

2023 BRITISH COLUMBIA RODEO ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FORM

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Have you been a member of the BCRA in the past?		YES	NO
ALL NEW members must have a current member in good standing sign the letter of guarantee or must be on a cash only basis for the first year.			
LAST NAME:	FIRST NAME:	BCRA CARD #	
MAILING ADDRESS:			
CITY:		POSTAL CODE:	
PHONE #	CELL #	BIRTHDATE: M / D / Y	
EMAIL:		<i>By giving your email you are accepting emails from the BCRA office</i>	

ALL MEMBERSHIPS INCLUDE GST / ALL JUNIOR & PEEWEE APPLICANTS MUST SUPPLY A COPY OF THEIR BIRTH CERTIFICATE WITH THIS FORM

CARD TYPE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT	X
ROOKIE YEAR	First year members with an BCRA Full Membership card who is 16 years of age and over. MUST READ & SIGN ROOKIE STATUS VERIFICATION TO BE ELIGIBLE		
FULL MEMBERSHIP	Allows members to compete at all BCRA rodeos.	\$200.00	
OPEN JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP	Allows juniors to compete in open and junior events. ALL Open JR memberships must be accompanied with notarized waiver	\$200.00	
FAMILY MEMBERSHIP *INCLUDED FAMILY MEMBERS NAMES*	Consists of husband & wife for two full memberships & all children under 15 years of age as of Jan 1 st , 2023. Please specify if child is JR or PW	\$400.00	
FAMILY PERMIT MEMBERSHIP *INCLUDED FAMILY MEMBERS NAMES*	Consists of husband & wife for two full memberships & all children under 15 years of age as of Jan 1 st , 2023. Please specify if child is JR or PW Allows family competitors to compete in any 3 BCRA Rodeos. May upgrade to a full family membership by paying the difference.	\$200.00	
JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP	JR members must be 15 years of age and under as of Jan 1 st , 2023	\$75.00	
PEEWEE MEMBERSHIP	PW members must be 10 years of age and under as of Jan 1 st , 2023	\$75.00	
PERMIT MEMBERSHIP	Allows a competitor to compete in any 3 BCRA Rodeos. May upgrade to full membership by paying the difference of the two memberships.	\$100.00	
OFFICIALS CARD (BCRA Certified)	Circle one: JUDGE SECRETARY TIMER	\$100.00	
NON CONTESTANT CARD	Circle one: PICKUP MAN BULLFIGHTER ANNOUNCER PHOTOGRAPHER CONTRACT ACT OTHER	\$100.00	
STOCK CONTRACTOR CARD	BCRA approved stock contractors must purchase membership 60 days prior to first contracted rodeo. New stock contractors, see rule book.	\$200.00	
TIMED EVENT SUB-CONTRACTOR CARD	Must supply list of stock and be in contact with the BCRA event director(s) prior to supplying stock to a BCRA Rodeo	\$200.00	
FUNDRAISING FEE	Optional fundraising fee (raffle tickets / sponsorship)	\$150.00	
TOTAL PAYMENT (All prices are inclusive of GST)		\$	

ALL MEMBERSHIP FORMS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED WITH PAYMENT, WAIVERS & BIRTH CERTIFICATES (if applicable)

PAYMENT CAN BE MADE BY CREDIT CARD, E-TRANSFERS, MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES OR CASH

NAME OF CARDHOLDER:		
CREDIT CARD #:	EXPIRY: /	CSC:
INTERACT EMAIL TRANSFER	bcrodeoassn@gmail.com	PASSWORD:

COMPLETED SIGNED WAIVER(S) MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR MEMBERSHIP FORM

*As a member of the British Columbia Rodeo Association, I will also read and abide by all **BYLAWS & RODEO RULES** as set out in the British Columbia Rodeo Association Rulebook. I further state that I will represent the organization and conduct myself in a positive and respectful manner, and agree to pay any fines associated if I am found in violation of any rule stated in the rulebook.*

