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MUTTON BUSTING EVENT DETAILS & RULES

Event Performance Details

All participants must be registered by 5:30 pm on the day of the show.

Entry fee is \$5/participant.

Participants and a parent or guardian must be at a pre-event meeting a half hour before the event begins near the southeast corner of the grandstand.

Participation is limited to the first 50 entries. (We will hold additional participation applications on standby in case some participants fail to show up).

This is a Fun Show – no classes, divisions, or “winners” there will be prizes for all participants.

Event Performance Rules:

All contestants must be at least 4 years of age, and cannot exceed 55 lbs.

All Contestants will be provided with a riding helmet and protective vest to wear during the Event. Contestants must wear this gear to participate in the Event, and Contestants' parents/legal guardians are responsible for ensuring Contestants properly use this gear.

Contestants are required to wear a long-sleeve shirt, jeans and closed toed shoes to participate in the Event. Contestants must be in full dress code upon arrival to the Event arena or they forfeit the opportunity to participate.

- Spurs and hats are not allowed.

Contestants are not allowed to choose an animal. (They must ride the animal assigned to them).

Contestants are limited to one (1) ride.

Contestants are not allowed to ride with “bull ropes” or other ropes and must ride facing forward.

Contestants have the ability to choose to ride with one hand or two, sitting straight up with free arm in the air or laying down holding on with both hands.

Only one (1) parent or legal guardian of a Contestant will be allowed on the Event arena floor during the Contestant's performance.

- This parent or legal guardian must be the parent or legal guardian who signed the Application and Participant Waiver, Release and Indemnity Agreement for Contestant's participation in the Event. Parents/legal guardians and Contestants' guest must conduct themselves in a respectful and good sportsmanlike manner toward all Contestants to avoid disqualification of their Contestant and removal from the Event arena.



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MUTTON BUSTING PARTICIPATION WAIVER

RELEASE OF LIABILITY - READ BEFORE SIGNING

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Boone County Fair Mutton Busting program, related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates and agrees that:

1. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,
2. I knowingly and freely assume all such risks both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the Releases or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on the behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, hereby release and hold harmless the County of Boone County Fair Associates, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if event ("Releases"), with respect to all and any injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property, Whether arising from the negligence of the releases or otherwise, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

PARTICIPANTS SIGNATURE

DATE

FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (UNDER 18 AT TIME OF REGISTRATION)
This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release, as provided above, of all the Releases, and for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to Indemnify and hold minor child's involvement or participation in these Programs as provided above, even if arising from their negligence, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

PARTICIPANTS SIGNATURE

DATE

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER(S)



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MUTTON BUSTING REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Participant _____

Age _____

Weight _____

School _____

Parent/Guardian _____

Contact Phone Number the day of the event _____