

TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL AND JUNIOR HIGH RODEO ASSOCIATION

REGION IV

JULY 2023

Hello and Welcome IV THSRA Members.

It is time to start a new rodeo season..... membership information will be uploaded to thsra4.com website. At anytime you have questions do not hesitate to contact me, Kathy Johnson at 903-245-2725, I am your Region IV Secretary. The list may appear to be overwhelming take your time and work through the checklist and all additional information.

1. Checklist check off – follow this and you will be doing good. Membership process is basically the same as last year but read carefully.
2. **Membership application:** must be filled out on-line at nhsra.com beginning July 1, 2023. Renewing members you already have a profile, if you have forgot your password click on that and reset your password RETURNING MEMBERS DO NOT STATE A NEW PROFILE. All new members click on new member. You will print out your membership application and liability release form. Fill out forms have them signed and notarized. You will scan back to the National office to reload in membership and pay the National, State and Region dues online. You will not be mailing membership information to the Region.
3. Next step go to the website [www.thsra4.com](http://www.thsra4.com) and print out the membership forms, important dates and other important information.

**NEW MEMBERS** will need photo release form, social media form, contestant school form and W9 along with copy of your birth certificate and last years final report card. Complete required forms pay attention to which ones need to be notarized, make sure member and parents sign where required. Upload ALL of the forms (including the membership application and your minors release form) to the NHSRA portal. You will NOT mail these to the Region office everything is uploaded. EVERYTHING WILL NEED TO UPLOAD TO THE PORTAL BY AUGUST 21, 2023 TO ATTEND THE FIRST RODEO.

**RENEWING MEMBERS** download membership package. You will need to complete a new membership application along with minor release and upload. You will also need to complete the Contestant school form and upload along with your final report card for 2023. If you are a returning member you will not have to upload your W-9, Birth Certificate, Social Media and Photo-Release forms... these should already be in your portal from last year. (you may double check these forms are there when you enter your portal).

4. Prospective Members Letter from State office – very important TEXAS rules, regarding requirements that must be met, Ford Raffle Ticket Sales must sale at lease 15 tickets, Bloomer Trailer tickets must sell 3 for state requirements - please note that REGION 4 REQUIRES YOU TO SELL 4 BLOOMER and Ad Program sales require a minimum of \$50.
5. Student Officer and Student Event Nominations these must be turned in with first entry – see form for instructions.

MEMBERSHIP SHOULD BE UPLOADED TO NHSRA PORTAL BY AUGUST 21, 2023 AND ENTRY FORM MUST BE POSTMARK DATE OF AUGUST 22, 2023 FOR RODEO 1 & 2 (when entry forms are available, the sooner the better to get this in) – Cutters and Reining Cow Horse must have membership uploaded before your participate.

YOU MUST HAVE EVERYTHING REQUIRED AND CORRECT TO ENTER the first rodeo AND uploaded in your portal, YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ENTER (until all information is correct) I will be checking the documents as you upload and let you know if something is incorrect or needs additional attention. You will receive a rule book if you are a new member, back number, Ford raffle tickets, Bloomer tickets.

One more very important item is DRESS CODE – remember new and existing members, every contestant must be in full western attire. This consists of cowboy hat, LONG sleeve shirt (tucked in) blue jeans, cowboy boots(not tennis shoes or hey dudes) and your number on your back (keep your number, but if you loose it we will have replacments for \$5 in the office)

WE WILL POST ENTRY FORMS; PLEASE CONTINUE TO WATCH THE WEBSITE, FB AND REMIND APP.

I know this is a lot of information (believe me I know). We are looking forward to a great 2023-24 season. If you have additional questions please do not hesitate to contact, me Kathy Johnson at 903-245-2725.

