



2026 RODEO AUSTIN SUBSTITUTE EXHIBITOR FORM

Steer _____ Heifer _____ Lamb _____ Goat _____ Barrow _____

Poultry _____ Wether Doe _____ Wether Dam _____

Original Exhibitor/Owner: _____

4-H/FFA: _____

CEA/AST: _____

Address: _____
City State Zip Code

Substitute Exhibitor: _____

4-H/FFA: _____

CEA/AST: _____

Address: _____
City State Zip Code

Type of Substitution: (Circle One: See Back For Further Explanation):

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| Type A | Other School Activity | Requires a Notarized Statement from the School |
| Type B | Sickness | Requires a Physician's Statement |
| Type C | More Than One Entry in Class, etc. | Requires Proof of Conflicting Entry |

Signatures:

“We hereby certify that the Exhibitor Substitution is in compliance with the rules in the 2026 Rodeo Austin Premium Book.”

Original Exhibitor/Owner: _____

Substitute Exhibitor: _____

Parent/Guardian/AST/CEA filing Substitution: _____

Department Superintendent's Signature, if approved: _____

Department: _____

*Department Superintendent: Attach all documentation and return to the Livestock Office.

(Exhibitor Substitution rules from the current Rodeo Austin Premium Book)

Exhibitor Substitution: Entries in the Junior Livestock Show must be shown by their owner. In all cases, the Department Superintendent must approve the Exhibitor substitution and will do so only if all conditions are met. Exhibitor substitutions may be allowed under the following conditions:

Substitute Exhibitors may show only one animal (except in shows which an exhibitor may enter more than one project), in addition to their own project, in each Junior Department. Substitute exhibitors must be entered and exhibiting their own project in the respective department in which they are serving as a substitute. An exhibitor of a past grand champion at Rodeo Austin in a respective junior market department is not eligible to serve as a substitute exhibitor within that department.

Type A — Other School Activity: This substitution request must be made in writing by the AST/CEA, parent or leader upon arrival at the Show. This request must be made on the official Rodeo Austin Exhibitor Substitution Form provided by the Department Superintendent. This request must be accompanied by a notarized statement, signed by a School Administrator, on school letterhead stating the specific reason a substitute is requested. The completed official Rodeo Austin Exhibitor Substitution Form and the notarized statement must be returned to the Department Superintendent prior to the start of the respective Show.

Type B — Sickness/Injury: This substitution request must be made in writing by the AST/CEA, parent or leader upon arrival at the Show. This request must be made on the official Rodeo Austin Exhibitor Substitution Form provided by the Department Superintendent. This request must be accompanied by a statement, signed by a physician, on his/her letterhead. The completed official Rodeo Austin Exhibitor Substitution Form and the physician's statement must be returned to the Department Superintendent prior to the start of the respective Show.

Type C — More than one entry in a class or the Exhibitor has entries in more than one department showing at the same time, or Exhibitor is showing at another Major Livestock Show at the same time: this substitution request must be made in writing by the AST/CEA, parent or leader upon arrival at the Show or as soon as the problem arises, but in any case no later than the start of the respective Show. This request must be made on the official Rodeo Austin Exhibitor Substitution Form provided by the Department Superintendent. The completed official Rodeo Austin Exhibitor Substitution Form must be returned to the Department Superintendent prior to the start of the respective Show.

In any of the three (3) situations listed above, or in the case of an emergency, the Department Superintendent may use his/her own discretion as to whether a substitute showman will be allowed. If a positive decision is rendered, the substitute must be from the same school, FFA Chapter or 4-H Club as the original Exhibitor with the following two (2) exceptions.

- a) The original Exhibitor is the only Exhibitor from that school, FFA Chapter or 4-H Club entered in that Department.
- b) All other members from that school, FFA Chapter, or 4-H Club are exhibiting at the same time.

In either case, any Junior Livestock Show Exhibitor (meeting all requirements of the Junior Livestock Show Exhibitor in the Department entered) meeting the approval of the Department Superintendent may exhibit the animal.