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first and second performance

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Stover is Two for Two

SAN ANTONIO --- Janet Stover had a repeat win at the San Antonio Stock Show Rodeo in the barrel race.

Last year, Stover won the first round of competition with a time of 15.21 seconds. She got a check for \$3,558. This year, the first run was completed at the San Antonio Rose Palace and she again finished at the top of the pack. She had a time of 15.59 seconds and won \$4,059.

Last year's winner here, Sherry Cervi from Marana, Ariz., also got a check. She tied for ninth place with a time of 15.89 seconds and won \$483. While every penny helps rodeo contestants get up and down the road, Cervi's time is really important in her quest for a repeat title here.

The contestants with the fastest times on two runs or highest scores on two rides will qualify for the Wrangler ProRodeo Tour round on Sunday, Feb. 22. Stover is at the top of the U.S.

Smokeless Tobacco Company Scoreboard with a total time of 30.13 seconds on two runs. With a lot of rodeo ahead here, Stover's position may change but she is in good position to qualify for the Tour round.

Matthew Hebbert is a rising star in the world of rodeo is leaving the SBC Center a very happy saddle bronc rider. Contestants enter the rodeo through a central entry office known as PROCOM in Colorado Springs at the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association headquarters. In the bareback riding, saddle bronc riding and bull riding, PROCOM does a random draw to see what animals they will ride.

Hebbert rode the Cervi Championship Rodeo horse Smokeless Rio Bravo for an 88-point marking. He is at the top of the leader board in the first round of competition. Hebbert will be traveling to other rodeos before coming back here to compete in the second round on Saturday, Feb. 21.

The bulls were the big winners at the second performance of the rodeo. On Saturday night, all seven of the bull riders hit the dirt before the required eight seconds were up.

The third performance of the rodeo will be Sunday, Feb.8 at 4 p.m.

SAN ANTONIO --- The following are unofficial results from the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo, Feb. 7, 2004, courtesy of U.S. Smokeless Tobacco Co.

First Performance --

Bareback Riding: 1, Mitch Rickman, Powell Butte, Ore., 82 points on Tuff E' Nuff. 2, Tim Wilkinson, Fort Scott, Kan., 81. 3, Luke West, Atlanta, Mo., 81. 4/5, Ted Osman, Fort Scott, Kan., and Kyle Bowers, Brooks, Alberta, Canada, 75.

Steer Wrestling: 1, Bobby Harter, Aledo, Texas, 3.8 seconds. 2, Cash Myers, Athens, Texas, 5.2. 3, Jace Honey, LaJunta, Colo., 6.0. 4, Jody Brown, Calgary, Alberta, 15.0.

Tie Down Roping: 1, Tim Pharr, Resaca, Ga., 11.3. 2, Jerome Schneeberger, Ponca City, Okla., 11.4. 3, Kyle Hughes, Model, Colo., 11.7. 4, Cliff Goodrich, Humboldt, Tenn., 12.8.

Team Roping: (only three qualified times) 1, Reece Midgett, Lockesburg, Ark., and Jay Tapley, Greenbrier, Ark., 7.8. 2, Paul Mullins, Chatsworth, Calif., and Scott Selland, Wheatland, Wyo.,

11.7. 4, Gregg Barrier, Hudson, Colo., and Chad Wahlert, Fort Morgan, Colo., 17.5.

Saddle Bronc Riding: 1, Bradley Harter, Aledo, Texas, 81 points on Tip Top. 2, Rody Hay, Wildwood, Alberta, Canada, 79. 3, Rance Bray, Dumas, Texas, 73. 4, Cody Martin, Hatfield, Ark., 70.

Women's Barrel Race: 1, Janet Stover, Rusk, Texas, 14.54. 2, Molly Powell, Sims, Mont., 14.76. 3, Edi Williams, and Rachel Randall, Hollis, Okla., 14.88.

Bull Riding: 1, B.J. Schumacher, Hillsboro, Wisc., 81 points on Smokeless Hitman. 2, Jeff Steedly, Jasper, Fla., 76. 3, Derald Riche, Helper, Utah, 72. 4, Jerry Shepherd, Levan, Utah, 68.

Second Performance –

Bareback Riding: 1, Eric Swenson, Bonham, Texas, 79 points on Baby Doll Dip. 3, Jeremy Seay, Wharton, Texas, 75. 3-5; Mike Outhier, Utopia, Texas; Scott Johnston, Gustine, Texas; and John Wright, Elko, Nev.; 74.

Steer Wrestling: 1, Todd Woodward, Carston, Alberta, Canada, 4.7. 2, Mike Garthwaite, Merritt, B.C., Canada, 6.1. 3, Chantz Greene, Rocksprings, Texas, 12.7. 3/4, Shawn Greenfield, Lakeview, Ore., and C.T. Fox, Keller, Texas, 15.4.

