



13 July 2018

Congratulations!

Throughout the 2017/2018 season dated from 1 July 2017 – 30 June 2018, **YOU HAVE QUALIFIED** to compete at the 2018 Australasian Team Roping Association National Finals. This event is to be held in Capella, Queensland from Thursday 27th September through to Sunday 30th September 2018.

YOU MUST HAVE COMPETED AT 1 ATRA EVENT IN THE SEASON TO BE ELIGIBLE TO ENTER THE FINALS. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE THE PRELIMINARY EVENT AT THE FINALS.

You will find all of the appropriate entry forms attached. Please be aware that this is a pre-entry event due to the enormous program and we need to know stock numbers and programs prior to the event.

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED & PAID IN FULL BY MONDAY 13TH AUGUST 2018 - NO EXCEPTIONS!

Thursday 27th September will be the Preliminary Roping - Ladies Breakaway Roping, #6, #8, #10, #12 & Open Team Roping. Competitors holding Event/Day Memberships are able to compete in this Preliminary Roping, but you **MUST** be a FULL member and competed at 1 ATRA event during the season to compete at the National Finals the following three days.

The 3D Barrel Race will be held over 2 runs with the 2nd round being run Slowest to Fastest. A trophy Saddle is awarded to the winner of 1st Division. Winners of 2nd & 3rd Divisions will receive beautiful trophy buckles. The horse must have competed at 1 ATRA event during the season to be eligible to enter the finals.

All Girls Team Roping, Century Team Roping and 7 & Under Barrel Race competitors are able to pre-enter or enter on the day. These competitors do not have to have qualified to compete in these events but must be Full Financial members of the ATRA. There will be trophy buckles awarded for the finals champions.

Horse owners in cattle tick free zones will need to contact their local inspector in regards to a travel permit (Call 13 25 23) or visit www.daff.qld.gov.au/animals/horses/movingyourhorse for further info. A qualified person will be on the grounds Saturday to spray all horses required to travel out of the tick zone within 24 hours and for a fee per horse. He will provide a certificate of treatment for your return journey. Please make sure you avoid the fines of up to \$100,000 for intentionally avoiding inspection.

WISHING YOU ALL THE SUCCESS AT THE 2018 ATRA NATIONAL FINALS.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact admin@teamroper.com.au. **GOOD LUCK AND SEE YOU THERE!!!**

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Please make sure you **RING ALL YOU PARTNERS** to confirm your entries.
- You will find your up-to-date classification number on the ATRA website under the 'Classifications Tab'.
- All National Finals competitors must pay an arena fee of \$10/person (excluding junior competitors).
- Entries and payment for both the Preliminary and National Finals Roping must be postmarked by **MONDAY 13TH AUGUST 2018**.
- **NO LATE ENTRIES FOR NATIONAL FINALS ACCEPTED - NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- Preliminary Entries will also be accepted up to Thursday 27th September but will incur a \$20 Late Fee per Roper.
- Payments accepted with Credit Card, Direct Deposit, Money Orders, Bank or Personal Cheques.
- National Finals payouts will be PAID via DIRECT DEPOSIT by Friday 5th October 2018.
- Please ensure you provide your Bank Account details with your Entry Forms.
- Preliminary payouts will be paid in cash after the events completion on Thursday 27th September.
- All 2018 National Finalist Competitors must be either Lifetime or Full Financial Members.
- Event/Day Members may compete in the Preliminary Roping Events only.

2018 HIGH POINT 2 HORSE KARA KAR TRAILERS

The High Point 4.5 & under & High Point 5 & above High Point trailer winners will be decided on the following formula.

Points will be tallied up from the Open, #12, #10 & #8 finals ropings: 1st – 10th place 10-1 points. Ropers numbered in both these categories (i.e. 6 header & 4 heeler) will have points earned from the lower number carried up to the High Point 5 & above division. Ropers numbered 4.5 or below at both ends (i.e. 3 header & 4 heeler) will have points earned both heading & heeling counted towards the High Point 4.5 & below division. In the case of a tie, a 5 head #10 rope off will apply to the 4.5 & under division whereby the team cannot exceed 10.5. A 5 Head #13 rope off will apply to the 5 & above division whereby the team cannot exceed 13.5. The tied individuals must select partners (either heading or heeling) to fit into those respective categories.

