# Will Roberts Appearance Rider

## Room Requirements

- Will's performance and presentation are highly interactive, so the venue should be just the right size to fit the attendees and capitalize on the energy of the performance. You do not want extra space. Attendees should be seated close together and near the stage. If the stage is less than 20'x 20', then leaving a dance floor or 20'x20' space in front of the stage open would be best to showcase Will's roping demonstrations. The ceiling must be at least 12' in height above the performance area.
- The presentation keynote should not be scheduled while the attendees are eating. Will does not present at this time, as it is not possible to provide the interactivity and rapport needed to accurately convey the message and make the event a successful one.
- Will requires one chair to be provided. He will be standing on this chair to complete his final trick roping demonstration, so please make sure it is a sturdy chair with a flat, hard surface.

## Stage Requirements

• Please provide a 20'x 20' stage or riser appropriate for the room, audience, and situation. Will may be able to work with smaller conditions, but please call and discuss your dimensions. If the stage is made of portable sections please make sure it does not squeak or move when walked on.

## Sound Requirements

- Please provide a professional quality sound system with external speakers that adequately project to all the attendees. In-house ceiling speakers are not acceptable.
- Will will bring his own microphone. He will need one wireless handheld w/ microphone stand, one terry cloth hand towel and 2 bottles of water. In the event you need Will to use the on-site microphones, then he will need a Countryman E6 headset microphone.
- Will needs 3 inputs for his presentation, one for his microphone, one for the wireless handheld, and one for music Will provides. He will need an system adapter for his Laptop.
  - Please provide 4 professional quality 9 volt batteries.

#### **Lighting Requirements**

• If theatre lighting is available, then Will needs a general wash in the middle 2/3 of the stage. The audience should be 75-90% dark. Please light the stage from both sides to avoid the casting of shadows. Will provides a presentation and performance and is not background entertainment, so this should be reflected in the lighting.