



Bullriders of America, Inc

Newsletter

August 15, 2008

The 2008 Finals in Fort Madison was one of our best yet. The cowboys, bulls and personnel were all at the top of their game. Prize money was paid to 14 different riders. Thirty one bulls were rode and no re-rides were given. Congratulations to these following award winners:

- 1st Go Round**— Richard Smith 85 pts on CC Bucking Bulls #21 "21 Guns"
2nd Go Round—Ryan Littau 87 points on Double S Bull Company#11 "Little Joe"
3rd Go Round—Cody Sierks 87.5 Points on D Bar D Rodeo Company #205 "Juicy Jacket"
4th Go Round—Brad Check 89.5 Points on CC Bucking Bulls #37 "Spear Fish"

Announcer – Troy Goodridge

Judges – Justin Bane & Todd Crase

Barrelman – Allan Dessel

Bullfighters – Bryon Buffington, Jeremy Muntz & Andy Thompson

Bull Wrangler – Duff Laverty

Finals Committee – Mike Culverson, Chairman

Event of the Year – Geneva, NE - Double S Bull Company

New Event of the Year– Lincoln, NE (June) – Double S Bull Co

Indoor Event of the Year – Lincoln, NE (June) – Double S Bull Co

Stock Contractor of the Year – Double S Bull Company

Producer of the Year – White Buffalo Productions

Reubin Detweiler Memorial – Travis VanLaar

High Point Ride of the Finals – Brad Check 89.5 Points on CC Bucking Bulls #37 "Spear Fish"

Bucking Bull of the Finals – CC Bucking Bulls #37 Spear Fish

2009 Schedule

- August 23 - Vermillion, SD
 August 23 - DuQuoin, IL
 August 24 - DuQuoin, IL
 August 27 - St. Paul, MN
 September 2 - Unionville, MO
 September 12 - Chester, IL
 September 13 - Chester, IL
 September 13 - LeMars, IA
 September 13 - Bloomington, WI
 October 10 & 11 - Lincoln, NE
 December 31 - Madison, NE
 January 2 & 3 - Lincoln, NE

2009 Standings

	Contestant	Earnings
1	Curt Check	\$1,743.37
2	Andy Smith	\$1,620.21
3	John Susie	\$1,523.25
4	Josh Carlson	\$922.19
5	Dusty Green	\$827.37
6	Ty Redman	\$796.44
7	Henry Yoder	\$781.63
8	Ryan Littau	\$698.63
9	Brad Check	\$659.52
10	Jimmy Twedt	\$503.01
11	Travis VanLaar	\$439.68
12	Jim Kreke	\$392.03
13	Joe Clark	\$279.45
14	Henry Yoder	\$271.88
15	Billy Roe	\$168.21
16	Ben Ferrell	\$143.10
17	Matt Birkenholtz	\$142.65

Bucking Bull of the Year - Double S Bucking Bulls #328 Sea Bass

Rookie of the Year – Ty Redman

2008 Year End Champion– Andy Smith

Reserve Champion – Jimmy Twedt

3RD Place – Dusty Green

4TH Place – Ryan Littau

5TH Place – Curt Check

2008 Finals Champion – Andy Smith

The "Meet and Greet" held before the Saturday night performance was a huge success. Finals sponsors and their families were able to meet and visit with cowboys and personnel while enjoying food and drink. A special thanks the following Finals Sponsors:

Barrelman-O'Reilly Auto Parts,

Bull fighters-Brandt Blanket and Boot Company
 B Bar T Western Store

Cowboy Sponsors:

#1 Jimmy Twedt - Heartland Harley Davidson, Burlington, Iowa

#2 Andy Smith - Preferred Cleaning Service, Berlin, Wisconsin

#3 Dusty Green - Mt Hammil Elevator & Lumber/Donnellson Elevator/Mt. Pleasant Lumber