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____ **Card #:** _____

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY (R-0106)

For Participants Over the Age of Majority in the Province or Territory in which the Rodeo Activities are Provided by the Host **WARNING: THIS AGREEMENT WILL AFFECT YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS. READ IT CAREFULLY!**

Every Person Must Read and Understand this Waiver Before Participating in Rodeo Activities

The following waiver of all claims, release from all liability, assumption of all risks, agreement not to sue and other terms of this agreement are entered into by me (the Participant) with and for the benefit of: **BRITISH COLUMBIA RODEO ASSOCIATION**, its directors, officers, employees, volunteers, business operators, agents and site property owners or lessees (collectively the "Host"). Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, "Rodeo Activities" includes but is not limited to bronco riding, bull riding, steer wrestling, steer roping, chuck wagon racing, barrel racing, pole bending, team penning, team roping and other activities involving the handling of unbroken or imperfectly broken animals or instructions pertaining to such activities made available by the "Host" to the Participant. **Initial Each Item below after Reading and Understanding each item:**

- _____ 1. I am aware that there are inherent dangers, hazards and risks (collectively "Risks") associated with "Rodeo Activities" and injuries resulting from these "Risks" are a common occurrence. I am aware that the "Risks" of "Rodeo Activities" mean those dangerous conditions which are an integral part of "Rodeo Activities", including but not limited to:
- (a) the propensity of any animal to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm or death to persons on or around them and to potentially collide with, bite or kick other animals, people or objects;
 - (b) the unpredictability of an animal's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement, tremors, vibrations, unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals and hazards such as subsurface objects;
 - (c) the potential for other participants to behave in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to themselves or others, including failing to act within their abilities to maintain control over an animal.
- _____ 2. I freely accept and fully assume all responsibility for all "Risks" and possibilities of personal injury, death, property damage or loss resulting from my participation in "Rodeo Activities".
- _____ 3. I agree that although the "Host" has taken steps to reduce the "Risks" and increase the safety of the "Rodeo Activities", it is not possible for the "Host" to make the "Rodeo Activities" completely safe. I accept these "Risks" and agree to the terms of this waiver even if the "Host" is found to be negligent or in breach of any duty of care or any obligation to me in my participation in "Rodeo Activities".
- _____ 4. In addition to consideration given to the "Host" for my participation in "Rodeo Activities", I and my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns (collectively my "Legal Representatives") agree: (a) to waive all claims that I have or may have in the future against the "Host";
- (b) to release and forever discharge the "Host" from all liability for any personal injury, death, property damage, or loss resulting from my participation in "Rodeo Activities" due to any cause, including but not limited to negligence (failure to use such care as a reasonably prudent and careful person would use under similar circumstances), breach of any duty imposed by law, breach of contract or mistake or error in judgment of the "Host"; and
 - (c) to be liable for and to hold harmless and indemnify the "Host" from all actions, proceedings, claims, damages, costs demands, including court costs and costs on a solicitor and own client basis, and liabilities of whatsoever nature or kind arising out of or in any way connected with my participation in "Rodeo Activities".
- _____ 5. I agree that this waiver and all terms contained herein are governed exclusively and in all respects by the laws of the Province or Territory of Canada in which the "Rodeo Activities" are provided by the "Host". I hereby irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of that Province or Territory of Canada and I agree that no other court can exercise jurisdiction over the terms and claims referred to herein. Any litigation to enforce this waiver will be instituted in the Province or Territory of Canada in which the "Rodeo Activities" are provided by the "Host".
- _____ 6. I confirm that I have had sufficient time to read and understand this waiver in its entirety. I understand that this agreement represents the entire agreement between myself and the "Host", and it is binding on myself and my "Legal Representatives".
- _____ 7. I confirm that I have reached the age of majority in the province in which I am participating in "Rodeo Activities".