2018 FINALS QUALIFICATION PROCESS

Competitors that compete throughout the season, 1 July 2017 - 30 June 2018 at;

- **1 Jackpot** can enter the finals 1 time in the Open, #12, #10, #8 and #6 Team Roping events. 1 time in the Ladies Breakaway Roping and Junior Events.
- **2 Jackpots** can enter the finals 2 times in the Open, #12, #10, #8 and #6 Team Roping events.
- **3 Jackpots** can enter the finals 3 times in the Open, #12, #10, #8 and #6 Team Roping events.
- **4 Jackpots** can enter the finals 4 times in the Open, #12, #10, #8 and #6 Team Roping events.
- **5 Jackpots** can enter the finals maximum times in the Open, #12, #10, #8 and #6 Team Roping events.

There will be a list available on the website www.teamroper.com.au to view how many jackpots you have competed at throughout the season 1st July 2017 - 30th June 2018 or contact Head Office with any questions regarding the finals qualification process.

COMPETITORS – QUESTIONS & ANSWERS



Q1. I attended an ATRA Event and was told that I had qualified to compete at the ATRA National Finals. What does this mean?

A. This means you have qualified to rope against a select number of other qualifiers at the ATRA Finals. This is the most lucrative roping in the country. The ATRA office keeps track of all qualifiers but it is your responsibility to enter the roping with Head Office by the due dates.

Q2. How many times can I rope in each division at the ATRA finals?

A. The qualification process has changed for the 2018 National Finals. Competitors that compete throughout the season, 1 July 2017 - 30 June 2018 at;

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Q3. How do I qualify to enter the 3D Barrel Race at the finals?

A. The horse must have competed at 1 or more jackpots between 1 July 2017 - 30 June 2018 to qualify for the finals. The rider does not have to qualify to compete in the 3D Barrel Race as long as they are entering on a horse that has qualified throughout the season and they are a Full Financial or Life Member of the ATRA.

Q4. Can I enter the Preliminary Roping after close of entries?

A. Yes you can enter the Preliminary Roping at the Finals. This will attract a \$20.00 per competitor late fee.

Q5. What happens if I place in the Top 10 in the Preliminary Roping.

A. The Top 10 teams in the average of the Preliminary ropings will get the opportunity to pay the entry fee & take that team entry into the finals competition as long as you have competed at 1 event throughout the season to qualify for the finals.

Q6. What happens if I place in the Top 10 in the Preliminary Roping, but have already entered the finals with that person?

A. If a team that has already entered the finals place in the Top 10 in the Preliminary Roping, neither of these ropers will be eligible to take this spot into the finals. They would merely be roping for preliminary prizemoney.

Q7. Does the Preliminary Roping count as an ATRA event for the season and qualify me to compete in the National Finals?

A. No the Preliminary Roping does not count as an ATRA event. If you haven't competed at 1 ATRA event between 1st July 2017 and 30 June 2018 you are not eligible to compete at the 2018 National Finals.

Q8. Is the ATRA Finals conducted as a "Sudden Death" format?

A. Yes. For the Finals competition all ropers start on zero points.

Q9. I want to enter the Open Team Roping, can I rope at the finals if I'm a #4 roper?

A. The OPEN roping is open to all ropers who have qualified.

Q10. Can I enter with any partner?

A. Yes, you can enter with any person that has qualified to rope at the finals and has not used all their available entries. You need to check your combined team number fits into the division you wish to enter.

Q11. If I have spare entries and my regular partners aren't attending, how do I find out if there is anyone else with spare entries that would like to rope together?

A. You can advise the ATRA the divisions you are chasing partners in and these will be advertised on the ATRA Facebook page until you advise they have been filled. Please note this will only be available until the close of entries.

Q12. When I qualified for the finals at my local jackpot I didn't have to dally, and received a time, plus a five second penalty for "no dally". Is this still the case at the ATRA National Finals?

A. All competitors at the ATRA National Finals must dally except any heeler 50 years or older (regardless of classification number), women who tie on (see Tie On Rule) and the Under 13's who may only do so at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

Q13. If I only catch one calf in the Ladies Breakaway rounds, can I make the short go in the Finals?

A. Yes, the Finals Ladies Breakaway event is not progressive therefore the Top 15 will be eligible for the short go.

Q14. Can I enter a 'Nobody' or 'TBA' partner to rope with me at the Finals who will be filling that position?

A. No. You must enter the partner you wish to rope with on your finals entry pack. No entries will be accepted without a partner.

Q15. What happens if I have to cancel out after my entries have been paid?

A. If you cancel out 14 days before the finals you will be refunded 100% of your entry fees. If you cancel out less than 14 days before the finals (without a vet or doctors certificate) you will be refunded 90% of your entry fees. If you do not notify Head Office that you will not be attending the finals your entry fees will be non-refundable.

