

Exciting addition to Moree Show rodeo

RODEO enthusiasts are in for a treat this year at the 125th Moree Show, with this year's event following a new format.

Local resident Terry Marshall will this year contract horses for the event, with the rodeo bulls contracted from Wagga Wagga by JP Gill.

Marshall said the rodeo, to be held on Friday evening, April 24, from 6pm at the showgrounds, will be of an extremely high quality.

The event will be an ABCRA Rodeo, with a number of bulls having already competed in the Gold Coast and Tamworth finals.

"It should be a great rodeo. We've already had lots of competitors indicating they would come, and the event comes off the back of the Easter circuit, so there will be some good form."

He said horses for the event had been competing for seven years and that one horse, "Red Door" had not been ridden in the past nine buck outs.

Another horse "Yankeedoodle" also had wins in its past five buck outs.

This year's rodeo will also include a ladies barrel



The Moree ABCRA Rodeo on Friday, April 24, promises plenty of bucking action.

race for the first time, with Marshall saying there was no reason why the girls had to miss out.

"There is a lot of talent out there and this is a very exciting addition to the Moree Show rodeo which has not been done in a very

long time." He said other categories included open bull ride, novice saddle ride, novice bareback ride, open bareback ride and open saddle ride.

Prize money included \$1000 for the open saddle, bull and bareback rides and

\$500 for the novice saddle, bareback ride and open barrel race.

The Moree Show will be held on Saturday and Sunday, April 25 and 26. For more information visit the Moree Show website www.moreeshow.com