

AZRHYA NEWSLETTER

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NRHYA LEADERSHIP GATHERING

NRHA has just announced a new opportunity for ALL youth. During the 2025 Winter Meeting they will be hosting a youth leadership gathering. This is an event to grow future leaders. Industry experts will be speaking on a variety of topics focusing both in and out of the arena. Join the NRHA February 2-3 in Oklahoma City!

DRIVE IN MOVIE NIGHT

Join us for a Drive In Movie at Big Earl's Greasy Eats in Cave Creek October 19. Movie starts around 6:30. It's first come for parking spots, so arrive early and bring your truck or some chairs. You can order dinner or hit their candy store beforehand.



AZRHYA OFFICER ELECTIONS

2025 Officer Elections will be held the week of December 8. If you would like to be more involved with the AZRHA, this is a great place to start. Our youth officers work together to plan events and activities for our club, lead meetings, and grow their leadership skills. Positions available are President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and (2) Junior Officers. Campaign videos are due December 8 and voting will be open December 9.



Officer Team Building

Volunteer

Volunteer hours are required to apply for the Grant Berg Scholarship. This year we are offering perks for our most helpful volunteers- hat can stickers, hats, and more! Besides just meeting a requirement, our youth volunteers have fun helping others, fundraising, and learning new skills. We have many opportunities to volunteer- please check in at the youth area or show office for ways you can help. And be sure to have your hours signed off BEFORE the end of the show by the youth coordinator or show office.



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Grant Berg Scholarship

We will be awarding the 4th Grant Berg Scholarship at our year end banquet. Not only is this a huge scholarship- \$2,500- it is a wonderful way to build your writing, speaking, and interviewing skills. You are not too young to apply, anyone 18 and under is eligible. Grab an application at the youth area or visit our website.

NRHYA Officer Elections

Have you held an NRHYA Delegate position? Consider running for an NRHYA Officer! Elections will be held during the Futurity. One of the coolest opportunities is traveling with the team for their annual Washington D.C. trip. Our last two AZRHA Presidents have been able to attend and represent Arizona as a part of the national officer board. Visit NRHYA.com for more details.



YOUTH WORLD REINING CUP

This is one of the coolest opportunities that NRHA has to offer the youth! If you want the opportunity to represent the USA at the Youth World Reining Cup, stay tuned for details on how to apply. Be sure to update your Reiner Suite email and be watching your inbox and the NRHYA and AZRHYA social media for important info. This unique event allows you to meet kids from all over the world and build relationships around the common bond of reining.



ARC Team Tournament Scholarships

If you are competing in Youth 13 & Under, 14-18, or Youth Rookie, you are automatically entered into the ARC Team Tournament, **if** you also enter the concurrent ARC class on Saturday. We will be drawing teams at our Youth Meeting on Thursday, October 3 at 5:00pm. The team with the highest cumulative score during Saturday's classes will win buckles (awarded Saturday night in the Equidome)! Additionally, ANY rider in the tournament is eligible for a \$1,000 or \$800 scholarship. It is a super easy application, due December 15. Applications can be found on NRHYA's website.

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Christmas

Don't miss our end of the year party! Stay tuned for date and location. We will announce our new officers, have games, food, and an overall great time, hope to see you there!