

You are invited



Strathmore Heritage Days Stampede

Saturday, July 31, 2010

Please join us for a BBQ from 4 p.m. until race time, when we'll cheer on the 2009 winner of both the Calgary Stampede Rangeland Derby and Edmonton's Chuckwagon Derby!

Races start at 6 p.m.

For more information, contact Kelly Rath (403.695.2774)

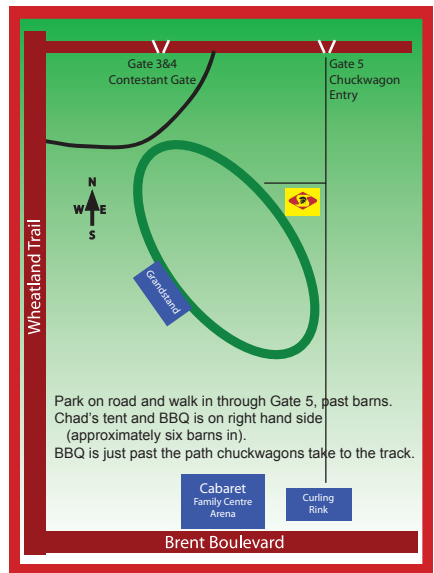
Tickets are limited.

Please RSVP by July 22 to Samantha Preston (403.695.2754) Preston.Sam@spartancontrols.com

Let her know how many adult & child tickets you need.



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Exchange this invitation for parking and entry to the grounds.
You require only one invitation per vehicle.

Chad Harden

....is a chuckwagon driver who is solidifying his spot in the sport's history. In 2009, Chad won the Calgary Stampede Rangeland Derby and Edmonton's Chuckwagon Derby - becoming just the third driver to win both major championships in a single year. He placed a career best seventh in the World Standings and had a horse named to the WPCA's Equine Outfit of Excellence.

In 2009, Chad posted 22 top ten runs including four first place runs and seven runs that cracked the top five. He had top ten overall aggregate finishes at six show championships and qualified for four sudden death finals at the Grande Prairie Stompede, Calgary Stampede, the Battle of the North and Edmonton's Chuckwagon Derby.

Chad has qualified for the Calgary Stampede Rangeland Derby Championship every year since he started competing, and was the first chuckwagon driver to win association and Calgary Stampede top rookie honors in a single year. He won the Calgary Stampede's Orville Strandquist Award for top rookie driver in 2001, the Ponoka Stampede Championship in 2002 and received the prestigious WPCA Chuckwagon Person of the Year Award in 2006.

He was the WPCA's Top Rookie Driver in 2000, introduced "Skippy the Squirrel" - chuckwagon racing's first mascot, and has participated annually in EnCana's WPCA/4-H Mentorship Program since its inception in 2005.



Chad's proud to be a third-generation chuckwagon driver. His grandfather Leroy Harden and father Robert Harden drove wagons for many years.

Chad owns and operates Generation Chemicals Inc., an oilfield chemical company and in the off-season is a big sports fan. Chad and his wife Dori have four children - Montana, Cheyenna, Dawson and Denver - and make their home near Mulhurst Bay, Alberta.



If you want to meet Chad, return to the Spartan area after the races.



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