#4 Cody Stephens - Roeders Pit Stop, Burlington, Iowa

#5 Curt Check - Farm & Home Supply, Quincy, Illinois

#6 John Susie – Scott's Company, Fort Madison, IA

#7 Ryan Littau – Crazy Coyotes Bar, Burlington, IA

#8 Ty Redman–Nye Bull & Cattle Co, Fort Madison, IA

#9 Brad Check – Beach Front Tap, Wever, IA

Host Hotel – Travelodge Inn-Suites, Fort Madison, IA

Rookie of the Year – Lonnie Nye, Fort Madison, IA

Corporate Sponsor - Frontier Trophy Buckles
 Rodeo Attitude

2008 Final Stand-

	Contestant	Earnings
1	Andy Smith	\$10,935.50
2	Jimmy Twedt	\$9,871.18
3	Dusty Green	\$6,882.24
4	Ryan Littau	\$6,719.36
5	Curt Check	\$5,823.93
6	Cody Stephens	\$5,670.90
7	John Susie	\$4,914.97
8	Eric Reiling (Med)	\$4,892.72
9	Ty Redman®	\$4,811.28
10	Brad Check	\$4,503.47
11	Jake Bode®	\$3,768.66
12	Steven Lile	\$3,756.11
13	CJ Waller®	\$3,726.04
14	Matt Birkenholtz	\$3,596.84
15	Jim Kreke	\$3,262.32
16	Cody Sierks®	\$2,925.65
17	Henry Yoder	\$2,880.34
18	Jason Sheldon	\$2,411.42
19	Cody Schultz	\$2,406.64
20	Jeep Steinhoeck	\$2,104.78
21	Travis VanLaar	\$1,756.08
22	Levi Stepp	\$1,745.33
23	Pat Geipel®	\$1,629.00
24	Dusty Rains®	\$1,608.12
25	Aaron Sandbothe®	\$1,562.55
26	Chance Kavorik®	\$1,301.40
27	Billy Roe	\$1,261.94
28	Richard Smith	\$1,151.60
29	Josh Baker	\$976.50
30	Nathen Wall®	\$942.93
31	Lance Oerman	\$855.39
32	Evan Hecht	\$759.57
33	Dustin Wright®	\$610.20
34	Chas Skillett	\$594.67
35	Travis Koester	\$569.78
36	Jake Froyum	\$486.00
37	Tyler Willis®	\$475.00
38	Clayton Mayer	\$437.76
39	David Hecht	\$388.03
40	Steve Kramer	\$387.00
41	Justin Stokley	\$378.00
42	Nick Morrison	\$331.20
43	Justin Burghuis®	\$312.48
44	Lonnie Nye	\$280.80
45	Joe Clark	\$226.80
46	Luther Haberichter	\$191.52

Results

Personnel

Bowling Green, Mo - July 22, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Corey M Davis	165	\$944.46
2	Erik Hopp	157	\$715.50
3	Adam Proctor	86	\$515.16
4/5	Henry Yoder	82	\$271.88
4/5	Jim Kreke	82	\$271.88
6	Ben Ferrell	80	\$143.10

Finals Round 4 - August 2, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Brad Check	89.5	\$787.88
2	Jason Sheldon	88	\$596.88
3	Steven Lile	87	\$429.75
4	Andy Smith	86.5	\$286.50
5	Cody Schultz	85.5	\$167.13
6	Jimmy Twedt	84	\$119.38

Union Grove, WI - July 24, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Caleb Ruyle	172.5	\$1,209.12
2	Curt Check	162.5	\$916.00
3	Brad Check	158	\$659.72
4	Travis VanLaar	79.5	\$439.68
5	Andrew Bark	72.5	\$256.48
6	Justin Carlton	71	\$183.20

Finals Average - August 2, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Andy Smith	331/4	\$1,608.75
2	Steven Lile	256.5/3	\$1,218.75
3	Ryan Littau	246/3	\$877.50
4	Cody Sierks	171/2	\$585.00
5	Cody Schultz	169/2	\$341.25
6	Jimmy Twedt	161/2	\$243.75

West Union, IA - July 25, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Josh Carlson	158	\$922.19
2	Jed Ward	152	\$698.63
3	Jimmy Twedt	85	\$503.01
4	Ty Redman	82	\$265.48
5	Andy Smith	82	\$265.48
6	Henry Schwartz	79	\$139.73

Tecumseh, NE - August 9, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Andy Smith	168	\$922.19
2	Ryan Littau	85	\$698.63
3	Ty Redman	83	\$530.96
4	Will Roberts	81	\$363.29
5	Joe Clark	76	\$279.45

Atlantic, IA - July 31, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1/2	Curt Check	88	\$827.37
1/2	Dusty Green	88	\$827.37
3	Davey Dyke	87	\$513.54
4/5	Jason Kirchner	85	\$271.04
4/5	Steve Antezak	85	\$271.04
6	Matt Birkenholtz	84	\$142.65

Sedalia, MO - August 15, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Dustin Hall	156	\$792.99
2	Josh Baker	88	\$600.75
3	Andy Smith	85.5	\$432.54
4	Jimmy Short	85	\$288.36
5	Billy Roe	81.5	\$168.21
6	Jim Kreke	78	\$120.15

Finals Round 1 - August 1, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Richard Smith	85	\$804.38
2	Andy Smith	81.5	\$609.38
3	Ryan Littau	77.5	\$438.75
4/5	Jake Bode	77	\$231.56
4/5	Jimmy Twedt	77	\$231.56
6	Henry Yoder	76	\$121.88