**FOLLOW THIS INFORMATION ALONG WITH YOUR CHECK LIST AND YOUR MEMBERSHIP SHOULD NOT BE A PROBLEM..... I DO ENCOURAGE YOU TO WATCH WEBSITE, FB AND JOIN THE REMIND APP. PLEASE REMEMBER ALL MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION MUST BE CORRECTLY UPLOADED TO THE NHSRA WEBSITE BEFORE YOU WILL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER. POST MARK DATE FOR ENTRIES AUGUST 22, 2023 TO ENTER RODEO 1 AND 2. CONTACT KATHY JOHNSON AT 903-245-2725 IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.**

TO: PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS  
FROM: THSRA STATE OFFICE  
DATE: July 2023  
RE: MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Welcome prospective members to the National and Texas High School Rodeo Association. We are pleased to know that you are thinking about becoming a member in this great association where "**The Elite Compete**". Along with the requirements of the region you are thinking about joining, there are a few the THSRA requires, and so there will be no misunderstanding as to what these requirements are, they are listed below:

1. You must be in good standing, under 20 years of age, and be considered a full-time student with passing grades in 70% of classes taken. Any student attending a **private, home-school, year-round school or correspondence school**, must show proof of full-time status (passing 70% of classes) and the grade report must be a professional, computer generated document with the signatures of the teacher(s) for each subject. Any of these types of schools must be a state accredited school/program. If there are any questions, you must get pre-approved **ONE (1) MONTH PRIOR TO DEADLINES** through the THSRA State Office by calling **936-590-4447**. All students, even the ones in public school, will be required to turn in a report card or transcript with their membership application, at mid-term and at the State Finals. Any questionable documents of public, private, home, year-round or correspondence school received at deadline times will result in ineligibility of points for a minimum of two (2) rodeos, until the problem is worked out. **Any documents that are falsified will result in immediate disqualification from the association.**

2. You will be required to sell **fifteen (15) Truck Raffle tickets** by December 2023 and have these returned to your region secretary. For every five (5) tickets sold, you will receive one (1) free ticket.

3. You will required to sell three **(3) \$50 Bloomer Trailer Raffle ticket** by December 2023 and have this returned to your region secretary. High school members will receive one (1) free ticket with membership and one (1) free ticket for every three (3) tickets sold.

4. You will also be required to sell at least **one (1) \$50 State Ad** for the THSRA State Finals program. For any additional ads sold, the member will receive 25% commission on the additional ad amount and your region will receive 20% commission once the total sales has reached \$350.00.

THSRA members selling the most total ads and sponsorships will receive the following awards:

1st place - Trophy saddle (must have a minimum of \$3,000 in ad sales)

2nd place - hand crafted silver/rawhide breast collar and head stall, unless the member sells over \$3,000 in ads. If your ads total over \$3,000, you will receive a gift certificate for a trophy saddle

3rd place - choice of hand crafted silver/rawhide breast collar or headstall

4th place - choice of hand crafted silver/rawhide breast collar or headstall

5th place - deluxe travel bag with hand-tooled leather logo "THSRA"

**THANKS AND LET'S HAVE A FUN AND SAFE RODEO SEASON!!**

# IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER!!

## 2023-2024 REGION IV

**November 4-5**  
**Rodeo #5 & #6**  
(all tickets & ad money DUE)

15 Dodge truck tickets must be turned in to the region secretary. (\$150) **You may continue to sell tickets through Region Finals.**

4 Bloomer tickets due \$ 200

State Finals Ad & ARTWORK due \$50

Region Finals Ad & ARTWORK due \$50

February 17 - Rodeo #9

**Region IV** scholarship applications due to the region secretary.

March 1

AQHA Horse of the Year Nominations - Final Deadline (Applications can be submitted beginning August 1 to the address on form).

April 1 (tentative)

**THSRA** scholarship applications due to the **STATE** secretary.

May 26-June 1, 2024

TJHRA State Finals - Gonzales, TX

June 6-June 15, 2024

THSRA State Finals, Abilene, TX

June 23- June 29, 2024

NJHRA National Finals - Des Moines, IA

July 14- July 20, 2024

NHSRA National Finals - Rock Springs, WY

**ALL AD AND RAFFLE TICKET MONEY MUST BE PAID SEPARATELY.**  
**DUE TO PREVIOUS RETURNED ITEMS, CHECKS WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED FROM THE MEMBER – NOT SOMEONE BUYING THE TICKET.**

**\*\*\*\*\*Turn in your tickets, ads, and money to the secretary's office. Please make sure your ad forms are filled out COMPLETELY & artwork is attached. I will not be able to chase down the artwork. This is YOUR responsibility to take care of this. THANK YOU in advance for your cooperation in this matter.\*\*\*\*\***

## SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY

*In accordance with **NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL RODEO Rules, By-laws and Constitution**, “NHSRA membership associations shall have the authority to require signature agreements pertinent to Social Media Policies for student and adult members, as a requirement of membership. The purpose of said policies is to protect the membership association and its official representatives from inaccurate, detrimental, threatening, harassing and derogatory information, as well as from creating unauthorized websites and social media accounts utilizing the association name, whether directly or indirectly.”*

As a condition of membership in THSRA (the “Texas High School Rodeo Association”), the undersigned understands that the Texas High School Rodeo Association requires student members, parent members and adult non-parent members to agree not to post on line any comments about the National High School Rodeo Association, the Texas High School Rodeo Association, and/or its official representatives that are inaccurate, detrimental, threatening, harassing and/or derogatory, as well as to agree not to create unauthorized websites and social media accounts utilizing the Texas High School Rodeo Association name, likeness, logo, etc., whether directly or indirectly.

We further understand that failure to abide by this agreement by **either** adult members, parent(s) non-members **or** student member(s) will or may, by review and decision of the Executive Board, result in immediate revocation of all the undersigned’s adult **and** student memberships in the Texas High School Rodeo Association, including any points awarded in the current rodeo season. Should membership be revoked, future membership and participation in the Texas High School Rodeo Association (THSRA) will be at the sole discretion of the Texas High School Rodeo Association Executive Board. This revocation of membership shall not, however, preclude the Texas High School Rodeo Association from bringing a claim against an adult member, parent non-member or a parent on behalf of their minor child(ren) who is(are) a member(s), for appropriate damages caused by the actions of either the parent, adult non-parent or student. By signing below, the undersigned agree to this Social Media Policy.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Texas High School Rodeo Association Student Member),

\_\_\_\_\_ (Texas High School Rodeo Association Adult Member),

\_\_\_\_\_ (Texas High School Rodeo Association Parent),

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TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL RODEO ASSOCIATION REGION IV

**CHECKLIST FOR WHAT NEEDS TO BE UPLOADED TO MEMBER PROFILE  
NHSRA**

\_\_\_\_\_ Membership Application (print from membership documents NHSRA portal, complete (sign) and NOTARIZE, then upload executed document back to profile)

\_\_\_\_\_ Minor's Release Application **please make sure you download the 2023 minors release** (print from membership documents NHSRA portal, complete (sign) and NOTARIZE, then upload executed document back to profile)

\_\_\_\_\_ Pay Membership Dues Online (National, State and Region) ALL MEMBERS

\_\_\_\_\_ Contestant Approval Form - ALL MEMBERS Signed by Contestant, Parents, School Official and NOTARIZED

\_\_\_\_\_ Photo Release - signed and NOTARIZED (NEW MEMBERS ONLY, renewing members this will be in your portal)

\_\_\_\_\_ Social Media Policy - signed (NEW MEMBERS ONLY, renewing members this will be in your portal)

\_\_\_\_\_ Copy of Birth Certificate (NEW MEMBERS ONLY, renewing members this will be in your portal)

\_\_\_\_\_ Copy of Final Report Cards (May of 2022) ALL MEMBERS (renewing or new)

\_\_\_\_\_ W-9 - signed and complete (NEW MEMBERS ONLY, renewing members this will be in your portal)

**IMPORTANT ALL ABOVE REQUIRED COMPLETED FORMS ARE TO BE UPLOAD TO MEMBER PROFILE. PLEASE DOUBLE CHECK THAT ALL INFORMATION IS CORRECT, SIGNED AND NOTARIZED IF REQUIRED; MEMBERSHIP WILL NOT BE APPROVED UNTIL ALL FORMS ARE CORRECTLY EXECUTED AND UPLOADED TO PROFILE.**

## GUIDELINES FOR RENEWING MEMBERSHIPS/NEW MEMBERS

### RENEWING MEMBERSHIPS:

If a renewing member has any questions regarding renewing their membership, please be advised that there is a demo video on the login screen (see below). Please be advised that **ALL Active, Returning, Renewing NHSRA members ALREADY have an account setup. PLEASE ADVISE YOUR MEMBERS NOT TO CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT.** [See below for reference on the login screen]

#### Returning NHSRA Member

To access your NHSRA account,  
claim your profile & enter your bio  
**LOGIN HERE**

[Watch the Renewal Process demo video.](#)

**SIGN IN**

[Forgot Password?](#) | [Forgot Username?](#)

#### New to NHSRA?

If you are a current or renewing NHSRA member, please login to your account.