Q16. What happens if there is a tie between High Point Champions at the Finals?

A. A 5 head #10 rope off will be held for the 4.5 & under division whereby the team cannot exceed 10.5. A 5 head #13 rope off will be held for the 5 & above division whereby the team cannot exceed 13.5. The tied individuals must select partners (either heading or heeling) to fit into those respective categories. The chosen partners must be a full or life members of the ATRA and have competed at an ATRA event during the season.

2018 ATRA NATIONAL FINALS PROGRAMME of EVENTS

Capella Qld 27th - 30th September, 2018



"ATRA RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE OR ALTER THE PROGRAMME AT ANY STAGE"

TUES & WED 25 & 26 Sept Sean O'Hanlon Horsemanship School - \$150/day (Contact Sean O'Hanlon 0487 373 700)
TUES & WED 25 & 26 Sept Brandi Phillips Trick Roping & Trick Riding Clinic - \$440 (Contact Netta Wharton 0428 425 378)
WEDNESDAY 26 Sept 9am Flagging School - \$50/session
2pm Rope Horse Maintenance - \$50/session
THURSDAY 27 Sept 9am ATRA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
12 noon JUNIOR NATIONAL FINALS EVENTS
2pm PRELIMINARY ROPING EVENTS

NATIONAL FINALS JUNIOR EVENTS..... 12 noon start

13 - 17 Yrs Barrel Race1 Round..... EF \$65
8 - 12 Yrs Barrel Race1 Round..... EF \$50
7 & Under Barrel Race1 Round..... EF \$30
Junior Breakaway2 head..... EF \$70

PRELIMINARY ROPINGS..... 2 HEAD PROGRESSIVE 2:00pm start

#6 MACHINE ROPING WILL BE RUN DURING THE WINNEFRED HOUR AT 5:30PM
#6 Machine Roping2 head..... progressive... EF \$50Top 10 win spots to the Finals
Ladies Breakaway.....2 head..... progressive... EF \$85Top 10 win spots to the Finals
#12 Team Roping2 head..... progressive... EF \$85Top 10 win spots to the Finals
#10 Team Roping2 head..... progressive... EF \$85Top 10 win spots to the Finals
8 Team Roping.....2 head..... progressive... EF \$85Top 10 win spots to the Finals
OPEN Team Roping2 head..... progressive... EF \$85Top 10 win spots to the Finals

MUSIC & BAR

FRIDAY 28th Sept *FIRST ROUND FRIDAY* NATIONAL FINALS EVENT 8:00am start

#10 TEAM ROPING Round 1 3 head progressive EF \$150 Short go Sunday
LADIES BREAKAWAY ROPING .. Round 1 3 head..... EF \$125 Short go Sunday
#8 TEAM ROPING Round 1 2 head progressive EF \$100 Short go Sunday
#6 MACHINE ROPING Round 1 2 rounds progressive EF \$50 Short go Sunday
#12 TEAM ROPING Round 1 3 head progressive EF \$150 Short go Sunday

MUSIC & BAR

SATURDAY 29th Sept NATIONAL FINALS EVENTS 8:00am Start

3D BARREL RACE Round 1 of 2 EF \$115
#12 TEAM ROPING Round 2 & Round 3
LADIES BREAKAWAY Round 2 & Round 3
#10 TEAM ROPING Round 2 & Round 3
#8 TEAM ROPING Round 2
OPEN TEAM ROPING Round 1 4 head, progressive EF \$200 Short go Sunday
#6 MACHINE ROPING Round 2
OPEN TEAM ROPING Round 2, 3 & 4

MUSIC & BAR

SUNDAY 30th Sept *SHORT GO SUNDAY* FINALS EVENTS..... 8:00am Start

CENTURY TEAM ROPING..... 2 head + Short Go, progressiveEF \$85Presentation
ALL GIRLS TEAM ROPING2 head + Short Go, progressiveEF \$85Presentation
3D BARREL RACERound 2..... slowest to fastestPresentation
FINAL #6 MACHINE ROPING.....Top 15 Presentation
FINAL LADIES BREAKAWAY.....Top 15..... Presentation
FINAL #12 TEAM ROPINGTop 15..... Presentation
FINAL #8 TEAM ROPINGTop 15 Presentation
FINAL #10 TEAM ROPINGTop 15..... Presentation
FINAL OPEN TEAM ROPINGTop 15..... Presentation

