



# 2009 ARHA Membership Application

Important: All memberships are based on calendar year and expire December 31. Please allow approximately 3 weeks for processing. One form per membership. Please duplicate if needed. RETURN TO: ARHA, PO Box 186, Nancy, KY 42544

**COMPLETE APPLICATION IN FULL**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Initial Last

Family Members: (Family Membership Only)

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Name/Relationship/YTH DOB Name/Relationship/YTH DOB  
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Name/Relationship/YTH DOB Name/Relationship/YTH DOB

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

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

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Required for all amateurs Required for all youth

## CATEGORY (Check One Below)

Those wishing to compete in specific categories of competition at ARHA Events and approved ARHA Shows are REQUIRED to apply for the desired status EACH YEAR. Their ARHA membership cards will be labeled as to the eligibility category in which they are allowed to show. The eligibility section of the membership application must be filled out in order to qualify for specific category status.

- New Membership  Renewal for Member # \_\_\_\_\_
- Individual: \$30.00  Family: \$40.00 (Husband/Wife & children 18 & U)
- Lifetime: \$300.00  International Membership: \$65.00
- Ranch/Farm Membership: \$45.00 (Horses must be registered in ranch/farm name. Employees not included)
- Amateur Membership: \$40.00  Amateur Card: \$10.00 (must hold current individual or family membership)
- Youth Card: \$10.00 (must hold family membership)  Youth Individual Membership: \$20.00  
Youth Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_
- Please check here if you are a trainer to be listed in the ARHA Trainers Directory on ARHA website \$20/Year

Check here for donation to the ARHA Youth Scholarship Fund (501C3)

- \$50 Donation  \$20 Donation  \$10 Donation  Other \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL OF MEMBERSHIP \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + DONATIONS \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

There is a 5% handling fee on all credit card transactions. For Credit Card Payment (Visa, MasterCard, Discover), please provide the following information:

TYPE OF CARD: \_\_\_\_\_ EXP Date: \_\_\_\_\_

CARD NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME PRINTED ON CARD \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Authorization: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE MAKE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE IN US FUNDS TO: AMERICAN RANCH HORSE ASSOCIATION (OR ARHA)**

### AMATEUR STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY Please read carefully and answer the following questions to ensure you meet ARHA's amateur eligibility requirements.

- Have you received payment, directly or indirectly for riding, training, exhibiting, schooling or driving horse(s) any time during the past five (5) years (60 months)?  YES  NO
- Have you instructed another person, or conducted a seminar in riding, training, driving or showing a horse at any time during the past five years for payment?  YES  NO
- Have any of your expenses (including lodging, transportation, mileage, etc) been paid by someone else other than family members?  YES  NO
- Are you now, or have you ever been approved as a horse show judge by any breed or show association?  YES  NO
- Have you judged any horse shows, Open, 4-H, or approved breed shows during the past five years for payment?  YES  NO

If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, you DO NOT qualify to be an ARHA Amateur

### Are you competing for ARHA Amateur Rookie Of The Year

Yes  No (Cannot have earned ANY breed association points prior to the year of the award)

Have you ever competed in any recognized equine association competition at any time?  Yes Date: \_\_\_\_\_  No

Name of horse to be exhibited: \_\_\_\_\_

ARHA Registration #: \_\_\_\_\_

In submitting this application or renewal for ARHA Amateur Exhibitor program, I hereby affirm that the information contained herein is true and correct. I understand that my status in the ARHA Amateur Program and my ARHA Amateur card is revocable. Should the Association find that, for any reason, I am no longer eligible to compete in ARHA-approved Amateur classes, I agree to surrender said card to the Association immediately upon request. Furthermore, should I, for any reason, become ineligible to compete as an Amateur, I will refrain from exhibiting in the corresponding classes, and agree to voluntarily surrender my Amateur Card to the Association without request. Failing to do so, I am subject to possible disciplinary action under the Associations rules. By signing this application for Amateur status, I acknowledge my responsibility for knowledge of ARHA rules regarding the Amateur program.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### YOUTH DIVISION

To qualify for the Youth division: Youth must be 18 and younger. Youth must be current member and must hold a Youth Division Card. Please refer to rulebook for complete rules.

### Are you competing for ARHA Youth Rookie Of The Year

Yes  No (Cannot have earned ANY breed association points prior to the year of the award)

Have you ever competed in any recognized equine association competition at any time?  Yes Date: \_\_\_\_\_  No

Name of horse to be exhibited: \_\_\_\_\_

ARHA Registration #: \_\_\_\_\_

In submitting this application for the Youth exhibitor program, I affirm that all the information I have listed is correct. I understand that my Youth status is revocable. By signing this application, I accept responsibility for knowledge of ARHA rules regarding the Youth program.

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

ARHA ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### FOR ARHA OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_