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RODEO AUSTIN FASHION & FINE ART WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Austin, Texas, January 23, 2016 – On Saturday, January 23, 2016, Rodeo Austin held its Fashion & Fine Art Event, a combination of the Youth Western Art Show and Miss Rodeo Austin Scholarship Contest, at the Bullock Texas State History Museum.

At 5 p.m., the top 23 Youth Western Art Show winners were announced, as well as the Grand and Reserve Champion in each category. These pieces will be sold at the Youth Auction on March 25, 2016 at the Bullock Texas State History Museum.

Miss Rodeo Austin contestants posed in their best formal wear as they hit the stage for the Style Show and answered questions. The winners were announced at the conclusion of the evening, and will both receive \$16,000 scholarships. Tianti Carter, of College Station, Texas, was crowned Miss Rodeo Austin 2016, and Madison Ward, of Weatherford, Texas, was crowned Miss Rodeo Austin Princess. The 2016 Miss Rodeo Austin Royalty will serve as ambassadors for the Rodeo Austin brand during the year.

2016 Miss Rodeo Austin Results:

Miss Rodeo Austin – Tianti Carter

Miss Rodeo Austin Princess – Madison Ward

Photogenic – Avery Greene

Horsemanship – Katelynn Brownlee

Appearance – Tianti Carter

Personality – Tianti Carter

Congeniality – Katelynn Brownlee

2016 Youth Western Art Show Results:

Traditional Art Winners:

Grand Champion – Halle Cooley, Jim Ned High School

Reserve Grand Champion – Daniel Close, Anderson High School

Digital Art Winners:

Grand Champion – Merah Winters, Bell County 4-H

Reserve Grand Champion – Abi Finn, Thrall High School

Photography Winners:

Grand Champion – Makenzi Walker, North Crowley High School

Reserve Grand Champion – Rebekah Fadler, Round Rock Christian Academy

Sculpture/3D Winners:

Grand Champion – Tanner Hodgkinson, Porter High School

Reserve Grand Champion – Lacey West, Porter High School



The reigning 2016 Miss Rodeo Austin Princess, Madison Ward, and Miss Rodeo Austin, Tianti Carter.