Presentation 2018 Junior Team Roping High Point Lazy D Longhorns Champion
Presentation 2018 National Finals Lady Roper High Point Champion
Presentation 2018 ATRA National Finals #4.5 & under High Point PBL Trailer Champion
Presentation 2018 ATRA National Finals #5 & over High Point PBL Trailer Champion

TRAVEL SAFE



2018 ATRA NATIONAL FINALS

Capella Qld - 27th - 30th September, 2018
Australasian Team Roping Association Inc
www.teamroper.com.au

MAJOR CASH & AWARDS

\$20 000 POSTED PRIZEMONEY

- \$5000 OPEN Team Roping with Bonus \$2000 #10 Incentive
- \$3000 #12, #10 & #8 Team Roping
- \$2000 Ladies Breakaway & 3D Barrel Race



Don't be late
Get your entries in by 3 Aug
"No exceptions"

10 FINALS CHAMPIONSHIP SADDLES

- OPEN Team Roping Header & Heeler
- # 12 Team Roping Header & Heeler
- # 10 Team Roping Header & Heeler
- # 8 Team Roping Header & Heeler
- 1D Barrel Race
- Ladies Breakaway Roping

Rope Rope Rope
Fun Fun Fun



24 FINALS CHAMPIONSHIP BUCKLES

- Open Team Roping Header & Heeler
- # 12 Team Roping Header & Heeler
- # 10 Team Roping Header & Heeler
- # 8 Team Roping Header & Heeler
- #6 Machine Roping Header & Heeler
- Century Team Roping Header & Heeler
- All Girls Team Roping Header & Heeler
- 1D & 2D Jnr Looper Header & Heeler
- Ladies Breakaway Roping
- Junior Breakaway Roping
- 1D, 2D & 3D Barrel Race
- 13 - 17 yrs, 8 - 12 yrs & Tiny Tots Barrel Race

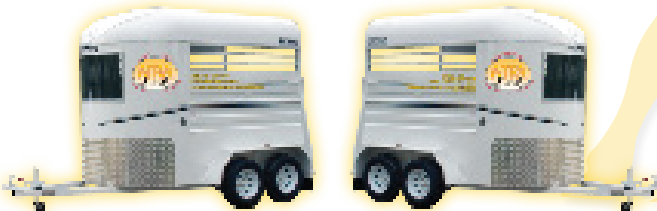
Beautiful Bob Berg
2018 Champion Buckles
to be won!

2 KARA KART TWO HORSE TRAILERS

- Finals High Point #4.5 & Under Team Roper
- Finals High Point #5 & Over Team Roper

Bonus \$\$\$ to be won

See you There!!!



2018 NATIONAL FINALS ENTRY FORM



YOUR NAME					YOUR ATRA #			
OPEN TEAM ROPING - EF \$200							EF/roper	PAID
1	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$200			
2	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$200			
3	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$200			
4	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$200			
5	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$200			
#12 TEAM ROPING - EF \$150								
1	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
2	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
3	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
4	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
5	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
#10 TEAM ROPING - EF \$150								
1	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
2	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
3	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
4	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
5	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$150			
#8 TEAM ROPING - EF \$100								
1	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$100			
2	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$100			
3	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$100			
4	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$100			
5	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$100			
#6 MACHINE ROPING - EF \$50								
1	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
2	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
3	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
4	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
5	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
3D BARREL RACE - EF \$115								
1	HORSE NAME					\$115		
2	HORSE NAME					\$115		
3	HORSE NAME					\$115		
4	HORSE NAME					\$115		
5	HORSE NAME					\$115		
CENTURY TEAM ROPING - EF \$85 - Team must have a combined age of 100 or more - Entries also accepted on the day								
1	HEADER	AGE	HEELER	AGE	\$85			
2	HEADER	AGE	HEELER	AGE	\$85			
3	HEADER	AGE	HEELER	AGE	\$85			
ALL GIRLS TEAM ROPING - EF \$85 - Entries also accepted on the day								
1	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
2	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
3	HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
LADIES BREAKAWAY ROPING - EF \$125								
					\$125			
JUNIOR BREAKAWAY ROPING - EF \$70:								
					\$70			
13 - 17 YRS BARREL RACE - EF \$65:								
					\$65			
8 - 12 YRS BARREL RACE - EF \$50:								
					\$50			
7 & UNDER BARREL RACE - EF \$30: Tiny Tots can also enter on the day								
					\$30			
NATIONAL FINALS ROPING ENTRIES TOTAL								

