

IQHA Ranch Horse Futurity Eligibility Flow Chart

Step-by-Step Guide to Eligibility and Nomination

START

Step 1: What year was the mare bred that produced your horse?

- Determine breeding year, continue to Step 2.

Step 2: Was your horse's sire nominated for that breeding year?

A current list of enrolled stallions by year can be found at www.ranchiq.com. Remember you are looking for the year in which the mare was bred, not the year foaled!

- If YES, continue to Step 3.
- If NO:
 - The stallion can be back enrolled for \$1,000 and must also be enrolled for the current year (\$450).
 - Written permission from the stallion owner is required if enrolling on their behalf.
 - Once fees are paid and enrollment is complete, proceed to Step 3.

Step 3: Has your horse been nominated for the current and prior years starting with yearling year?

Ex. A 4-year-old wanting to compete must have been nominated as a yearling, two-year-old, three-year-old and four-year-old year to compete their four-year-old year.

To ensure you don't miss a nomination year you can elect to nominate for all 4 years as a yearling (\$400) and never have to worry! All nomination forms can be found at www.ranchiq.com

- If YES, your horse is eligible to compete.
- If NO:
 - Penalty fees can be paid to regain eligibility. Penalty fees begin on August 1 of the current year.
 - Example: Yearling nominated by 7/4/25 costs \$100; after 8/4/25, penalty is \$200 plus the regular \$100 fee (total \$300).

END: If all criteria above are met, your horse can be nominated and is eligible to compete in the IQHA Ranch Horse Futurity.