

# RANCHING HERITAGE CHALLENGE ENTRY FORM

**AUGUST 30, 2012 • RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA** 



For further information, contact us at (806) 376-48II or visit aqha.com

# 1] CLASS

Complete class name (either 4-year-old Open or 5-year-old and older Non-Pro). Please fill out separate forms for each class listed.

# 2] REGISTRATION NUMBER

List horse's name and registration number.

## 3] EXHIBITOR

Exhibitor's name and AQHA ID number must be provided. Recorded exhibitor must have a current membership which may be purchased at the time of entry by sending a separate check of \$40 for membership, or \$45 for Amateur membership.

#### 4] OWNER

a) U.S. residents MUST provide owner's Social Security number or Federal Tax ID number.

b) International residents must have a U.S. Federal Tax ID number, or WE MUST DEDUCT 31% OF ANY PRIZE MONEY WON.

## **5] PHONE NUMBERS ARE MANDATORY**

We must be able to reach you during AQHA office hours of 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Central Standard Time.

# 6] SIGNATURE REQUIRED FOR ENTRY ACCEPTANCE DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS AUGUST 15,2012.

### 7] TOTAL ENTRY COST

NO REFUNDS will be made of office charges at any time. Refunds for entry, stall and exhibitor passes in the case of injured or dead horses must be requested for consideration by September 30, 2012, and must be accompanied by a veterinarian statement or death certificate.

### 8] ENTRIES SHOULD BE MAILED VIA FEDEX TO:

AQHA Ranching Heritage Challenge 1600 Quarter Horse Drive Amarillo, TX 79104 Or certified mail to:

P.O. Box 200 Amarillo, TX 79168

## 9] WAIVER & RELEASE FORM

The participant waiver and release form on the reverse side must be signed and returned for entry(s) to be accepted.

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I] CLASS (Select one): Open 4-year-old Limited	4-year-old Cowboy Class Non-Pro Amateur	Novice			
2] REG NO: HOI	IAME:				
3] EXHIBITOR (must be listed):	FIRST NAME I	ID#			
By completing and returning this form with appropriate fe hereby make application to enter the named horse on this event named, agreeing to abide by and be governed by all regulations of AQHA's Official Handbook and the AQHA Heritage Challenge, all of which I (we) assume all risk of p and/or property damage and do hereby release and discharge	in the representatives and employees, from any and all liability and however arising, as to personal injury or property damay ching result of participation in an event or events, or other act all injury at the show or on the show grounds.	y, whenever or ige, occurring as a			
4] OWNER:	ID#				
G SIGNATURE OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS FORM: By signing, the person represents the information included is true and correct to the best of their knowledge.  7 ALL FEES MUST ACCOMPANY THIS ENTRY:	OCHECK OMONEY ORDER  IF PAYING BY CREDIT CARD, PLEASE OF AMERICAN EXPRESS OF MASTERCARD OF VISA	COMPLETE THE FOL			
\$TALL (OPTIONAL) \$50  4-Year-Old Open \$285  Cowboy Class \$285	CARD NUMBER  EXP. DATE (MMYY)  DAYTIME PHONE				
Non-Pro \$285	CARDHOLDER NAME				
TOTAL FEES \$	CARDHOLDER NAME				



# RANCHING HERITAGE CHALLENGE ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT



As a condition of participation in the AQHA Ranching Heritage Challenge ("Challenge"), and in consideration of being allowed to participate, the Participant, together with his/her parents or guardian if under the age of 18 years (collectively "Participant"), does hereby:

