



2017 CALF SCRAMBLE APPLICATION

Entry Deadline: Dec. 1, 2016

Mail complete packet to: P.O. Box 20070 * Houston, TX 77225-0070
www.rodeohouston.com * questions: calfscramble@rodeohouston.com

NOT AN OFFICIAL ENTRY DOCUMENT. ENTRY MUST BE MADE ONLINE THROUGH CEA OR AST.

Please type or print.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant's Legal Name _____ Social Security # _____

Applicant's Mailing Address _____ City _____ State TX Zip _____

Applicant's Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Applicant's Birthdate _____ Grade _____ Sex M or F Weight _____ lbs.

Parent or Guardian's Legal Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Primary Phone _____ E-mail _____

County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter _____

FIRST AID INFORMATION

Please list any allergies to medications you may have: _____

Do you have asthma? Yes or No If yes, please bring inhaler or proper treatment medication with you to scramble.

Have you been treated for any major illnesses in the past 12 months? Yes or No

If yes, please explain: _____

SPECIAL REQUESTS

Please list five scramble dates, in order of preference. Scramble is each night from March 7-26, 2017.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™
2017 CALF SCRAMBLE
PARTICIPANT CERTIFICATION

INITIAL

1. I understand that I have to purchase a calf (steer or heifer) for my calf scramble project.
2. I understand that HLSR will pay the breeder \$1,750 for the calf I select once all paperwork has been signed and returned to HLSR.
3. I understand that any purchase amount over \$1,750 will be paid by me to the breeder if my animal costs more than the purchase certificate amount (unless combining certificates with another show).
4. I understand that there will be ongoing costs with this project including, but not limited to feed, equipment, potential vet bills, and travel to the show that I am responsible for.
5. I understand that purchasing a calf is a major commitment and fully understand the responsibility I am assuming in:
 - a. Feeding the calf at least twice a day
 - b. Leading and grooming the calf daily
 - c. Abiding by the rules set forth by the Calf Scramble program and the exhibitor handbook
 - d. Submitting reports online monthly
 - e. Writing a Thank You note to my donor and keeping them informed about my project during the entire program
 - f. Submitting my essays on time
6. I will notify the Calf Scramble Office of any changes to my address, e-mail or phone numbers within 24 hours of the change.
7. I will notify the Calf Scramble Office of any issues or problems with my calf project.
8. I understand that I may not sell or transfer ownership of my calf without the consent of Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
9. I understand that if I don't fulfill all requirements as listed in the Calf Scramble Handbook, the \$250 premium awarded upon completion of the project will be withheld and I may be required to remit payment to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo for the value of my purchase certificate (\$1,750).

I certify that I have read and will abide by the above rules to in order to participate in the Calf Scramble Program:

Scrambler Signature: _____

Scrambler Parent Signature: _____

CEA/AST Signature: _____



CALF SCRAMBLE RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT
(ALL APPLICANTS MUST SIGN AND HAVE NOTARIZED)

As valid consideration for entry into and participation in activities (the "Activities") with the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, Inc., Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund, HLS&R Institute for Teacher Excellence, Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Endowment Foundation and the Corral Club, Inc., (collectively, "HLSR"), the undersigned hereby enter into this RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement").

1. INVITATIONAL SHOW: The Houston Livestock Show is an invitational show and the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo reserves the right to extend or withhold an invitation to any Exhibitor or Contestant.

2. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISKS: The undersigned recognize and understand there are risks associated with entry into and participation in the Activities including, but not limited to, bodily injury or death, and damage to property or privacy rights. The undersigned further acknowledge that they will be liable for all damage to persons, livestock, or property that is caused by them or any persons (including, but not limited to, minors) under their care and control, and that arise out of, or are related to, the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities. **UNDER CHAPTER 87, TEXAS CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE, A FARM ANIMAL PROFESSIONAL IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES. A LIVESTOCK SHOW SPONSOR IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN A LIVESTOCK SHOW RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF LIVESTOCK SHOW ACTIVITIES.**

3. RELEASE FROM LIABILITY: The undersigned hereby RELEASE, ACQUIT AND FOREVER DISCHARGE AND AGREE TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS HLSR, their present and former directors, officers, employees, agents, and representatives and the respective heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns (collectively, the "HLSR Parties" or individually, an "HLSR Party") from any and all claims, causes of action, suits and/or demands for personal injury, death or property damage, accrued or to accrue in the future, known or unknown, (collectively, "Claims") relating to or arising out of any negligent, grossly negligent and/or intentional or unintentional acts on the part of the undersigned in connection with entry into and participation in the Activities. Without limiting the foregoing, the undersigned agree that the HLSR Parties shall not be liable to them, their family, heirs, administrators, executors or assigns for Claims arising from or related to the undersigned Contestant's entry into and participation in the Activities.

