



# Kentucky Junior Rodeo Association

## 2025-2026 K-8 Contestant Membership Form

Contestant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

City State Zip County

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

Grade for 2024-2025 school year \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an 8<sup>th</sup> Grader who has participated in KJRA since Kindergarten? YES NO

Is this your first year participating in KJRA? (not including pre-K) YES NO

A yearly membership fee of \$50 per junior rodeo contestant this includes two parents. Maximum for family is \$75. Make checks or money order payable to the KENTUCKY JUNIOR RODEO ASSOCIATION. Bring this completed application, payment and release form along with a copy of the contestant's birth certificate to the first rodeo. (Only submit the last item if they have not previously been submitted.)

Parent/Guardian 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Contestant \_\_\_\_\_

Email : \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

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Parent/Guardian 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Contestant \_\_\_\_\_

Email : \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

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Member Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Father/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

KENTUCKY JUNIOR RODEO ASSOCIATION  
2025-2026 RELEASE FORM  
ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

We, the undersigned, hereby request that the below named minor, and/or the below named natural parents or guardians, be granted permission, A) to enter the restricted areas, B) to participate as a contestant, officer, official or otherwise, in rodeo events, C) to compete for money, prizes, recognition, or reward, D) to be covered by participants' hospitalization insurance, if applicable, as limited by the master policy (all collectively hereinafter called "permissive entry").

In consideration of permissive entry to minor and parent into the restricted area, which is the area from which admission to the general public is restricted, which includes but is not limited to the rodeo arena, competition hall, chutes, pens, adjacent walkways, concessions, meeting rooms, and other appurtenances, we, the undersigned on behalf of the minor and ourselves, our personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, spouses, and assigns do hereby:

1. RELEASE, DICHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the Kentucky Junior Rodeo Association, Inc. or any Kentucky Junior Rodeo Association Officer, Board Member, Arena Director, Assistant Arena Director, Event Directors, Contestants, Judges, Stock Contractors, Sponsors, Arena Operators, or Owners, equipment manufacturers, or suppliers, and each of them, their officers, agents, employees, or any person assisting them (all hereinafter collectively referred to as "Releasees") from any and all claims and liability arising out of strict liability or ordinary negligence of Releasees, or any other participant or contestant which causes the undersigned injury, death, damages, or property damage. We, the undersigned, jointly, severally and in common, covenant to hold Releasees harmless from any claim, judgment, or expenses. Releasees may occur arising out of the minor's or parent's activities, or presence in the restricted area of participation in rodeo events.
2. UNDERSTAND THAT THE MINOR'S AND/OR PARENT'S ENTRY into the restricted area, and/or participation in rodeo events, contains DANGER AND RISK OF INJURY, OR DEATH TO MINOR AND/OR PARENT, that conditions of the rodeo arena change from time to time and may become more hazardous, that rodeo animals are dangerous and unpredictable, and that THERE IS INHERENT DANGER IN RODEO, which we each appreciate, and voluntarily assume, because as the minor and/or parent, we choose to do so. Each of the undersigned has observed events of the type that the minor seeks to participate in. We, the undersigned, additionally understand it is solely our duty and responsibility to insure that both minors and parents wear appropriate personal protective equipment for those events. We further understand that the arena surface, access ways, or lack thereof, and weather conditions, all change, and may pose a danger to the minor and/or parent, and further understand that other contestants and participants pose a danger to the minor and/or parent, but nevertheless, WE EACH VOLUNTARILY ACCEPT ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH THE MINOR'S AND/OR PARENT'S ENTRY INTO THE RESTRICTED AREA, AND/OR PARTICIPATION IN ANY RODEO EVENTS.
3. Agree that this agreement shall apply to any incident, injury, accident, or death occurring on the date this document is executed, and for a period of one (1) year thereafter or until the minor's or parent's association membership expires, whichever shall last occur. All subsequent agreements and release documents signed by any of the undersigned shall amplify, but shall in no way limit the provisions of this document. The provisions of this document may be canceled by any of the undersigned by delivering to the above rodeo association written cancellation of this agreement, which shall be effective twenty-four (24) hours after the date said cancellation is actually received by the rodeo association.

4. Releasor, or parents, or guardians of the undersigned minor and parent agree to indemnify the releases and each of them from any loss, liability, damage, or cost they incur due to the presence or participation of the minor and/or the parent in the described activities, whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees, or otherwise.

We have read this document; we understand it is a release of all claims; we appreciate and assume ALL RISK inherent in rodeo.

_____	_____	_____
Printed name of natural father	Signature of natural father	Date
_____	_____	_____
Printed name of natural mother	Signature of natural mother	Date
_____	_____	_____
Printed name of guardian	Signature of guardian	Date
_____	_____	_____
Printed name of minor	Signature of minor	Date

STATE OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY

OF

SS:

I, the undersigned, a Notary public, in and for the county and state aforesaid, do certify that on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024 the foregoing document was produced to me and was acknowledged by \_\_\_\_\_.

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public