

# 1ST ANNUAL NILE ROPE STROKE

**August 21-23, 2020**

**Calcutta Auction Date** August 21- Calcutta Average of entire weekend and golf – Blue Cat  
August 22 – PM – Calcutta Average of Team Roping  
**Auction Time:** 6:30 PM-8:00 PM (MST)  
**Auction Location:** Blue Cat- Huntley, MT  
**Golf -** **August 22 – 9am Shot Gun Start – Eagle Rock Golf Course**  
**Team Roping -** **August 23<sup>rd</sup> - 10am – Blue Cat Arena**

**Charitable Beneficiary of Calcutta:** Northern International Livestock Exposition

## **Event Rules and Information**

### **Golf Tournament Portion**

- 3 Man teams
- 18 Holes
- 3 Man Scramble Rules
  1. A **scramble** means that all team members tee off on each hole and then decide which tee shot they like the best and mark the spot with a tee or ball marker. The other team members pick up their balls and place them within one club length (no closer to the hole) of the marked spot.
  2. Lowest Scoring Team wins
  3. All competitors tee off from white tees except players over 67 and women.

Team gets one score for a team total. Opposing teams on the same hole will keep the score of their competitors. Lowest score wins

- 10 points – 1<sup>st</sup> place
- 9 points – 2<sup>nd</sup> place
- 8 points – 3<sup>rd</sup> place
- 7 points – 4<sup>th</sup> place
- 6 points – 5<sup>th</sup> place
- 5 points – 6<sup>th</sup> place
- 4 points – 7<sup>th</sup> place
- 3 points – 8<sup>th</sup> place
- 2 points – 9<sup>th</sup> place
- 1 points – 10<sup>th</sup> place

There will be no flights or handicaps.

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## Team Roping Portion

- 2 members of the original 3 man team must designate a header and a heeler and must stay roping that position throughout the duration of the roping
- The roping's are 3 head progressive after you catch your first one
- Points are giving from first to tenth:
  - 10 points – 1<sup>st</sup> place
  - 9 points – 2<sup>nd</sup> place
  - 8 points – 3<sup>rd</sup> place
  - 7 points – 4<sup>th</sup> place
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  - 4 points – 7<sup>th</sup> place
  - 3 points – 8<sup>th</sup> place
  - 2 points – 9<sup>th</sup> place
  - 1 points – 10<sup>th</sup> place

**Total Points** The winning team will be determined by the highest point total between the two events. There will be 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place team prizes. If the tournament is called for weather the highest point total for the Golfing portion will be used to determine the winners.

**Team Information:** Three (3) person teams, capped at 108 Participants, totaling 36 teams, male and female competitors.

**Registration Fee:** Each Team will pay a total registration fee of \$425. 20% is taken out of the pot for administrative and fundraising costs.

Team Ropers - \$150

Golfer - \$125

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## Event Payout Structure

### Golf –

Pays out on each set of 6 holes  
Holes 1-6, 7-12, 13-18  
Pays Out on 18 holes average  
9-hole score DOES NOT PAY

### Roping

Runs as 3 -3 Round Progressive Roping's  
Ropers run up to 9 steers total  
Pays out on each 3 Roping's average  
Pays out a total on 9 head average

Over All Average based on Championship Points – Pays Out

## Calcutta Information

**Prize:** The Calcutta pool amount will be determined based on the total cash dollar amount collected from successful bids for each team at the conclusion of the Auction. The Prize will be divided as follows: 25% of the total Calcutta pool amount off the top goes to NILE Organization. The remaining 75% of the total Calcutta pool is divided amongst the successful bidders who “purchased” the winning teams: 50% to the successful bidder who purchased the 1<sup>st</sup> place team, 30% to the successful bidder who purchased the 2<sup>nd</sup> place team, and 20% to the successful bidder who purchased the 3<sup>rd</sup> place team.

**Minimum Bid:** The minimum bid for each team is \$50.00. If no one bids on a team, then the team themselves must purchase the team at a bid rate of \$50.00 and if that team wins, the team themselves gets the winnings.

**Bidders:** The Participants at the Auction can be any of the Competitors or attendees at the Auction.

**Conduct of the Auction:** Each team will be assigned a team number and introduced prior to bidding. An auctioneer will auction each team off one at a time in number order, per standard auction protocol (i.e., going once, twice, sold). The winning bidder at the close of bidding will be given a receipt designating the “purchased” team and the amount paid. There will not be an option for a team to buy back half a stake in their team.