

2018 Built Ford Tough AQHYA World Championship Show

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The Built Ford Tough AQHYA World Championship Show is the pinnacle event for American Quarter Horse exhibitors ages 18 and under around the world, who must qualify for the event by earning a predetermined number of points to compete in each of the classes representing halter, English and western disciplines. Nearly 3,500 entries from the United States, Canada, Costa Rica, Denmark and Luxembourg are competing for 42 world championships and 33 Adequan® Level 2 championship titles at this year's event, August 2-11 at State Fair Park in Oklahoma City.

- **Number of exhibitors** - 771
- **Total number of horses** - 1,056
- **Total number of entries** - 3,480
 - Level 3 - 1,625
 - Western - 1,198, English - 275, Halter - 152
 - Level 3 13-&-Under Core Classes - 289
 - Western - 225, English - 64
 - Adequan® Level 2 - 1,566
 - Western - 1,135, English - 311, Halter - 120
- **Total number of 13-&-Under entries** - 540
- **Number of 13-&-Under exhibitors** - 189
- **Age of youngest exhibitor** - 6 (competing in 13-&-Under Ranch Riding)
- **Top five classes by entries**
 1. Adequan® Level 2 Horsemanship - 162
 2. Adequan® Level 2 Showmanship - 161
 3. Adequan® Level 2 Ranch Riding - 133
 4. Adequan® Level 2 Trail and Level 3 Horsemanship - 126
 5. Level 3 Showmanship - 121
- **Top five states by number of exhibitors**
 1. Texas - 114
 2. Ohio - 56
 - Oklahoma - 56
 4. Colorado - 44
 5. Kansas - 43
- **Countries represented** - United States (41 states), Canada (2 provinces), Costa Rica, Denmark and Luxembourg
- **Economic Impact** - Nearly \$10 million to the Oklahoma City-area economy
- **AQHA Membership** - More than 250,000 members, including nearly 22,000 youth members
- **Partners** - Ford, Bank of America, John Deere, Justin Boots, Markel Insurance, Nutrena, SmartPak, *The American Quarter Horse Journal* and Wrangler
- **Event Sponsors** - 5 Star Equine Products, Adequan®, the Camden Equine Rehabilitation & Conditioning Center, Cripple Creek, the Four Sixes Ranch, Elite Stall Mat, *The Equine Chronicle*, Oklahoma City Convention & Visitors Bureau, State Fair Park, Resistol RideSafe and Metro Golf Cars

