

Drovers Junior Rodeo Association

Membership Form

Year _____

Parents Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone # _____

Email: _____

Family Members :

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Drovers Junior Rodeo Release Form

As a member of the Drovers Junior Rodeo Association (Drovers) Release Form, I hereby agree that I will abide by all rules and regulations of the Drovers, further I hereby release and hold harmless the Drovers, all members and practice facilities, stock contractors, employees of the same, and any or all persons in anyway connected with Drovers events/activities from losses, damages, or injury to myself, my property and every minor person who accompanies me, resulting from participation in any or all Drovers events/activities.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Note: If any applicant or family member is a minor (under 18 years of age) this Release must be signed by a legal guardian and Notarized.

Minor Release

I hereby swear to the above release and unconditionally give my permission for the above named minor(s) to compete in Drovers events/activities.

Legal Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Notary Seal

Notary Name: _____

Commission Expires: _____

Notary Signature: _____

Date: _____

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF DROVERS JUNIOR RODEO ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is Drovers Junior Rodeo Association

ARTICLE II

The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

This corporation is a nonprofit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Washington Nonprofit Corporation Act for charitable and educational purposes. The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

1. To organize junior rodeo cowboys and cowgirls for their mutual protection and benefit
2. To work for better conditions of and rules governing junior rodeo events
3. To promote the sport of Rodeo and keep Western traditional alive
4. To encourage kids to get involved, stay in school, and keep off drugs and alcohol
5. To coordinate a Junior Rodeo sanctioned by the EWJRA the 1st weekend in August

ARTICLE IV

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable and educational purposes and no part of the net income or assets of the organization shall ever inure to benefit of any Director, Officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.

On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provisions for payment of, all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE X

DROVERS JUNIOR RODEO ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS

1. The dual purpose of the Drovers Jr. Rodeo Association is to promote Rodeo, help area youth, and to provide scholarships for qualified active members, Regardless of Race, Sex, Creed or Handicap.
2. All meetings of the Association shall be conducted under the current general and accepted parliamentary rules of order (Robert's Rules of Order) and under specific By-Laws of the Association except where these may become inconsistent with County, State or Federal decree.
3. Election of officers and E.W.J.R.A. Representatives will be from active members, term to run January 1 to December 31. Election of officers will consist of the following:

- a. President-To preside over meetings, appoint committees and to be first in command for Association policy. The president of the association will be able to call special Association meetings with advance notification to all members.
- b. Vice-President-To preside over meeting if president is absent and to be next in command for Association policy.
- c. Secretary-To keep minutes of meetings and to handle correspondence.
- d. Treasurer-To give financial reports and handle accounts payable for the Association with the approval of the President or the Vice-President and prepare books for yearly audit.
- e. Rodeo Secretary-To carry out all rodeo secretarial duties for the yearly rodeo and prepare and itemize Rodeo Statement.
- f. Scholarship Board-Current Association President will also sit on Board. Total Board members shall be five. No more than 1 member per family at one time. A family member may sit on the Scholarship Board in the year their child is eligible for a scholarship, but must have a proxy at the time the scholarship is reviewed and awarded. Scholarship proxies will be governed by the same guidelines as the Board of Directors. A selected Secretary will have full voting rights.
- g. E.W.J.R.A. Adult and Youth Representatives-To be in an advisory position to the president and to meet prior to the regular meeting with officers to discuss items of importance and to help set up agenda for the meetings. They are to attend the E.W.J.R.A. Finals Meeting and report back to the Association.
- h. Youth Directors (eligible scholarship applicants) fulfilling scholarship requirements by attending B.O.D. Meetings will have the same equal say and voting privileges as adult members of the Board. Board of Directors will perform the audit of the Rodeo Secretary and Treasurer's books.
- i. Queen and princess voted on by members to represent the Drovers Junior Rodeo Association at events throughout the year.