



2026 AQHA Speed Event Entry Form

DEADLINES

Entries must be postmarked by 02/01/2026

All late entries must be received by 02/10/2026

HORSE SHOW CONTACT INFORMATION

Phone Number: 832.667.1012

Mailing Address:

Website: www.rodeohouston.com

3 NRG Park

Email: horseshow@rodeohouston.com

Houston, TX 77054

WHAT TO INCLUDE IN YOUR PACKET

- Completed W9 (for OWNER)
- Completed entry form & payment
- Completed indemnity agreement (page 4)
- Copy of horse registration papers showing the current owner.
- Copy of current AQHA/AQHA Amateur card or AQHYA card for all exhibitors and owners.

OWNER INFORMATION (person listed on horse registration papers – ONE NAME ONLY)

Name	Social Security # (last 4 digits)	AQHA #
Address	Email	
City, State, Zip Code	Phone #	Signature

HORSE INFORMATION (one horse per entry form ONLY)

Registered Name	Registration #
Trainer Name	Foal Year

EXHIBITOR(S) INFORMATION (birthdates are REQUIRED for youth exhibitors)

Exhibitor A Name	Birthdate	AQHA #
Address	Relation to Owner	Phone #
City, State, Zip Code	Signature	
Exhibitor B Name	Birthdate	AQHA #
Address	Relation to Owner	Phone #
City, State, Zip Code	Signature	

PAYOR INFORMATION

Payor Name:	Phone:
Address:	Email:
City/State/Zip:	Send Correspondence To: ☐ Owner ☐ Payor

CLASS ENTRIES (use exhibitor letter from page 1 for "EXH" column)

EXH	Class #	Class Description	Fee
	1	AQHA Junior Pole Bending	\$40
	2	AQHA Amateur Pole Bending (19 & Over)	\$40
	3	AQHA Senior Pole Bending	\$40
	4	AQHA Youth Pole Bending 13 & Under	\$10
	5	AQHA Youth Pole Bending 14-18	\$10
	6	AQHA Junior Barrel Race	\$40
	7	AQHA Amateur Barrel Race (19 & Over)	\$40
	8	AQHA Senior Barrel Race	\$40
	9	AQHA Youth Barrel Race 13 & Under	\$10
	10	AQHA Youth Barrel Race 14-18	\$10

FEE SUMMARY

Total Entry Fees	\$
Stall <i>(required)</i>	<i># of stalls _____ X \$40 per stall =</i> \$
Tack Stall	<i># of tack stalls _____ X \$40 per stall =</i> \$
Office Charge <i>(\$20/horse— pay once per breed)</i>	\$ 20.00
AQHA Processing Fee	\$ 30.00
Late Entry Fee <i>(Class fee is <u>doubled</u> for any entry postmarked after <u>2/1/26</u>)</i>	\$
TOTAL	\$

PAYMENT INFORMATION
☐ Cash

☐ Visa

☐ Check

☐ Mastercard

☐ AMEX

☐ Discover

Check # _____

** Make payable to: HLSR

Authorization Signature: _____

Name on Card _____

Credit Card # _____

Exp. Date _____

PLEASE MARK ALL SHOWS ENTERED BELOW

☐ NCHA	☐ Youth Horse Show	☐ Quarter Horse Speed
☐ Ranch Sorting	☐ Paint Horse Show	☐ Quarter Horse Roping
☐ Ranch Rodeo	☐ Ranch Horse Show	☐ Junior Invitational
☐ Youth Ranch Rodeo	☐ Ranch Horse Challenge	

W-9 FORM (must be completed by the owner of the horse)

Form W-9 (Rev. March 2024) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.	Give form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.
Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see <i>Purpose of Form</i> , below.		
Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	1 Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.)	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.	
	3a Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes.	
	☐ Individual/sole proprietor ☐ C corporation ☐ S corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Trust/estate	
	☐ LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership)	
	Note: Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.	
	☐ Other (see instructions)	
4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):		
Exempt payee code (if any)		
Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any)		
3b If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions ☐		
5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions.		
6 City, state, and ZIP code		
7 List account number(s) here (optional)		
Requester's name and address (optional)		