2018 ATRA ENTRIES CONTINUED.....



YOUR NAME				YOUR ATRA #			
PRELIMINARY OPEN TEAM ROPING - EF \$85/roper						EF/roper	PAID
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
PRELIMINARY #12 TEAM ROPING - EF \$85/roper							
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
PRELIMINARY #10 TEAM ROPING - EF \$85/roper							
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
PRELIMINARY #8 TEAM ROPING - EF \$85/roper							
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$85			
PRELIMINARY #6 MACHINE ROPING - EF \$50/roper							
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
HEADER	#	HEELER	#	\$50			
PRELIMINARY LADIES BREAKAWAY ROPING - EF \$85							
ROPER'S NAME						\$85	
						PRELIMINARY ROPING ENTRIES TOTAL	

2018 ATRA NATIONAL FINALS COMPETITOR POLO SHIRT MUST BE ORDERED AND PAID FOR BY MONDAY 13TH AUGUST 2018

SHORT SLEEVE SUBLIMATED COMPETITOR POLOS
Stand out in the crowd. Cool, quick dry and lightweight
100% Breezeway polyester micro mesh fabric. 150Gsm

SIZING CHART											
SIZE	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL	6XL	7XL
FULL CHEST	100	105	110	115	120	125	130	135	140	145	150
LENGTH	68	71	74	77	79.5	82	84.5	87	88.5	90	91

SIZING CHART - KIDS							
SIZE	4	6	8	10	12	14	16
FULL CHEST	72	77	82	87	92	97	102
LENGTH	52	54.5	57	59.5	62	64.5	67



POLO SHIRTS	Qty	Size	Colour	Price	Paid
				\$40	
				\$40	
				\$40	
				\$40	
TOTAL				TOTAL	

YOUR DETAILS



NAME _____ ATRA MEMBERSHIP # _____
 PHONE _____ EMAIL _____
 ADDRESS _____

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR PRIZEMONEY DEPOSIT

BANK NAME _____ ACCOUNT NAME _____
 BSB ACCOUNT NUMBER

CHECKLIST

- Please provide your Bank Account details - if details are not provided Prizemoney will be deposited after the 5th October, 2018
- Prizemoney won will be deposited by 5th October 2018 - after the National Finals if details are supplied on this forms
- **NO NATIONAL FINALS PRIZEMONEY WILL BE PAID AT THE EVENT - NO EXCEPTIONS**
- Please confirm your entries with your partner prior to posting your entry forms to Head Office
- Please make a copy of this form prior to sending for your future reference
- **NATIONAL FINALS ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MONDAY 13TH AUGUST OR THEY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED - NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- Entries can be paid by personal cheque, money order, credit card or direct deposit. Please email receipt for direct deposit tracking
- Any questions contact Head Office admin@teamroper.com.au or phone 0488 471 069

Please attach your Entry Form NATIONAL FINALS ROPING ENTRIES TOTAL		
Please attach your Entry Form PRELIMINARY ROPING ENTRIES TOTAL		
Please attach your Order Form ATRA COMPETITOR POLO SHIRT TOTAL		
Please download a membership form from the ATRA website, fill out and attach - ATRA SENIOR FULL MEMBERSHIP	\$176	
Please download a membership form from the ATRA website, fill out and attach - ATRA JUNIOR FULL MEMBERSHIP	\$88	
Please contact ATRA Head Office - admin@teamroper.com.au for a Day Membership form, fill out and attach - ADULT EVENT MEMBERSHIP	\$44	
Please contact ATRA Head Office - admin@teamroper.com.au for a Day Membership form, fill out and attach - JNR EVENT MEMBERSHIP	\$22	
ALL COMPETITORS OVER 18 MUST PAY AN ARENA FEE / PERSON	\$10	
AUSTRALASIAN TEAM ROPING ASSOCIATION ABN: 94 620 859 177 - TOTAL TO PAY inc gst		

PAYMENT DETAILS

YOUR NAME _____

Total money paid \$ _____ Credit Card Direct Deposit Cheque Money Order

Please charge my Visa Mastercard Other NB: There will be an eftpos surcharge for all credit card transactions

Card # Expiry CVC

Cardholders Name _____

ATRA DIRECT DEPOSIT: BSB 032621 ACCOUNT 325664 - Please email deposit receipt to: admin@teamroper.com.au

Cheques to be made payable to: Australasian Team Roping Association Inc. Mail to: 429 Peel Street, Tamworth NSW 2340

THANK YOU, SEE YOU THERE AND GOOD LUCK!