



Mutton Bustin' presented by H-E-B Frequently Asked Questions

1. What are the requirements to participate in mutton bustin'?
 - a. Children must be 5 or 6 years old and cannot weigh more than 55 pounds. These requirements apply to both the indoor and outdoor event.
2. I want my child to participate in mutton bustin', how can I sign them up?
 - a. There are two ways to participate in mutton bustin'
 - i. **NRG Stadium** – Register online at rodeohouston.com between November 1st and November 15th. Participants for the stadium are picked via a lottery system and you enter that lottery when you register your child. Duplicate entries will be deleted.
 - ii. **The Junction** – Registration takes place at The Junction Arena on the day of your child's ride. The arena is open from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and they ride every hour on the hour. The cost to ride is \$20.
3. How much does it cost to participate in mutton bustin'?
 - a. The mutton bustin' event inside NRG Stadium is complimentary.
 - b. It is \$20 per ride at The Junction Arena.
4. Can my child participate in both in the indoor and outdoor mutton bustin' events?
 - a. Yes! If your child is selected as a participant inside NRG Stadium, they can participate in the outdoor arena.
5. Can my child participate in mutton bustin' more than once?
 - a. Children who have previously participated in the stadium event are not allowed to ride for a second time.
 - b. Children who want to ride more than once at the outdoor arena are allowed to do so for the \$20 fee.
6. Do we have to purchase equipment for our child if we decided to mutton bust?
 - a. No. HLSR will provide safety vests and helmets. Outside equipment is not allowed.
7. If I register my child for the stadium lottery, when will I find out if they were selected?
 - a. We will send an email to everyone who registers letting them know if they have or have not been selected.