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## **Membership Application**

FOR FEDEX DELIVERY TO AQHA: 1600 QUARTER HORSE DR, AMARILLO, TX 79104 • MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. BOX 200, AMARILLO, TX 79168 WWW.AQHA.COM • © (806) 376-4811 • FAX: (806) 349-6412

Please be sure that all fields are completed with the appropriate information. Missing information will delay the processing of your application.

Please mail the completed form to: AQHA Membership PO Box 36300 Amarillo, TX 79120-6300 AQHA ID (if known)# Membership: O Individual Don't forget to include a check payable to AQHA or supply your credit card information. When marking a selection circle, please fill it in completely. O Non-Individual O Company **MEMBERSHIP TYPE AND DURATION:** Please select one **GENERAL AMATEUR** YOUTH O 12-month Membership - \$40 USD ○ 12-month Membership – \$50 USD 12-month Membership – \$15 USD 36-month Membership - \$80 USD O 36-month Membership – \$100 USD O 36-month Membership – \$35 USD O Life Membership - \$750 USD O 12-month Upgrade – \$10 USD O Life Membership (through age 18) - \$50 USD O 36-month Upgrade - \$20 USD ○ Show Management Fee – \$5 USD If you would like to enroll in the Novice Program, please fill out and submit the last page of this form. First Name: Last Name: Middle Name/Initial: Non-Individual/Company Name: Address: City: State/Province: Country: Zip/Postal Code: E-mail Address: **E-MAIL OPTIONS** From time to time, AQHA sends e-mail important to our members about events and other promotional news. Please indicate whether or not you would like to receive these e-mail messages from AQHA. O YES, I would like all information AQHA sends via e-mail in the future.

#### AMATEUR MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT – ONLY FOR AMATEUR MEMBERSHIP APPLICANTS

Amateur membership is a classification for people who wish to compete in AQHA amateur classes. To be an amateur member, you must abide by AQHA amateur rules contained in the AQHA Official Handbook of Rules & Regulations. Before submitting your application to AQHA, please carefully read such rules to ensure you meet amateur eligibility. Application for AQHA amateur membership shall become active only upon AQHA's acceptance of this application. By submitting your application for amateur membership, you affirm the truth of the following statements:

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY):

I have NOT within the previous three years of submitting this application:

•Shown, judged, trained or assisted in training a horse (whether or not a registered American Quarter Horse) for remuneration.

YES, I would like information about my membership and AQHA business, but no promotional information.

NO, I do not want any information AQHA sends even if it concerns my membership status.

- •Instructed another person in riding, driving, training or showing a horse for remuneration.
- •Held the credentials of a horse show judge for any organization including, but not limited to AQHA or any other equine organization.
  •Held a membership in accreditation with the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association, Women's Professional Rodeo Association (Barrel Race Only) or International Professional Rodeo Association, for those events or classes which are the same events or classes in which the individual competes, or desires to compete, in AQHA amateur competition. (Please refer to AQHA Rule 403 for more specific provisions regarding roping classes).

Signature:	Date	:

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#### **AREAS OF INTEREST**

Please select your areas of interest.

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- O Breeding Racing
- O Breeding Showing
- O Breeding Recreational Riding
- O Recreational Riding
- O Racing Competition
- O Ranch Use
- O Compete in AQHA Horse Shows
- O Compete in Open and Local Shows (Playdays; Gymkhanas)

- O Rodeo Competition
- O Compete in Youth Events such as 4-H, FFA, NHSRA, Other Rodeo Organizations, Judging Contest, Pony Clubs, etc.
- O Compete in AQHA Youth Shows
- O Professional Trainer/Exhibitor
- O Racing Fan
- O Compete in NCHA Events
- O Compete in NRHA Events

- O Compete in NSBA Events
- O Compete in NRCHA Events
- O Compete in PHBA Events
- O Riding Instructor
- O Political Action
- O Mounted Shooting
- O Compete in Dressage

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### **AUTO-RENEWAL OPTIONS**

Total amount to charge credit card: \$

You can now have your membership automatically renewed on the credit card you've provided. Nothing will lapse if you elect auto-renew. You can cancel at any time by calling AQHA Customer Service at (806) 376-4811.

Would you like to automatically renew your membership when it expires? O Yes O No

### **MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT**

Dues payments MAY BE deductible by members as an ordinary and necessary business expense; however, donations or gifts to the American Quarter Horse Association are not deductible as charitable donations for federal income tax purposes. Donations to the American Quarter Horse Foundation ARE tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. One dollar of your annual membership dues is designated as a subscription to *America's Horse*, AQHA's official member publication. Through payment of membership dues you acknowledge that membership in AQHA is voluntary, and that you agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of *AQHA's Official Handbook of Rules and Regulations*.





# **AQHA Novice Application**

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## AQHA NOVICE CLASSES

- A Halter/Performance Halter
- **B** Reining
- C Working Cow Horse Boxing
- D Trail & Green Trail
- E Western Riding & Green Western Riding
- F Team Penning
- **G** Ranch Sorting

- H Barrel Racing
- Pole Bending
- J Stake Race
- **K** Jumping
- Working Hunter & Green Working Hunter
- M Hunter Hack
- N Equitation Over Fences
- Western Pleasure 2-Year-Old Western Pleasure
  - Green Western Pleasure
    Ranch Horse Pleasure
- P Western Horsemanship
- Q Hunter Under Saddle & Green Hunter Under Saddle
- R Hunt Seat Equitation
- S Tie-Down Roping

- T Breakaway Roping
- **U** Heading
- **V** Heeling
- **W** Cutting
- **X** Showmanship
- Y Pleasure Driving
- **Z** Versatility Ranch Horse
- **AA** Cowboy Mounted Shooting

#### NOVICE ENROLLMENT

Application can be faxed to (806) 349-6412

ELIGIBILITY IN A NOVICE CLASS IS DETERMINED FROM THE LIFETIME POINTS EARNED IN THAT CLASS PER DIVISION, REGARDLESS OF TIME OF ENROLLMENT.

#### CLASS (Z) IS ELIGIBLE FOR NOVICE AMATEUR PARTICIPATION ONLY.

- O NO, I am not an accredited horse show judge. I am eligible for the novice program.
- O YES, I have earned:
  - (1) earned 25 AQHA novice amateur, amateur, novice youth, youth or open points, or any combination thereof, in a class;
  - (2) earned 50 points or a superior award in a given class with an equine organization or association with a membership of 7,500 or more members.
  - (3) won a world, reserve world, national championship, reserve national championship or international title in a class with any equine organization or association with a membership of 7,500 or more members; or
  - (4) won a total of \$5,000 in cash and prizes with any equine breed organization or association then, he/she will no longer be eligible to participate in the novice skill set containing that class in subsequent years but may continue to compete in that novice skill set until the end of the calendar year in which the afore-mentioned instances occurred.

(LIST INELIGIBLE CLASS LETTERS FROM CHART ABOVE.)

O YES, please enroll me in the AQHA Novice Program in the classes for which I qualify.

SIGNATURE

DATE