



Miss Gilroy Rodeo 2018-2019 Practice Exam

Answers to these questions can be found on the Gilroy Rodeo site, general internet resources, and City of Gilroy website. A answer key is also available for download at gilroyrodeo.com

1. In what year was Gilroy Founded?
 - a. 1840
 - b. 1869
 - c. 1870
 - d. 1890
2. How many members make up the Gilroy Rodeo Board of Directors?
 - a. 7
 - b. 4
 - c. 6
 - d. 9
3. Who is the Mayor of Gilroy?
 - a. Roland Velasco
 - b. Gabriel Gonzalez
 - c. Mitch Schneider
 - d. Rosemary Gallagher
4. When was the last Gilroy Rodeo held?
 - a. 1990
 - b. 1956
 - c. 1970
 - d. 1982
5. Who is Erik Martin?
 - a. A famous cowboy
 - b. Arena director
 - c. Treasurer
 - d. Rodeo director
6. To become Miss Gilroy Rodeo you must be between ages:
 - a. 15-20
 - b. 12-25
 - c. 16-24
 - d. 18-25



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7. How many inches are in a horse hand?
 - a. 3
 - b. 5
 - c. 4
 - d. 6
8. What is rodeo “slack”?
 - a. The loose or extra part of a rope
 - b. The extra roughstock that is not used in the rodeo performance
 - c. More time allotted for juniors and pee wees to finish timed events
 - d. Excess entries at rodeos that are completed not during a performance
9. What does PETA stand for?
 - a. People Eating Tasty Animals
 - b. People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals
 - c. People for the Enjoyable Treatment of Animals
 - d. None of these
10. What is a Coggins test?
 - a. Test for West Nile which must be done once per year
 - b. A soundness test performed on horses over 10 years old
 - c. Antibody test needed to transport horses across state lines or to large events
 - d. Routine test for EHV-1
11. Who is the inspiration behind the Gilroy Rodeo logo?
 - a. Casey Tibbs
 - b. John Wayne
 - c. Buffalo Bill
 - d. Butch Cassidy
12. Which of these is not a value of the Gilroy Rodeo?
 - a. Leadership
 - b. Communication
 - c. Community
 - d. Respect
13. The Gilroy Rodeo will hold _____ junior events?
 - a. 7
 - b. 6
 - c. 10
 - d. 8



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14. At the rodeo there will be the following categories for contestants to enter:
 - a. CCPRA, XTREME Bronc Riding, Ranch events. Junior events
 - b. CCPRA, Open Events, XTREME Bronc Riding
 - c. CCPRA and XTREME Bronc Riding
 - d. Open Events only
15. What crop is Gilroy most famous for?
 - a. Onion
 - b. Apple
 - c. Cucumber
 - d. Garlic
16. What is the catch pen?
 - a. A holding area for rodeo contestants
 - b. An area used to contain out of control animals
 - c. Pen at the end of an arena to catch used cattle
 - d. Another term for a bucking chute
17. What is the draw?
 - a. Animal a contestant is picked to ride/rope
 - b. When two rodeo clowns fake a shoot off
 - c. A technique roughstock riders use to tie onto their animal
 - d. An attempt to calm down anxious animals
18. Gilroy's motto is:
 - a. Where the past meets the present
 - b. The town without a frown
 - c. A community with a spice for life
 - d. The land of garlic
19. What is animal welfare?
 - a. Checking on animals often to ensure their safety
 - b. Treating animals fairly and kindly
 - c. The belief that animals have the same rights as humans
 - d. None of these
20. How many gallons of water do horses need everyday?
 - a. 1-2
 - b. 6-8
 - c. 15-20
 - d. 10-12



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21. What piece of equipment is used to enhance a horse's natural ability to buck?
 - a. Spurs
 - b. A flank strap
 - c. A whip
 - d. All of these
22. What roughstock event is known as rodeo's classic event?
 - a. Barrel racing
 - b. Bull riding
 - c. Saddle bronc riding
 - d. Team roping
23. How often should horses be shod or trimmed?
 - a. 6 to 8 weeks
 - b. 4 to 6 weeks
 - c. 6 to 7 weeks
 - d. Once a month
24. What is another name for steer wrestling?
 - a. Bulldogging
 - b. Calf wrestling
 - c. Steer roping
 - d. Bull wrestling
25. What is the penalty for knocking over a barrel in the barrel racing?
 - a. 2 seconds
 - b. Disqualification
 - c. 10 seconds
 - d. 5 seconds