

CONGRESS NYATT TEAM

Letter of Intent

DEADLINE: May 15, 2017

YOUTH INFORMATION

Name: _____ AQHYA#: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Name of Parents or Guardians: _____

HORSE INFORMATION

Name of the Horse: _____ AQHA#: _____

Owner of the Horse: _____

Owners Relationship to the Horse: _____

CHECK THE CLASSES YOU ARE INTERESTED IN. THESE ARE THE ONLY NYATT CLASSES OFFERED

____ Western Pleasure

____ Reining

____ Horsemanship

____ Hunter Under Saddle

____ Barrels

____ Showmanship

____ Equitation

EACH YOUTH/ HORSE COMBO MAY ONLY SHOW IN MAXIMUM OF 2 NYATT CLASSES

NO NOVICE CLASSES COUNT

ONLY YOUTH POINTS (13 and under, 14-18) will count towards the team selection.

Date Received: _____

2017 Rules and Regulations

VQHYA Congress NYATT

1. To be eligible for the Virginia National Youth Activities Team Tournament Team (NYATT) a youth must be a resident of Virginia, or a resident of North Carolina, Kentucky, Tenn., Maryland, West Virginia, or Delaware.
2. Any member interested in Qualifying for a State position on the Nyatt Team must submit a Letter of Intent by May 15, 2017
3. The NYATT Team representing Virginia, shall in most cases, consist of the Youth who have scored the first and second places in the state standings for each class. Priority shall be given youth 14-18.
4. VQHYA will send two NYATT teams to the Congress: one team will be sponsored by the VQHA and shall be sponsored by the Virginia Amateur Quarter Horse Association. Each team has the capacity for 14 youth, 2 slots for each class. VQHYA will send a minimum of 4 youth per team, and a maximum of 28 youth all together.
5. The VQHYA qualifying points for the NYATT Team shall follow the guidelines for the state that are outlined in the current VQHA show and contest rules. **Novice points do not count towards qualifying points.**
6. ALL members are required to participate in walk in and NYATT ceremonies.
7. If the selected Team Member cannot make the Congress Show and does not notify the Advisor in written form by October 1, 2017 the Team Member will be required to reimburse the VQHYA for all the costs, including team items and NYATT entries.
8. VQHYA will pay for NYATT entries; the youth is responsible for the cost of their stall.
9. Youth MUST participate in required mandatory fundraisers, activities and meetings.

REQUIREMENTS

\$150 sponsorship

Participate in 1 Community Service Project

Attend 80% meetings and conference calls.

Participate in 2 additional VQHYA Fundraisers