

June 2026

Thank you for all who attended the May show & for all of the positive feedback. We work hard to produce the best shows we can & it's gratifying when your feedback lets us know we succeeded. Our reputation is important to us so again, thank you.

Thank you to **Nikole Monter & Family** for the circuit awards. We appreciate our sponsors for making our shows just a little more interesting. Gives a special meaning to the saying "ride for the prize".

The June show is the 10th anniversary of our show dedication to Jim Cox. Jim was many things in his life; husband to wife Gail, Dad, railroader, dog lover, horse lover, longtime BMC & NCHA member, NCHA Area Director & an ardent supporter of the sport of cutting particularly at the grassroots level at which there is a place for everyone & a friend to all. Each June we remember Jim & his contributions by holding the Jim Cox Memorial Buckle class. As BMC has prospered we've been able to pay the entry fees for the qualifiers. 2026 qualifiers are:

Ryen Overlin
Kevin Larmer
Mark Serbousek
Tina Schumacher
Abby Sale
Aneka Hausmann
Nicalee Smith
Anna Jensen
Susan Reynolds
Josie Beard

The 2026 Jim Cox Buckle class is being sponsored by BMC, Gail Cox, Jason Schaper/Schaper Horses and Greg & Karen Jones.

Qualifiers can enter that class by texting Kim (509) 834-0895 when you make your regular show entries. We will again be holding a calcutta prior to the class auctioning off each rider. Calcutta winner receives 60% of the pot with 40% to BMC. Bring a pocket of money. Hedge your bet by buying more than 1 rider. Bid enthusiastically. Go in with your friends to make bigger bets. The 2026 pot winner could be you! This class will be held after the Non-Pro so be there, bid &

cheer for the riders.

Past winners were:

2016 Evan McGuire
2017 Michelle Beaunoux
2018 Clint Carl
2019 Kit Cartmell
2020 COVID
2021 Sandra Bell
2022 Alice Huss
2023 Ginger Wedekind Taylor
2024 Kay Bosser
2025 Ron Schumacher

I got the word that **Liz Southard** will be in attendance bringing her merchandise for your consideration. Liz sells western themed apparel & accessories at a great price & we're so glad to have her. So take that money you win in the calcutta & spend it with Liz.

Things you need to know about show day:

- Entries are due on Wednesday, June 17th.
- Please make stall reservations at the same time so we can assure that your stall is unlocked for your use. Stalls are bedded in sand & shavings are not permitted.
- If you plan to attend the Friday fresh cattle practice, call Jerry McGuire 509-952-2591 to let him know you're coming & to practice.
- Please follow the signs to the parking area located behind the cutting pen & the indoor arena. Parking on the front side is for show management only.
- This is a working feedlot so take care not to block any roadways or equipment.
- Dogs are **not** permitted in the area of the arena's. If you travel with dogs please secure them at your rig.
- You can print the Membership form from the BMC website. Plan to visit the show office upon arrival to give the secretaries your completed membership form & pay fees.
- For your convenience, manure carts & forks are located near the indoor arena. Please clean up the area around your trailer before departing. Carts can be dumped in the cattle pen & must

be returned to the indoor arena empty.

- As usual, there will not be any concessions.
 - Please checkout the BMC website for schedule & class information & in particular the Show Rules which have been updated for 2026.
 - When warming up in the indoor, please follow standard loping pen guidelines. Everyone travels in the same direction fast to the outside, slow to the inside. If you need to lounge a horse, do so at the far end & not in front of any access gates. Do not block any of the gateways which causes congestion.
 - You can tie horses inside of the indoor but not near gates nor in the walk areas. The owner has posted "Do Not Tie Here" signs in the walk areas, so please respect them.
 - The string cow will be available for all to use at no cost.
 - If you have questions or an issue, talk to the show secretaries & they'll direct you to Greg Jones, Show Mgr.
- We look forward to seeing everyone on the 20th.