



Maryland High School Rodeo Association

National High School Rodeo Association was created to give high school and junior high school (middle school) students the opportunity to participate and compete in this unique and challenging sport. Although not recognized by high school athletics, the NHSRA offers a rodeo program that sets high school rodeo apart from other varsity sports; Athletes compete on a scale comparable to collegiate and professional rodeo competitors. The NHSRA is an independent student athletic association governing itself without supervision of school administrations or assistance from tax dollars. Student members are fully insured, supervised and guided by adult experts. Competitors have the opportunity to acquire scholarships and grants for continuing their educational careers.

At the national level, high school contestants have an opportunity to receive college scholarships totaling over \$200,000 each year. Students may also be awarded scholarship assistance based on need, desire to attend college and their stated goals and objectives. Supported by individual donations and corporate partners, many NHSRA students are able to improve their rodeo skills while furthering their academic careers.

NHSRA members compete at state levels for local recognition and the top four contestants in each event qualify for the National High School Finals Rodeo (NHSFR) held annually in July. Over 1,500 contestants from each of the 48 state/province associations compete for national titles, awards and scholarships.

At the first NJSFR, contestants competed in six events: calf roping, steer wrestling, saddle bronc riding, breakaway calf roping, bareback riding, and the one girls' event at that time, cattle cutting. Today, contestants compete in the following events:

Breakaway Calf Roping	Barrel Racing
Queen Contest	Team Roping
Cattle Cutting	Goat Tying
Pole Bending	Bareback Riding
Steer Wrestling	Saddle Bronc Riding
Calf	Roping
Bull riding	Reined Cow Horse

MDHSRA is very happy you have chosen to participate as an Adult Member. We look forward to working with you and hearing your ideas. Thank you for being a part of this amazing organization.



MARYLAND HIGH SCHOOL RODEO ASSOCIATION

ADULT/ALUMNI MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name:

Street Address:

City:

Zip Code & County:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email:

Work Phone:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Emergency Contact Name:

Address:

Phone:

Area of interest: (Check all that apply)

- Breakaway Calf Roping
- Queen Contest
- Cattle Cutting/
- Pole Bending
- Steer Wrestling
- Calf Roping

- Reined Cow Horse
- Barrel Racing
- Team Roping
- Goat Tying
- Bareback Riding
- Saddle Bronc Riding
- Bull Riding

Are there any areas where you would like to provide assistance?

Would you be interested in a Board Member Position?

Would you be interested in serving on a committee?

Membership Fee: \$40.00 – Adult \$36.00 Alumni (10% Discount First year out of competition with MDHSRA)

CASH

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Mail to: MDHSRA, P.O. Box 2682, Ellicott City, MD 21043