



**2021 Wrangler AQHYA Youth Leader of the Year
in Honor of Roger Elder
Nomination Form**

Nominees may include any youth leader who has positively impacted the development of your affiliate youth Quarter Horse Association. AQHA members over the age of 18 and no longer eligible for AQHYA membership are eligible for this award. For purposes of this award, a youth leader does not need to hold any specific office, position, or title within the affiliate.

Nominators must be current AQHA or AQHYA members. Nominators must complete this nomination form and answer the impact questions below to describe the reasons the nominee deserves this recognition. Each question may be answered with either 1) a written essay responses or 2) a video.

All materials must be emailed to the AQHA Youth Department at youth@aqha.org by **July 1, 2021**. It is the responsibility of the nominator to ensure all materials are received.

Name of AQHA Affiliate: _____

NOMINEE

Name of Nominee: _____ AQHA I.D. #: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

NOMINATOR

Name of Nominator: _____ AQHA I.D. #: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Nominator, are you or have you been a member of the affiliate youth Quarter Horse Association from which you are nominating this youth leader? Yes No

How long has the nominee been serving as a youth leader? _____ years

How is the youth leader involved with the affiliate's youth program? Check all that apply.

Affiliate Youth Adviser Other Affiliate Position Parent Past Youth Leader

Trainer/Professional Horseman Volunteer Affiliate employee

Other (please describe): _____

Will the nominee be attending the AQHYA World Championship Show? Yes No

I, _____, certify that all information herein contained in this application for the
(print nominator's name)
Wrangler AQHYA Youth Leader of the Year is true and correct. I also certify that the individual named
on the application has not been the Wrangler AQHYA Youth Leader of the Year in the past three years.

Nominator's Signature: _____ Date: _____

NOMINEE'S YOUTH IMPACT

Nominators should describe the nominee and their impact on youth in their affiliate organization by answering all the questions below. Answers can be provided by either 1) written essay responses or 2) a video.

- Essays should be no longer than three pages total, typed and single-spaced.
- Videos should be no longer than five minutes total. Filming can be from a smartphone, iPad, or other video recorder. Videos should not contain music of any kind and must be in English or include English sub-titles. Production elements such as titles or graphics may be included but will not receive extra consideration.
 - Videos should be uploaded to YouTube and a link emailed to AQHYA. Please do not select Private in your YouTube settings as AQHA will not be able to view the video if set to Private.

Questions:

1. How has the nominee impacted you and others? Why do you think he/she deserves this recognition?
2. Describe how the nominee helps support youth participation and involvement through meetings, events, activities and/or programs at the local, regional, or national level.
3. Describe the nominee's best qualities and how these have impacted youth. Think about qualities that may include but are not limited to: knowledge, organization, caring, fairness, fun, interest, etc.

Please complete form and return to youth@aqha.org by July 1, 2021.

Questions? Contact the AQHA Youth Department.

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