**Do not create a new account!**

If you are new to NHSRA, start registration by clicking on the "New Member Signup" dropdown menu. The registration form will ask for your name, email address, and phone number. The Season is currently 2023-2024. Registration is open for all states:

- Dakota - Junior High School
- Dakota - High School
- South Dakota - Junior High School
- South Dakota - High School
- Utah - Junior High School
- Wisconsin - High School
- Wisconsin - Junior High School

**If a renewing member, District Secretary and/or State Secretary creates a new account for an existing member, it will be deleted and the member will have to go into their existing account to complete their registration. In addition, any documents uploaded into the new account will have to be uploaded into the existing account by the member.**

**As secretaries, you have access to all your members' profiles, which contains their usernames and email addresses.**

Below are instructions on how members access their profiles, see below:

- If a member does not know their username, they can click "**Forgot Username?**" to receive an email providing this information or they can contact you to obtain their username.
- If a member does not know their password, they can click "**Forgot Password?**" to receive an email with a link to reset their password.

- Please be advised that if a member clicks “**Forgot Username?**” and/or “**Forgot Password?**” and does not receive an email, it is probably because the email address on their profile is not current. If this is the case, you will have to edit their profile to correct their email address in order for them to receive the email with their username and/or password reset link.

If you or the member cannot find their existing profile, their status may be inactive or deleted. Our office will have to restore their profile before you or the member are able to access it. If you are unable to locate their existing profile, please call Cindy at 303-452-0820 or email her at [membership@nhsra.org](mailto:membership@nhsra.org).

## NEW MEMBERS:

If a new member has any questions regarding creating their membership, please be advised that there is a demo video on the login screen (see below).

### Become a New NHSRA Member Online:

1. [www.NHSRA.com](http://www.NHSRA.com) > click on member login (top right) takes you to the membership site

2. Fill in the fields under Becoming a New Member  
[Remember to: **SAVE YOUR USERNAME**]

3. You will receive a confirmation email to the email address you provided (check your spam/junk)

4. Click the ‘Complete Registration’ button.

5. Complete your profile:

a) **Setup password** [note: Password must be a minimum of 7 characters long: 1 Uppercase, 1 lowercase, 1 number & 1 special character ie: #@?S!]

b) 2 Security questions

c) **Personal Info** [name, address, phone, email, DOB]

d) **Membership Info** [choose state & district (if applicable) member of; years in JH/HS rodeo; events]

Idaho HS members- select the DISTRICT you compete for in the State/ District/ Province drop down menu

Idaho JH members: select Idaho- Junior High School

\*Once profile is complete, Click SAVE at bottom of page

6. Once all fields are filled in, system will generate a Membership Application Form → generated on last page. Print Membership Application Form & Minors Release Form.

7. Go to “Member Dashboard” to upload documents.

The image contains three screenshots of the NHSRA website's registration process. The top screenshot shows the 'Becoming a New Member?' form with a yellow arrow pointing to the 'Complete Registration' button. The middle screenshot shows the 'Membership Information' form with a blue arrow pointing to the 'Membership Info' section. The bottom screenshot shows the 'You are almost done!' section with a blue arrow pointing to the 'Print Membership Application Form' button.



# T H S R A STATE FINALS PROGRAM AD SALES

CONTESTANT \_\_\_\_\_

REGION \_\_\_\_ AMOUNT OF AD \$ \_\_\_\_\_ AD SIZE \_\_\_\_\_

Lay out the ad as close as possible to the exact size and design you want. We will typeset ad at no charge. Please indicate any original artwork or pictures you want used in the ad. Use the back of this sheet for full page ads.

