

**Newsletter -  
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HAVE A VERY MERRY AND BLESSED CHRISTMAS!

Are you ready for OTRA in 2019? We are ready for you! Any one who wants to get their memberships early – or as a Christmas gift – give us a call or print off a membership application form from our website at [www.otrc.net](http://www.otrc.net)! Standard memberships are \$65 again with youth and senior at \$35 (12 & younger / 70 & older). The fee for a double number has been reduced to just \$10 more, so if you have been wanting to compete on your non-dominate side, now is the time to give it a try! When a family of three or more joins and pay together, each person gets a \$10 discount.

Our first ropings in January will be as follows:

5<sup>th</sup> – Clovis NM & Erick OK

6<sup>th</sup> – Alvarado

12<sup>th</sup> – Abilene

12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> – Decatur

13<sup>th</sup> – Myrtle Springs

19<sup>th</sup> – Amarillo

26<sup>th</sup> – South TX (Kerrville) , Mineral Wells & Clovis NM

A couple of minor changes have been made to our District roping format. A 3.5 will be held instead of a 3.0 and a 4.5 will be held instead of a 4.0. Also, for those districts that have a Mixed and/or a Century, those categories are both now a #3.5 roping. In the ongoing efforts to improve our roper classifications, we believe these changes will be more beneficial to all ropers.

Merry Christmas!  
All our Best to All of You!  
Tim & Whitney McCright  
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