



# Better Barrel Races

## Application for Show Endorsement

Complete ALL information below and sign (include show flier if available). Please print clearly!  
Application will NOT be considered without check or card information for approval fees.

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

### Show Information

List additional shows on attached sheets. PLEASE INCLUDE SHOW FLIER

Show Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Venue Name/City, State: \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Schedule/Starting Time(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Race Name	Divisions/Splits	Entry Fee	Added \$\$	Other Fees

Percentage Payback: (Divide amount per horse paid out by the total fees charged per horse) 80% / 75% / 70% / Other \_\_\_\_\_%

Processing Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ PER RIDER ~ HORSE ~ DAY ~ EVENT (Circle all that apply)

Any Other Fees: \_\_\_\_\_

Was this event BBR approved last year: Y / N - If Yes, previous Dates/Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Arena Name & Address/Directions: \_\_\_\_\_

### Certification

The information provided above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I hereby request endorsement of the above listed show by Better Barrel Races (BBR). I have read and am familiar with the BBR rules and guidelines for endorsed shows and agree to abide by and be bound to them. I will submit a complete copy of the show results and any BBR membership applications and fees to the BBR office within seven (7) calendar days of the completion of each show. I understand that failure to comply with the above-mentioned rules and guidelines or failure to submit show information and fees can result in BBR withdrawing endorsement of any subsequent shows.

I agree that Better Barrel Races assumes no liability if I have not read these conditions and having not read these conditions, I am still held to their contents. I further agree that if any dispute should arise involving Better Barrel Races the proper venue shall be Cleveland County, in the State of Oklahoma.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Approval Fees

*based on lead time of submittal*

#### Weekend or Single-day Weekend Events

- First Race: \$50 (>60 days) - \$60 (30-59 days) - \$100 (15-29 days)
- Additional races at the same event - \$15

#### Weeknight (Mon-Thurs) Series

- First Event: \$50 (>60 days) - \$60 (30-59 days) - \$100 (15-29 days)
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Make checks payable to: **Better Barrel Races**

OR Provide Credit Card Information Below.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp Date (MM/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

CVS Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Billing Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Checks will not be cashed, and Cards will not be run until show is approved. There is a 5% fee for Cards.*

Submit completed application and fees to:  
**Better Barrel Races, PO Box 720900, Norman OK 73070**

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# APPLICATION FOR SHOW ENDORSEMENT

## DEFINITIONS AND INFORMATION

● **Show Approval Process:**

- All show applications MUST be received a minimum of 15 days prior to the event date. (Note: Approval fees and the order in which show applications *with complete information* are received effect the order in which applications are reviewed – *the earlier the better!*)
- Payment MUST be included with application for consideration. Approval fees may be in the form of a check or credit card information provided on the application.
- All shows on the weekends (Friday – Sunday) must have a minimum of \$100 in each race.

● **Approval Fees:** BBR charges a flat rate fee for approval. The approval fee structure has been updated beginning in 2025 based on the lead time before your show that your application is submitted. There are no “per run” fees – *BBR is not asking contestants to provide their own added money!* Fees are as follows...

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● **Protection Radius:** Shows are afforded a “protection radius” within which other shows will not be approved for BBR points/participation credit based on the amount of added money in the approved races at the show. Added money in the open and futurity classes are considered separately when approving shows of the same type.

Protection radius are as follows...

○ <b>Added Money</b> .....	<b>Radius</b>
○ Less than \$100 .....	None
○ \$100-499 .....	50 mi
○ \$500-999.....	100 mi
○ \$1000-2,499.....	150 mi
○ \$2,500-4,999 .....	200 mi
○ \$5,000-9,999.....	300 mi
○ \$10,00 and up .....	400 mi

- **Entry Fees and Percentage Payback:** BBR requires a minimum of 70% of entry fees to be paid to contestants. We define the “entry fee” as the total of all fees charged on a “per entry” basis. This includes “per run” fees charged by a facility or by another approving organization. The percentage payback is the amount in the purse divided by the total per run entry fee.
- **Show Format:** BBR does not require a specific format for the divisions or payout distribution to be used by the producer. BBR has suggested formats available online including percentages and number of places to be paid. BBR will award points based on 5 divisions with ½ second splits regardless of the show format.
- **Submitting Results & Membership:** Producers need to provide BBR Membership Application forms and accept memberships for those wishing to join BBR at their approved events. Memberships received and a copy of the results must be sent to the BBR office within one week of the show. A copy of the show results in Excel format should be sent to the BBR office via email to [ross@betterbarrelraces.com](mailto:ross@betterbarrelraces.com). Please indicate in the email number and names of any memberships received.
- **Application Review Process:** BBR will contact you at the email address provided on the Show Application once a determination is made regarding the approval of a requested show. If a show is unable to be approved, BBR will return or destroy checks for approval fees. You should review the show listing on [BetterBarrelRaces.com](http://BetterBarrelRaces.com) for accuracy or omissions upon notification of approval. BBR is not responsible for inaccurate information in our website listing but will work with you to correct any errors or changes brought to our attention.
- **Exceptions:** BBR reserves the right to waive any of the above listed items if it determines it is in the best interest of the organization, its approved producers, or its membership.