

Visiting Royalty Attending the CPRA Royalty Pageant

Updated 2024

1. To attend the CPRA Royalty Pageant as Visiting Royalty, you must be a current title holder.
2. Applications to attend the 2024 CPRA Royalty Pageant as Visiting Royalty is due **August 21, 2024**.

Email the Visiting Royalty Application, Biography, and Photograph to **BOTH** Jackie White and Amanda Guthrie (jackie@cprapageant.com, amanda@cprapagent.com) **on or before August 21, 2024**.

Photographs: Please submit one head and shoulder photograph displaying the title you will be representing while attending the CPRA Royalty Pageant and CPRA Finals.

3. Only 10 visiting royalties will participate in the rodeo performance. The following criteria will be used to determine who is participating horseback at CPRA Finals.
 1. Will be attending all three performances of the 2024 CPRA Finals Rodeo.
 2. State or National title holder.
 3. Represents a CPRA sanctioned rodeo.
 4. Queens will be selected over Princess titleholders, and Princess titleholders will be selected over Little Miss representatives.
4. If you have any questions about the Visiting Royalty Schedule, **please contact Jackie White** at jackie@cprapageant.com, via Facebook, or by mobile phone (785)893-2563. Leave a message with your name and title and she will contact you as soon as she's available.
5. The **Visiting Royalty Schedule** is posted on the CPRA website under Pageant Info, please review this closely as it is subject to change.
6. The CPRA Royalty Pageant is not responsible for and will not assist visiting royalty with procuring a horse to ride during the CPRA Finals.

General Information

Proof of negative Coggins test dated within 1 year and current Health Papers dated within 30 days are mandatory for attending Pageant and Rodeo Events. Must Provide a **PHYSICAL COPY (not original)** at Horse Check-in. A digital copy will not be accepted, and the committee will not print a physical copy for you.

Horse Stalls

Indoor stalls are available at Bar K Bar Arena in Lyons, Ks. You cannot tie your horse to your trailer or set up a portable pen at the Bar K Bar Arena. All horses will be required to be in stalls or will have to be loaded and leave the grounds. The Bar K Bar Arena requires that all shavings be purchased from them. **One horse per stall only**. Any charges for violations on the Bar K Bar grounds will be billed to the CPRA, it is imperative that Royalty Contestants and Visiting Royalty follow all instructions.

The stalls are \$35.00 for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday afternoon which includes one bag of shavings, Thursday night check-in is an additional \$15.00. Additional shavings can be purchased during Horse Check-In for \$8.00 a bag.

****Cost of your stalls and extras shavings must be sent to the CPRA pageant by September 23rd. Please send via Zelle (contact us for help) or mail a check or money order by September 23, 2024.**

When you check in at **Visiting Royalty Check-in** at Orientation you will be charged for any additional shavings if applicable and any rodeo tickets needed, so please have cash ready for these fees. **You will receive one ticket per night that you attend for a parent/guardian**, all others must be purchased at check-in.

The Bar K Bar Arena does have limited **electrical only hook-ups for trailers**, unfortunately, **we cannot offer them to visiting royalty this year**. This does not mean that you can not stay in your trailer running a generator, simply means we can not hold any electrical hook up in your name.

* You are responsible for picking up all trash around your trailer and vehicle(s). There is a penalty charged to the association if trash must be picked up by Arena Employees.

Fashion Show

Visiting Royalty will be asked to model apparel from the CPRA Pageant sponsor Cripple Creek Apparel. Please bring with you neutral clothing that can be worn with any or multiple leather jacket, leather vest, possible skirt(s). Your sponsor pieces will be assigned to you after orientation. These items are NOT to leave the Celebration Center and are the property of the CPRA Royalty Pageant, these items are not for sale. We also ask that the Visiting Royalty bring an arena/chap outfit to model during the CPRA Fashion Show. Please plan accordingly.

Hotel Information

The following hotels are available, we are working to get special rates and will post them if/when they are available.

Celebration Centre Inn: 1108 US-56, Lyons, KS 67554 (see hotel info) Call 620-680-6022 to book your room directly.

Lyons Inn: 817 W Main St., Lyons, KS 67554 Call 620-257-5185 to book your room directly.

Country Inn Motel: 430 S Broadway Ave. Sterling, KS 67579 Call 620-904-4424 to book your room directly.

There is limited hotel accommodation in Lyons's area. If you want to share a hotel room with other queen(s) please let Jackie know, so she can put you in contact with another queen that wants to share hotel expenses. We encourage our visiting royalty to room together to cut costs if possible. We will not be making reservations for any visiting royalty or holding hotel rooms for visiting royalty.

Meals

The CPRA Royalty Pageant is not providing meals. There has been enough time scheduled between pageant events, special appearances for visiting royalty, and rodeo events for meals on your own.