Sedalia, MO - August 15, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	John Susie	169.5	\$1,523.25
2	Henry Yoder	85	\$761.63
3	Kenny Hickman	85	\$761.63

Finals Round 2 - August 1, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Ryan Littau	87	\$804.38
2	Steven Lile	86	\$609.38
3/4	Cody Sierks	83.5	\$365.63
3/4	Jake Bode	83.5	\$365.63
5	CJ Waller	82.5	\$170.63
6	Andy Smith	78	\$121.88

Finals Round 3 - August 2, 2008

PLACE	COWBOY	SCORE	EARNINGS
1	Cody Sierks	87.5	\$787.88
2	Curt Check	86.5	\$596.88
3	Andy Smith	85	\$429.75
4	Ty Redman	84.5	\$286.50
5	Steven Lile	84	\$167.13
6	Cody Schultz	83.5	\$119.38

Announcers

Troy Goodridge - 620.224.2004
 Brandon McLagan - 918.530.2880
 Russ Warren - 573.821.2500

Barrelmen

Allan Dessel-712.261.1388

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 Bryon Buffington-319.631.3483
 Jeremy Muntz-785.375.5026
 Patrick Simmet - 785.562.6654
 Andy Thompson-712.688.2422
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Photographers

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Stock Contractors/Producers

CC Bucking Bulls—608.734.3469
 Collett Bucking Bulls—
 641.799.1995
 D Bar D Rodeo Co—573.898.5334
 Double S Bull Co—712.374.3068
 Heartland Rodeo—660.379.2902
 HIB Bucking Bulls—660.458.6269
 JV Bull Company—641.275.7218
 MF Productions—720.977.7142
 Walkin' M Bulls—785.217.4230
 Outlaw Rodeo Productions —
 573.87.1348
 White Buffalo Productions-
 515.250.8171

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At the General Membership meeting on August 2nd, Stacy Doss was elected as President, Todd Crase as Vice-President and Lonnie Nye as Marketing Director on the Board of Directors. Welcome to all. Retiring President, Cory Bierman will serve as our Finals Liaison with the Fort Madison Committee. Thank you to Matt Birkenholtz, Jim Kreke, and Cory Check for committing to another 2 year term on the Board.

Up Coming Events

Coyote County Rodeo Club
August 23, 2008 - 7:00 PM
Vermillion, SD

Added Money: \$1,500
Producer: Production by White Buffalo
Stock Contractor: Double S Bull Co
Call In: (712) 374-6053 - August 18
 - 6 to 8 PM Card Holders
 - 8 to 10 PM Non-Cardholders
Contestants: 30 - 6 to Short GO
Entry Fee: \$75 (\$85 Non-member)
BOA/NFPB
Emergency Phone #: 402.657.8904

DuQuoin Fair Bull Ride
August 23, 2008—TBA
DuQuoin, IL

Location: DuQuoin State Fairgrounds
Added Money: \$1,500
Stock Contractor: D Bar D Rodeo
Call In #: (573) 898-5334
Call In: August 13, 2008
 - 6 to 8 pm Members
 - 8 to 9 pm Non-Members
#Contestants: 35 - 6/10 to Short Go
Entry Fee: \$90 fees- (includes \$10 Stock Chg)
BOA/NFPB Sanctioned
Emergency Phone: 573.219.6200
Other: Fees must be paid 1 hour prior to performance or your spot will be filled from the waiting list. **CASH ONLY**

DuQuoin Fair Bull Ride
August 24, 2008—TBA
DuQuoin, IL

Location: DuQuoin State Fairgrounds
Added Money: \$1,500
Stock Contractor: D Bar D Rodeo
Call In #: (573) 898-5334
Call In: August 13, 2008
 - 6 to 8 pm Members
 - 8 to 9 pm Non-Members
#Contestants: 35 - 6/10 to Short Go
Entry Fee: \$90 fees- (includes \$10 Stock Chg)
BOA/NFPB Sanctioned
Emergency Phone: 573-219-6200
Other: Fees must be paid 1 hour prior to performance or your spot will be filled from the waiting list. **CASH ONLY**

Minnesota State Fair Bull Ride
August 27, 2008 - 7:00 pm
St. Paul, MN

Location: Minnesota State Fair Coliseum
 1265 Snelling Avenue North
Added Money: \$2,000
Stock Contractor: MJM Rodeo/John Barnes
Call In #: (712) 446-2656
Call In: August 18, 6-8 pm members
 8-9 pm Non members—26 contestants
BOA/NFPB Sanctioned
Entry Fee: \$100
Emergency Number: 712-229-5595
Other: Must enter fairgrounds via Canfield Gate off Como Street. Membership Dues must be current with Association Secretary as of Call in Date.

