



British Columbia Team Cattle penning Association

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The sport of team cattle penning is fast becoming one of the major horse related

Events in Canada and in the U.S.A.

What is Team Cattle Penning?

It's Fast, its' exciting, and its action packed!!

This is a timed event involving a team of three riders and thirty head of numbered cattle. The purpose of the team of riders is to ride down the arena, gather up three head of the same-numbered cattle out of a herd of 30 cattle, and then bring them back up the arena into a designated pen in less than 60 seconds. It sounds easy but there are rules that need to be followed: Unnecessary roughness is an automatic disqualification, Unsportsmanlike conduct by a team/or rider will result in disqualification, riding a horse that is visibly lame, sick, or emaciated, somebody other than the team members spotting cattle from the side lines will be an automatic disqualification, too many wrong numbered cattle across the foul line ends a run, In the event there is a Mechanical Failure or Management Error detected early in the run, the team will be given a restart. Continuing to work cattle after the run has ended may result in a fine. All contestants must wear a western hat or protective helmet, boots and a long sleeved shirt with a collar, western style long pants (jeans) are required. All contestants are encouraged to maintain a western image; in the case of a dress infraction a fine is given.

This is a sport the whole family can participate in. There are classes for all levels of riders, including juniors. Each rider is rated or given a number that reflects their ability. Classes are classified to a maximum combined number of the team's ratings to create a level playing field for all. All you need is a horse, and the will to have a good time. Knowledge of cattle and the technique can be learned from clinics and from fellow members.

We are registered as a non profit organization. Our members must attend a specific number of events through out the year to qualify to compete at the BCTCPA Finals held in Armstrong B.C. Our members also go out and collect sponsorship, and the club has fundraisers throughout the year so that members that have qualified get to ride for prizes and added money.

The BCTCPA has a growing membership that comes from all parts of the lower mainland, and Interior. The club has been in existence for **18 years** and going strong. We do not charge a fee for spectators and encourage their attendance to help cheer on the teams as they try to beat the clock!

Sponsorship Information

Sponsorship of \$500 - \$1,000

This sponsor donates “added money” (For the BCTCPA Finals) and can be put forward to what ever numbered class they wish. This level is entitled to advertisement monthly in the saddle up magazine, club newsletter and BCTCPA web site.

Sponsorship of \$200 - \$500

This sponsor donates “added money” or Buckle, a blanket, cooler, saddle pad or similar value prize package. (For the BCTCPA Finals) This level is entitled to advertisement monthly in the club newsletter and BCTCPA web site.

CATTLE Number Sponsorship - \$100 per cow number per day

This sponsor donates money to support the sport and the Club. Each time the sponsor’s cattle number is called, the Announcer notes the Sponsor’s name (person or business). Will be advertised in Monthly news letter and BCTCPA web site.

Note: There are 10 numbers in each herd and depending on the number of teams running, a sponsor may expect to have their sponsored ad announced at least six times per class, based on 30 teams per class.

Thank you for reviewing our sponsorship package. We look forward to your support! Please contact Theresa Swierstra directly to make arrangements for your sponsorship participation. Phone: 604-462-8891, Email: info@bctcpa.com

Sponsorship Benefits

Sponsors may be creative in suggesting promotional opportunities for themselves with the BCTCPA and its members. Please contact a Board Member to discuss these ideas.

Web Site & Newsletter

All levels of sponsors are listed on our web site and appear in our newsletter.

Sponsor Prize Promotion

Sponsor’s names will be engraved, stamped or embroidered on any prize item that is donated or purchased by, or with the Sponsor’s funds. A photo of the winners displaying their prize will be provided to the Sponsor.

Banner Promotion

An appropriate sign or banner provided by the Sponsor will be displayed at BCTCPA event(s) for spectators and participants to see. This is available to all sponsor levels.

Product Display

This is welcome to all Sponsors levels, however to be noted as an “official supplier” of the BCTCPA would require a \$500 - \$1000 sponsorship.

Announcements

At Club Shows, all sponsors will be noted and thanked by the announcer. Additionally, and will be announced during prize awards and calling of sponsored cattle numbers, when appropriate.

Show Flyers & Posters

All sponsors may be listed on BCTCPA show flyers and posters

Note: this applies to “Club Shows” only. Promoter Shows may choose to operate at their own discretion.



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My Sponsorship commitment ...

Date: _____

Amount \$ _____ Direct Sponsorship
to _____

Name

: _____

Address

: _____

Signed : _____ Print
name _____

Day ph # : _____ Evening
ph.# _____

Please check one of the following: Silent Donation OK to Announce Donation

As a non profit organization your sponsorship contributions are vital to the success of the BC Team Cattle Penning Assoc. and our competitions. We appreciate any dollar amount or prize donation. Your sponsorship contribution will be posted on our web site and we offer a web link to your business web site. Your contribution will be acknowledged monthly in our newsletter to all penning members, and if a cash donation that exceeds \$500.00 or more will be posted in the Saddle up Magazine.

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Receipt for sponsorship donation valued at \$ _____

Received

from _____

Dated _____ Received by BCTCPA member _____