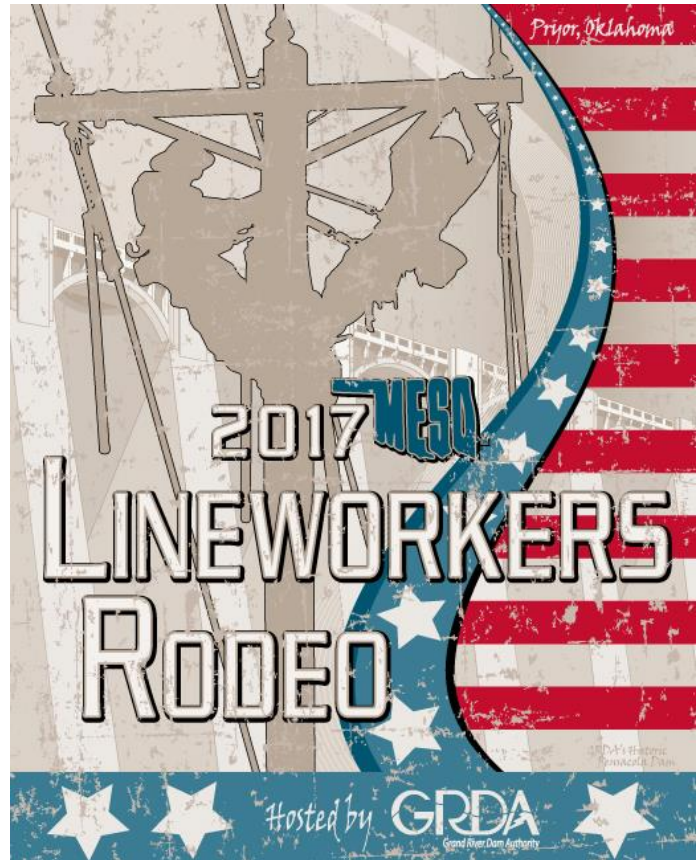


2017 MESO Lineworkers Rodeo and Safety Training

Hosted by GRDA



Competition/Training Registration Packet

~~September 27 - 28, 2017~~

October 25 – 26, 2017 (new dates)

[Click here](#) to register online

or visit www.meso.org

Registration deadline is ~~September 15~~

October 4, 2017

About the 2017 MESO Lineworkers Rodeo & Safety Training:

Lineworker Rodeos are a tradition at public power utilities across the country. Professionals come together in the spirit of friendly competition to demonstrate their skills and knowledge. Both journeyman and apprentice lineworkers gather in a safe environment to gain valuable experience.

Unique to the MESO Rodeo is an event designed to simulate Mutual Aid circumstances. The event provides lineworkers the opportunity to build relationships which could prove beneficial during real-life mutual aid situations. The 2017 event also will offer training sessions covering the 16th Edition of the American Public Power Association Safety Manual and Storm Readiness.

[Review the competition events here](#)

Each participant will be required to sign a liability release before participating in the Rodeo.

**Any lineworker, at any skill level,
can compete and gain valuable experience**

Schedule of events:

Day One – Wednesday, ~~September 27~~ October 25

- 1 pm A review of updates to the 16th Edition of the American Public Power Association Safety Manual
- 2:30 pm A roundtable discussion on Storm Preparation and Readiness.
- 4 pm Judges meeting
- 5 pm Expo & Dinner

Day Two – Thursday, ~~September 28~~ October 26

- 7:30 am Rodeo Registration
- 8 am Opening Ceremony
- 8:30 am Competition Begins
- 1 pm Rodeo Banquet

**All events will be at the MidAmerica Industrial Park
526 Webb Street, Chouteau, OK**

[Click here](#) to register online.

The 2017 MESO Lineworkers Rodeo & Safety Training will be two days and will offer both competitive events and training sessions.

Training and competing (Wednesday, ~~September 27~~ October 25 & Thursday, October 26 ~~September 28~~) **\$149 per person which includes:**

- Training – Wednesday, September 27
 - A review of updates to the 16th Edition of the American Public Power Association Safety Manual presented by Tom Dougherty, MESO
 - A roundtable discussion on Storm Preparation and Readiness lead by GRDA representatives
- Expo Meet & Greet and Dinner – Wednesday, September 27
- Competing in the rodeo – Thursday, September 28
- Awards Banquet – Thursday, September 28
- Rodeo T-Shirt

Training only (Wednesday, ~~September 27~~ October 25 only)

\$79 per person which includes:

- A review of updates to the 16th Edition of the American Public Power Association Safety Manual presented by Tom Dougherty, MESO
- A roundtable discussion on Storm Preparation and Readiness lead by GRDA representatives
- Expo Meet & Greet and Dinner

Competing Only (Thursday, ~~September 28~~ October 26 only)

\$79 per person which includes:

- Competing in the rodeo
- Awards Banquet
- Rodeo T-Shirt

Learn more about rodeo events at www.meso.org.

Follow rodeo activities, ask questions, etc. at the MESO Annual Lineworkers Rodeo Facebook page.

For more information, contact:

If you are interested in competing at the 2017 MESO Lineworkers Rodeo and have questions, please contact Tom Dougherty at tomd@meso.org. If you have registration questions, please contact Deborah Gonzales at deborah@meso.org.



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