitation to Finals Rodeo this year. Mark your calendars now and plan on attending the fun.

We will be voting and filling the PR Chairman position this Thursday. Nominations were opened at the August membership meeting. CJ Chopping was appointed to fill in and work on PR and has been nominated for the permanent position.

There are several rodeos coming up this month so good luck to all you CGRA members who are planning on traveling to any of the following rodeos:

- Atlantic Stampede - September 7th-9th, 2007
- MGRA Show Me State Rodeo - September 14th-16th, 2007
- Bay Area Rodeo - September 14th-16th, 2007
- Big Horn Rodeo - September 21st-23rd, 2007
- Capital City Rodeo - September 21st-23rd, 2007
- 2007 IGRA Finals Rodeo - Denver, Co.- October 12th-14th, 2007

REMINDER:

Also, please remember the BOD and General Membership Meetings were moved up a week this month and are both Thursday, Sept. 6, at Charlie's. General Membership Meeting will start at 8:00 P.M. See you there.

Thanks for all your support,
Tommy Channel
CGRA President

NEW LOOK. NEW NAME. NEW LAYOUT

Comments or suggestions about the new layout for the newsletter (CGRA Insider?) Send them to pr@cgra.net. We'd love to hear from you!



Trustee Times

Summer is over and Fall is almost here and so will be IGRA Finals. The Finals Rodeo Team is working hard to get everything set to go, and put on a show like only CGRA can. We need everyone to help "get the word out" and come out to the National Western for IGRA Finals, and IGRA Royalty Competition at the Warwick Hotel. This is the last of the Association hosted Finals, in 2008 IGRA takes over putting on Finals, and the first year it will also be held here in Denver. Please help out as you can!!!

I also want to thank all the Members going to KC for IGRA Convention, CGRA is paying for one full room night, but the member still has to pay for his/her airfare and other room nights, and all the extras!! THANKS to all that are going!!!

Roger Courtemanche
Trustee



Membership

Memberships up for renewal:

August 2007

- Cheney C
- Travis H
- Jim T
- Larry Trem
- Darren W

September 2007

- Dale K
- Dj L
- Robin S

October 2007

- David A
- Patrick B
- Carl B
- Joshua C
- Anthony E
- Bill E
- Chad G
- Jeffery H
- Christina M
- Jay S
- Bob S
- Glenn Gordon S
- Rich V

If you have questions concerning membership please feel free to contact Ty Teigan. If your membership is up or coming up for renewal you can download a renewal form from the website or you can simply pay with credit card using our online store at <http://www.cgra.net>

Ty Teigan
Membership Chair
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Fundraising Report

Well time is running near, and sponsorships are still available. We have had a rough go with fundraising for finals this year. Folks seem to be tapped out with all of the other functions happening this year. I am asking for some major help with contacts for fundraising for finals. CGRA needs as many sponsors as possible for finals. Many of our usual money making programs are not obtainable at the National Western complex. In short I would appreciate all that the members can do to help me out with in the next few weeks. You can either email me at fundraising@cgra.net or call me at 303-916-1935. Let have a great finals rodeo and show the other associations what Colorado can do. Thank you for all of your help.

Jeremy Snidow
Fundraising Chair

Public Relations

Finals are just around the corner and I've been extremely busy getting the word out. It's my job right? I've been in contact with several media outlets (magazines, newspapers and tv) so we should have great coverage for finals. I plan on releasing a new set of ads and press releases in the next few weeks so keep your eye out. Once things slow down a bit, I'll give a formal introduction to myself if I get voted into the Public Relations chair.

Don't forget to come out and join us for the Boulder Pride Block Party this Saturday, September 8th at 10am on the Pearl Street mall. Just look for the rainbow flags, we'll be in there somewhere. Come out and stop by our booth we'd love to see you!

Christopher J. Chopping
Interim Public Relations Chair