

**Thursday, February 07, 2002**

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### Graves Makes Blazing Steer Wrestling Run

SAN ANTONIO --- The exchange rate between the U.S. and Canada is looking pretty good for steer wrestler Lee Graves.

Graves, from Calgary, Alberta, Canada, stopped the clock on the U.S. Smokeless Tobacco Co. scoreboard in 3.4 seconds to take the lead in the second round of that event. This is one-tenth of a second faster than Rod Lymans 3.5 run that won the first round and collected the Victor, Mont., cowboy \$4,707.

Second place in the second round is six-tenths of a second slower than Graves. Tom Hansen from Dunn Center, N.D., has a time of 4.0 seconds. Graves will be wearing a big smile as he flies from here to Salt Lake City on Saturday. He will be representing Canada in the Olympic Command Performance Rodeo Feb. 9-11.

Another Ford rose to the top of the leader board on Thursday night. Jarrod Ford from Greeley, Colo., rode the bull named White Caps for a score of 87 points. Royce Ford, from Kersey, Colo., is currently in first place in the bareback riding. He rode the horse named High Noon for a score of 83 points during Wednesday nights rodeo. Jarrod and Royce are cousins. Jarrods brother Heath also competed in the bareback riding on Wednesday. Royce is the son of five-time world champion bareback rider Bruce Ford. Rodeo is definitely a family affair carrying on into the next generation with these talented athletes.

The eighth performance of the San Antonio Stock Show Rodeo will begin at 7 p.m. on Friday.

SAN ANTONIO --- The following are unofficial results from the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo, Feb. 7, 2002, courtesy of U.S. Smokeless Tobacco Co.

### Seventh Performance

Bareback Riding: 1, Forest Bramwell, Pagosa Springs, Colo., 78 points on Ryan Dex. 2, Tyson Thompson, Templeton, Ga., 76. 3, Matt Mosher, Wildhorse, Colo., 75. 4, Corey Price, New Underwood, S.D., 70.

Steer Wrestling: 1, Lee Graves, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, 3.4. 2, Curtis Cassidy, Donald, Alberta, Canada, 4.9. 3, Jody Brown, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, 5.0. 4, Jim Bob Clayman, Georgetown, Texas, 6.9.

Calf Roping: 1 /2, Jay Peters, San Antonio, Texas, and Jim Bob Wallace, Mertens, Texas, 12.1. 3, James Zant, Blessing, Texas, 17.7. 4, Nick Pernokus, Stephenville, Texas, 27.8.

Team Roping: (only one qualified time) 1, Jason Handy, Billings, Mont., and Robert Staley, Orland, Calif., 24.2.

Saddle Bronc Riding: 1, Rod Warren Big Valley, Alberta, Canada, 80 points on Las Vegas Lights.

2, Chad Mosher, Yoder, Colo., 76. 3, Rod Hay, Wildwood, Alberta, Canada, 74. 4, Dan Erickson, La Junta, Colo., 72.

Womens Barrel Race: 1, Amanda Rutledge, Bellville, Texas, 15.36. 2, Brandie Halls, Cheyene, Wyo., 15.55. 3, Kelly Maben, Spur, Texas, 15.72. 4, Jenny Zant, Blessing, Texas, 16.71.

Bull Riding: 1, Jarrod Ford, Greeley, Colo., 86 points on White Caps. 2, Jeremiah Wilder, Combine, Texas, 74. 3/4, Joe Smith, Banner, Wyo., 73. 4, Greg Fuller, Dimmit, Texas, 72.

The following are current leaders ---

Bareback Riding: (first round) 1, Royce Ford, Kersey, Colo., 83 points on High Noon. 2, J.D. Garrett, Jr., Belle Fourche, S.D., 82. 3, Phil Broome, Rome, Ga., 81. 4 /5, Chad Eubank, Whitney, Texas, and Forest Bramwell, Pagosa Springs, Colo., 78. 6-8, Robert Bowers, Brooks, Alberta, Canada, Jon Brockway, Mansfield, Texas; and Joe Ketter, Roy, Wash.; 77.

Steer Wrestling: (second round) 1, Lee Graves, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, 3.4. 2, Tom Hansen, Dunn Center, N.D., 4.0. 3-5; Beau Franzen, Sidney, Mont.; Nick Stubblefield, Helena, Mont.; and Jeff Corbello, Iowa, La., 4.4. (total on two) 1, Josh Lessman, Sidney, Mont., 9.8. 2, Randy Suhn, Riverton, Wyo., 9.8. 3, Stubblefield, 10.1. 4-6, Shawn and Teddy Johnson, Checotah, Okla.; and Vince Walker, Oakdale, Calif.; 10.5.

Calf Roping: (second round) 1, Jerome Schneeberger, Ponca City, Okla., 7.5. 2, Blair Burk, Durant, Okla., 8.0. 3, Clint Cooper, Childress, Texas, 8.4. 4/5, Bill Warner, Minden, La., and Lincoln Figueirdo, Huntsville, Texas, 8.7. (total on two) 1, Brad Goodrich, Hermiston, Ore., 17.3. 2, Guy Smith, Elnora, Alberta, Canada, 17.9. 3, Jeff Chapman, Athens, Texas, 18.1. 4, Burk, 18.6.

Team Roping: (second round) 1, Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas and Brad Culpepper, Ashburn, Ga., 4.9. 2-4, Justin Lovell, Grapeland, Texas, and B.J. Dugger, George West, Texas; Chad Masters, Hopkinsville, Ky., and Tom Bourne, Marietta, Ga.; and Devin Hayes, Stephenville, Texas and Toby Mentzer, Ensign, Kan., 5.0. (total on two) 1, Tommy Edens, Cedar Hill, Texas and Coby Jones, Gatesville, Texas, 11.6. 2, Hicks Harris, Agua Dulce, Texas and Hollis Harris, Frionia, Texas, 13.5. 3, Beaver and Culpepper, 15.2. 4, Dar Gillihan, Pleasant Hill, Mo., and Kit Gillihan, Lone Jack, Mo., 7.5.

Saddle Bronc Riding: (first round) 1/2, Rance Bray, Dumas, Texas, and Jake Costello, Dillon, Mont., 82. 3, Rod Warren, Big Valley, Alberta, Canada, 80. 4/5, Scott Johnston, Gustine, Texas, and Cody Wright, Milford, Utah, 78. 6-8 Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D.; Dan Mortensen, Dillon, Mont.; and Joe Slagowski, Carlin, Nev.; 77.

Womens Barrel Race: (second round) 1, Robin Bavaar, Kenansville, Fla., 15.24. 2, Debbie Doerner, Osyka, Miss., 15.27. 3, Tammy Key, Ledbetter, Texas, 15.28. 4, Amanda Rutledge, Bellville, Texas, 15.36. (total on two) 1, Tami Fontenot, Ethel, La., 31.26. 2/3, Kim Jackson, Bellville, Texas, and Tyra Kane Canyon, Texas, 31.53. 4, Bavar, 31.56.

Bull Riding: (first round) 1, Jarrod Ford, Greeley, Colo., 87 points on White Caps. 2, Robey Condra, Dayton, Texas, 83 points on Snuff Fandango. \*, Jason McClain, Kiowa, Colo., and Cody Hancock, Taylor, Ariz., 81. 5/6, James Oden, Kaufman, Texas, Blade Young, Tyvan, Saskatchewan, Canada, 80.

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