2023 CALF SCRAMBLE APPLICATION

Entry Deadline: **November 14**

Mail complete packet to: HLSR Calf Scramble, NRG Center,
3 NRG Park, Houston, TX 77054
www.rodeohouston.com
Questions: calfscramble@rodeohouston.com

NOT AN OFFICIAL ENTRY DOCUMENT. ENTRY MUST BE MADE ONLINE BY CEA OR AST.

Please type or print.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant's Legal Name_____ Social Security # _____

Applicant's Legal Name Phonetic Spelling_____

Applicant's Mailing Address_____ City_____ State TX Zip_____

Applicant's Cell Phone_____ Email _____

Applicant's Birthdate _____ Grade _____ Weight_____lbs. Sex: M ☐ F ☐

Parent or Guardian's Legal Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Primary Phone_____ E-mail _____

Name of County 4-H or FFA Chapter_____

Name of County Extension Agent or Ag Teacher_____ Cell Phone_____

FIRST AID INFORMATION

Please list any allergies to medications you may have: _____

Do you have asthma? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, please bring inhaler or proper treatment medication with you to scramble.

Have you been treated for any major illnesses in the past 12 months? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, please explain: _____

Please list any accommodations you may require due to your personal health/medical conditions:

SPECIAL REQUESTS

Please list five scramble dates, in order of preference. Scramble is each night from Feb. 28 - March 18, 2023.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ 2023
CALF SCRAMBLE PARTICIPANT CERTIFICATION

		INITIAL
1.	I certify that I have not been awarded an HLSR Calf Scramble Purchase Certificate in any year prior to 2023.	_____
2.	I understand that I have to purchase a calf (steer or heifer) for my Calf Scramble project.	_____
3.	I understand that HLSR will pay the breeder $1,750 for the calf I select once all paperwork has been signed and returned to HLSR.	_____
4.	I understand that any purchase amount over $1,750 will be paid by me to the breeder if my animal costs more than the purchase certificate amount (unless combining certificates with another show).	_____
5.	I understand that there will be ongoing costs with this project including, but not limited to feed, equipment, potential vet bills, and travel to the show that I am responsible for.	_____
6.	I understand that purchasing a calf is a major commitment and fully understand the responsibility I am assuming in:	
	a. Feeding the calf at least twice a day	_____
	b. Leading and grooming the calf daily	_____
	c. Abiding by the rules set forth by the Calf Scramble program and the exhibitor handbook	_____
	d. Submitting reports online monthly	_____
	e. Writing a Thank You note to my donor and keeping them informed about my project during the entire program	_____
	f. Submitting my essays on time	_____
7.	I will notify the Calf Scramble Office of any changes to my address, e-mail or phone numbers within 24 hours of the change.	_____
8.	I will notify the Calf Scramble Office of any issues or problems with my calf project.	_____
9.	I understand that I may not sell or transfer ownership of my calf without the consent of Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.	_____
10.	I understand that if I don't fulfill all requirements as listed in the Calf Scramble Handbook, the premiums awarded upon completion of the project will be withheld and I may be required to remit payment to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo for the value of my purchase certificate ($1,750).	_____

I certify that I have read and will abide by the above rules to in order to participate in the Calf Scramble Program:

Scrambler Signature: _____

Scrambler Parent Signature: _____

CEA/AST Signature: _____

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT TO TREATMENT

(ALL APPLICANTS MUST SIGN AND HAVE NOTARIZED)

As valid consideration for entry into and participation in activities (the "Activities") with Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, Inc., Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund and Corral Club, Inc. (collectively, "HLSR"), the undersigned hereby enter into this RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement").

1. INVITATIONAL SHOW: The Houston Livestock Show is an invitational show, and the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo reserves the right to extend or withhold an invitation to any Exhibitor or Contestant.

2. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISKS: The undersigned recognize and understand there are risks associated with entry into and participation in the Activities including, but not limited to, bodily injury or death, and damage to property or privacy rights. The undersigned further acknowledge that they will be liable for all damage to persons, livestock, or property that is caused by them or any persons (including, but not limited to, minors) under their care and control, and that arise out of, or are related to, the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities. **UNDER TEXAS LAW (CHAPTER 87, CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE), A FARM ANIMAL PROFESSIONAL OR FARM OWNER OR LESSEE IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING AN EMPLOYEE OR INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR, RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES. UNDER TEXAS LAW (CHAPTER 87 CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE), A LIVESTOCK SHOW SPONSOR IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN A LIVESTOCK SHOW RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF LIVESTOCK SHOW ACTIVITIES.**

