

RCC SADDLE CLUB ROYALTY DUTIES

The Royalty Court consists of the Queen and her attendant(s), the Princess and her attendant(s), the Jr. Princess and her attendant(s), Mr. Horseman and his attendant(s), the Sr. Horseman and his attendant(s), and the Jr. Horseman and his attendant(s). Royalty should be the following ages as of January 1st of the year in which they will reign. Queen and Mr. Horseman 14-18, Princess and Sr. Horseman 9-13, Jr. Princess and Jr. Horseman 8 or under and able to ride safely alone. Contestants may opt to move up one year early but may not return to the younger age group afterwards. Contestant must be an active member in good standing with RCC Saddle Club in both the year they compete for Royalty and the year in which they reign.

The entire Royalty court is expected to attend these RCC events and be responsible for listed duties as follows –

- A. At least 2/3 of all gymkhana nights
 - represent their corresponding age group by riding in events.
- B. The annual year-end Awards Banquet
 - present awards and assist with auction (if held)
 - help set-up and decorate for banquet, if needed
- C. Participate in the Colorado State Fair Parade
- D. Royalty Competition for the year following their reign
 - set riding patterns, mail rules and registration forms to contestants, etc.
 - acquire sponsors or raise funds for judges fees (if applicable) and in order to leave a minimum of \$200 in the Royalty account for expenses – No RCC General Funds will be used for these items, it is the sole responsibility of the Royalty Court.
- E. Royalty Fund Raisers
 - plan and organize fundraisers to purchase buckles or other items, if desired, for current Royalty court
- F. RCC Meetings
 - At least 1 representative from the Royalty need to be present at all RCC meetings (can be by Royalty Court or their parents)
 - attend at least 2 RCC meetings during their reign

All Royalty members must wear proper western attire (jeans, long sleeved shirt, boots, cowboy hat/helmet) and their Royalty crown and sash/identifying item when representing RCC at official or public functions, including RCC gymkhana grand entries. Royalty crowns are the property of RCC Saddle Club and will be 'passed on' each year. If crown is damaged or lost, replacement will be at the Royalty member's expense.

Any unsportsmanlike or improper behavior demonstrated by any member of the Royalty Court during any official or public function will be subject to proper disciplinary action by the RCC Board.

If the obligations set herein are not properly fulfilled, proper disciplinary action will be taken by the RCC Board of Directors, beginning with a warning letter being sent to those members of the Royalty Court. If further action is required, it will be at the discretion of the RCC Board.

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ROYALTY CONTEST RULES

Contestant must be an active member in good standing with RCC Saddle Club in both the year they compete for Royalty and the year in which they reign.

Contestant must ride their own horse or one belonging to their immediate family, or a legitimately leased horse per RCC rules.

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I, _____, have received a copy of the “RCC Saddle Club Royalty Duties” and agree to comply with said duties if I become a member of the Royalty Court.

Contestant Signature _____ Parent Signature _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Birthdate _____ Age _____

Please check which one you will be competing for:

_____	Queen	_____	Mr. Horseman
_____	Princess	_____	Sr. Horseman
_____	Jr. Princess	_____	Jr. Horseman