Tie Down Roping: 1, Joseph Gernentz, Mission, Texas, 9.2. 2, Travis Lewis, Lubbock, Texas, 14.1. 3, Kurt La Duke, Valentine, Neb., 17.1. 4, Rusty Miller, Comanche, Texas, 19.6.

Team Roping: 1, Jared Standridge, Conway, Ark., and Michael Harris, Vilonia, Ark., 5.5. 2, Devin Hayes, Stephenville, Texas and Toby Mentzer, Ensign, Kan., 5.8. 3, Brandon Harris, Rosemark, Tenn., and Shawn Harris, Searcy, Ark., 10.9. 4, Christopher Wisnoski, Millican, Texas and Joe Rion, Mauriceville, Texas, 14.5.

Saddle Bronc Riding: 1, Matt Hebbert, Hyannis, Neb., 88 points on Smokeless Rio Bravo. 2, Bret Franks, Goodwell, Okla., 85. 3, Billy Etbauer, Ree Heights, S.D., 81. 4, Josh MacKenzie, Jordan Valley, Ore., 80.

Women's Barrel Race: 1, Marlene McRae, Ramah, Colo., 14.77. 2, Debbie Richardson, Elmore City, Okla., 14.92. 3, Tonya Johnson, Shreveport, La., 14.93.

Bull Riding: (no qualified rides)

The following are first round winners in the timed events.

Steer Wrestling: (first round winners) 1, Clyde Himes, Stanton, Texas, 3.5, \$5,249. 2/3, Trevor Knowles, Mount Vernon, Ore., and Shawn Greenfield, Lakeview, Wash., 4.0, \$4,222. 4, Randy Suhm, Riverton, Wyo., 4.1, \$3,195. 5, Sean Mulligan, Aurora, S.D., 4.2, \$2,510. 6, Tom Hanson, Dunn Center, N.D., 4.3, \$1,826. 7, Beau Franzen, North Platte, Neb., 4.5, \$1,141. 8, Les Shepperson, Midwest, Wyo., 4.6, \$456.

Calf Roping: 1, Jerome Schneeberger, Ponca City, Okla., 7.5, \$5,249. 2, Fred Whitfield, Hockley, Texas, 7.6, \$4,564. 3, Terry Kitchens, Mullin, Texas, 7.9, \$3,879. 4, Justin Maass, Giddings, Texas, 8.2, \$3,195. 5-7; J.D. Kibbe, Portales, N.M.; Mike Johnson, Henryetta, Okla.; and Cory Caperton, China Spring, Texas; 8.3, \$1,826. 8/9, Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas and C.R. Bradley,

Sperry, Okla., 8.5, \$228.

Team Roping: 1, Turtle Powell, Alpine, Texas and Monty Joe Petska, Turlock, Calif., 5.1. 2-4; Marshall Samples, Abilene, Kan., and Kirt Jones, Piedmont, Okla.; Trent Cornelius, Nacogdoches, Texas and Perry Bigbee, Stephenville, Texas; and Steve Purcella, Hereford, Texas, and Britt Bockius, Claremore, Okla.; 5.4, \$2,304. 5, Landon McClaugherty, Tilden, Texas and B.J. Dugger, Three Rivers, Texas, 5.5, \$1,491. 6, Nick Sartain, Yukon, Okla., and Shannon Frascht, Alva, Okla., 5.7, \$1,084. 7-10; Clay Tryan, Billings, Mont., and Cory Petska, Lexington, Okla.; Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Okla., and Mike Bacon, Soper, Okla.; Frank Graves, Poplarville, Miss., and Brad Culpepper, Ashburn, Ga., 5.8; and Christopher Wisnoski, Millican, Texas, and Joe Rion, Mauriceville, Texas; 5.8, \$237.

Women's Barrel Race: 1, Janet Stover, Rusk, Texas, 15.59, \$4,059. 2, Benett Holt, Lubbock, Texas, 15.72, \$3,479. 3, Julianne Jolley, Albion, Idaho, 15.75, \$2,899. 4/5, Darlene Kasper, Bertram, Texas, and Jymmy Kay Davis, Gonzales, Texas, 15.78, \$2,222. 6, Amy Stevens, Zolfo Springs, Fla., 15.80, \$1,546. 7, Kim Hughes, Ackerly, Texas, 15.81, \$1,160. 8, Janae Ward, Addington, Okla., 15.83, \$773. 9/10; Mary Burger, Pauls Valley, Okla., and Sherry Cervi, Marana, Ariz., 15.89, \$483.