



# DIAMOND STATE LARIAT



P.O. Box 56503 Little Rock, AR 72215

Diamond State Rodeo Association

August, 2003

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Aug - 23 Compassion Awards
- Sep - 5 Spades Night & Potluck
- Sep - 7 3pm Bylaws Meeting
- Sep - 7 4pm Rodeo meeting
- Sep - 13 Women's Night
- Sep - 19 Board Meeting
- Sep - 19 General Membership meeting
- Sep - 19 Lariat Deadline
- Sep - 20 Leather Party
- Sep - 27 Bear Night Whipped Cream Auction
- Oct - 3 Spades Night & Potluck
- Oct - 4 Private Party
- Oct - 11 Turn About Show



## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Howdy Cowboys and Cowgirls,

I hope that everyone had a fun summer. We have had a good year at DSRA, our membership continues to increase, we are

doing more community outreach, and we are trying to get our members more involved in various activities and committees at the clubhouse. We have a new website which is still [www.dsra.org](http://www.dsra.org), but we have redone the site and the Lariat is now on line.

We have had a full Royalty Team this year, which has been very successful in raising money for the Rodeo, and other charities in the community.

Tonight we elected a new Board of Directors, which will take over at the September Board Meeting. I want to encourage each member to get more active with your organization. As a member of DSRA we value your opinions and ideas, and I would like to encourage you to come out to the next General Membership meeting which will be held on September, 19th at 9pm. Come out and give us your opinions and ideas on what changes you would like to see at DSRA.

I am asking for volunteers to teach Country Line Dance once or twice a month at the clubhouse, if you are interested give me a call.

The weekend of October 23rd through the 26th will be the IGRA Rodeo Finals, which will be held this year in Tulsa, Oklahoma. DSRA's Arena Crew has once again been invited to be the crew for finals and they have accepted, also Cody A. MR DSRA and I will be competing for the IGRA Royalty Team. I would like to extend an invitation to each of you to come to Okalahoma and support DSRA for these events.

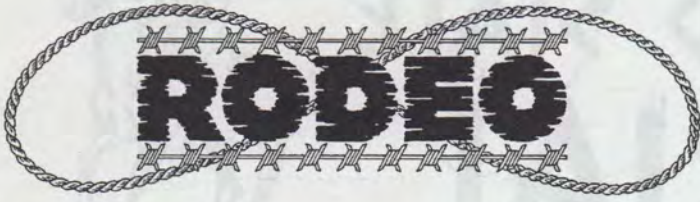
I would like to thank the membership of DSRA for electing me President for a fourth term. With your help, we will continue on the path of betterment for the organization.

Rodeo Up,

Julie B. President







**Rodeo Directors Report**

Thank you Jacky, for your generosity and support.

I would like to thank all of the members of DSRA for allowing me to be rodeo director for Rodeo in the Rock 2003. It has been a great privilege and honor to serve the association in this manner. We have already begun plans for our 10th rodeo. The poster contest has had a boost in the arm with an extra \$100.00 added to the prize money. The added prize money was donated by Jacky G.

I will be asking all who are interested in helping with Rodeo in the Rock 2004 to come to the first committee meeting on Sunday, September 7, 2003 at 4:00 p.m. This is a very special year for DSRA and I need your help to make this a very special rodeo. See as many of you as possible at the meeting.

Thank You  
Sherry P.



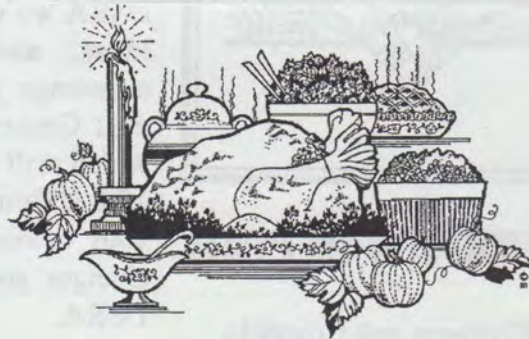
**Ya'll come on Down**

**Let's play cards and eat!**



**September 5th at 6:30**

**Now Ya'll call Jacky and tell him what your bringin'  
Cause we don't want fifteen thangs of tater salat!  
So clean out the fridge and make some mystery stew!  
And come on down and we'll have a good ole time**



**Just Fun:** Why is a person that handles all your money called a 'Broker'?





## POSTER CONTEST

It's time to start gearing up for next year's rodeo! DSRA is proud to announce the reinstatement of our *Poster Contest*! The contest is open to members and non-members alike, so find your creativity muse, and submit your designs! Keep in mind that the 2004 rodeo will be the 10th Annual "Rodeo in the Rock".

November 1st is the deadline for entry. DSRA members will be voting on the poster entries. We look forward to having a number of design submissions from which to choose! Good luck everybody!

### Rodeo in the Rock Poster Artwork Contest Rules:

- (1) Artwork must be submitted in camera-ready form.
  - (2) Submission must be original artwork of the contestant.
  - (3) Poster designs must be "rodeo" or "country-western" in nature.
  - (4) If artwork is signed by the author, his/her signature will be included in all media formats used by DSRA, unless requested is made by author to omit his/her signature.
  - (5) Entry must have a contact name and phone number attached.
  - (6) Entry must be at least 8 ½ by 11 inches in dimension.
  - (7) Submission must be suitable for general public viewing.
  - (8) Colored artwork must retain its detail if converted to black and white format.
  - (9) Artwork must be suitable for enlargement or reduction, as needed to fit a variety of formats such as poster, flyer or tri-fold brochure.
- (A \$250.00 prize will be awarded to the winner of the contest. The winning artwork will become the property of DSRA, and no other remunerations will be awarded.) Submissions may be either mailed to P.O. Box 56503, Little Rock, AR 72215 or emailed to Pitapup@iwon.com

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## WOMEN'S DANCE

SEPTEMBER 13TH



9PM UNTIL 1AM

MEMBERS \$2 NON-MEMBERS \$3

DOOR PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN OUT!

CALL JULIE AND SHERRY AT 261-1130 FOR MORE INFORMATION



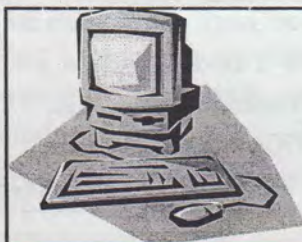
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<http://www.dsra.org>




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The next Lariat deadline is September 19th. If you are interested in submitting an article for publication, please contact Mike at 666-3706  [MIKE4DSRA@aol.com](mailto:MIKE4DSRA@aol.com) FAX 661-1427 (Call first)



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