



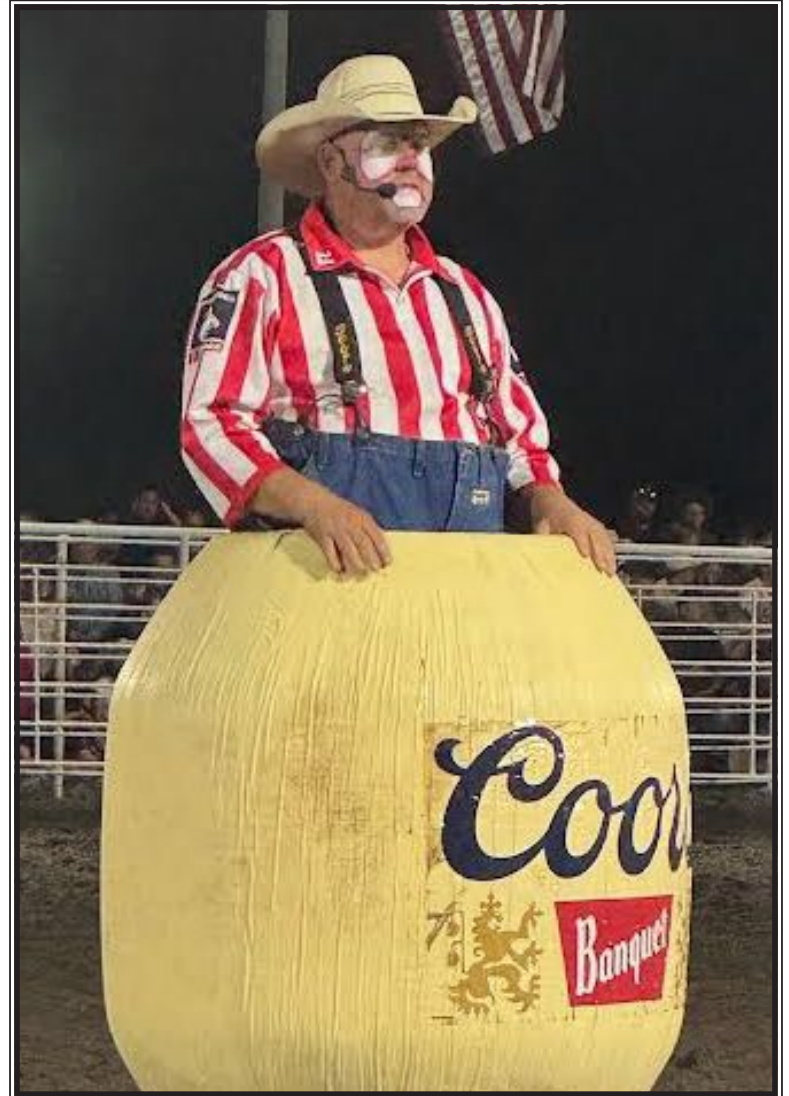
to work with," Thompson shared. Thompson will barrel into Hawley with the Barnes Crew, performing both Friday and Saturday nights. While he is no stranger to our 10,000 Lakes, this will be his first performance in Hawley, and having heard of our "old-school" rodeo grounds, he is looking forward to it.

It wouldn't take folks long to understand why Thompson got the nickname "Boom-Boom," a name he picked up while performing in Missouri. Thompson travels with a few jokes up his sleeve and a trailer full of surprises. He also likes to travel with specialty guests, from country singers to rock-n-roll bands, who occasionally appear in

his acts and, from time-to-time, a dummy named Earl. You remember Earl, and how much he liked his black-eyed peas.

"I am a traditional clown, but many of my acts have a modern twist to them, and that is all I will say about that. I keep my look the same, red and white strips and a

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Boom Boom is right at home in his aircraft aluminum barrel.



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