

California Rodeo Association
2017 Horse Parade Survey

The California Rodeo Salinas (CRS) is interested in ways to improve our show and auxiliary events. We would appreciate it if you could answer the following questions and provide us with any feedback regarding our horse parade and grand entry. **Your input will help us improve our show. Thank you!**

1.	Tell us about you	First time this year	2 - 4 years	5 – 9 years	10 + years
1.1	How many times have you participated in the CSR Horse parade?	5	3	6	11
1.2	How many times have you participated in the CSR Grand entry?	3	5	6	10

Please check the response that best reflects how you feel.

2.	Overall, how satisfied were you with the way CRS runs and organizes	Excellent	Very Well	Good	Poor	Very Poorly
2.1	The Horse Parade	15	6	1	1	0
2.2	The Grand Entry	16	1	1	1	0
3.	Overall, how satisfied were you with the CRS volunteers who organize	Excellent	Very Well	Good	Poor	Very Poorly
3.1	The Horse Parade	17	6	1	1	0
3.2	The Grand Entry	12	2	1	2	5

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4. What do you like best about the annual CRS Horse parade and Grand Entry?

How the parade makes folks smile.
All of the support by the volunteers and fans.
That fact that it is one of the biggest parades.
Very organized and fun.
Creates excitement for the Rodeo
Seeing all of the different horses and outfits
The opportunity to allow the community to be part of this amazing Rodeo.
Showing the community that we need to preserve our Western Heritage.
The volunteers who assist with parking and judging are always so helpful and well organized.
Great Crowd!
Easy to enter last minute.
Lots of judging categories.
Fun to get a bit trophy!
I love that this is an ALL horse parade.
I feel very happy and satisfied.
I like to be with the whole community for those four days.
Thank you for asking for our feedback, it really shows how much this Rodeo cares about making it the best.

5. What suggestions, if any, do you have for improving the annual CRS Horse Parade and Grand Entry?

Keep doing what you are doing!
Better parking for trailers. Train volunteers.
Allow participates to do a lap around the stadium.
Ban large spurs.
Separate stallion judging area.
New judging classes
Don't allow drinking on the track.
Separate studs from the rest of the horses.
Larger award money due to cost of horses and travel. More money will get more riders.
Grand Entry Volunteers need to be friendlier. Some are rude.
More trailer parking.
Parking at the Rodeo grounds is difficult, please suggest where to park.
Parking at the staging area on Sunday was crowded.
Get someone to take pictures.
Allow parade participants back in the arena for grand entry.
There needs to be more room at the Rodeo grounds for entrants to park trailers for breakdown and pickup.
If the grand entry improves the Rodeo will improve because sometimes it will populate with stallions.
Better parking, more kind people, somewhere to put horses while you go to the bathroom.
Better staff.

6. Based on your past experience, would you participate in future CRS parades?

Yes 22 No 2