



**The No Brakes Tour – a unique, new barrel racing series.**

**The Mission:** Offer a barrel racing series that draws tough competition with great ground conditions, impressive facilities, excellent payouts, nice year-end prizes, and friendly atmospheres.

**No Brakes Tour Dates & Locations:**

- SEPT 3-5, 2011 **SPIN3** RACE – EATON, CO KICK OFF OF TOUR SEASON
- SEPT 11, 2011 – SPICER ARENA
- OCTOBER 2, 2011 – BURNS RANCH ARENA
- OCTOBER 15-16, 2011 – SPICER ARENA
- DEC 17-18, 2011 – SPICER ARENA
- January 21-22, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- Feb. 18-19, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- March 24-25, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- April 21-22, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- MAY 5-6, 2012 **SPIN3** RACE – (location pending)
- May 19-20, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- JUNE 2-3, 2012 **SPIN3** RACE – PUEBLO, CO State Fairgrounds
- June 16-17, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- July 14-15, 2012 TBD, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- Aug 4-5, 2012 SPICER ARENA
- The first and third Tuesday nights jackpots Oct and Nov 2011, Jan – May 2012 at SPICER ARENA produced by Laura Lambert
- **September 15-16 - The 2012 No Brakes Tour Finale at Spicer Arena in Eaton, CO**

**Contestants are required to attend at least 15 races on the Tour Schedule, including the Finals, in order to qualify for the AWARDS.** (Dates are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances).

**What Awards, you ask? TROPHY SADDLES to the High Money Winners in Each “D” and to the Novice Horse Champion upon culmination of the 2012 Tour at the No Brakes Tour Finals in Fall 2012 at Spicer Arena.** Award packages will continue to grow throughout the year as we will work all year to make sure the prize package is great!

Each producer will enforce their own ground rules and together we will keep standings based upon high money in each “D.” You can count only the highest amount of money won in a “D” at a race in the standings. Standings will be updated and posted at least once per quarter. The 2011-12 Tour kicks off Sept 3-5, 2011 at Spicer Arena with the Spin3 Productions Rocky Mountain Super Race and the season culminates at the year-end finals Sept 15-16 at Spicer Arena. With your participation we look forward to making this a FUN endeavor in 2012!! Main contacts: Bonnie Wheatley or Stacy Scheller. If you or someone you do business with is interested in advertising via sponsorship of year end awards or added money, please let us know, we would love to work with you.

**2012 TOUR GUIDELINES:**

No Brakes Standings will be kept based upon the highest dollar amount earned in each D. Ex: If you win 1<sup>st</sup> in the 2D (\$200) and also win 4<sup>th</sup> in the 2D (\$50) on the same day, the highest dollar amount is what goes in the standings, the lower amount is dropped. So you would have \$200

counted in the 2D standings in our program. You can be in the standings in multiple "Ds" and on multiple horses.

**\$1000 Novice Horse Eligibility:**

A Novice Horse cannot have won in excess of \$1,000 prior to nomination. The period of nomination/eligibility will be from **October 1, 2011 to September 15, 2012**. Novice Horses must be nominated via submitting a copy of the registration papers and any earnings record in writing to Stacy Scheller or Bonnie Wheatley. We reserve the right to verify earnings and approve or deny Novice Horse status at our discretion.

- Horse cannot have won more than \$1,000 in money and/or prizes in its barrel racing history at time of nomination. WE ARE RELYING ON HONEST FACTS ABOUT THE \$1,000 NOVICE HORSES HISTORY.
- If nominated horse wins more than \$1,000 in its nominated year, it can continue to run in the \$1,000 novice horse through the end of the No Brakes Tour Finals.
- Nomination of a horse will be made by the horse's registered name. Points will be tracked on the horse not the rider.
- Money won will count from date of nomination postmark or from the time nomination was submitted in person.
- A nominated horse can count money won in any open or \$1,000 novice horse approved barrel race. ALTHOUGH, if a Novice horse runs in both the Open and the Novice Horse the same day and wins money in both, only the highest dollar amount will be counted toward the Novice Horse Program. Open money will still count for the rider in the Open standings, provided it is their highest dollar amount won in that D.

**Note to barrel racers regarding this Tour:** Please be aware that this Tour is FOR YOU & was started by a small group of volunteers who wish to give you a nice opportunity to win beautiful year-end awards. There is no membership fee and administrative costs are being kept at a minimum & are not being passed along to you. Please keep this in mind and be aware that the No Brakes organizers are open to constructive suggestions, but we work better without criticism...this program is designed as a benefit to the barrel racers in this region, enjoy! ☺

