



Attn: Livestock Entries  
 P.O. Box 20070 Houston, TX 77225-0070  
 Phone: 832.667.1125 | Fax: 832.667.1140

**Junior Show Entry Worksheet**  
 ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE  
**\*NOT AN OFFICIAL ENTRY DOCUMENT\***

Entry No.
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ENTRY DEADLINE  
 DECEMBER 1  
 www.rodeohouston.com

Check One:  Original Entry  Substitution  
 (Add \$50 per entry)

**1. EXHIBITOR INFORMATION - (Please Type or Print)**

Exhibitor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number (required): \_\_\_\_\_

~~Exhibitor's~~ Chapter/County 4-H Club: **Bexar 4-H** Quality Counts Verification Code (required): \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor's Home Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: TX Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor's E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. SHOW INFORMATION - (Check each show being entered)**

**Market (no animal information required):**  
 A \$2 drug testing fee has been applied to all junior market animal entries, excluding Junior Commercial Steers.  
 \*\*No more than one entry allowed per exhibitor for each of the market divisions listed below:

Steer - \$32       Goat - \$27       Lamb - \$27       Commercial Steers - \$75  
 Turkey - \$27       Broilers - \$27       Barrow - \$27

**Breeding (animal information required for heifers and sheep only):**

Beef Heifer - \$30       Sheep - \$25/hd.       Sheep Group Class - \$10/class  
 (One heifer per exhibitor)      (One entry per class per exhibitor)

Dairy Heifer - \$30/hd.       Gilt - \$25/hd.

**Scramble (open only to exhibitors returning with a Calf Scramble animal):**

Scramble Steer - FREE  
 (If entering the Market Steer Show, only the scramble steer may be shown.)

Beef Scramble Heifer - FREE  
 (If entering the Breeding Beef Heifer Show, only the scramble beef heifer may be shown.)

**Contests:**

Ag Public Speaking - \$20/indiv      \_\_\_\_\_ Jr Individual      \_\_\_\_\_ Sr. Individual

Ag Science Fair - \$20/indiv      \_\_\_\_\_ Jr Individual      \_\_\_\_\_ Sr. Individual

Vet Science Skillathon - \$20/indiv      \_\_\_\_\_ Jr Individual      \_\_\_\_\_ Sr. Individual

Young Guns Clay Shoot - \$125/indiv      \_\_\_\_\_ Jr Individual      \_\_\_\_\_ Sr. Individual

**Other Fees:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Junior Show Steer Tie-Out - \$10** (limit one per exhibitor)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Tie-Out - \$10** (limit one per exhibitor)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Additional Season Grounds Passes - \$25**  
 (Each exhibitor will receive one complimentary pass, good for the duration of the Show)

**Vehicle Permits** – Clubs/Chapters are issued **complimentary** passes based on the number of exhibitors entered. Vehicle permits are not for sale.

**TOTAL FEES =** \_\_\_\_\_

**3. ANIMAL INFORMATION - Breeding Entries** (more than one breed/species may be entered on this worksheet)

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_  
Animal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Registration No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Animal ID (tattoo/brand): \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_  
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RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT / DRUG CERTIFICATION FORM
ALL EXHIBITORS MUST SIGN BEFORE JUNIOR ENTRY BECOMES VALID

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6. TEXAS LAW AND ARBITRATION: 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 venue for any dispute regarding this Agreement shall lie 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.

Part II

We, the undersigned Exhibitor and parent/guardian certify that we have read, understand and will abide by all rules and regulations of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. We further certify that we have not administered to and have no knowledge that this entry has received any substance not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and/or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for food animals. Furthermore, we certify that all entries will be FREE OF ALL DRUG AND CHEMICAL RESIDUES upon arrival to NRG Park and will remain free of all drug and chemical residues while on show grounds. We, the undersigned, understand that the time it takes for drugs and chemicals to be entirely excreted from the body through the urine of animals is generally longer than the labeled FDA and USDA withdrawal times for most approved drugs and chemicals.

