

GRAND CANYON PRO RODEO ASSOCIATION

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GCPRA MEMBERS,

I hope this letter finds you all healthy and safe. We have been receiving calls and texts wondering what the remainder of the 2020 rodeo season is going to look like. The answer is we are going to have to wait and see... Let me assure you that we are in constant contact with our rodeo committees and keeping a pulse on the Covid-19 pandemic. Our goal is to get back to rodeo as soon as possible. Your safety along with our rodeo committees, and spectator's safety is our number one priority.

As of now we have lost 5 rodeos for the 2020 season (Needles, Tucson, Cottonwood, Yucca Valley, Kingman). We are working with Camp Verde to find a date to reschedule but will have to wait until we know it is safe to do so. Bagdad is still scheduled for the first of June and if needed, the committee is open to rescheduling. Show Low is our only rodeo in July and we hope to be back on track by then.

Our next board meeting is scheduled for the end of this month and we are hoping to have a better idea of how long this shutdown is going to last. We are committed to making informed decisions and providing you with the best rodeo season possible. Please understand your board of directors will be presented numerous options to move forward and I am confident that they will take all aspects of this year into consideration when making plans for the remainder of the season.

Moving forward we will continue to post information on our website **gcpra.net**, and you can follow us on social media to gather the most up to date information. We urge you to do your part, stay home and practice physical distancing if you must be out. The more we work together on this the sooner we will be back to doing the things we love.

Please stay safe,

Barrett Sittell

Barrett Littell, President Grand Canyon Pro Rodeo Association