- ACKNOWLEDGE receipt of AQHA Ranching Heritage Challenge Rules and the AQHA Official Handbook of Rules & Regulations (collectively "AQHA Rules & Regulations").
- 2. CERTIFY that I have read, understand and agree to obey (a) all AQHA Rules & Regulations (including, but not limited to, Rule 403 (Amateur Eligibility); Rule 441 (Prohibited Conduct); and Rule 101(f)(5) (Likeness Reproduction)). I further agree to obey the directions of the AQHA representatives conducting the Challenge.
- ACKNOWLEDGE, agree, and represent that Participant understands the nature of Challenge participation and attendance activities ("Activities") and that the Participant is qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such Activities;
- 4. FULLY UNDERSTAND THAT THE ACTIVITIES INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, "INHERENT RISKS OF EQUINE ACTIVITIES" THAT MAY RESULT IN PROPERTY DAMAGE AND BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS, AND DEATH (collectively "RISKS"); that such RISKS may be caused by Participant's own action or inaction, the action or inaction of others participating in the Activities, the condition of the premises at which the Activities take place, and/or THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW;
- 5. UNDERSTAND AND AGREE that "Inherent risk of equine activities" means dangers or conditions that are an integral part of equine activities, including, but not limited to, any of the following: (a) the propensity of an equine to behave in ways that may result in injury, death, or loss to persons on or around the equine; (b) the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to sounds, sudden movement, unfamiliar objects, persons, or other animals; (c) hazards, including, but not limited to, surface or subsurface conditions; (d) a collision with another equine, another animal, a person, or an object; and (e) the potential of an equine activity participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury, death, or loss to the person of the participant or to other persons, including but not limited to, failing to maintain control over an equine or failing to act within the ability of the participant;
- 6. FULLY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS AND ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSSES, COSTS, AND DAMAGES PARTICIPANT INCURS AS A RESULT OF PARTICIPANT'S PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITIES;

- 7. WARRANT AND REPRESENT that, if the Activities involve horses, Participant is adequately qualified and experienced to both (a) safely handle and ride a horse in a manner to protect Participant and other third parties, and (b) participate with groups of riders and horses, such as to take adequate defensive action to avoid injury from third party participants and horses. Furthermore, Participant understands that it is Participant's responsibility to ascertain the adequacy of Participant's training and experience, the adequacy and training of Participant's horse, and for Participant conduct himself/herself in a manner such as to make the Activities safe and enjoyable for all participants;
- 8. HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE AQHA, AQHF, AND/OR AQHA CORPORATE PARTNERS OR THEIR RESPECTIVE ADMINISTRATORS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, OFFICERS, MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS, AND EMPLOY-EES, AND, IF APPLICABLE, OWNER AND LESSORS OF PREMISES ON WHICH THE ACTIVITIES TAKE PLACE, (EACH CONSIDERED ONE OF THE "RELEASEES" HEREIN) FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES WHENEVER OR HOWEVER ARISING AS TO INJURY, DEATH AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE OCCURRING AS A RESULT OF PARTICIPANT'S PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITIES OR CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.
- 9. AGREE to indemnify, hold harmless and defend RELEASEES from any and all liability, whenever or however arising, from all third party claims, demands, causes of action, suits, judgments, liabilities, costs and expenses of any nature arising out of (i) Participant's negligent act(s) or omissions during or related in any way to the Activities; and/or (ii) Participant's willful act(s) or omission(s) during or related in any way to the Activities; and/or (iii) any misinformation or misrepresentations made by Participant in this Agreement. Participant agrees to pay any of RELEASEES costs, expenses and reasonable attorney fees incurred, arising directly or indirectly out of or with respect to any third party claims or associated with the enforcement of the indemnity obligations referenced above.
- 10. AGREE that this Assumption of Risk/Release of Liability/Indemnity Agreement ("Agreement") (a) shall bind me, my family, my heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; (b) shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas; and (c) shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts

Participant has read this agreement, fully understands its terms, understands that participant is giving up substantial rights by
signing it and has signed it freely and without inducement or assurance of any nature and intend it to be a complete and uncondition
tional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law and agree that if any portion of this agreement is held to be void,
voidable, invalid or inoperative, the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force and effect as though such void, voidable,
invalid or inoperative provision had not been contained herein. By submitting this document to aqha, i hereby agree to be bound
by all the terms and conditions of aqha's official handbook of rules and regulations.

Participant's Signature (REQUIRED):		Date:
Parent/Guardian Signature (REQUIRED ONLY IF PARTICIPANT IS UNDER AGE OF 18; by s	gning, Parent/Guardian agrees to be bound by the te	rms and conditions of the above Agreement)
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Printed Name:	Date:
Name and relationship of owner(s) of horse if different from Participant:		