If an animal requires emergency treatment while on Show grounds, only a licensed veterinarian will be allowed to administer any drug, chemical or feed additive. An Exhibitor may choose a licensed veterinarian other than the Official Show Veterinarian, but the Official Show Veterinarian MUST be notified in advance and he/she MUST be present. All treatment costs are the responsibility of the Exhibitor. If an animal is treated by a licensed veterinarian while at the Show and the medication administered contains a labeled withdrawal time or unpublished elimination time, the animal will be disqualified. Sifted and non-placing barrows, lambs and goats will be sold as condemned if the animal is under any withdrawal requirement. The Official Show Veterinarian, in agreement with Show Management, reserves the right to treat any animal if, in the opinion of the Official Show Veterinarian, it is in the best interest of the animal's health and well-being to be treated. If the Official Show Veterinarian administers treatment to an animal and therefore uses any medication that does not meet the appropriate withdrawal or elimination time, the animal will be determined ineligible for competition.

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo reserves the right to condemn and/or disqualify any animal, either live or slaughtered, found in violation of the use of drugs, chemicals or feed additives as described above and the exhibitor will forfeit all auction sale and/or premium money if the animal is disqualified. If an animal(s) is disqualified for testing positive and/or the carcass condemned at slaughter, the class placing will not change. An exhibitor of an animal testing positive for any drug or medication or unapproved chemical may forfeit all rights and privileges to exhibit livestock in the future at the Show.

The undersigned fully understand and grant permission to HLSR to report any and all rule infractions to the North American Livestock Show and Rodeo Managers Association (NALSRMA) Rule Infraction Database (RID). Furthermore, we understand that this information will be available to the membership of the NALSRMA.

The undersigned represent that they thoroughly understand that this is a complete and final release and indemnity agreement, 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 - Exhibitor: \_\_\_\_\_ 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: \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_. NOTARY PUBLIC: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the certification above is correct and I have informed the exhibitor and parent/guardian of the consequences of stated rule violations as to the uses of drugs, chemicals or feed additives.

SIGNATURE-CEA/AST: \_\_\_\_\_ NAME OF CLUB OR CHAPTER: Bexar 4-H

## 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>	Name (as shown on your income tax return)	
	Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	Check appropriate box for federal tax classification (required): <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <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) ▶ _____	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)		Requester's name and address (optional)
City, state, and ZIP code		
List account number(s) here (optional)		

<b>Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)</b>					
Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name" line to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is 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 <i>How to get a TIN</i> on page 3.	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><b>Social security number</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">[ ] [ ] [ ] - [ ] [ ] - [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	<b>Social security number</b>		[ ] [ ] [ ] - [ ] [ ] - [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]	
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<b>Part II Certification</b>	
Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:	
1. 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	
2. 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	
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).	
<b>Certification instructions.</b> 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 4.	

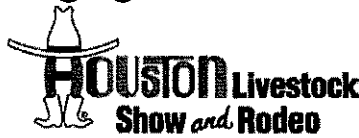
<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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Additional instructions for completing this form may be found at the official Internal Revenue website  
<http://www.irs.ustreas.gov/formspubs/index.html>

## REQUIRED

**Each 4-H Club, FFA Chapter, Junior Exhibitor and Open Show Exhibitor must complete an IRS W-9 form and return it with entry unless the form was uploaded electronically. Premium payments will not be made without completed W-9 form.**

# 4-H and FFA Judging Contest Entry Worksheet



4-H Club/FFA Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Tax ID #: XXXXXXXXXXXX (REQUIRED IRS W-9 FORM)

*Coach*  
Club/Chapter Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: TX Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of CEA/AST: Coach

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT FOR EACH CONTESTANT MUST BE FILLED OUT AND BROUGHT TO REGISTRATION.**

Contest	# of Jr. Teams	# of Sr. Teams	Jr. Individual <small>(8 years of age, in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, &amp; not over 13 years of age as of Aug. 31, 2015)</small>	Sr. Individual <small>(14-18 as of Aug. 31, 2015)</small>	ENTRY FEE:
Ag Product ID	<i>(one division only)</i>				x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____
Beef Quiz Bowl	<i>(one division only)</i>				x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____
Dairy Judging					x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Food Challenge					x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____
Floriculture	<i>(one division only)</i>				x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Horse Judging					x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Livestock Judging					x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Meats Judging					x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Nursery/Landscape	<i>(one division only)</i>				x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Poultry Judging	<i>(one division only)</i>				x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Range & Pasture I.D.					x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
Wildlife Habitat Eval.	WHEP:	WHEP:			x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
	CDE:	CDE:			
Wool Judging	<i>(one division only)</i>				x \$40/TEAM = \$ _____ x \$15/INDIV. = \$ _____
<b>TOTAL FEES: \$</b>					

All entries must be submitted online by corresponding CEA or AST.

