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2010 Reunion Preliminary Schedule July 23-25, 2010 Alpine, Texas

The 34th Annual ANRS & Rodeo Exes Association will be July 23rd through 25th, 2010.

Friday - 6:30 pm Social

Saturday - 8 am Roping begins; 2:30 pm Poker Tournament; 9-12 Dance

Sunday - 8 am Golf Tournament

Contact us, or visit the website, for additional and updated details!

ANRS & Rodeo Exes Association

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Who are we?

The ANRS (Agriculture and Natural Resource Sciences) and Rodeo Exes Association (the Association) is an independent Association, recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as a 501(c)(3) public charity. Membership in the Association is open to any person with an interest in Sul Ross State University. The Association was formed in 1976.

The Association Executive Board consists of four Officers and an eight person Board of Directors. The Executive Board is elected by the general membership of the Association at the annual Reunion. Each member is elected for a two-year term. No Executive Board member, nor any Association member, receives any compensation for their work in promoting the activities of the Association.

What do we do?

The mission of the Association is to:

- Promote the School of Agriculture and Natural Resource Sciences and Rodeo competitors of Sul Ross State University.
- Establish and maintain contact with Sul Ross State University ANRS and Rodeo Ex-students and other interested persons. To encourage prospective college students to enroll in Sul Ross State University as participants in the various ANRS and Rodeo activities.
- Periodically honor and entertain the membership with a Reunion, Roping, and Golf Tournament.
- Maintain charitable and educational purposes under section 501(c)(3) in providing scholarships to the ANRS Department and Rodeo Participants.

Our primary activity and outreach is an annual reunion held in Alpine, Texas to raise scholarship funds for deserving students in the Agriculture and Natural Resource Science and Rodeo programs. The 2010 annual reunion will be held on July 23-25, 2010.

Over the weekend we have various activities and fund raising campaigns, notably a roping and golf tournament. All of the proceeds raised by the Association are utilized for scholarship purposes, and the only funds held over from the Reunion is "startup" money for the next Reunion.

Between 2001 and 2009, we have provided over \$64,000. in scholarships to Sul Ross State University. In addition, we established a scholarship fund for the continued growth and support of the programs administered by the ANRS and in support of the Rodeo Program. The account currently has a principal balance of nearly \$20,000.

Following the summer Reunion, the Executive Board determines the amounts of funds to be distributed as scholarships and to the endowments, scholarship funds are then remitted to Sul Ross State University in the established scholarship accounts. Once these monies have been remitted to SRSU, final allocation of these funds are at the sole discretion of the Dean of ANRS and the Rodeo Coach. The Association does not determine to whom the scholarships are awarded.

How can you help?

We are requesting your financial assistance in increasing the amount of scholarships awarded and to increase the amounts held in the endowments. The ANRS & Rodeo Exes Association is a 501(c)(3) public charity organization and contributions which exceed the value of goods or services received from the Association are generally deductible for Federal Income Tax purposes (though, you should consult a tax professional for specific details).

Attached is information concerning our suggested donation "tiers" and the benefits associated with each level.

Every cash donor contributing \$250. or more will receive written confirmation of their donation to satisfy IRS requirements (we generally provide receipts for donations under \$250.).

For additional information on the Association's tax exempt status, including copies of our exemption application, any supporting documentation, and/or our exemption letter please contact the Association Treasurer at:

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Thank you for your consideration in helping us advance the Agriculture and Rodeo programs at Sul Ross State University. Please feel free to contact us if we can provide any additional information regarding the Association, the Reunion, or Sul Ross.