Participant Name	_____	Date of Birth	_____
Address	_____	City	_____
		Province	_____
		Signed this	_____ day of _____ 20_____
(Signature of Participant)			
(Print Name of "Host" Witness to Signing and Initialing)			
		Signed this	_____ day of _____ 20_____
(Signature of "Host" Witness)			

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY (R-0106)

For Participants Under the Age of Majority in the Province or Territory in which the Rodeo Activities are Provided by the Host **WARNING: THIS AGREEMENT WILL AFFECT YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS. READ IT CAREFULLY!**

The Parent/Guardian Must Read and Understand this Waiver Prior to Infant Participating in Rodeo Activities

The following waiver of all claims, release from all liability, assumption of all risks, agreement not to sue and other terms of this agreement are entered into by me on behalf of the Infant Participant named below with and for the benefit of: **BRITISH COLUMBIA RODEO ASSOCIATION**, its directors, officers, employees, volunteers, business operators, agents, and site property owners or lessees (the "Host"). Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, "Rodeo Activities" includes but is not limited to bronco riding, bull riding, steer wrestling, steer roping, chuck wagon racing, barrel racing, pole bending, team penning, team roping and other activities involving the handling of unbroken or imperfectly broken animals or instructions pertaining to such activities made available by the "Host" to the Participant.

Initial Each Item below after Reading and Understanding each item:

- _____ 1. I am the Parent/Guardian of the Infant Participant and am executing this waiver on behalf of the Infant Participant in my capacity as Parent/Guardian and with the intent that his waiver be binding on myself and the Infant Participant for all legal purposes.
- _____ 2. I am aware that there are inherent dangers, hazards and risks (collectively "Risks") associated with "Rodeo Activities" and injuries resulting from these "Risks" are a common occurrence. I am aware that the "Risks" of "Rodeo Activities" mean those dangerous conditions which are an integral part of "Rodeo Activities", including but not limited to:
 - (a) the propensity of any animal to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm or death to persons on or around them and to potentially collide with, bite or kick other animals, people or objects;
 - (b) the unpredictability of an animal's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement, tremors, vibrations, unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals and hazards such as subsurface objects;
 - (c) the potential for other participants to behave in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to themselves or others, including failing to act within their abilities to maintain control over an animal.
- _____ 3. I freely accept and fully assume all responsibility for all "Risks" and possibilities of any and all personal injury, death, property damage or loss resulting from the Infant Participant's participation in "Rodeo Activities".
- _____ 4. I agree that although the "Host" has taken steps to reduce the "Risks" and increase the safety of the "Rodeo Activities", it is not possible for the "Host" to make the "Rodeo Activities" completely safe. I accept these "Risks" and agree to the terms of this waiver on behalf of the Infant Participant, even if the "Host" is found to be negligent or in breach of any duty of care or any obligation to myself or the Infant Participant in the Infant's participation in "Rodeo Activities".
- _____ 5. In addition to consideration given to the "Host" for the Infant Participant's participation in "Rodeo Activities", I and my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns, as well as the Infant Participant and his/her heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns (collectively our "Legal Representatives") agree:
 - (a) to waive all claims that the Infant Participant has or may have in the future against the "Host";
 - (b) to release and forever discharge the "Host" from all liability for personal injury, death, property damage, or loss that I, the Infant Participant, or our "Legal Representatives" might suffer as a result of the Infant Participant's participation in "Rodeo Activities" due to any cause, including but not limited to negligence (failure to use such care as a reasonably prudent and careful person would use under similar circumstances), breach of any duty imposed by law, breach of contract or mistake or error in judgment of the "Host"; and
 - (c) to be liable for and to hold harmless and indemnify the "Host" from all actions, proceedings, claims, damages, costs demands, including court costs and costs on a solicitor and own client basis, and liabilities of whatsoever nature or kind arising out of or in any way connected with the Infant's participation in "Rodeo Activities".
- _____ 6. I agree that this waiver and all terms contained herein are governed exclusively and in all respects by the laws of the Province or Territory of Canada in which the "Rodeo Activities" are provided by the "Host". I hereby irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of that Province or Territory of Canada and I agree that no other court can exercise jurisdiction over the terms and claims referred to herein. Any litigation to enforce this waiver will be instituted in the Province or Territory of Canada in which the "Rodeo Activities" are provided by the "Host".
- _____ 7. I confirm that I have had sufficient time to read and understand this waiver in its entirety. I understand that this agreement represents the entire agreement between the "Host", myself as Parent/Guardian, and the Infant Participant, and it is binding on myself, the Infant Participant and our "Legal Representatives".