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Judging Contest and Other: Release of Liability & Indemnity Agreement

PLEASE COMPLETE AND BRING TO CONTEST

- 4-H & FFA Dairy Judging Contest
4-H & FFA Floriculture Contest
4-H & FFA Horse Judging Contest
4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Contest
4-H & FFA Food Challenge
4-H & FFA Nursery / Landscape Contest
4-H & FFA Poultry Judging Contest
4-H & FFA Range & Pasture Plant I.D. Contest
4-H & FFA Beef Quiz Bowl Contest
4-H & FFA Wool Judging Contest
Agriculture Product Identification Contest
Agricultural Mechanics Contest
State FFA Tractor Technician Contest
Ranching and Wildlife Competition
4-H & FFA Agricultural Science Fair Contest
4-H & FFA Public Speaking Contest
4-H & FFA Veterinary Science Skillathon
Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest
Intercollegiate Wool Judging Contest

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Signature - Contestant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Name Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature - Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Name Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_



# Judging Contest and Other: Release of Liability & Indemnity Agreement

**PLEASE COMPLETE AND BRING TO CONTEST**

4-H & FFA Meat Judging Contest

Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest

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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.

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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.

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RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_

## Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

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 requester. Do not  
 send to the IRS.**

<b>Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.</b>	Name (as shown on your income tax return)	
	Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	Check appropriate box for federal tax classification (required): <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <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) ▶ _____	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)		Requester's name and address (optional)
City, state, and ZIP code		
List account number(s) here (optional)		

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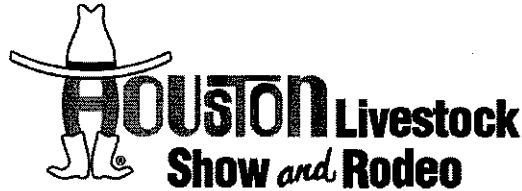
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Entry Fee  
\$20

**Agricultural Science Fair Worksheet**  
**ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE**  
**DEADLINE — DEC. 1**

Project and speech prepared by: (list contestant name): \_\_\_\_\_

Student Represents: (circle one)                      4-H                      FFA                      METRO AREA

4-H Club/FFA Chapter/School: \_\_\_\_\_

Club/Chapter/School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: TX                      Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

AST/CEA or Supervising Teacher E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ **REQUIRED**

Contestant E-mail: (REQUIRED) \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State TX                      Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No.: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ **REQUIRED**

Supervising AST/CEA/ Teacher/Counselor Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Division: (circle one)

- ANIMAL SYSTEMS
- PLANT SYSTEMS
- ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES/NATURAL RESOURCE SYSTEMS
- POWER, STRUCTURAL & TECHNICAL SYSTEMS
- FOOD PRODUCTS & PROCESSING SYSTEMS
- SOCIAL SYSTEMS

**ENTRY DEADLINE — DEC. 1**  
[www.rodeohouston.com](http://www.rodeohouston.com)

**Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo—Attn: Livestock Entries**  
**P.O. Box 20070, Houston, TX 77225-0070**  
**Phone: 832.667.1125 | Fax: 832.667.1140**

**A complete entry MUST INCLUDE: Online Entry Submittal, Exhibitor W-9, Statement of Originality.**  
**All forms MUST be complete. Forms with missing information will be considered incomplete entries**  
**and will not be accepted.**



**Ag Science Fair Worksheet**  
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**Hazardous Materials Waiver Form**

Please list below all of the hazardous substances used in this research. Include all safety precautions taken and the proper disposal procedures:

The applicant, by signing below, agrees to the regulations included regarding the use of hazardous materials.

