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Attention all Local Photographers and Artists: Ellensburg Rodeo Poster Challenge

ELLENSBURG, WA – Ellensburg Rodeo Board is inviting Northwest local artists and photographers to submit artwork to be considered for the 2014 Ellensburg Rodeo Poster.

The winner of the challenge will receive \$300 and the honor of being the 2014 Official Ellensburg Rodeo Poster Artist. All entries must be at least 16 inches by 20 inches and need to be submitted with the entry waiver at the Ellensburg Rodeo Office by February 27, 2014.

The goal of the challenge is to find artwork that captures the excitement and flavor of the Ellensburg Rodeo. The entries will be displayed and judged at a public judging event at Fitterer's Furniture, March 7th from 5:00 – 7:00 pm (First Friday Art Walk) and the selected top 10 favorites will be presented to the Ellensburg Rodeo Board for final judging. There is a limit of two entries per person.

About Ellensburg Rodeo

The Ellensburg Rodeo is one of the top 20 Rodeos in the Country. The Ellensburg Rodeo is the final stop of the Wrangler Million Dollar Gold Tour and hosts the World Finale of PRCA's Extreme Bulls Tour. Started in 1923 with the same volunteer spirit that still "fuels the fire" of today's volunteers, the rodeo has grown from a local competition among ranch hands to the professional event of today with over 600 contestants and prize money in excess of \$400,000. Today's best riders, ropers, and wrestlers compete in what many consider to be the best rodeo arena in the nation.

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