**2023 KYQHYA LETTER OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE IN ACTIVITIES - DUE APRIL 15**

 *This form can be submitted once to include all activities in which members of the Kentucky Quarter Horse Youth Association (KyQHYA) wish to participate. This form MUST be RECEIVED by the Youth Advisor(s) no later than April 15th of the program year. In the case of World Show and/or NYATT nominations, a separate form for EACH horse must be completed.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Horse’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Owner’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Parent’s Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Youth’s Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s phone #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Youth phone #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Requirements of Eligibility for KyQHYA Youth Activities – All must be met**

1. **Be a member of KyQHA and KyQHYA in good standing. Join or renew now!**
2. **YOU MUST ATTEND ONE OF THESE AND ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND ALL!** *All disciplines are welcome and encouraged to be part of KyQHYA activities.* Strongly encouraged to attend the **annual KyQHYA winter meeting**. Typically the same date as Annual Banquet. This meeting is important for anyone wanting to be active in the organization and beginning of the year fundraising (usually a silent and/or live auction). Youth are also encouraged to attend **the spring meeting**, typically the first Saturday in March. These meetings and the banquet are where the Officers and Board of Directors are introduced and begin their duties and new friendships are formed. Committees are set up; goals are set; calendar is set and more. **Submit this LETTER OF INTENT by April 15 to Advisor(s).**
3. **Submit copy of horse(s) papers and exhibitor’s AQHA membership card with this LETTER OF INTENT.**
4. **Submit a signed copy of the KyQHYA Conduct and Behavior Policy sent with this LETTER OF INTENT.**
5. **Attend at least one educational field trip/lesson provided by KyQHYA. Or approved substitute.**
6. \*WORLD SHOW: Generate a minimum of $250 by sponsorships, fundraising, or out-of-pocket for World Show for each horse/rider combination (exceptions to be considered for multiple horses based on what we order for team). This money covers Team Tack Stall(s), Hospitality Stall, team gear, other team related expense to be determined by designated adult at the world show. I understand that my entry fees, horse(s) stall and any personal tack stall will be in addition to this. If you have multiple horses you made need to pay $100 more for additional share of tack stall per horse.
7. \*NYATT: Generate a minimum of $150 by sponsorships, fundraising, or out-of-pocket for NYATT for each horse/rider combination. This covers team gear and class(es). I understand that my regular entry fees, horse stall and any personal tack stall will be in addition to this.
8. For Non-horse Contest (World Show and/or NYATT): generate a minimum of $150 sponsorships, fundraising, or out-of-pocket expense to cover team gear.
9. Work at least 5 hours at a KyQHA/KyQHYA sponsored event (generally horse shows) and/or secure general fund sponsorships.
10. Reimbursement/financial assistance, if any, will be determined by generated funding. The more raised, the more that can be available for reimbursement.
11. Reasonable accommodations for situations like we had with COVID-19 in 2021/22 will be dealt with as needed including but not limited to death/funeral.

**AQHYA Leadership Conference (YES)**

( ) I wish to be an official delegate from KyQHYA to the AQHYA Leadership Conference (YES) I am aware of the possibility of **submitting a 250-300 word essay, video or a Power Point by May 1**, to indicate why I would like to attend the conference and how it would benefit me and KyQHYA for me to attend*. I am aware that I need to be an active part of fundraising for the conference including but not limited to promoting and contributing to the annual meeting silent auction, general sponsorships/donations and other fundraisers.*

**KyQHYA Scholarships**

( ) I intend to submit scholarship materials and am aware of the requirements and the July 1, deadline. And/or the AQHA Brittany Prewitt Memorial Foundation Scholarship through AQHA, December 1 deadline.

**World Team Nomination:**

( ) I would like to nominate for the Youth World Team for Kentucky. I understand all classes in which I qualify will be determined starting with the list of points sent from AQHA. *At this time states may send 6 non-qualified entries per available class. AQHA points, KyQHYA points and other reasonable method will be used to fill up to six spots if needed.* ***$250 must be paid prior to ordering stalls! A photo must be sent in advance for stall signs.***

**KyQHYA Qualification for Other Contests Without Horses at World Show**

I would like to participate in the world show activities indicated below (this contributes to the Team Spirit Award):

( ) Horse Judging ( ) Public Speaking ( ) Impromptu Speaking ( ) Photography

( ) Talent Contest ( ) Jeans Contest ( ) Boot Contest ( ) Scrapbook

**Congress Team NYATT Nomination -** *process for selection to be determined before the first spring show*

I would like to nominate for the NYATT in the following classes: ***$150 must be paid prior to advisor submitting entries.***

( ) Showmanship ( ) Western Pleasure ( ) Western Horsemanship

( ) Hunter Under Saddle ( ) Reining ( ) Barrel Racing

( ) Hunt Seat Equitation Any changes in NYATT Classes will change this list.

**Congress Non-Horse Opportunities**

I would like to formally participate in the Congress activities indicated below if the opportunity is available. I understand that I would need to raise or be out-of-pocket $150 plus travel, lodging, transportation.

( ) Horse Judging ( ) Horse Bowl ( ) Public Speaking ( ) Hippology

I give permission for my name, photo and/or video to be published on social media, brochures and other promotional materials.

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 Youth Signature Date

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 (Parent signature if youth is not 18 years of age) Date

**Must be received with horse papers and copy of AQHYA membership card by April 15.**

**Mail to: Paula Jerrell, 3715 Wren Road, Kevil, KY 42053**

Also attach/send: copy of horse(s) papers, exhibitor’s AQHA card and Code of Conduct and Behavior Policy

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Button down shirt size: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Jacket size: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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