



## **2020 World Show Youth Team Letter of Intent-DUE Feb 15th**

The purpose of the Washington State World Youth Team is to provide an opportunity for the youth of Washington State to participate nationally at the American Quarter Horse Youth World Show in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. WSQHYA is able to send six youth from each class plus the Washington State legal residents or full-time students in residence who are nationally invited. In the event that all six youth are not available for an offered class, the youth advisor will select an additional youth, based on the Washington State qualifying points earned. The youth advisor reserves the right to fill all classes with any AQHA member and any eligible rider/handler if the class is not filled in the regular manner.

### **QUALIFICATIONS FOR PARTICIPATION AS PART OF THE WASHINGTON STATE WORLD YOUTH TEAM AT THE AQHYA WORLD SHOW:**

1. Be a member in good standing with WSQHYA and AQHYA by Feb 15th of the qualifying year.
2. Attend one mandatory WSQHYA World Team Planning meeting with Parents or Guardians. The 1<sup>st</sup> meeting will be held at the WSQHA Trophy Circuit in Monroe. Team selection will be done at this meeting. The 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting will be held prior to June 15<sup>th</sup>. Bring an 8x10 horizontal picture (non-original) of you with your horse. (National Qualifiers may request a conference call with the WSQHYA World Team Advisor and mail photo by June 1). You will also be required to participate in a Youth World Team specific fundraiser that will be announced (State Basket Silent Auction).
3. Earn \$200.00 in cash sponsorships or donate \$200.00 to the WSQHYA World Youth Team to pay for team expenses. After sponsorships or cash equivalent has been turned in, there will be no refunds. \$100 additional sponsorship money will be required for each additional horse/rider combo.
4. Participate in one specified WSQHYA fundraiser (WSQHYA State Basket Silent Auction) at a designated level. If this qualification cannot be met, a youth may still be eligible to participate as a WSQHYA Team member by contributing the cash equivalent of \$150 for the fundraising qualification by Feb 15th of the qualifying year.

5. While in OKC, join the WSQHYA Team for the “Parade of States”, team spirit activities and for a WSQHYA Team photo. Before OKC, create scrapbook, create stall decorations and decorate Wrangler jeans/Justin boots for team spirit.

6. As representatives of Washington State and WSQHYA, team members shall, at all time, conduct themselves in a becoming manner. Stalls, aisle, tack rooms, feed rooms and all public areas must be kept clean during the entire AQHYA show.

7. Have a completed mandatory WSQHYA World Youth Team “Letter of Intent” on file with the WSQHYA Advisor Alefa Eserjose 17919 Fales Rd, Snohomish, WA 98296. We must have a postmark by Feb 15th and all of the above qualifications completed on or before June 1st of the qualifying year.

Any Washington State qualifying youth unable to fulfill the WSQHYA World Team qualifications will forfeit their position to an alternate WSQHYA World Team member.

We welcome and strongly encourage all youth who receive national invitations to participate as a Washington State World Youth Team member. If the youth chooses not to, or is unable to participate in the WSQHYA World team qualifications, designation as a WSQHYA World Team member will be lost and the individual will not be eligible for WSQHYA support (may include, but not limited to, team outfits, participation gifts, stall, tack, and feed room charges, aisle fans, stall dressing, team pictures and team activities). Tack room space, feed room, and stalls will be available at the standard rate for all non- team members.

If you are unable to meet the Fundraising qualification by February 15th you can contribute the cash equivalent of \$150.00 as an alternative by June 1st of the qualifying year. I understand the eligibility requirements. Letter of intents will only be accepted with the fundraising qualification met if the \$150 fee is enclosed.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please initial here if you understand the eligibility requirements and are NOT able to meet the fundraising qualification and you will be contributing \$150.00.

***Please attach a copy of your horse’s AQHA Registration Papers and youth members AQHA card. Keep a copy of this form for your records.***

I wish to participate as a Team Member of the Washington State Youth World Team (Nationally or State qualified) and I understand the eligibility requirements:

Name: Please Print

\_\_\_\_\_ AQHYA#: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please circle your T-shirt Size:**

**Adult Men -- S M L XL XXL**

**Adult Women -- XXS XS S M L XL XXL**

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

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Youth

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

Horse's Reg

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

Barn Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse's Reg Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Trainer: \_\_\_\_\_

Trainer

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

Youth Signature:

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

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

Parent Phone:

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

***All events you intend to show in:***

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CHECKLIST TO TURN INTO ALEFA ESERJOSE POSTMARKED BY FEB 15th

- WORLD SHOW LETTER OF INTENT
- \$150 check is due with Letter of intent-\$150 check will be refunded IF you participate in the World Show Fundraiser. After the No Silver Non Sequins show, no fundraiser funds will be returned
- HORSE REGISTRATION
- YOUTH AQHA MEMBERSHIP CARDS
- T-SHIRT/CONTACT INFO FORM

Alefa Eserjose 17919 Fales Rd, Snohomish, WA 98296

CHECKLIST TO TURN INTO PAIGE STROUD

- ALL ENTRIES AND SIGNATURES REQUIRED FROM THE TEAM MEMBER AND PARENT ON YOUTH WORLD LIABILITY FORM
- THREE SEPARATE CHECKS
  - \$200 sponsorship or equivalent
  - Stall and entry fee
- Variety show, freestyle, speech, scrapbook, horsebowl etc entry and fee
- Complete requirements 1-7 listed on letter of intent by required dates

Paige Stroud 26509 Old Owen Road, Monroe, WA 98272

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ONCE YOUR MONEY IS TURNED IN THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS ON SPONSORSHIPS OR FUNDRAISER**



## 2020 Youth World Show

The Washington State Quarter Horse Youth Association would like to congratulate you on your achievement of qualifying for the 2020 Youth World Championship show! This prestigious event is held in August in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Your hard work, dedication and talent has earned you a spot on the 2020 Washington State Quarter Horse Youth Association Youth World Team. Your journey is just beginning!

The purpose of the youth world team packet is to inform exhibitor, parent and trainer of the responsibilities at the Youth World Show.

If this is your first world show you should know that each state stalls together and you will share tack/feed rooms. Although you compete individually, you will be participating as a team representing the state of Washington. There are team events to participate in such as team spirit competitions and a stall decorating. If you want to represent our team off of your horse, you can enter into the scrapbooking contest, judging, horse bowl, or a speech contest that takes place at the world show.

State and alternate entry forms will be sent to individual qualifiers. If you do not receive your entry by MAY 25, please contact Lisa Gardner immediately at (253)208-38319. National qualifiers will receive their entry directly from AQHA. **Send all World Show entries and release forms to Paige Stroud no later than June 1st.** She must send Washington entries together in one packet to AQHA. These entries **CANNOT BE LATE.**

**Send all World Show entries and release forms to Paige no later than June 1st!** **Sponsorship/fundraising fees MUST BE RECEIVED by Paige on June 1<sup>st</sup>,** no refunds on money once it is turned in.

We are very proud of your accomplishments and our youth world team. We wish you a safe trip and the best of luck!

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