I certify that I have followed the above listed safety precautions and disposal procedures.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature



## Adult Sponsor Checklist

On behalf of the student \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1) I have reviewed the research plan.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2) The student and a parent/guardian have reviewed the Research Plan Approval Form.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3) This project involves the following area(s) and had prior approval before experimentation.
- a. Human Subjects
  - b. Non-human Vertebrate Animals
  - c. Pathogenic Agents
  - d. Controlled Substances
  - e. Recombinant DNA
  - f. Human or Animal Tissue
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4) This project does not involve any of the research areas listed in #3.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5) This project involves the hazardous substances or devices checked below. Prior approval by the adult sponsor and a designated supervisor was obtained.
- a. Chemicals (i.e. hazardous, flammable, explosive or highly toxic: carcinogens; mutagens and all pesticides). I have reviewed with the student the Safety Sheet for each chemical that was used. I also reviewed the proper safety standard for each chemical including toxicity data, proper handling techniques and disposal methods.
  - b. Equipment (i.e. welders; voltage greater than 220 volts). I have reviewed with the student proper operational procedures and safety precautions for the equipment.
  - c. Firearms I have reviewed with the student the proper safety standards for firearms use.
  - d. Radioactive Substances I have reviewed the proper safety standards for each radioactive substance with the student prior to experimentation.
  - e. Radiation (i.e. x-ray or nuclear; unshielded ionizing radiation of 100-400 nm wavelength) I have reviewed with the student the proper safety methods concerning the type of radiation the student used prior to experimentation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Adult Sponsor Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Adult Sponsor Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## Non-Human Vertebrate Form

These rules are strictly enforced. Students and advisors using non-human vertebrates in their project must complete this form. The signature of the student and the advisor indicate the project was done within the rules and regulations of the HLSR Ag Science Fair rules and guidelines in accordance with the use of non-human vertebrate.

1. Intrusive techniques used cannot exceed momentary pain and must comply with commonly accepted livestock management procedures.
2. Changing an organism's normal environment by using either aversive stimuli or predatory/prey conditions to study behavior/operant conditioning is prohibited.
3. Food and water cannot be used or withheld for more than 24 hours for maze running and other learning or conditioning activities.
4. The student and advisor have the responsibility to see that animals are properly cared for in a well-ventilated, lighted and warm location with adequate food, water and sanitary conditions. Care must be taken to see that organisms are properly cared for during weekend and vacation periods.
5. Chicken or other embryo projects must be terminated at or before ninety-six hours.
6. Projects that involve behavioral studies or newly hatched chickens or other birds will be allowed, provided no change has been made in the normal incubation and hatching of the organism and vertebrate rules are followed.

In this space, briefly describe the use of vertebrate animals in your project. Use the back of this page if necessary.

The signatures of the student and the CEA/AST indicate this project conforms to the above rules.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
CEA/AST Signature



Judging Contest and Other: Release of Liability & Indemnity Agreement

PLEASE COMPLETE AND BRING TO CONTEST

- 4-H & FFA Dairy Judging Contest
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Ranching and Wildlife Competition
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Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest
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Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)		Requester's name and address (optional)
City, state, and ZIP code		
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Paper clip ONLY!

Entry Fee  
\$40/Team



**Agriculture Product Identification Contest Entry Form**  
**Entries MUST be entered online by:**  
**DECEMBER 1, 2015**

Students Represent:(circle one)	FFA	4-H
4-H Club/FFA Chapter: _____		
Club/Chapter Address: _____		
City _____	State TEXAS	Zip _____
AST/CEA E-mail Address (REQUIRED) _____		
Supervising AST/CEA Name(s) _____		
<b><u>Contestant 1:</u></b>		<b><u>Contestant 2:</u></b>
Name: _____	_____	Name: _____
Address: _____	_____	Address: _____
_____	_____	_____
Phone: _____	_____	Phone: _____
Email: _____	_____	Email: _____
<b><u>Contestant 3:</u></b>		<b><u>Contestant 4:</u></b>
Name: _____	_____	Name: _____
Address: _____	_____	Address: _____
_____	_____	_____
Phone: _____	_____	Phone: _____
Email: _____	_____	Email: _____

**ENTRY DEADLINE — ENTERED ONLINE BY DECEMBER 1**

[www.rodeohouston.com](http://www.rodeohouston.com)

[livestock@rodeohouston.com](mailto:livestock@rodeohouston.com) | 832-667-1125

Mail entry to:

