

# 2019 GFB Showdown Finals Q & A Section

## What are the fees?

### Open 5D Showdown - \$9500 minimum added

\$165 entry fee (Includes 2 go rounds + finals/or consolation round entry)

### Open 4D Average Side Pot - \$500 total added

\$35 entry fee (based on showdown finals 1st & 2nd go times)

### Senior 4D Showdown - \$1000 total added

\$65 entry fee (payout in each of 2 go rounds + awards for top 3 in each D in average)

### Youth 4D Showdown - \$1000 total added

\$65 entry fee (payout in each of 2 go rounds + awards for top 3 in each D in average)

### Pee Wee Showdown

\$30 entry fee (1<sup>st</sup> go warm up race + 2<sup>nd</sup> go showdown round)

### Processing fee

\$10 per rider. You will be charged a processing fee EACH time you enter through our system.

This is non-refundable. Plan accordingly when making your entries.

### Sessions

\$10 each. Limited # on sale at time of entry. Sessions are Friday only

### Exhibitions

\$5 each. Limited to 2 per person. ONLY sold AT the show office. Friday only.

### Stalls

\$65 each (Includes 2 bags of shavings, all horses on grounds overnight MUST stall. NO OUTSIDE SHAVINGS.

### IF STALLS SELL OUT

Tie-outs will be allowed in designated areas. The grounds fee will apply to those contestants as well.

### Grounds fee

\$5 per rider (This will be enforced for those not stalled on grounds. Must be paid prior to competing)

### Electric Reservations –

\$50 for the weekend (Friday 8am-Sunday end of show)

Reservations will be handled with our online entries.

We do expect them to sell out quickly. Please plan accordingly.

Please be prepared to make an alternate plan (generator) if you do not get electric.

### Do I have to be a member of any association?

NO - our events are OPEN to ALL! No membership or additional fees required.

### How do I qualify?

Qualify for the 2019 GFB Showdown Finals by entering 2 approved events between 7/1/18 and 9/30/19

You must enter 2 OPEN races or 2 Youth races or 2 Senior races or 2 Pee Wee races (side pot or carry over runs to youth/senior count) to be eligible to enter the 2019 GFB Showdown finals.

### How do I enter?

**Entries will open Wednesday, September 4<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00pm CST.**

All entries MUST be submitted online through our website.

All entries MUST be paid via CC or Square.

4% card processing fee will be added to your entry total at checkout.

**Pre-entries will CLOSE at 5:00 pm CST Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.**

### ENTRY IS NOT FINAL UNTIL PAYMENT IS RECEIVED.

*PLEASE READ the entry information BEFORE submitting. You will be directed to the payment page once you click ENTER ME NOW. You will not be able to go back to the payment screen and will duplicate your entry if you try to use the back button.*

### LATE ENTRIES?

Will be accepted on site at the show office until 4pm Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>. Late entry fee is \$20 per rider.

### Can I get a refund with a vet out/or medical release?

YES – vet out/medical/personal release (for horse or rider) refunds will ONLY be issued if received via email (no FB messages/texts/calls) to [goforbrokebarrelrace@gmail.com](mailto:goforbrokebarrelrace@gmail.com) Refund requests MUST be received no later than 11:59pm CST on Sunday, September 22nd. Refund amount issued will be less processing fee and 70% of the total amount paid.

### **Can I sell my spot or make a horse/rider substitution?**

YES, spots may be bought sold/rider/horse subs at the show office. Changes will not be accepted via email, text, call or fb message. New rider is responsible for paying processing fee to the show office when the horse/rider change is made if they are not already entered on another horse. New rider must have necessary GFB finals qualifications met to enter. ALL CHANGES (horse/rider, spots bought/sold) MUST be completed by 4:00pm on 10/4 AT THE SHOW OFFICE ONLY. Changes will NOT be accepted via phone, text, email or messenger.

### **Competition Rules**

Standard Go For Broke Productions event rules apply. Click here

<http://www.goforbrokeproductions.com/2017/2017GFBcompleteRules.pdf> FMI

### **What is the payback format?**

100% of Added Money paid back as advertised

Minimum of 75% of the entry fee will be jackpotted for each class

Each Open entry fee is split as follow: go rounds (26.75%), consolation round(8.75%) and the finals (37.75%) and rounded to the nearest whole dollar.

Youth/Senior – 50% of jackpotted fees to each go round.

Pee Wee – 50% of each jackpotted fee to each go round.

Standard GFB minimum payout rules apply to all classes

### **How many qualifiers from each “D” make the showdown finals?**

51-100 total entries – 4 per D per go round

101-145 total entries – 8 per D per go round

146- 200 total entries – 10 per D per go round

201-245 total entries – 12 per D per go round

246 – 300 – 15 per D per go round

301 – 350 – 20 per D per go round

\*\*If over 351 entries, additional finals qualifiers may be added at the discretion of GFB productions.

