

## **Vale 4<sup>th</sup> of July Wild Cow Milking Rules**

1. Two loops can be thrown
2. Roper begins on horse and remains the roper through the whole event.
3. Mugger starts on the ground and remains the mugger through the whole event.
4. Cow can **ONLY** be milked by the ROPER.
5. Roper must dally and rope will not be tied hard and fast.
6. Clean head catch around the neck.
7. Cow must be legally roped and standing on ALL 4 hooves while milked.
8. Rope has to be completely off the cow (OFF meaning that the rope is completely off and not touching the cow) before Roper/Milker enters the circle.
9. Judge must have stop watch and allow 5 seconds for milk to drip from the bottle.

### **YOU WILL BE DISQUALIFIED IF:**

1. The above rules are not followed.
2. Holding cow by the tail to stop or slow her down.
3. Exceeding 2 minute time limit.
4. If rope is not free of horse and saddle when Roper comes in contact with cow.