Putnam County Fair Boys N Bulls
September 2, 2008—8:00 pm
Unionville, MO

Location: Fairgrounds
Added Money: \$2,000
Stock Contractor: D Bar D Rodeo
Call In #: (573) 898-5334
Call In: August 27, 2008
 - 6 to 8 pm Members
 - 8 to 9 pm Non-Members
#Contestants: 35 - 6/10 to Short Go
Entry Fee: \$90 fees- (includes \$10 Stock Chg)
NFPB/BOA Sanctioned
Emergency Phone: 573-219-6211
Other: Fees must be paid 1 hour prior to performance or your spot will be filled from the waiting list. **CASH ONLY**

Chester Benefit Challenge
September 12, 2008—8:00 pm
Chester, IL

Location: Eagles Lodge
Added Money: \$1,000
Stock Contractor: D Bar D Rodeo
Call In #: (573) 898-5334
Call In: September 3, 2008
 - 6 to 8 pm Members
 - 8 to 9 pm Non-Members
#Contestants: 35 - 6/10 to Short Go
Entry Fee: \$90 fees- (includes \$10 Stock Chg)
NFPB/BOA Sanctioned
Emergency Phone: 573-219-6211
Other: Fees must be paid 1 hour prior to performance or your spot will be filled from the waiting list. **CASH ONLY**

Randolph Co Saddle Club Benefit
Bull Ride
September 13, 2008—8:00 pm
Chester, IL

Location: Eagles Lodge
Added Money: \$1,000
Stock Contractor: D Bar D Rodeo
Call In #: (573) 898-5334
Call In: September 3, 2008
 - 6 to 8 pm Members
 - 8 to 9 pm Non-Members
#Contestants: 35 - 6/10 to Short Go
Entry Fee: \$90 fees- (includes \$10 Stock Chg)
BOA/NFPB Sanctioned
Emergency Phone: 573-219-6211
Other: Fees must be paid 1 hour prior to performance or your spot will be filled from the waiting list. **CASH ONLY**

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Bloomington Bull Bash
September 13, 2008 - 7:00 pm
Bloomington, WI

Added Money: \$2,000
Producer: CC Bucking Bulls
Stock Contractor: CC Bucking Bulls/High Risk Bucking Bulls
Call In: September 1 - (417) 924-3591
 - 6 to 8 pm Member
 - 8 to 9 pm Non-Member
Contestants: 30
Entry Fee: \$82 (Incl \$10 Stock Chg+ \$2 central entry)
NFPB/BOA
Emergency Phone#: 608.412.0799
Other: Dance following performance

Frontier
 TROPHY BUCKLES



David Hecht Benefit Bull Ride

September 13, 2008 - 6:30 pm
LeMars, IA

Location: Plymouth Co Fairgrounds

Added Money: \$500

Producer: Various

Stock Contractor: Various

Call In: September 8 - 712.204.5326
- 6 to 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$75 (Incl \$10 Stock Chg)

BOA Sanctioned

Emergency Phone#: 877.541.1005

Other: Open Barrel Race

Lancaster Event Center

January 2 & 3, 2009 - 7:30 pm
Lincoln, NE

Location: Lancaster Event Center

Added Money: \$4,000

Stock Contractor: Double S Bull Co

Production by: White Buffalo Prod.

Call in #: (712) 374-6053

Call in Time: December 29,
Member 6-8 pm Non-member 8-10
pm

Card holders given preference.

Entry Fee: Member \$100 NM- \$110

BOA/NFPB sanctioned

Emergency Number: 402-657-8904

Other: \$100 added Jr Bull Riding

Extreme Bull Riding Tour Finale

December 31, 2008 - 7:30 pm
Madison, NE

Added Money: \$1,000

Stock Contractor: Double S Bull Co

Production by: White Buffalo Prod.

Call in #: (712) 374-6053

Call in Time: December 29, 2008

Cardholders 6-8 pm

Non-cardholders 8-10 pm

Card holders given preference.

Entry Fee: Member \$75

Non-member \$85

BOA/NFPB sanctioned

Emergency Number: 402-657-8904

Hotel: New Victorian Inn, 1-402-379-
3035; rate is \$34.00 for double/queen/
king and Suite for \$51.00

Other: Extreme Bull Riding Tour
Finale

**Lancaster Event Center
Saddle Series Event #3
October 10 & 11, 2008 - 7:30 pm
Lincoln, NE**

Location: Lancaster Event Center

Added Money: \$4,000

Stock Contractor: Double S Bull Co

Production by: White Buffalo Prod.

Call in #: (712) 374-6053

Call in Time: October 6

Member 6-8 pm

Non-member 8-10 pm

Card holders given preference.

Entry Fee: Member \$100 NM- \$110

BOA/NFPB sanctioned

Emergency Number: 402-657-8904

Other: \$100 added Jr Bull Riding



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