



## JULY 2024 NEWSLETTER

### **NATIONAL RANCH AND STOCK HORSE ALLIANCE MEMBERSHIP:**

Louisiana Stock Horse Association is now a member of the National Ranch and Stock Horse Alliance (NRSHA).

NRSHA hosts a national championship show each year in June. To qualify for the NRSHA National Championship Show, LaSH members must show in at least 1 class at 3 different LaSH shows, and then they are eligible to enter ANY class at NRSHA nationals. LaSH members can qualify for the NRSHA National Show in June of 2025 by competing in any LaSH show from April 2024 – February 2025. No additional memberships are required by LaSH members to compete at the NRSHA national championship show however normal horse show fees will be incurred.

At the National Championship Show, NRSHA follows Versatility Ranch Horse (VRH) rules. Divisions are similar to LaSH classes but some rules are different so riders should review the NRSHA website for details. NRSHA has added prize money for some classes. NRSHA website - [National Ranch and Stock Horse Alliance](#)

Qualification for the NRSHA national championship show is on the horse/rider combo for LaSH Novice, Amateur, Non Pro and Youth divisions. Qualification is on the horse (any rider) for the LaSH Open division (that way if an owner changes trainers, etc. or someone catch-rides the horse at a qualifier, the trainer can show at nationals).

Specific questions can be sent to Hilary at [lashreporter@yahoo.com](mailto:lashreporter@yahoo.com)

### **FINALS SHOW INFORMATION:**

For the 2024 show year, LaSH changed the Finals show qualification **from 6 shows to 5 shows**. The minimum 5 shows can be obtained by competing in 5 LaSH shows in 2024 or 4 shows and 'buying' 1 show for fee of \$200. More details about Finals will be provided in the near future.

### **YOUTH SADDLE RAFFLE**

LaSH will be raffling off a 14" Youth Corriente Ranch Saddle at Finals. Tickets are \$20 each and will be available at upcoming LaSH shows. Members are encouraged to get ticket booklets and sell raffle tickets for the saddle.

The 14" saddle has Half Breed Roughout; Basket Tooling; Running W Trim All Around The Saddle; Straight Up Cattle; Hard Seat; 4 Strings at the Front & Back; Rawhide Stirrups and Adult Fenders similar to this saddle:



### **2025 LaSH HORSE SHOW TENTATIVE SCHEDULE:**

January 18, 2025 West Cal Cam Arena, Sulphur, LA

February 8, 2025 Beauregard Parish Arena, Deridder, LA

March 8, 2025 Pointe Coupee Multi Use Arena, New Roads, LA

April 12 & 13, 2025 (2 separate shows) Pointe Coupee Multi Use Arena, New Roads, LA

May 17, 2025 Sug Arena, New Iberia, LA

June 7, 2025 Rice Arena, Crowley, LA

September 13, 2025 Florida Parishes Arena, Amite, LA

October 4, 2025 Pointe Coupee Multi Use Arena, New Roads, LA

October 25, 2025 Pointe Coupee Multi Use Arena, New Roads, LA

FINALS – November 22 & 23, 2025 Beauregard Parish Arena, Deridder, LA

### **2024 SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER SHOWS:**

September 14 at Florida Parishes Arena in Amite, Louisiana

October 5 at Pointe Coupee Multi Use Arena in New Roads, Louisiana

October 26 at Sug Arena in New Iberia, Louisiana