3. RELEASE FROM LIABILITY: The undersigned hereby RELEASE, ACQUIT AND FOREVER DISCHARGE HLSR, its subsidiaries and affiliates and its and their present and former directors, officers, employees, agents, volunteers, and representatives and the respective heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns (collectively, the "HLSR Parties" or individually, an "HLSR Party") from any and all claims, causes of action, suits, demands, settlements, judgments and/or expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees) for personal injury, death and/or property damage, accrued or to accrue in the future, known or unknown, (collectively, "Claims") relating to or arising out of any negligent acts in connection with his/her entry into and participation in the Activities, including but not limited to the **NEGLIGENT ACTIONS OF THE HLSR PARTIES, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE WAS THE SOLE, PROXIMATE OR PRODUCING CAUSE OF THE CLAIMS**. Without limiting the foregoing, the undersigned agree that the HLSR Parties shall not be liable to him/her, his/her family, heirs, administrators, executors or assigns for Claims arising from or related to the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities.

4. AGREEMENT TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS: THE UNDERSIGNED AGREE TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE HLSR PARTIES from any and all Claims, including, but not limited to, Claims resulting from THE HLSR PARTIES' OWN NEGLIGENCE, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE WAS THE SOLE, PROXIMATE OR PRODUCING CAUSE OF THE CLAIMS; provided, however, that the duty of the undersigned to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the HLSR Parties shall extend only to Claims arising directly or indirectly from the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities. As used herein, "INDEMNIFY" means to agree to assume the HLSR Parties' liability as to any and all claims, causes of action, suits, demands, settlements, judgments, and/or expenses (including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees) made by, through, or under the undersigned against the HLSR Parties related to the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities.

5. CONSENT TO MEDICAL TREATMENT: The undersigned parent/guardian AUTHORIZES AND CONSENTS to medical treatment determined to be necessary for the welfare of the minor named below and understands and agrees that such treatment will be provided by HLSR Parties who are medically or emergency trained volunteers and/or contractors. The undersigned agree to RELEASE AND INDEMNIFY HLSR as provided above for any Claims related thereto.

6. PHOTOGRAPH/INTERVIEW RELEASE AND INDEMNITY: The undersigned GRANT PERMISSION to be PHOTOGRAPHED, VIDEOED, RECORDED and/or INTERVIEWED in connection with the Activities. The undersigned understand that such photographs, videos, recordings and/or interviews may be used by HLSR for television, film, video, visual, or printed media. The undersigned agree to RELEASE and INDEMNIFY HLSR as provided above for any Claims related to photographs, videos, recordings and/or interviews by the HLSR Parties and/or any media.

7. TEXAS LAW: The undersigned understand that this Agreement shall be binding on their heirs, executors, successors and assigns, that the Agreement will be governed by the laws of Texas, and that jurisdiction and proper venue for any dispute regarding this Agreement shall be in a State Court in Harris County, Texas. If any part of this Agreement is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, it does not affect the validity of the remainder of this Agreement. This Agreement controls notwithstanding any conflicting terms or conditions of any other agreement between the parties. The undersigned agree to these terms and conditions and acknowledge receipt of this Agreement. HLSR may require that all claims or disputes between Exhibitor and/or his/her parent or guardian and HLSR and/or its agents, officers, directors volunteers, members and assigns, in any way arising out of or related to this Agreement, shall be decided by binding arbitration administered by the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") pursuant to the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C., 1, et seq. and in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the AAA that are in effect at the time the demand for arbitration is filed, unless the parties mutually agree otherwise in writing. The decision of the arbitrator(s), which shall state findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be final, conclusive and binding on the parties and judgment may be entered thereon in the District Court of Harris County, Texas, to enforce the decision.

We, the undersigned Junior Contestant and parent/guardian, certify that we have read, understand and will abide by all rules and regulations of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, including, but not limited to, the Calf Scramble Handbook.

The undersigned represent that they thoroughly understand that this is a complete and final release and indemnity agreement and consent to medical treatment, that they are voluntarily entering into this Agreement and that no representations, promises or statements made by any HLSR Party or any agent, attorney or other representative of any HLSR Party has influenced the undersigned in causing them to sign this Agreement.

Signature - Contestant_____ Date _____

Name Printed _____

If the person on whose behalf this Agreement is being executed is a minor, a parent or legal guardian must also execute this Agreement.

Signature—Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Name Printed _____

RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR: _____ ***Notary Stamp Below***

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this _____ day of _____ 20_____.

Notary Public_____

I certify that the applicant fits all requirements specified in this application package and will offer my supervision and guidance with this project.

CEA/AST Signature_____ Date _____

Name Printed _____