4. AGREEMENT TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS: THE UNDERSIGNED AGREE TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE HLSR PARTIES AGAINST THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE HLSR PARTIES' OWN NEGLIGENCE, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE WAS THE SOLE, PROXIMATE OR PRODUCING CAUSE OF THE CLAIMS; provided, however, that the duty of the undersigned to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the HLSR Parties shall extend only to Claims arising directly or indirectly from the undersigned Contestant's entry into and participation in the Activities. As used herein, **"INDEMNIFY" means to agree to assume the HLSR Parties' liability in a situation, thereby relieving them of responsibility and/or reimbursing the HLSR Parties for Claims asserted against them.**

5. PHOTOGRAPH/INTERVIEW RELEASE AND INDEMNITY: The undersigned GRANT PERMISSION to be PHOTOGRAPHED or INTERVIEWED in connection with the Activities. The undersigned understand that photographs or interviews may be used by HLSR for television, film, video, visual, or printed media. The undersigned agree to RELEASE and INDEMNIFY HLSR for any Claims related to photographs or interviews by the HLSR Parties or any media.

6. TEXAS LAW AND ARBITRATION: The undersigned understand that this Agreement shall be binding on their heirs, executors, successors and assigns, that the Agreement will be governed by the laws of Texas, and that jurisdiction and venue for any dispute regarding this Agreement shall lie in a State Court in Harris County, Texas. If any part of this Agreement is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, it does not affect the validity of the remainder of this Agreement. This Agreement controls notwithstanding any conflicting terms or conditions of any other agreement between the parties. The undersigned agree to these terms and conditions and acknowledge receipt of this Agreement. HLSR may require that all claims or disputes between Contestant and/or Contestant's parent or guardian and HLSR and/or its agents, officers, directors volunteers, members and assigns, in any way arising out of or related to this Agreement, shall be decided by binding arbitration administered by the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") pursuant to the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. 1, et seq. and in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the AAA that are in effect at the time the demand for arbitration is filed, unless the parties mutually agree otherwise in writing. The decision of the arbitrator(s), which shall state findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be final, conclusive and binding on the parties and judgment may be entered thereon in the District Court of Harris County, Texas to enforce the decision.

We, the undersigned Junior Contestant and parent/guardian, certify that we have read, understand and will abide by all rules and regulations of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

The undersigned represent that they thoroughly understand that this is a complete and final release and indemnity agreement, that they are voluntarily entering into this Agreement and that no representations, promises or statements made by any HLSR Party or any agent, attorney or other representative of any HLSR Party has influenced the undersigned in causing them to sign this Agreement.

Signature - Contestant _____	Date _____
Name Printed _____	
If the person on whose behalf this Agreement is being executed is a minor, a parent or legal guardian must also execute this Agreement.	
Signature—Parent/Guardian _____	Date _____
Name Printed _____	
RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR: _____	
I certify that the applicant fits all requirements specified in this application package and will offer my supervision and guidance with this project.	
CEA/AST Signature _____	Date _____
<i>Notary Stamp Below</i>	
Name Printed _____	
Sworn to and subscribed before me on this ____ day of _____ 20____.	
Notary Public _____	

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	Name (as shown on your income tax return)	
	Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	Check appropriate box for federal tax classification (required): <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Exempt payee	
	Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)	Requester's name and address (optional)
City, state, and ZIP code		
List account number(s) here (optional)		

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name" line to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number										

Employer identification number										

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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Additional instructions for completing this form may be found at the official Internal Revenue website:
<http://www.irs.ustreas.gov/formspubs/index.html>

REQUIRED

Each 4-H Club, FFA Chapter, Junior Exhibitor and Open Show Exhibitor must complete an IRS W-9 form and return it with entry. Premium payments will not be made without completed W-9 form.