



Hello Rodeo Boosters & Past Supporters,

Because of the cancellation of this year's banquet and rodeo (COVID-19) the boosters didn't get the opportunity to fulfill two very important tasks;

The first missed opportunity; The Booster Board of Jeff Sparrowk, Leeann Bettencourt, Carla Young, Thomas Switzer, Chris Niederhauser, Thane Prichard, Leah Cochrane, Erin Clendenen and Coach Ben Londo, honorary advisor's; Randy Arseneau, Joanie Ketcham, Kathy Loftus and JoAnn Switzer didn't get the opportunity to thank the following current individuals, businesses and past donors for their contributions to the completion of the largest capital improvement project ever at the Cal Poly Rodeo Grounds, **The Haybarn & Livestock Cover.**

I just can't thank this team enough for their continued support and commitment to the improvement of the rodeo facilities!

The Big Four that helped us jump start the final push toward our budget goal;

Ray & Ginger Bunnell, Jim Roberts, Jean & the late Manfred Sander and one anonymous donor.

A Huge Thank You!

The Design Team;

Robert Camacho of RRM Design, Rob Down of Earth Systems and Star Building. **Thank You!**

The Constructors Team;

Ken Dewar of JB Dewar, Alec Garcia of Garcia & Sons, Tom Maino of Maino Construction, Cal-Portland, Air-Vol Block, United Rentals, Mid-State Concrete Products, Famcon Pipe, Negranti Construction, Rosser Enterprise and Coast Pipe. **A Big Thank You!**

All of this could not have happened without the coordinated effort between the Rodeo Boosters Board of Directors and their partnership with Cal Poly University and its staff, for that, a tip of the Resistol Hat, **Thank You!**

The second missed opportunity was our live auction held annually, it is our only fundraising mechanism for our capital improvements projects and scholarship program. This fundraiser would have helped jump start our next big endeavor called the **Manfred & Jean Sander Arena Lighting Replacement** project. The current lighting set-up is the original temporary lighting from 2001, this lighting has outlived its lifespan and purpose, with a project cost estimate of around \$ 200,000.00, the Boosters could sure use your continued financial support on this, remember it's for our rodeo students!!



Booster's Mission Statement

"The specific and primary purpose of the Rodeo Boosters shall be to promote the welfare of the rodeo program of California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo by encouraging young people to attend Cal Poly and participate in the sport of rodeo through financial and other assistance".

The Rodeo Boosters started in 1974 and reorganized in 2002 and was recognized federally as a 501 (c) (3) #46-0466538 as a non-profit which all proceeds support the Cal Poly Rodeo Program.

You can continue to support our scholarships & capital improvements programs through our website at www.rodeoboosters.com . We can be followed on social media via Facebook @Rodeo Boosters.

Thank You Again & Best Wishes to All,

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