## SAN JUAN COUNTY 4-H RODEO YOUTH CODE OF CONDUCT

The San Juan County 4-H Rodeo contestants will abide by the New Mexico 4-H Youth Code of Conduct as well as the following guidelines regarding conduct at 4-H rodeos and related activities.

## **CONDUCT EXPECTATIONS:**

- (1) Rodeo participants will not have any association with alcoholic beverages, tobacco, ecigarettes, vaping, narcotics or other non-prescribed drugs during 4-H rodeo events and activities.
- (2) Rowdy behavior, quarreling or fighting at any time in the rodeo arena or any place on the event premises will not be tolerated.
- (3) Conduct or speech of any kind, including social media, that is detrimental to the best interests of the San Juan County 4-H Rodeo program is prohibited.
- (4) Participants and their associates will show respect for property and rodeo facilities used during an event and will assume financial and legal responsibility for any damages they cause. Property damage by contestants or their associates must be reported to the County Extension Agent.
- (5) Contestants will not attempt to cheat or to threaten, bribe, influence, harass or coerce any rodeo official or committee member at any time before, during or after a rodeo event or activity.

For any infraction of the above stated Code of Conduct, the San Juan County 4-H Rodeo Committee may enforce a level of penalty up to the following:

## **First Offense**

a. 1 rodeo suspension

## **Second Offense**

b. Suspension from remaining rodeos in the rodeo season

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the San Juan County 4-H Rodeo Youth Code of Conduct and the New Mexico 4-H Youth Code of Conduct Contract in regard to my participation in San Juan County 4-H Rodeos and related activities.

Contestant Signature	Date
Parent (Guardian) Signature	Date
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