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo  
Attn: Livestock Competitions Department  
P.O. Box 20070 Houston, TX 77225-0070



# Judging Contest and Other: Release of Liability & Indemnity Agreement

## PLEASE COMPLETE AND BRING TO CONTEST

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Dairy Judging Contest              | <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture Product Identification Contest  |
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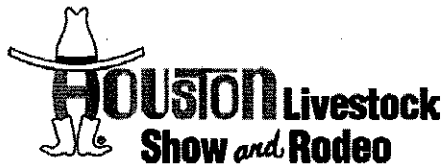
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Paper clip ONLY!

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**DECEMBER 1, 2015**

Students Represent: (circle one)      FFA      4-H

4-H Club/FFA Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Club/Chapter Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State TEXAS Zip \_\_\_\_\_

AST/CEA E-mail Address (REQUIRED) \_\_\_\_\_

Supervising AST/CEA Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**IF CONTESTANTS CHANGE BEFORE THE CONTEST, WE WILL MAKE THE EDITS ON THAT DAY.**

CONTESTANT 1

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

CONTESTANT 2

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

CONTESTANT 3

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

CONTESTANT 4

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

CONTESTANT 5

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

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Judging Contest and Other: Release of Liability & Indemnity Agreement

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Entry Fee  
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**ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE**  
**DEADLINE — DEC. 1**

Speech Written & Prepared By: (Contestant Name): \_\_\_\_\_

Student Represents: (circle one)                      4-H                      FFA                      HOUSTON METRO AREA

4-H Club/FFA Chapter/School: \_\_\_\_\_

Houston Metro School: \_\_\_\_\_

Club/Chapter/School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: TX                      Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

AST/CEA or Supervising Teacher E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ **REQUIRED**

Contestant E-mail: (REQUIRED) \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State TX                      Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No.: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ **REQUIRED**

Supervising AST/CEA/ Teacher/Counselor Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Speech Topic Category: (circle one)

WESTERN HERITAGE	NATURAL RESOURCES	ANIMAL SCIENCE	AGRONOMY
AGRIBUSINESS	AGRICULTURAL POLICY	AG TECHNOLOGY	AG COMMUNICATIONS
LIVESTOCK SHOW ETHICS			

**ENTRY DEADLINE — POSTMARKED BY DEC. 1**  
[www.rodeohouston.com](http://www.rodeohouston.com)

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo—Attn: Livestock Entries  
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Phone: 832.667.1125 | Fax: 832.667.1140

**A complete entry MUST INCLUDE: Online Entry Submittal, Exhibitor W-9, Statement of Originality.**  
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## 2016 Public Speaking Contest Statement of Originality

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

4-H Club/FFA Chapter/Houston Metro School:  
\_\_\_\_\_

AST(s)/CEA(s)/Teacher or Counselor(s):  
\_\_\_\_\_

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the speech manuscript entitled:  
\_\_\_\_\_

is a result of the contestant's own undertaking, effort, and ability. All information considered direct quotes or phrases, specific dates, figures and other materials are properly cited in the manuscript. We understand that failure to properly cite other works represents plagiarism and will automatically disqualify the contestant.

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Contestant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature)

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<b>Employer identification number</b>											
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### Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

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<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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# 2016 Team Entry Form 4-H & FFA Beef Quiz Bowl



Entry for the state of: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE TYPE.**

**Contestants:**

Captain/Contestant #1

Contestant #2

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Gender \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date/(Age) \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

\_\_\_\_\_ ( )

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Name of College \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Contestants:**

Contestant #3

Contestant #4

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Gender \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date/(Age) \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

\_\_\_\_\_ ( )

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Name of College \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Eligibility:** The eligibility of team members must be approved by the Extension State 4-H or FFA Program Leader or Designee and meet requirements as stated in the 4-H Beef Quiz Bowl Contest Rules.

