

THERMOPOLIS  
COWBOY RENDEZVOUS  
PRCA RODEO



## Royalty Program

Thermopolis Cowboy Rendezvous PRCA Rodeo Royalty are representatives of the great sport of rodeo. They are a bridge between the seats and the arena as well as ambassadors for this community and the entire Big Horn Basin.

The first queen was selected in 1936 and since that time, excluding brief periods, royalty has reigned serving as envoy to the western way of life. The Thermopolis Cowboy Rendezvous PRCA Rodeo Queen Committee is dedicated to preserving the tradition of rodeo royalty while bringing recognition to the sport of rodeo and honor the hard working individuals who represent their country by being great role models. For many rodeo queens, experience and contacts made during their reign open doors leading to exciting careers and life experiences. Our rodeo committee strives to make the royalty experience very positive and rewarding.

The Thermopolis Cowboy Rendezvous PRCA Rodeo Queen Pageant will be held each fall. Contestants compete in one of two categories: Sr. Princess (Ages 16-18) and Queen (Ages 19-24). Contestants are judged on horsemanship, personality and appearance. Horsemanship (reining pattern completion, free riding and carrying a flag), personal interview, speech, impromptu speaking, modeling and general knowledge are categories in which a contestant must score 70 percent or better to be selected to represent this rodeo. The Thermopolis Cowboy Rendezvous PRCA Rodeo Queen will be eligible to compete for Miss Rodeo Wyoming the following year.

Being a rodeo queen reaches far beyond waving while riding in a parade or around an arena. It is a position of public service, promoting a heritage and western way of life. It is fundamental leadership. It is being a role model.

We are very excited to share this opportunity with young ladies and look forward to partnering with you on this great adventure!

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