

JUNIOR ROUGHSTOCK ASSOCIATION / 406 RODEO

2026 JRA FINALS RODEO

FULL AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE FOR MINOR PARTICIPATION IN ARENA EXHIBITIONS

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING. THIS DOCUMENT HAS LEGAL SIGNIFICANCE.

1. RELEASED PARTIES DEFINED

The "Released Parties," as used in this Full and Unconditional Release for Minor Participation in Arena Exhibitions ("Minor Release"), are the Junior Roughstock Association; 406 Rodeo; the Town of Wickenburg; the Everett Bowman Rodeo Arena; any sponsor of the 2026 Junior Roughstock Association Finals Rodeo ("Event"); and each of their respective past, present, and future attorneys, representatives, partners, directors, officers, members, managers, stockholders, trustees, beneficiaries, agents, employees, contractors, affiliates, predecessors, successors, and assigns, and all other persons or entities who may claim by, through, or under any such party, individually and collectively, the "Released Parties." The Event will be held October 6-9, 2026, at the Everett Bowman Rodeo Arena in Wickenburg, Arizona.

2. EXPRESS ACKNOWLEDGMENT, ACCEPTANCE, AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I am the parent and/or legal guardian of _____ (referred to as "Child" or "Minor"). I am fully aware of, completely understand, and accept that my Child's participation in the Event arena exhibitions ("Contest") is dangerous and that the events and activities associated with this participation present substantial, serious, and real risks of personal injury or death to my Child and the loss of, damage to, or destruction of personal property belonging to me or my Child.

I understand and acknowledge that the Contest may involve physical exertion and contact and may involve falling, bumps, bruises, cuts, bone fractures, concussions, or other bodily injuries, including, but not limited to, being bitten, kicked, stepped on, charged, or trampled by animals involved in the Contest.

By my signature below, I fully and completely accept and assume these substantial, serious, and real risks, whether apparent or not, known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, present or contingent, and whether or not caused by the NEGLIGENCE of any Released Party, expert, contestant, volunteer, or spectator, including any negligence associated with designing, staging, supervising, maintaining, presenting, conducting, or sponsoring the Event, to the fullest extent permitted by Arizona law.

3. FULL AND UNCONDITIONAL WAIVER, RELEASE, AND INDEMNIFICATION

Paragraphs 1 and 2 above are incorporated into this Paragraph 3. I expressly and completely forever release, waive, relinquish, relieve, discharge, and hold harmless, and agree not to sue, any Released Party for any and all rights, claims, suits, actions, causes of action, proceedings, judgments, charges, complaints, damages, debts, fees, liabilities, losses, demands, obligations, commitments, promises, acts, agreements, costs, and expenses, including attorneys' fees, of whatever kind or nature, known or unknown, contingent or liquidated, past, present, or future, whether in law or equity, including those based on, arising out of, or connected with my Child's participation in the Contest or my Child's acts or omissions during the Contest (collectively, "Claims").

In consideration for permitting my Child to participate, I also completely waive, release, and discharge, and otherwise hold harmless, all Released Parties from any Claims that my Child or I could assert relating to or arising from the substantial, serious, and real risks acknowledged, understood, assumed, and expressly accepted in this Minor Release.

I agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Released Parties with respect to any Claims brought against, by, or on behalf of any Released Party in connection with any matter released under this Minor Release.

4. USE OF LIKENESS

In consideration for permitting my Child's participation in the Contest, I grant the Released Parties the absolute right to take, or commission another to take, and use photographs, film, video, audio, or other recordings featuring my Child's likeness, image, appearance, voice, name, and/or any material based upon or derived therefrom ("Likeness"). The Released Parties may copyright, publish, reproduce, edit, distribute, display, and otherwise use the Likeness in any lawful medium and manner for artistic, advertising, promotional, informational, or other proper purposes.

I release, waive, relinquish, discharge, and hold harmless, and agree not to sue, any Released Party for Claims involving libel, slander, defamation, invasion of privacy, publicity or personality rights, or any other Claim based upon or relating to the authorized use of my Child's Likeness.

5. ASSURANCES AND REPRESENTATIONS

I have read this Minor Release and have had an adequate opportunity to consider it and have it explained to me. I understand and agree that it is to be interpreted and applied in the broadest and most comprehensive manner permitted by Arizona law in favor of the Released Parties. I knowingly and voluntarily sign this Minor Release with full knowledge and understanding of its contents and meaning and with the intent to be legally bound. This Minor Release shall bind my estate, heirs, administrators, assigns, and my Child.

5. ASSURANCES AND REPRESENTATIONS (CONTINUED)

I certify that I am at least eighteen years old and am not under the influence of intoxicants, narcotics, medications, drugs, or other substances that would impair my ability to understand this Minor Release. I have full power, authority, capacity, and right to sign, deliver, and perform this Minor Release on behalf of my Child. I further certify and represent that:

- a. My Child is ____ years old;
- b. My Child is in good health and is able to participate in the Contest safely;
- c. My Child has no physical or mental condition, including allergies, asthma, hypertension, or another condition, that would prevent safe participation in the Contest;
- d. My Child is not currently experiencing symptoms of a contagious illness that could endanger my Child or others at the Event;
- e. My Child has not been directed by a medical provider or public-health authority to isolate or refrain from participation because of a contagious illness;
- f. I will be immediately available in case of an emergency while my Child participates in the Contest; and
- g. I accept total responsibility for and agree to pay all medical expenses, including transportation to and from any medical facility, that my Child may incur as a result of participating in the Contest.

The Released Parties reserve the right, in their sole discretion, to disqualify or remove any child from the Contest who requires care that Event personnel cannot safely provide, exhibits unsafe or inappropriate behavior, or if any representation or warranty above is materially false.

6. BINDING EFFECT; GOVERNING LAW; VENUE

This Minor Release is binding upon me, my spouse (if any), my Child, the Child's parents, and each of our legal representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns. It shall be governed by the laws of the State of Arizona. I consent and submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts located in Maricopa County, Arizona, for any claim or litigation arising under this Minor Release or any alleged breach, and acknowledge that proper venue shall lie in those courts.

7. SEVERABILITY

The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision or portion of this Minor Release shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision or the remaining portion of the applicable provision, unless the invalidity frustrates the essential intent of the parties.

BY SIGNING THIS MINOR RELEASE AS THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A MINOR PARTICIPANT, I UNDERSTAND THAT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN RIGHTS ON BEHALF OF THE MINOR THAT THE MINOR MAY OTHERWISE HAVE. I AGREE THAT, BUT FOR THIS RELEASE, THE MINOR WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CONTEST. I HAVE READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNED THIS MINOR RELEASE AND AGREE TO BE LEGALLY BOUND BY ITS TERMS.

MINOR PARTICIPANT	
Child's Full Name:	
Child's Date of Birth:	
PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN	
Signature:	
Date:	
Printed Name:	
Telephone Number:	
Permanent Address:	
City / State / ZIP:	
Authorized Pickup Person(s):	
Pickup Person Telephone:	

A separate form is required for each child enrolled in the Contest.