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number									
or									
Employer identification number									

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- 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
- 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
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

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 for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person	Date
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LIABILITY & INDEMNITY AGREEMENT (include signed copy in your entry packet)

As valid consideration for entry into and participation in activities (the "Activities") with Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, Inc., Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund and Corral Club, Inc. (collectively, "HLSR"), the undersigned hereby enters into this RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement").

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISKS: The undersigned recognizes and understands 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 acknowledges that he/she will be liable for all damage to persons, livestock, or property that is caused by him/her 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 OR FARM OWNER OR LESSEE IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING AN EMPLOYEE OR INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR, RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES. UNDER CHAPTER 87, TEXAS CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE, 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.**

RELEASE FROM LIABILITY: The undersigned hereby RELEASES, ACQUITS AND FOREVER DISCHARGES HLSR, its subsidiaries and affiliates and its and their present and former directors, officers, employees, agents, volunteers, 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, judgments, settlements, expenses (including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees), and/or demands for personal injury, death and/or property damage, accrued or to accrue in the future, known or unknown, (collectively, "Claims") relating to or arising out of any negligent acts in connection with his/her entry into and participation in the Activities, including but not limited to the **NEGLIGENT ACTIONS OF THE HLSR PARTIES, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE WAS THE SOLE, PROXIMATE OR PRODUCING CAUSE OF THE CLAIMS.**

AGREEMENT TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS: THE UNDERSIGNED AGREES TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE HLSR PARTIES from any and all claims, causes of action, suits, judgments, settlements, expenses (including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees), and/or demands for personal injury, death or property damage, accrued or to accrue in the future, known or unknown, (collectively, "Claims"), including but not limited to Claims resulting from **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's entry into and participation in the Activities. As used herein, **"INDEMNIFY" means to agree to assume the HLSR Parties' liability as to any and all claims, causes of action, suits, demands, settlements, judgments and/or expenses (including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees) made by, through, or under the undersigned against the HLSR Parties related to the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities.**

PHOTOGRAPH/INTERVIEW RELEASE AND INDEMNITY: The undersigned GRANTS PERMISSION to be PHOTOGRAPHED, VIDEOED, RECORDED and/or INTERVIEWED (the "Material") in connection with the Activities. The undersigned understands that any such photographs, videos, recordings and/or interviews may be incorporated by HLSR in television, film, video, visual, graphic, printed and/or social media (the "Artwork"). The undersigned grants HLSR, on a gratis, royalty-free basis, the non-exclusive right to include the Material as part of the Artwork and to distribute, exhibit and otherwise exploit (and to authorize others to distribute, exhibit and otherwise exploit) the Artwork and its related advertising, publicity and promotion incorporating the Material throughout the world in perpetuity in all media and by all means, now known or hereafter developed.

TEXAS LAW AND ARBITRATION: The undersigned understands that this Agreement shall be binding on his/her heirs, executors, successors and assigns, that this Agreement will be governed by the laws of Texas, and that jurisdiction and proper venue for any dispute regarding this Agreement shall be 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 agrees to these terms and conditions and acknowledges receipt of this Agreement. HLSR may require that all claims or disputes between the undersigned 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.

COMPREHENSION AND AUTHORITY. The undersigned certifies that he/she has read, understand and will abide by all rules and regulations of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, including but not limited to, the Horse Show Exhibitor Handbook. The undersigned represents that he/she thoroughly understands that this is a complete and final release and indemnity agreement, that he/she is 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 him/her to sign this Agreement.

By signing below you are stating that you have read the above Agreement in its entirety and agree to all of the terms and conditions stated.

Printed Legal Name

Signed Legal Name

Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Date