





## **Table Reservations**

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo<sup>TM</sup> Champion Wine Garden presented by Frost is a popular destination. We are pleased to offer reservation opportunities within the Wine Garden for your party. We offer table reservations for smaller groups and tent reservations for larger groups. The above QR code will take you directly to the reservation site. Please read the information below and FAQs carefully before making your reservation.

### **Table Reservations:**

**About: Twenty-one (21)** tables located in the Founder's Tent area are available for reservation. This tented area offers protection from inclement weather, is close in proximity to the restrooms, has a convenient bar and is a great spot to listen to the live music on the Main Stage.

# Cost and Capacity:

Day	Cost
Monday – Sunday	\$75

Each table can accommodate up to four (4) guests. For parties larger than four (4), please reserve additional tables and the tables will be assigned together. No more than four (4) tables are permitted in a single reservation on a single day. The reservation fee is for the table only. Wine may be purchased separately from a hostess on site.

### Times:

Day	Reservation Start Time
Monday – Thursday	4 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Friday	2 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Saturday – Sunday	11 a.m. – 4 p.m.
(two time slots)	4:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.

If your party does not arrive by 9 p.m. or if all members of your party leave the table before 9 p.m., the reservation will be forfeited, and seating will be offered to other guests. Table reservations will not be held after 9 p.m. If your party arrives before 9 p.m. and remains at the table, you are welcome to enjoy the reservation until we close.

There are no exchanges or returns on table reservations so please purchase carefully. It is highly advisable to read all the FAQs listed below before purchasing.

### Frequently Asked Questions

Are there ID requirements or an age limit to enter the event? There is no age limit to enter the Champion Wine Garden or the seminars; however, guests must be 21 years old to drink alcohol anywhere in the Champion Wine Garden or on the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo grounds.

What are my transportation/parking options getting to the event? The Champion Wine Garden is inside the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo grounds. Admission and parking information can be found on <a href="https://www.rodeohouston.com">www.rodeohouston.com</a>. Guests to the grounds must purchase a separate ticket to enter. This is not included in the price of the Champion Wine Garden reservation.

How do I complete payment for my wine or cheese & charcuterie trays?? A valid, physical credit or debit card must be presented to your hostess at the conclusion of the event to complete check out. If you are charging on a director's account, the card and card holder must be present at the time of check out. Advance or post event billing is not available.

What can/can't I bring to the event? The Champion Wine Garden is located at Carruth Plaza in NRG Park. Therefore, the rules stated on <a href="www.rodeohouston.com/Visit-the-Rodeo/Visitors-Guide/Guest-Services">www.rodeohouston.com/Visit-the-Rodeo/Visitors-Guide/Guest-Services</a> apply to the Champion Wine Garden. It is a good idea to check the weather to ensure appropriate dress.

Where can I contact the organizer with any questions? Please contact hlsrwineconcierge@gmail.com with your questions.

Is my registration/ticket transferrable? You may give anyone your confirmation, but you cannot transfer it online, and it must be used for the same date/time/space.

Do I have to bring my printed confirmation to the Champion Wine Garden? No, but it does help us to ensure you gain access to your reserved area in a quick and efficient manner. If you forget to print your reservation, we will have a list of those we are expecting.

What is the refund policy? There are no refunds once the reservation is purchased.

The name on the registration doesn't match the attendee. Is that okay? Yes, if someone has given a third party their reservation information, it will be accepted at the hostess stand. If the original ticket purchaser arrives, and any dispute over the reservation occurs, the original ticket purchaser will be granted the space.

Can I select my reserved table ahead of time? No. Guests are only permitted to select their table once they arrive at the hostess stand on the day of the reservation.

What happens at the end of our reservation time, when our reservation is officially over? (9 p.m. on weekdays or 9:30 p.m. for weekend reservations) Guests are welcome to stay and enjoy tents up until the time the Champion Wine Garden closes that night. However, if the reserved table or tent is vacated, the reservation will no longer be held. This policy applies even if guests leave to go into the RODEOHOUSTON performance in NRG Stadium.

Where is the hostess stand? The hostess stand is inside the Champion Wine Garden at the Founder's Tent on the East side of the Garden. Please look for signs or ask any volunteer wearing an apron.

Can I share the table reservation fee with other guests? Reservation costs may be shared among other guests of the table. However, only one credit or debit card will be accepted upon payment of reservation. Splitting the cost will be the responsibility of the party after one credit or debit card completes the transaction. The Wine Garden Committee will not split rentals.

What food is served in the Champion Wine Garden? Cheese and charcuterie trays, as well as 20 oz. bottled water are offered for sale in the Champion Wine Garden bars. Additionally, numerous food exhibitors are located throughout the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo grounds offering many diverse cuisines.

I have a guest that doesn't drink wine. Can I bring in beer or soft drinks? You may purchase a beer, frozen beverages or sodas from another vendor at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and bring it into the Champion Wine Garden. Guests are not permitted to bring outside beer or other alcohol, including liquor, into the Rodeo grounds.

I just ordered another reserved table. How can I ensure that this table gets put next to my previously reserved tables? While not guaranteed, the Wine Garden Committee will do their best to place tables together upon request.

What happens if it rains? The Show must go on! Through rain, wind and storms (luckily no snow yet) the Champion Wine Garden remains open. Remember, there are no refunds, so we hope you still come out and experience the Champion Wine Garden!