Infant Participant's Name _____	Date of Birth _____	
Parent/Guardian's Name _____	Date of Birth _____	
Address _____	City _____ Province _____	Postal _____
	Signed this _____ day of _____	20 _____
(Signature of Parent/Guardian of Infant Participant)		
_____ (Print Name of "Host" Witness to Signing and Initialing)		
	Signed this _____ day of _____	20 _____
(Signature of "Host" Witness)		

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Please only fill out this page if you are a new member.

If this form is not filled out, you will be required to pay cash only for the entirety of the first year.

Following is a Letter of Guarantee. Please note that the member signing this guarantee must be a current senior (19 years or older) member in good standing (having dues paid for the season in question).

All new members of the British Columbia Rodeo Association **must have a letter of Guarantee** from a current member in good standing or
pay their entry fees with cash for the first year of membership.

Any member who has been on the ineligible list or delinquent in payment of outstanding accounts may be asked to post a \$250.00 bond or obtain written letter of guarantee from a current member in good standing with the Association.

Please read carefully prior to signing!

LETTER OF GUARANTEE

I, _____ agree to guarantee all membership fees, cheque and entry fees or other outstanding accounts with the British Columbia Rodeo Association in the name of _____. I understand that I will be liable for any and all amounts outstanding to the British Columbia Rodeo Association in the name of the above named member. If said member has outstanding accounts with the British Columbia Rodeo Association, I will not be eligible to compete or be considered a member in good standing until all accounts are paid in full.

_____ Card Number _____

Signature

Date: _____

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2023 ROOKIE STATUS VERIFICATION

Please only complete this page if you meet all of the designated eligibility criteria

In order to be eligible and for money to count for Rookie of the Year this form must be completed, signed and on file. Qualifications to be eligible include:

- This is your FIRST year as a Full Open BCRA Member
- You are over the age of 16
- Have NOT been a member of any other rodeo association, excluding Peewee, Junior, Highschool Rodeo, Little Britches Rodeo and college rodeo.

Please fill out the below form and email to the BCRA Office at bcrodeoassn@gmail.com to complete your Rookie of the Year Form.

I, _____ certify that I am eligible for the BCRA Rookie of the Year for 2023, as this is my first year as a Full Open BCRA Member, I am over the age of 16 and I have not been a member of any other rodeo association, excluding Peewee, Junior, Highschool Rodeo, Little Britches Rodeo and college rodeo.

Signature: _____ Date: _____.

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2023 ROOKIE ROUGHHORSE RIDER STATUS VERIFICATION

Please only complete this page if you meet all of the designated eligibility criteria

In order to be eligible and for money to count for Rookie Roughhorse Rider of the Year this form must be completed, signed and on file.

Qualifications to be eligible include:

- This is your FIRST year competing in the Roughstock Horse Riding events OR you have won less than \$500 in lifetime earnings riding roughstock horses.
- You have not won the Rookie Roughhorse Riding in the past

Please fill out the below form and email to the BCRA Office at bcrodeoassn@gmail.com to complete your Rookie Roughhorse Rider of the Year Form.

I, _____ certify that I am eligible for the BCRA Rookie Roughhorse Rider of the Year for 2023.

Signature: _____ Date: _____.

