



Membership Checklist

Complete the CHECKLIST! All forms MUST be completed and uploaded to the online membership portal prior to competing in rodeo! We will work together to make sure your contestant is ready to go by the first rodeo! Contact me regarding any and all concerns!

_____ **National Rodeo Membership Application** completed and printed from the online portal. Instructions on website. **Both parents/guardians MUST sign** the bottom of this form along with the contestant and upload to the online membership portal. Attach this document to the online membership portal using the drop-down menu item specified. If only one parent signs, you MUST declare reason.

_____ **National Minor's Release, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement** completed and printed from the online program. The natural Father and Mother or the Legal Guardian along with the contestant MUST sign this form. **This form MUST be Notarized (be sure notary lists contestant and both parents as being present when notarized).** Attach this document to the online membership portal using the drop-down menu item specified.

*** _____ **Current Grade Transcripts--** Fall rodeos it must be the end of year report card; Spring rodeos it must be 2nd quarter report card or 1st semester report card.

*** _____ **Parent Membership Form** - print, sign and upload with the other state (***) forms. \$25 ONE - Parent Membership Fee OR \$35 TWO - Parent Membership Fee. (At least ONE parent MUST pay membership and that gives voting rights.) This may be submitted via PayPal or brought to the first rodeo! Must be paid prior to start of rodeo!

*** _____ **Photo Release Form** - print, sign and upload with the other state (***) forms.

*** _____ **Medical Release Form** - print, sign and upload with the other state (***) forms. **Both parents/guardians MUST sign** the bottom of this form. If only one parent signs, you MUST declare reason.

*** _____ **Homeschool Verification Form** - If your contestant is enrolled in a homeschool program, you must print, sign and upload with the other state (***) forms.

_____ **\$35 State Membership Fee per contestant** - may be submitted via PayPal or brought to the first rodeo! Must be paid prior to start of rodeo!

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WELCOME

Welcome to the 2023-2024 Kentucky High School Rodeo Season!! We are preparing for a new season, and it promises to be a great one. Please feel free to contact me via email - kyhsra@outlook.com – or by text, 270-952-2686, if questions arise.

Below are a few details that should help.

- Membership applications AND rodeo entries for the 2023-2024 season will be all online. You will go to our website homepage and follow the link for entering each rodeo online. Entries will be announced on the website and the KYHSRA Facebook page as to when they open.
- Although it is not required, we encourage you to pay fees prior to each event via Paypal or Venmo. Sending a check via snail mail is not recommended. If cash or check is your only option, you will do that at check-in. .
- At your first rodeo of the season, you will receive a membership packet that will include your rulebook, back number and any important paperwork.
- Back numbers must be worn on contestant's **back** at all times during the weekend. This means everywhere you go.
- You must be in **western attire** at the start of the rodeo and remain that way until the rodeo for the day is completely over (not just when your event has ended).
- Our official magazine is the Rodeo News. You will receive a subscription as a part of your membership.
- We also have a website; it is located at www.kyhsr.com and a Facebook page - **Kentucky High School Rodeo Association**. **All information will be shared through these sources.** Stay informed!
- We will have Cowboy Church services on Sunday morning at each rodeo event.
- Each contestant will be responsible for turning in \$300 in sponsorship for the year. This can be paid all at one time or broken up. \$150 must be paid by our October rodeo weekend and the other \$150 must be paid by our March rodeo weekend. This money can come from family, friends and/or businesses. You will need to turn in a sponsorship form with any money.
- BE SURE TO READ YOUR RULEBOOK!