



Gila River Indian Community  
59<sup>th</sup> Annual Mul-Chu-Tha Fair and Rodeo  
All Indian Rodeo  
March 18-19, 2023



Rodeo Contestant Entry Form  
Contestants 18 Years of Age and Older  
(One form per contestant)

Contestant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Performances – Saturday, March 18 – 1pm perf., 6pm perf. - Sunday, March 19 - 12pm perf.,  
\$100 entry fee per event, Team Roping \$200.00 per team. **Team ropers must pay full team in one envelope with separate entry forms.**  
Please check event(s) entering

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bareback – Limit 20                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Saddle Bronc – Limit 20                | <input type="checkbox"/> Bull Riding – Limit 40                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Steer Wrestling – Limit 30 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tie Down Roping – Limit 30           | <input type="checkbox"/> Ladies Barrel Racing – Limit 30        | <input type="checkbox"/> Ladies Breakaway Roping – Limit 30        |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Team Roping (1x) – Limit 100         | <input type="checkbox"/> Team Roping (2x's) – Limit 100         |  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ladies Team Roping (1x) – Limit 30   | <input type="checkbox"/> Ladies Team Roping (2's) – Limit 30    |  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Century Team Roping (1x) – Limit 30  | <input type="checkbox"/> Century Team Roping (2x's) – Limit 30  |  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Tribes Team Roping (1x) – Limit 30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Tribes Team Roping (2x's) – Limit 30 | <small>4 Tribes Team Roping 16 years old or older to enter</small> |   |

Header:	Heeler:	Header:	Heeler:
Open Team Roping – Team 1 _____	_____	Century Team Roping – Team 1 _____	_____
Open Team Roping – Team 2 _____	_____	Century Team Roping – Team 2 _____	_____
Ladies Team Roping – Team 1 _____	_____	4 Tribes Team Roping – Team 1 _____	_____
Ladies Team Roping – Team 2 _____	_____	4 Tribes Team Roping – Team 2 _____	_____

Total Entry Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ \$

Admin Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00

Total Fees Owed: \_\_\_\_\_ \$

Mail in Entries: Open February 10, 2023 must be postmarked by February 28, 2023  
Walk-in Entries – Friday, March 7, 2023 8am-5pm Governance Center  
Mail to: Gila River Indian Community  
C/O MCT Rodeo  
PO Box 2160  
Sacaton, AZ 85147

**WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY, AND CONSENT FORM**

I, the undersigned, do hereby: (1) give my full consent and approval to submit this entry form to participate as a contestant in the Gila River Indian Community's 59th Annual Mul-Chu-Tha All Indian Rodeo held on March 18th and 19th 2023 and within the exterior boundaries of the Gila River Indian Reservation; (2) acknowledge that the Gila River Indian Community ("Community") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe and that the departments and programs of the Community are tribal departments of the Community; and (3) Further, acknowledge that the Community, its Departments and programs are protected by the doctrine of tribal sovereign immunity, not subject to suit by the undersigned, and that the Community has not waived its sovereign immunity from suit with respect to any claims, demands, or causes of action asserted by the undersigned for any loss, damage, injury, including death, or negligence, which may have resulted from my participation in the above-referenced event(s).

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Community's Mul-Chu-Tha All Indian Rodeo, March 18th and 19th, 2023, the receipt of such permission hereby acknowledged, I, the undersigned, hereby release, discharge, waive and relinquish the Community, its sponsors and volunteers from any and all liabilities, claims, or legal actions whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death which may be sustained by me or by any property in my possession or control, while in, on, or upon the premises and for participation as a contestant.

**CONTINUED ON REVERSE SIDE**

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Total fees paid: \_\_\_\_\_ Fees received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Money Order #: \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt #: \_\_\_\_\_

**WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY, AND CONSENT FORM (Cont.)**

I acknowledge and I am aware of: (1) the risks and hazards inherent upon entering said premises and/or participating in any of these events; (2) risks and dangers may exist that may be caused by the negligence of myself, or the stock contractor, or the employees, officers or agents of the Community and its Departments or Programs, of the negligence of others, accidents, breaches of contract, the forces of nature or other causes; and (c) the risks and dangers described above may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes and by my participation in the above-referenced event(s).

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the above named contestant, that I am 18 years of age or older, and that I have the capacity to enter into this Agreement, and I do hereby elect and voluntarily assume all risks of loss, damage, injury, and including death. I further certify that I am in sufficient health to participate in the above referenced event(s). I understand the dangers incidental to participating in these activities and the need for safety precautions.

This release shall be binding upon me, my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators and I acknowledge and represent that I have authority to execute this wavier.

I am also aware that these premises are alcohol and drug free, and I agree that I will not be under the influence of drugs or alcohol, which would impair my ability.

I specifically understand that I am releasing, discharging and waiving any claims or actions that I may have presently or in the future for negligent acts or other conduct by the officers, employees, administrators and volunteers of the Gila River Indian Community and for the operation of the Mul-Chu-Tha Fair and Rodeo.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY AGREEMENT, AND CONSENT FORM, AND BY SIGNING I AGREE IT IS MY INTENTION TO EXEMPT AND RELIEVE THE GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR WRONGFUL DEATH CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OR ANY OTHER CAUSE.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Contestant Signature Date

Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_