

MHSRA Cutting Horse Event

1. There will be **10 Cutting Horse Events** throughout the MHSRA 2016-2017 season. These cuttings will be held at an NCHA sanctioned event hosted by a cutting horse association. The State Finals Cutting will be held during the week of MS High School Finals Rodeo.
2. Contestant is required to enter and compete at a **minimum of 5** of these Cuttings to be eligible to enter and compete in Cutting at the State Finals.

3. ALL POINTS EARNED AT THESE 10 CUTTINGS AND AT THE STATE FINALS CUTTING EVENT WILL COUNT TOWARD ALL AROUND POINTS.

<u>Cutting</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Association</u>
# 1	September 10, 2016	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 2	September 11, 2016	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 3	October 8, 2016	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 4	October 9, 2016	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 5	January 14, 2017 *	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 6	January 15, 2017 *	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 7	January 15, 2017 *	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 8	May 6, 2017 *	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 9	May 7, 2017 *	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
# 10	May 7, 2017 *	Scott County Coliseum – Forest	Central MS CHA
State Finals	TBD	Forrest Co Multipurpose - Hattiesburg	MS High School Rodeo

* there will a total of 3 cuttings on the January and May weekends (days to be determined) *

4. Contestant must meet all NHSRA and MHSRA membership requirements in order to enter the cutting at any of these events. Visit www.mshsra.org for membership forms and regulations.
5. Contestant must meet NCHA Youth membership requirements in order to enter the cutting at any of these events. Youth membership is currently **\$25.00 per calendar year**. The owner of the horse (if different from rider) must also be a member of NCHA which is \$60.00 per calendar year for adults or \$25.00 per calendar year for youth. Visit www.nchacutting.com for membership form (or NCHA membership can be purchased on site).
6. Contestants will be competing in the Youth Cutting Class. The current entry fee for the Youth Cutting Class in the Central MS CHA is **\$62.00 per cutting**.
7. Contestants will **enter on site** with the secretary provided by the cutting association. Please bring a **copy of horse's registration papers** and **copy of NCHA card** (can be purchased on site) if you are already a member.
8. Contestants will have the option of joining the local cutting horse association and competing for those points and awards. Visit www.centralmscha.com for details.
9. Points will be awarded to the top 10 MHSRA Boys and top 10 MHSRA Girls members placing in each event. Boys and Girls will be competing in the same class. MHSRA points will be kept separate for Boys Cutting and Girls Cutting.
10. All points earned at these cuttings plus points earned at the State Finals Cutting will count toward year end points to determine the top 4 in Boys Cutting and the top 4 in Girls Cutting, who will earn year end awards and qualify to compete at the National High School Finals Rodeo.

For more information regarding each show such as order of events, stalls, hookups, fees, practice, please contact the following:

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