**Turn all ads into your REGION SECRETARY**

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**\*1/4 PAGE AD - \$100.00**

finished size in program will be 3.625" X 4.875"

**\*1/8 PAGE OR BUSINESS CARD - \$ 50.00**

finished size in program will be 3.625" X 2.4375"

**\*1/2 PAGE AD - \$150.00**

finished size in program will be 7.25" X 4.875"

**\*USE BACK FOR FULL PAGE AD - \$225.00**

finished size in program will be 7.25" X 9.75"

# 2024 TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL RODEO ASSOCIATION STATE FINALS PROGRAM AD RATES

1/8 page or business card 3.625" X 2.4375"	\$	50.00
1/4 page 3.625" X 4.875"	\$	100.00
1/2 page 7.25" X 4.875"	\$	150.00
<b>FULL PAGE</b> 7.25" X 9.75"	\$	<b>225.00</b>
<b>BUCKLE SPONSOR</b> Includes a 1/2 page ad 4 Season Tickets & 2 complimentary programs to rodeo performance	\$	<b>350.00</b>
<b>EVENT SPONSOR</b> Full page ad as an event sponsor Company flag carried in grand entry (Provided by Sponsor) Banner displayed in coliseum (Provided by Sponsor) 10 Season Tickets & 2 complimentary programs to rodeo	\$	<b>1,500.00</b>

**BUCKLE & EVENT SPONSORS will receive recognition from the announcer throughout the event at each performance if script is provided to announcer.**

## ***BUCKLE, SADDLE, & EVENT SPONSORS ONLY***

***PLEASE FILL IN THE INFORMATION BELOW***

**Please send my tickets and complimentary program to:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Town & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address Required: \_\_\_\_\_  
THSRA Member: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* Ads may be sent in on a CD or USB. Any file types can be accepted, but EPS with type as outlines or PDF files with embedded fonts are preferred. If you send in a disk or email the ad, you also need to send in a hard copy print-out of the ad in case there are font problems.

**Software files that are acceptable are:**

PDF  
JPEG

***LAST DAY FOR ARTWORK OR ADDITIONAL ADS TO BE  
RECEIVED IN THE STATE OFFICE IS: MARCH 1, 2024***

# REGION IV

## FINALS PROGRAM AD

**EVENT SPONSOR: \$1500**

- Full page ad in Finals program
- Flag (provided by the sponsor) to be carried in arena during Grand Entry
- 8 tickets to the Region IV Finals

**SADDLE SPONSOR: \$1250**

- Full page ad in Finals program
- Banner (provided by the sponsor) in the arena at every rodeo
- 4 tickets to the Region IV Finals

**BUCKLE SPONSOR: \$350**

- Full page ad in Finals program
- 4 tickets to the Region IV Finals

**BANNER SPONSOR: \$300**

- Half page ad in Finals program
- Banner (provided by the sponsor) in the arena at every rodeo

### REGION FINALS PROGRAM ADS

- Full Page \$250
- ½ Page \$150
- ¼ Page \$100
- 1/8 Page \$50

Please check the appropriate:

\_\_\_\_\_ I agree to be a \_\_\_\_\_ sponsor. Enclosed is a check for \$\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am purchasing a \_\_\_\_\_ size ad for the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

**(Please attach copy of ad and artwork or business card)**

Sold by: \_\_\_\_\_

## Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the  
 requester. Do not  
 send to the IRS.**

<b>Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.</b>	<b>1</b> Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.	
	<b>2</b> Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	<b>3</b> Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only <b>one</b> of the following seven boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ <b>Note.</b> For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
	<b>4</b> Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <i>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</i>	
	<b>5</b> Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)	Requester's name and address (optional)
	<b>6</b> City, state, and ZIP code	
	<b>7</b> List account number(s) here (optional)	

### Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

**Note.** If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

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### Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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### General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Future developments.** Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at [www.irs.gov/fw9](http://www.irs.gov/fw9).

#### Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

*If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding? on page 2.*

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.



# Texas High School Rodeo Association

722 Southview Circle, Center, TX 75935 Phone: (936)590-4447 Fax: (936)590-4480

## Contestant Approval Form:

The following must be filled out completely and signed for contestant to be eligible to compete.

CONTESTANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER# \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

CELL #'S Parent \_\_\_\_\_ Contestant \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENT APPROVES CONTESTANT TO ENTER THE FOLLOWING EVENTS ONLY:

	X	Initial	Date		X	Initial	Date
Bareback Riding				Queen Contest			
Saddle Bronc Riding				Barrel Racing			
Bull Riding				Pole Bending			
Tie Down Roping				Breakaway Roping			
Steer Wrestling				Goat Tying			
Boys Cutting				Girls Cutting			
Team Roping				Team Roping			
Reined Cow Horse				Reined Cow Horse			
Shooting – Trap/Rifle				Shooting - Trap/Rifle			

I do certify that the above named student meets the Grade and Conduct qualifications of our State Rodeo Association Standards which is passing at least 70% of the classes taken.

School Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Superintendent, Principal or National Director / Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent -HOMESCHOOL RECORDS ON FILE / Date

### BOTH PARENTS & CONTESTANT MUST SIGN:

We, the undersigned, (parent/guardians/contestant) give the nearest or local HOSPITAL, and the physicians on the medical staff, permission to administer necessary treatment of injuries incurred while participating in the THSRA REGIONAL RODEO. We understand that each contestant must be and is covered by medical insurance. We hereby release the aforesaid hospital, physicians and the producers from all liability.

X \_\_\_\_\_, X \_\_\_\_\_, X \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Parent Contestant

STATE OF TEXAS §. COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ §

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ by

\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

(Seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public Signature  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Texas  
My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_



## Change in procedure for entry forms

Everyone will need to fill out the following **“Contestant Approval Form”** and submit it with or prior to our first entry form.

You will no longer have to get “EACH” entry form signed by the principle or notarized; however, you **MUST** take this form to your school and have it signed by your superintendent or principle. You will also need to take this form to have it notarized. This form will stand good for your seasons entry forms as long as this form is on file with the secretary.

**Entry forms will not be accepted without it on file.** You, your parents or guardians will also have to sign before submitting to secretary.

**PARENTS:** You will need to check the “X” box for all events that you are allowing your contestant to compete in as well as initial and date this box. If contestant enters an event that has **NOT** been checked by parent approval the computer **WILL NOT** accept the entry. Therefore, if you are considering entering other events at a later date (such as cutting) then you need to check and approve those events as well.

If you have any questions give me a call or email.

Susan Baldwin  
THSRA Secretary

936-590-4447

[texahighschoolrodeo@gmail.com](mailto:texahighschoolrodeo@gmail.com)

**GUIDELINES**  
**TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL RODEO ASSOCIATION**  
**2023/24 TRUCK RAFFLE**

- \* Tickets will cost \$10.00 per ticket
- \* Tickets may only be sold by THSRA members or persons authorized by the THSRA
- \* Each THSRA member is expected to sell a minimum of 15 tickets, and the **COMPETITION** is to sell as many as possible.
- \* For each **five (5)** tickets that a THSRA member sells they will receive **one (1)** ticket free to place in the raffle.
- \* The top selling THSRA member from each region will receive **\$250.00**, providing the member sells at least 50 tickets.
- \* The top selling region will receive **\$1,000.00** and the second and third selling region will receive **\$500.00** each. (This will be figured on a basis of number of members in each region. In the event of a tie, the money will be split.)
- \* The raffle may not be promoted through paid advertising
- \* Raffle drawing will be held on **June 15, 2024**, at the THSRA State Finals in Abilene, Texas.
- \* The winner of the truck will be responsible for all Vehicle Tax, Title, License, Transfer Costs, and all other taxes including income. Winner must receive truck as is and leave advertising on truck for at least one (1) year from delivery date.
- \* Call Susan at **936-590-4447** for more information about the raffle.

The **1st 15 tickets** must be turned into your region secretary by **December 1st**

**Thanks to BILL FICK FORD for their support!**

# TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL RODEO ASSOCIATION

722 Southview Circle  
Center, Texas 75935

## Permission to Use Photograph or Video Images, Release and Indemnity Agreement

Member's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

To Whom It May Concern:

We/I, the undersigned, do hereby grant and release the right to the Texas High School Rodeo Association, its agents, employees, officers, members or licensees (hereinafter referred to as Texas High School Rodeo Association), to make copies and assume ownership of the photographic or video images of our minor child that are obtained in connection with our child's participation in any and all Texas High School Rodeo Association activities. We/I authorize the Texas High School Rodeo Association to copyright, use and publish the same in print and/or electronically.