Please only complete this page if you are applying for the combination of the Open/Junior card

Member's Name: _____ DOB: _____ Address: _____

Phone: _____

MINOR'S RELEASE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

We, the undersigned, hereby request that the below named minor (minor) be granted permission (1) to enter the restricted area, (2) to participate as a contestant, assistant, official or otherwise in rodeo events, (3) to compete for money, prizes, recognition or reward, (4) to be covered by participants' hospitalization insurance, if applicable, as limited by the master policy (all collectively hereinafter called "permissive entry").

In consideration of "permissive entry" to minor into the restricted area, which is the area from which admission to the general public is restricted, which includes, but is not limited to the rodeo arena, competition area, chutes, pens, adjacent walkways, concessions, and other appurtenances, we, the undersigned, on behalf of the minor and for ourselves, our personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, spouses and assigns, do hereby:

1. RELEASE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the rodeo committee, stock contractor, rodeo association, sponsors, arena operators or owners, and each of them, their officers, directors, agents and employees (all hereinafter collectively referred to as "releasees") from any and all claims and liability arising out of strict liability or ordinary negligence of releasees or any other participant which causes the undersigned injury, death, damages or property damage. We, the undersigned, jointly, severally, and in common, covenant to hold releasees harmless and to indemnify releasees from any claim, judgement or expenses releasees may incur arising out of any of the minor's activities or presence in the restricted area. 2. UNDERSTAND that minor's entry into the restricted area and/or participation in rodeo events contains DANGER AND RISK OF INJURY OR DEATH TO MINOR, that conditions of the rodeo arena change from time to time and may become more hazardous, that rodeo animals are dangerous and unpredictable, and that there is INHERENT DANGER in rodeo which we each appreciate and voluntarily assume because the minor and we choose to do so. Each of the undersigned has observed events of the type that the minor seeks to participate in. We further understand that the arena surface, access ways or lack thereof, lighting or lack thereof, and weather conditions all change and pose a danger to the minor. We further understand that other contestants and participants pose a danger to the minor, but nevertheless, WE EACH VOLUNTARILY ELECT TO ACCEPT ALL RISKS connected with the minor's entry into the restricted area and/or participation in any rodeo events.

3. AGREE that this agreement shall apply to any incident, injury, accident or death occurring on the above date and FOR A PERIOD OF TIME covering any statutory period in which a cause of action may accrue for minors or adults. All subsequent agreements and release documents signed by any of the undersigned shall amplify, but shall in no way limit the provisions of this document. The provisions of this document may be cancelled by any one of the undersigned by delivering to the above rodeo association written cancellation of this agreement which shall be effective 24 hours after the date said cancellation is actually received by the rodeo association.

4. Releasor or parents or guardians of the undersigned minor AGREE TO INDEMNIFY the Releasees and each of them from any loss, liability, damage or costs they may incur due to the presence or participation of the minor in the described activities whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise.

WE HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT, WE UNDERSTAND IT IS A RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS. WE APPRECIATE AND ASSUME ALL RISKS INHERENT IN RODEO.

_____ Signature of Natural Father	_____ Print Clearly or Type Name of Natural Father
_____ Signature of Natural Mother	_____ Print Clearly or Type Name of Natural Mother
_____ Signature of Legal Guardian	_____ Print Clearly or Type Name of Legal Guardian
_____ Signature of Member	_____ Print Clearly or Type Name of Member

On this ____ day of ____ 20 ___, before me, personally appeared _____

(Notary: List all Names Notorized)

_____ to me known to be the persons who executed the foregoing Release and acknowledged that they signed same as their free act and deed.

My Commission Expires: _____

Notary Public

***Both parents and member or legal guardian must sign this form in the appropriate places above. If only one parent is signing, please note reason on signature line. For example, DECEASED, DIVORCED AND FULL CUSTODY, ETC. All signatures must be witnessed by a notary and listed as personally appearing in the appropriate place on the form. Be sure that notary signs, dates and places his/her seal on the form. Please return original Minor's Release form to the state/province secretary with membership application and fees.**