American Quarter Horse Youth Association

WRANGLER YOUTH LEADER OF THE YEAR
NOMINATION FORM

Please fill in all blanks completely. Please **type** all information. You may photocopy this application, however, please include all information in this form. You may attach additional sheets if necessary. **This form must be received in the AQHYA offices no later than July 10 of each year. Please fax to 806-349-6412.**

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NOMINEE NUMBER

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Name of Association: _____

Name of Nominee: _____

Home Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Office Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Office Phone: _____

Name of Nominator: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ AQHYA or AQHA ID# _____

To the nominator: Are you or have you been a member of the affiliate youth Quarter Horse Association for which you are nominating this youth leader? __YES __NO

How long has this individual been serving as a youth leader? ___ Years ____Months

Will this individual be attending the AQHYA World Championship Show? __YES __NO

I hereby certify that all information herein contained in this application for the Wrangler AQHYA Affiliate Youth Leader of the Year is true and correct. I also certify that the individual named on the application has not been the Affiliate Youth Adviser of the Year or Leader of the Year in the past three years.

Nominator's Signature _____ Date: _____

Persons eligible for this prestigious award from the American Quarter Horse Youth Association include any adult leader who has assisted or directed the development of your affiliate youth Quarter Horse Association. Persons over the age of 18 and no longer eligible for AQHYA membership are eligible for this award.

Please fill in the information below as completely as possible.

1. (5 points)

Name of Association: _____

How many affiliate association members were enrolled as of December 31 of the previous year? _____

How many AQHYA (affiliate-wide members reported by AQHYA) members did you have at that date?_____

How many members of your youth affiliate do you have at the current time? _____

Check which best describes the way the youth leader became involved with the affiliate program:
___Voluntarily began helping ___Elected to serve ___Appointed
___Hired to serve ___Other, please describe _____
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2. (10 points)

How long has the youth leader served? _____ Years _____ Months

How many association meetings were held last year? _____

How many meetings did the leader attend? _____

Who conducted the meetings? _____

Are officers trained to use parliamentary procedure? __YES __NO

If so, is that procedure used at each meeting? __YES __NO

3. (10 points)

What fund-raising ideas were designed and implemented by the leader and how were youth encouraged to get involved?

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4. (20 points)

Check those programs below which apply to your affiliate:
___Scholarship Fund ___Judging Team ___Speech Contests ___Community Projects
___Clinics for 4-H or FFA Members

Describe activities the leader has been instrumental in planning and implementing:

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5. (20 points)

Describe activities which attract youth to the affiliate association who do not show or are not able to show. For example: Trail rides, horse fairs, clinics, star clinics, etc.

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Does the leader have contact and work with any of the following?
___State extension horse specialist or county agent
___State FFA adviser or local adviser
___State high school rodeo director or local chapter

Describe how the leader works with these groups:

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6. (10 points) Check which statements best describes the emphasis placed on the AQHYA World Championship Show year round. Check all that apply.

___Major topic of discussion at each meeting
___Majority of affiliate funds spent on team
___Discussed frequently, equally with other affiliate matters
___Approximately half of all funds spent on team
___Discussed periodically, affiliate matters have priority
___Funding based on funds earned by team members
___Not discussed or planned

7. (10 points) Below rate the youth leader on a scale of 1 to 10, with 10 being the highest.

__Willing to listen __Knowledgeable __Organized __Fun
__Fair __Caring __Relates to parents __Interested in each member

Comments:

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8. (15 points)

How many youth from your youth affiliate participated in the following during the previous AQHYA World Championship Show?

___Showing
___Public Speaking or Prepared Speaking Contest
___Horse Judging Contest
___Talent Show
___AQHYA Executive Committee or Director Candidate
___Horse Bowl
___Scrapbook Contest
___Other, Please describe _____

How has the leader helped the youth members to prepare for competition or being involved.

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