

2025 Pig Chase Entry Form

Friday, April 4th - 7 p.m. - Johnson Arena

Entry Fee: \$10.00

Entry Deadline: Thursday, March 13, 2025 by 4 p.m.



Contestants Name: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Parent Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Age (as of 1/1/25): 6-7 8-9

10-11 12-13

Office Use Only

Cash ___ Check # _____

Amount: \$ _____

Date: _____

Mail Entry Form, Fee & Release of Liability to:

Wharton County Youth Fair
P.O. Box 167
Glen Flora, Texas 77443

2025 Pig Chase
Rules & Information Sheet
FAMILY FUN NIGHT
Friday, April 4, 2025 - 7p.m.

1. **Contestants must meet at the Johnson Arena at 6 p.m. for check-in.** (A parent or other adult may check in contestants.)
2. Start times will not be altered to allow for participants involved in other events.
3. After check in, contestants will be asked to sit in the stands in their age group. Contestants will be taken into the arena according to age group for the Pig Chase contest. When your age group has finished and pictures have been taken, parents are to pick up their child on the east side of the arena.
4. The contest will be limited to the **first 15 kids** in each age group. Ages are as of January 1, 2025, and divided into the following age groups:
6 & 7 year olds, 8 & 9 year olds, 10 & 11 year olds, 12 & 13 year olds
5. Contestants may not work as a team. Each contestant will attempt to catch and bring his/her pig to the finish line.
6. If a contestant is holding a pig, no other contestant may touch the pig or hamper the catcher.
7. **If a pig is caught, the contestant must take the pig to one of the judges and stay with that judge until awards have been presented!**
8. Poor sportsmanship will automatically disqualify the contestant.
9. An appointed group of referees will oversee the Pig Chase.
10. Shoes with any types of cleats will not be allowed.
11. Contestant **MUST LIVE** in Wharton County or attend a Wharton County School!
12. **No parents are allowed in the arena! NO EXCEPTIONS!**
13. \$10.00 non-refundable entry fee per contestant is due with the entry form. Entries will not be accepted without Release of Liability & Indemnity Form.

2025 WCYF RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, for being allowed entry into and participation in activities (the "Activities") associated with the Wharton County Youth Fair & Exposition, the undersigned hereby enters into this RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") as of the date set forth below.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISKS: The undersigned recognizes and understand that there are risks associated with their participation in the Activities including, but not limited to, bodily injury or death to persons and damage to property. The undersigned further acknowledges and understands that they and/or any persons (including, but not limited to, minors) under their care and control, and that arise out of, or are related to, the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities.

APPLICABILITY AND SCOPE OF RELEASES AND INDEMNITIES: for purposes of this Agreement, "Claims" shall mean any past, present and future claims, losses, costs, expenses, liabilities, demands, or causes of action, and costs of defense or settlement (including, without, limitations, attorneys' free and court regardless of whether the Claims to be release, waived, or indemnified against arise, or are alleged to arise, from (i) NEGLIGENCE(WHETHER SOLE, JOINT OR CONCURRENT), Gross NEGLIGENCE, NEGLIGENCE PER SE, and/or STRICT LIABILITY, of the Wharton County Youth Fair & Exposition or its present and former officers, directors, members, subsidiaries, affiliates, employees, volunteers, staff, and/or agents and any other person, firm or corporation bound to defend or pay judgments against them (the "Released Parties"); (ii) personal injury, death or property damage; (iii) acts under the Texas Deceptive Trade Practices Act ("DTPA"); (iv) acts of any other persons or guests; (v) theft, burglary, assault, or other crimes; (vi) fire, water, wind, rain and/or smoke and/or (vii) any other risks and hazards associated with the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities, including, but not limited to, the general conditions at the Activities, animals both wild and domestic that may be diseased and/or potentially dangerous, persons with firearms both on and off the premises used in connection with the Activities, and the driving or riding in any vehicles, whether belonging to Released Parties or to other persons.

RELEASE FROM LIABILITY: The undersigned hereby RELEASES, ACQUITS AND FOREVER DISCHARGES, and WAIVES any and all Claims against any of the Released Parties that arise from or relate to their entry and participation in the Activities- including, but not limited to, the types of claims enumerated in Parties shall not be liable to them, their family, or their guests, for personal injury, property damage, or any other Claims arising from or related to the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities.

AGREEMENT TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS: The undersigned agrees to INDEMNIFY and HOLD HARMLESS the Released Parties against any and all Claims arising from or related to the undersigned's entry and participation in the Activities – including, but not limited to, the types of Claims enumerated in minors under their care and control and/or his or her parent/guardian, and for any Claims asserted by, through or under the undersigned, arising from or related to the undersigned entry into and participation in the Activities- including, but not limited to, the types of Claims enumerated in Paragraph 2. As used herein, "INDEMNIFY" means to agree to assume the Released Parties' liability in a situation, thereby relieving them of responsibility, and/or reimbursing the Released Party for Claims asserted against them.

PHOTOGRAPH INTERVIEW RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT: The undersigned GRANTS PERMISSION to be PHOTOGRAPHED or INTERVIEWED in connection with the Activities. The undersigned understands that any such photograph or interview may be used by the Release Parties or television, film video, visual, graphic or printed media. The undersigned agrees to RELEASE and INDEMNIFY the Released Parties with respect to any Claims related to the usage of such photographs or interviews by the Released Parties or any media – including, but not limited to, the types of Claim's enumerated in Paragraph 2.

As further inducement to the Wharton County Youth Fair & Exposition to permit the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities, the undersigned represents that they thoroughly and completely understand that this a complete and final release and indemnity agreement, that they are freely and voluntarily entering into this Agreement, and that no representations, promises or statements made by and Released Party, or any agent, attorney or other representative of any Release Party has influenced the undersigned in causing them to sign this Agreement.

The undersigned understands that this agreement shall be binding on their heirs, executors, successors and assigns, that the Agreement will be governed by the laws of Texas, and that jurisdiction and venue for resolution of any dispute regarding this Agreement shall lie in a Texas State Court in Wharton County, Texas. If any part of this Agreement is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, it does not affect the validity of the remainder of the Agreement. The undersigned agrees to the terms and conditions above, and acknowledges receipt of the Agreement.

Note: Signature of Parents and Contestant MUST BE THEIR OWN. If exhibitor is 18 years or younger Parent/Guardian must sign!

Signature – Exhibitor/Participant

Date

Name Printed

Signature – Parent/Guardian

Date

Name Printed

Relationship to minor