We/I agree that the Texas High School Rodeo Association may use such photograph(s) or video images that are taken of the above-identified member for any lawful purpose, including but not limited to publicity, illustration, advertising, and Web content. The use of said photographic or video images either in print, electronically or as Web content by any third party for any manner of unlawful or unauthorized purposes shall not be the responsibility of the Texas High School Rodeo Association.

We/I hereby RELEASE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the Texas High School Rodeo Association, its agents, employees, officers, members or licensees (hereinafter called the "releasees") from any and all claims and liability arising out of strict liability or ordinary negligence of releasees or any other party which causes the above referenced member injury, damages or property damage. We/I the undersigned, jointly and severally, covenant to hold releasees harmless and to indemnify releasees from any claim, judgment or expense releasees may incur arising out of the use of the minor child's photographic or electronic image of minor child's participation in the activities of the Texas High School Rodeo Association. WE HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT, WE UNDERSTAND IT IS A RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS:

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: FATHER/LEGAL

GUARDIAN

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: MOTHER/LEGAL

GUARDIAN

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ §

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ §

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ by

\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

(Seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public Signature  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Texas

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE UPLOAD TO YOUR MEMBER PROFILE!!!**



HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT OFFICER **SIGN UP**  
SHEET

REGION IV 2023-2024

**PLEASE WRITE YOUR NAME BY THE OFFICE FOR WHICH YOU  
WISH TO RUN AND RETURN WITH OTHER MEMBERSHIP PAPERS.**

PRESIDENT:

VICE PRESIDENT:

SECRETARY:



## Region IV

### HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT EVENT DIRECTOR SIGN UP FORM

Please circle the event you would like to serve as student director for and return with your membership form. You must have your membership form completed and all dues paid in full before for consideration. It is preferable that each event (except team roping), is gender specific. Girls should be directors of "girl events" and boys should be directors of "boy events."

Student Directors are required to be in the arena during the entire event(s) and to watch each contestant compete. Any questions or protests will be addressed with the student event director first. If you are competing or getting ready to compete, it is your responsibility to find another member to take your place as event director.

Be sure to sign this form. If there is no contestant name and signature, you will not be placed on the ballot. This is a great way to become more involved with Region IV!

Bareback

Bull Riding

Saddle Bronc

Poles

Goats

Barrel Racing

Breakaway

Tiedown

Steer Wrestling

Team Roping

Boys Cutting

Girls Cutting

Reined Cow Horse

Contestant Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Mail or email to:  
Kathy Johnson  
4941 FM 269  
Pickton, TX 75471  
thsra4@yahoo.com

# THSRA Region IV

Rodeo # 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

(Please Circle Rodeo #)

## 2023-2024 HIGH SCHOOL Entry Form

**Performance Preference (Slack) : Runs on SUN \$100.00 per contestant or \$150 per family**

(Please circle the EVENT or EVENTS if utilizing this Option)

*\*\* Please turn in an entry form for EACH RODEO or you may circle 2 rodeos per weekend on 1 form if competing in both rodeos; however, please make sure to include Office Charge for BOTH days.*

*\*\* Call ins accepted Monday prior to the upcoming rodeo (7:00 pm – 9:00 pm only) -- \$25.00 late fee will be charged.*

*\*\* Postmark deadline is the Monday 2 weeks before the rodeo OR you can leave your entry in your folder at the rodeo.*

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENTS/Guardians – please initial next to each event entering:**

*\*\*Make sure the event you are entering is selected on the Contestant Approval Form on file\*\**