Approved by:

Coach

4-H or FFA Program Leader or Designee

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Alternate Contestants:** Possible alternate contestants must be pre-approved as eligible participants. They can be substituted for any of the above contestants at registration just prior to the contest.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date/(Age) \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date/(Age) \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

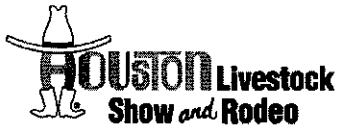
Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date/(Age) \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\*Online entry required along with completed form and \$40 registration fee by December 1 to:

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™  
Livestock Competitions  
P.O. Box 20070  
Houston, TX 77225



# Judging Contest and Other: Release of Liability & Indemnity Agreement

**PLEASE COMPLETE AND BRING TO CONTEST**

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Dairy Judging Contest              | <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture Product Identification Contest  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Floriculture Contest               | <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Mechanics Contest              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Horse Judging Contest              | <input type="checkbox"/> State FFA Tractor Technician Contest        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Contest          | <input type="checkbox"/> Ranching and Wildlife Competition           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Food Challenge                     | <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Agricultural Science Fair Contest |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Nursery / Landscape Contest        | <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Public Speaking Contest           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Poultry Judging Contest            | <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Veterinary Science Skillathon     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Range & Pasture Plant I.D. Contest | <input type="checkbox"/> Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Beef Quiz Bowl Contest             | <input type="checkbox"/> Intercollegiate Wool Judging Contest        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H & FFA Wool Judging Contest               |  |

**ONE FORM REQUIRED FOR EACH CONTEST ENTERED. EACH COACH AND CONTESTANT MUST EXECUTE THIS APPLICATION.**

**Part I**

As valid consideration for entry into and participation in activities (the "Activities") with the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, Inc., Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund, HLS&R Institute for Teacher Excellence, Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Endowment Foundation and the Corral Club, Inc., (collectively, "HLSR"), the undersigned hereby enter into this RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT/ DRUG CERTIFICATION FORM (this "Agreement").

- 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.
- 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 CHAPTER 87, TEXAS CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE, A FARM ANIMAL PROFESSIONAL IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES. 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.**
- RELEASE FROM LIABILITY:** The undersigned hereby RELEASE, ACQUIT AND FOREVER DISCHARGE AND AGREE TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS HLSR, their present and former directors, officers, employees, agents, and representatives and the respective heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns any other person, firm or corporation (collectively, the "HLSR Parties" or individually, an "HLSR Party") from any and all claims, causes of action, suits and/or demands for personal injury, death or property damage, accrued or to accrue in the future, known or unknown, (collectively, "Claims") relating to or arising out of any negligent, grossly negligent and/or intentional or unintentional acts on the part of the undersigned in connection with entry into and participation in the Activities. Without limiting the foregoing, the undersigned agree that the HLSR Parties shall not be liable to them, their family, heirs, administrators, executors or assigns for Claims arising from or related to the undersigned Exhibitor's entry into and participation in the Activities.
- AGREEMENT TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS:** THE UNDERSIGNED AGREE TO RELEASE, ACQUIT AND FOREVER DISCHARGE AND SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE HLSR PARTIES AGAINST THE CONSEQUENCES OF 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 Exhibitor's entry into and participation in the Activities. As used herein, "INDEMNIFY" means to agree to assume the HLSR Parties' liability in a situation, thereby relieving them of responsibility and/or reimbursing the HLSR Parties for Claims asserted against them.
- PHOTOGRAPH/INTERVIEW RELEASE AND INDEMNITY:** The undersigned GRANT PERMISSION to be PHOTOGRAPHED or INTERVIEWED in connection with the Activities. The undersigned understand that photographs or interviews may be used by HLSR for television, film, video, visual, or printed media. The undersigned agree to RELEASE and IN-DEMNIFY HLSR for any Claims related to photographs or interviews by the HLSR Parties or any media.
- TEXAS LAW AND ARBITRATION:** 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 venue for any dispute regarding this Agreement shall lie 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.

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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. The undersigned represent that they thoroughly understand that this is a complete and final release and indemnity agreement, 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature—Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Name Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_

**Request for Taxpayer  
 Identification Number and Certification**

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

**Name (as shown on your income tax return)**

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**Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above**

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Check appropriate box for federal tax classification (required):  Individual/sole proprietor  C Corporation  S Corporation  Partnership  Trust/estate

Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶

Other (see Instructions) ▶

Exempt payee

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**Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)** **Requester's name and address (optional)**

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**City, state, and ZIP code**

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