

Foothills Youth Rodeo Association

108 Horseback Way
Travelers Rest SC29690
rodeofyra@yahoo.com

Membership or Permit Application

Contestant's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Relationship: _____

Emergency Contact Phone Number: _____

****\$20 GROUNDS FEE PER CONTESTANT PER WEEKEND (No gate admittance charge)****

Age Division

Age as of **Nov. 1st 2025**

- PeeWee: 6 and Under
- Wrangler: 7-10
- Junior: 11-14
- Senior: 15-18

Type of Membership

- Annual Membership \$95 before March 1st/\$125 after
- Permit \$20/day (plus entry fees)

Proof of Age - Please provide a copy of one of the following

Birth Certificate

Driver's License

Photo Release Statement

By signing below, I give my permission to allow Foothills Youth Rodeo Association to use photos of above contestant publicly to help promote our association and the sport of rodeo. I understand the photos may be used in but not limited to printed and online publications, websites and social media. I also recognize that no compensation shall be given for use of said photographs.

Parent/ Guardian: _____ Contestant Signature (If 18 or older) _____

Rodeo Office Use Only: Date Received: _____ Form of Payment: _____

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MINOR'S RELEASE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

We, the undersigned, hereby request that the below minor be granted permission to participate in rodeo events for money, prizes, recognition, or reward (hereinafter called permissive entry). In consideration of permissive entry of the minor into restricted area, which includes, but is not limited to, rodeo arena, competition area, chutes, pens, and other appurtenances, we the undersigned, on behalf of the minor and for ourselves, our personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, spouses, and assigns, do hereby:

1. RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the rodeo committee, stock contractor, rodeo association, sponsors, arena operators or owners, and each of them their officers, agents, and employees (all hereinafter collectively referred to as "releases"), or any other participant which causes the undersigned injury, death, damages, or property damage. We, the undersigned, jointly, severally, and in common, covenant to hold releases harmless and to indemnify releases from any claim, judgment, or expenses releases may incur arising out of any of the minor's activities or presence in the restricted area.
2. UNDERSTAND that minor's entry into the restricted area and/or participation in rodeo events contains DANGER AND RISK OF INJURY OR DEATH TO MINOR, that conditions of the 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 the minor and we purpose to do so. Each of the undersigned has observed events of the type that the minor seeks to participate in. We further understand that the arena surface, access ways or lack thereof, lighting or lack thereof, and weather conditions all change and pose a danger to the minor. We further understand that other contestants and participants pose a danger to the minor but never the less, WE EACH VOLUNTARILY ELECT TO ACCEPT ALL RISKS connected with the minor'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 above date and FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR THEREAFTER or until the minor'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 the document may be canceled by any one of the undersigned by delivering to the above association written cancellation of this agreement, which shall be effective 24 hours after the date said cancellation is actually received by the rodeo association.
4. Releaser, parents, or guardians of the undersigned minor AGREE TO INDEMINIFY the releases and each of them from any loss, liability, damage, or cost they may incur due to the presence or participation of the minor in the described activities whether caused by negligence of the releases or otherwise.

I hereby request membership to the Foothills Youth Rodeo Association, and I have read the Rule Book and I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations of this association. I further agree to promote rodeo as a sport and spectator event, and this association. I and my kin agree that no member, officer, director, board member, agent, employee, or heirs shall in any way be responsible or accountable for any damage, loss, or injury to persons, animals, or property due to my association or participation with these rodeo's or their livestock.

WE HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT. WE UNDERSTAND IT IS A RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS. WE APPRECIATE AND ASSUME ALL RISKS INHERENT IN RODEO. ** IF PARENTS ARE SEPARATED/DIVORCED BOTH PARTIES SHOULD SIGN! FYRA is NOT responsible in custody issues! If you sign, you are assuming responsibility! **

SIGNATURE OF LEGALGUARDIAN: _____

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SIGNATURE OF MEMBER (if 18 or Older Only): _____

SIGNATURE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF NOTARY PUBLIC:

STATE OF _____ COUNTY OF _____

On this day _____, I _____ a Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that: _____ personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledge to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon the behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

SIGNATURE OF NOTARY OFFICER: _____

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: _____ (Notary Seal, if any)

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Please sign after reading the following:

- I/We understand that this contestant may not compete until rodeo office has release and proof of age.
- I/We understand that if no SSN is given the above contestant may not receive pay out.
- I/We understand that it is the contestant's/Parent's responsibility to read and understand the rule book.
- I/We acknowledge that ALL of the above information is correct, true and verifiable
- I/We understand there will be no tolerance of unsportsmanlike conduct
- I/We understand there will be no tolerance of foul language, belittling language, or harassment
- I/We acknowledge that any form of bullying will not be accepted
- I/We acknowledge that if a conduct rule is broken by a friend, parent or family member of a contestant it can result in the disqualification of the contestant

Although there are steps outlined in the rule book that will be taken upon the demonstration of bad conduct or other violations mentioned above, Foothills Youth Rodeo Association reserves the right to skip or combine disciplinary action depending on the severity of the situation.

Foothills Youth Rodeo Association recognizes the presence of the internet in shaping public thinking about our organization, and our current rodeo program. As a member and parent, I will not post or engage in derogatory or negative comments on social media about our association. As a member and parent, I understand FYRA's mission statement and conduct rules will apply at times. Failure to comply, will result in immediate termination of membership.

Contestant:

Print: _____ Sign: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardians:

Print: _____ Sign: _____

Date: _____

Print: _____ Sign: _____

Date: _____

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Ad Requirement to participate in Finals

- **ALL contestants must sell a minimum of \$150.00. All Ad sales of \$150 are due by June 14th 2026. If you already have your 7 rodeos by June 14th, then your jacket will be at finals. Any that have NOT had their 7 Rodeos, we cannot guarantee your jacket at finals. All contestants will try on jackets at the June rodeo.**

**** AD MONEY IS NON REFUNDABLE****

Send shout outs to your buddies! Family & Friends can wish you well!

Or advertise your business with over 2,000 rodeo spectators!

Send in a business card, photo or typed ad

****How you send in the Ad is how it will get printed****

FINALS Ad Prices:

- Bucking Chute Sponsorship: \$350.00 (call for availability) (All season)
- Arena Sponsorship : \$200.00 (All season)
- Business card- \$25.00
- ½ page AD- \$50.0
- Full page AD \$75.00
- Finals Average Buckles: \$150.00 (pre-sold)
- Finals Jacket Sponsor: \$1,500.00 (pre-sold)
- Saddle Sponsorship : \$1,000.00

All donations are tax deductible

Ad money can be turned in to the Secretary at any rodeo or contact Megan Moody at 864-293-9822 to discuss further.

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