- |   |          |       |
|---|----------|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> POLE BENDING (Girls)       | \$ 60.00 | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GOAT TYING (Girls)         | \$ 60.00 | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BARREL RACING (Girls)      | \$ 60.00 | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BREAKAWAY ROPING (Girls)   | \$ 60.00 | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BAREBACK RIDING (Boys)     | \$ 80.00 | _____ |
| <i>** (BOTH GO'S SAT) **</i>                        |          |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SADDLE BRONC RIDIN (Boys)  | \$ 80.00 | _____ |
| <i>** (BOTH GO'S SAT) **</i>                        |          |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CALF ROPING (Boys)         | \$ 60.00 | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> STEER WRESTLING (Boys)     | \$ 60.00 | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BULL RIDING (Boys)         | \$ 80.00 | _____ |
| <i>** (BOTH GO'S SAT) **</i>                        |          |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> TEAM ROPING (Boys & Girls) | \$ 60.00 | _____ |

*Please Make Checks  
Payable to:  
**THSRA Region IV***

*Mail to: Kathy Johnson  
4941 FM 269, Pickton TX  
75471*

*Call In Entry #  
**903-245-2725***

**(\$25.00 CALL IN FEE)**

*THERE WILL BE A  
\$35.00 NSF FEE ON ALL  
RETURNED CHECKS!!!*

**Jackpot Run** Header: \_\_\_\_\_ Heeler: \_\_\_\_\_

CUTTING (Boys & Girls) \$ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

REINING COW HORSE (Boys & Girls) \$ 60.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL OF EVENTS** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE FEE (\$20)/AWARDS FEE (\$5):	<b>\$25.00</b>	
GATE FEE:	<b>\$12.50</b>	<b>+ \$39.50 (Total for all Office Fees)</b>
STATE OFFICE FEE:	<b>\$ 2.00</b>	
LATE/CALL IN FEE:		<b>+ \$25.00 (if necessary)</b>

**TOTAL of Events + Total Off. fees (39.50): (for 1 rodeo) \$ \_\_\_\_\_ x 2 (for 2 rodeos) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Performance Preference (SLACK)** \$100.00 (single) \_\_\_\_\_ \$150.00 (family) \_\_\_\_\_

Please list all contestants if using family option \_\_\_\_\_

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**TOTAL DUE - RODEOS (above) + PERFORM. PREFERENCE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

We, the parents or guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ give the THSRA, Region IV & the physicians on the medical staff of the hospital permission to administer necessary emergency care for injuries he/she may incur while participating in the THSRA Region IV rodeo. We understand that each contestant must be & is covered by medical insurance. We hereby release THSRA Region IV, physicians on the medical staff and the rodeo sponsor from ALL liability.

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent or Legal Guardian)

# THSRA / TJHRA SHOOTING EVENT DIVISION.



Check out the opportunities of becoming a member!

## WHO WE ARE AND WHERE WE CAME FROM

In 2010, TJHRA held its first ever State Finals Light Rifle event in Gonzales and then the next year THSRA followed by holding their first Trap and Light Rifle events in Abilene.

## JR SHOOTING EVENT: MAY 25, 2024 - GONZALES SHOOTING RANGE, GONZALES, TX

### 1) Light Rifle Competition

Visit [www.tjhra.net](http://www.tjhra.net) for more information on shooting division and official rules.

## HS SHOOTING EVENT: JUNE 8, 2024 - ABILENE SHOOTING RANGES

### 1) Trap Competition

### 2) Light Rifle Competition

**\*\*\* REQUIREMENT:** At shoot you must show proof of completing the Texas Parks and Wildlife's Hunter Education Course. Visit [www.tpwd.state.tx.us](http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us) for more information on how to enroll in the course.

Visit [www.thsra.org](http://www.thsra.org) for more information on shooting division and official rules.

## HOW TO GET STARTED

- Contact your Region Secretary for a membership packet. Visit [www.tjhra.org](http://www.tjhra.org) or [www.thsra.org](http://www.thsra.org) and click on About>Regional Divisions to locate your home region.
- Each member who joins to be a shooter only will need to **join by March 1, 2024**. Please note that all fundraising requirements must also be turned in on this day (to view the membership requirements visit the website or request from your region secretary).

## BENEFITS TO SHOOTING MEMBERS

Shooting members receive all the benefits of being a member of the Texas High School Rodeo Association:

- Buckles to the Top 4 - High School Gives Award Money to top finishers - Chance to compete at National Finals in July - Seniors can apply for thousands in scholarships given each year