

Miss Pike County Fair 2010

Registration & Information Packet

Early Entry Deadline (only \$25 sponsor fee)
is March 31st, 2010;

Regular entry deadline (\$40 sponsor fee)
is May 31st, 2010.

NO EXCEPTIONS!!

Thanks for showing interest in being Miss Pike County Fair 2010!! Included in this packet is an outline of the rules, scoring criteria, and entry application. (Please note that the rules and scoring criteria are subject to change at the Fair Board's discretion.) The queen contest this year will be held Sunday, July 25th. If you have any questions, please contact Kayla Walker a (573) 560-0151 or kayla_w2003@yahoo.com. Thanks!!

Miss Pike County Fair Queen Contest

Official Rules and Regulations

- Contestant must be an U.S. citizen, and the contestant or her parent must be a resident of Pike County, Missouri for at least 6 months.
- Contestant must be between 17 and 22 years of age by July 1 of this year.
- Contestant must be single, never married or had a marriage annulled, and never have been pregnant.
- Other than minor traffic offenses, contestant has never been convicted of any felonies and there are currently no charges pending against her.
- The manner of which the contestant conducts herself should always be that of respect for herself and the Pike County Fair. Contestant must be of good moral character and not been involved with any act that would not be considered good moral character. Any attitudes, actions, or activities perceived as unbecoming of a queen contestant can and may result in the immediate removal of the contestant at any point prior to the crowning. The decision of the recall of a contestant is that of the Pike County Fair Board Queen Committee and SHALL BE FINAL.
- Former Pike County Fair Queens are not eligible to participate.
- Contestant will not partake of alcoholic beverages, tobacco, or any illegal drugs while representing the Pike County Fair.
- Contestant must have a business sponsor (preferably a Pike County business). That sponsor will pay entry fee (amount based on postmark on application - see front page).
- Contestant agrees to complete a resume, participate in an interview, exhibit a talent, and model an evening gown. All will be judged by 3-5 judges. Judges will NOT be residents of Pike County, Missouri.
- Miss Pike County Fair will serve as a hostess during the week of the fair. She will hand out ribbons/trophies/awards at selected events, and must be available for radio, TV, and newspaper interviews. ALL contestants will be responsible for attending events named by the queen committee throughout the week of the fair. Awards may be withheld if scheduled appearances are not made.
- Miss Pike County Fair will also participate in the Missouri State Fair Queen Contest held in Sedalia in early August.
- All attire to be wore during the queen contest must be viewed by the queen committee BEFORE the day of the contest.
- According to judging criteria (attached), contestants will receive scores for 6 categories: resume, interview, talent, evening gown, and final question. The total score from all categories will determine the new queen and first runner-up. Awards will also be given for the highest scores in resume, interview, talent, and evening gown, as well as a Miss Congeniality (to be voted on by fellow contestants) and Miss Photogenic (to be voted on by audience members). For the talent portion of the contest, contestant may participate in a live act (singing, dancing, etc.) or a pre-performed act (cake decorating, photography, etc.) and is at the sole discretion of the contestant. For the Miss Photogenic contest, contestants will place 5-7 photos of themselves on a large poster board. It may be decorated anyway the contestant chooses to show their personality.
- All rules and regulations are subject to change at the discretion of the Pike County Fair Board and ALL DECISIONS ARE FINAL.

CONTESTANT _____ DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____

(If contestant is under 18 years, parent/guardian must sign.)

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____ DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____

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Judging Criteria

<p><u>Resume</u> - 20 points possible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Professional - Creative - Complete (job experience, education, organizations, objective) - Overall First Impression 	<p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p>
<p><u>Interview</u> - 20 points possible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Poise - Confidence in Answer - Good Language Skills - Smile 	<p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p>
<p><u>Introduction</u> - 20 points possible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Poise - Smile - Audience Reaction - Good Language Skills 	<p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p>
<p><u>Talent</u> - 20 points possible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Poise - Smile - Audience Reaction - Look/Fit of Clothes 	<p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p>
<p><u>Evening Gown</u> - 20 points possible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Poise - Smile - Look/Fit of Gown - Audience Reaction 	<p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p>
<p><u>Final Question</u> - 20 points possible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Poise - Confidence in Answer - Audience Reaction - Overall - Would she be a good queen? 	<p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p> <p>1 - 5</p>

Name:	Date of Birth:
Parent's Name:	
Address:	Phone:
High School: graduated):	Grade (or year
College (if applicable):	Major:
Extra Curricular Activities:	
Civic Organizations:	
Hobbies:	
Awards/Honors:	
Interesting fact about yourself:	
Future Goals:	
Sponsor: S M L XL 2XL	Shirt Size:
<p>Please include: sponsor fee (checks made to Pike County Fair Board), a wallet-sized headshot (for newspapers), signed agreement of rules, and a typed resume (including job experience, education, organizations, and an objective – This is a judging criteria so be creative!! This is the judges first impression of you!!)</p> <p>Send to: Pike County Fair Board c/o Kayla Walker P.O. Box 307, Bowling Green, MO 63334 Call me if you have any questions: 573 560-0151</p>	