

**PRO AM TEAM ROPING Guidelines**

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The Pro-Am Team Roping is introduced to allow Amateur Ropers to compete with higher numbered Ropers (Professionals) in a safe environment. This event can be conducted on a roping machine or suitable LIVE cattle or both. Emphasis should be placed on the suitability of the cattle, and this event should NOT be run on live cattle if the cattle are not suitable for a #3 header to handle.

For this event the following criteria will apply.

**Ropers classified #3.5 and Under will be considered an "Amateur"
Roper's Classified #4.5 and Over will be considered a "Professional"**

For the guidelines on a roping machine - #6's Roping rules apply.

For "Live" cattle – normal team roping rules apply with the exception of the following:

1. Only the Amateur pays an entry fee and receives prizemoney
2. Headers must dally
3. The Amateur heeler will not be required to dally. The time shall be taken when heeler has pulled slack high. A 5 second penalty shall be enforced for all no-dally runs.
4. Pro heelers must dally on heels.
5. No tie-on devices shall be allowed by either amateur or professional

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