

**FLAG RACE INSTRUCTIONS:** This is a timed event. Pattern will be a traditional barrel race pattern to either the left or right hand. The rider crosses the start line, rides to the first barrel and places their flag in the bucket atop the barrel while circling. The rider continues the barrel pattern to the second barrel and takes out a flag. After circling the second barrel, the rider continues to the third barrel and drops in the flag before continuing to the finish line. The rider may circle each barrel as many times as it takes to either place or remove a flag from a bucket but only in the direction of their chosen barrel pattern [left or right].

~~**Disqualifications:**~~ 5 Second Penalty

- Dropping a flag on the ground.
- A flag that doesn't stay in a bucket when placed there.
- Changing directions of a barrel pattern from left to right or vice versa.
- Knocking a barrel over.