### **OPEN 5D SHOWDOWN FINAL**

2 go rounds (Friday/ Saturday) Each go is a clean slate format and a RANDOM DRAW.

SHOWDOWN FINALS ROUND -

Consolation round, ANY open entry not qualifying for the FINALS will go into the draw for the consolation round.

A contestant may qualify multiple horses for the Showdown finals, but a horse and rider combination may qualify only once for the Showdown Round. **Example** – if Bobby Barrel Racer qualifies his horse “Lightning” for the showdown finals round in the 1<sup>st</sup> go in the 1d and then comes back in the 2<sup>nd</sup> round and has a slower run and places in the 2d (or again in the 1d), he will still win money for the round, but he will not receive an additional qualification spot. We will advance to the next person to fill qualifiers as needed.

### **YOUTH/SENIOR Showdown**

Youth and Senior will be a 2 go round format. Class payout will be for each go round.

50% of total added money for each class will payout in each round. (\$500 minimum per go)

Championships will be awarded (no payback on the avg) based on the AVERAGE of your 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> go time.

Youth/Senior 1<sup>st</sup> go round will draw WITH the Friday Open 1<sup>st</sup> go.

If you are entered in the Open, your time will automatically roll-over into the youth/senior class.

\*\*If you are only entered in the youth or senior, you will still draw WITH the open.

\*\*You will be noted as YO or SO and will then only count towards the class you are entered in.

The YOUTH /SENIOR SHOWDOWN ROUND (2<sup>nd</sup> go) will run Saturday morning.

Youth and Senior entries will draw together (This helps us accommodate spacing out of those with multiple horses.)

There is NOT a finals for the youth or senior class. It is 2 go rounds + average awards.

### **PEE WEE – Warm up Race & Showdown Round**

Unassisted riders will be placed before assisted riders.

Down barrels and broken patterns will be stated as such and not be eligible for payback in the class.

All riders will receive a prize for participating.

Riders MUST have a parent or guardian in the holding pen with them.

**TIES** – In the event of tie, all prize money will be split equally among the individuals that tied. Ties for awards or prizes will be handled by using the FASTEST qualifying round times of the individuals that tied.

# GO FOR BROKE SHOWDOWN FINALS SCHEDULE

Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup> - 7:30 am – GROUNDS OPEN for general contestant arrival.

**THURSDAY Arrivals allowed only between 7pm and 10pm. \$20 PER STALL + Electric site (if applicable).**

**Early arrival fee is payable in CASH ONLY when you arrive.**

**Arrivals after 10pm Thursday and before 7:30 am Friday are prohibited and subject to \$100 fine per horse.**

## **FRIDAY 8:00 am – Show Office Opens**

60 second exhibitions will go on sale when show office opens.

We will not pre-sell them.

We will not sell more than 2 exhibitions to any person in line at one time.

Any un-sold training sessions will also be sold when the show office opens.

9:00 am – 1:00pm – 30 minute training sessions

1:15 pm – 2:00 pm – 45 exhibitions

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm – 60 exhibitions

3:00 pm – 3:45 pm – 45 exhibitions

Exhibitions -60 second time limit starts when you enter the alley way! This will be enforced!

4:30 pm – EARLY SESSION of 1st Go Open Showdown finals (including youth/senior) (draw 1-100)

**\*\*You will ONLY be in this session if you select early OPEN session when you enter.**

6:30 pm – Pee Wee WARM UP RACE

7:00 pm (not before) –1st Go Open/Youth/Senior Showdown Finals (draws 101 – End)

## **Saturday, October 5th**

### **8:30 am – BATTLE OF THE AGES**

Jan's SENIOR SHOWDOWN ROUND & Top Notch Equine YOUTH SHOWDOWN ROUND (2<sup>nd</sup> go)

If you are entered in the open, this will be your open 2<sup>nd</sup> go round run.

**PEE WEE SHOWDOWN ROUND** - Immediately following the conclusion of the Senior/Youth Showdown round 11:00 am (not before) – 2nd Go Open Showdown finals

YOUTH and SENIOR SHOWDOWN AWARDS CEREMONY follows conclusion of 2nd Go Showdown finals

**\*\*MUST BE PRESENT TO RECEIVE YOUR AWARDS\*\***

6:00 pm (not before) – SHOWDOWN FINALS CONSOLATION ROUND

*If you know you are in the consolation round and DO NOT plan to run, please notify the show office. 8:00 pm – Tentative time for the showdown finals random draw to be posted.*

## **Sunday, October 6th**

### **9:30 am – OPEN SHOWDOWN FINALS SHORT ROUND**

**AWARDS - Approximately 30 minutes following the conclusion of the Showdown Round**

**AWARDS** - You must be present to receive your awards. We will NOT ship awards.

**CHECKS** – You must have a current year W9 form on file to collect your winnings.

**PUHL'S PHOTOGRAPHY** will be the official photographer & videographer.

**\*\*Situations not covered above will be handled at the discretion of show management\*\***

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