

# Miss Russell County Fair 2010

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2010 AT NOON RUSSELL COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS  
RULES AND APPLICATIONS



1. All contestants must be residents of Russell County. They must be single, never been married, without children, and be from 0 months to 21 years of age as of September 4, 2010. Contestants must be of good moral character never having been pregnant; one that has not at any time been convicted of a crime nor has any criminal charges pending against her; one that has never done any act or engaged in any activity which is or could be characterized as dishonest, immoral, immodest, indecent or in a bad taste.
2. Winners are not eligible to enter the same division of competition the following year.
3. Management has the right to combine or divide age divisions.
4. Judges decisions are final.
5. Ages 0 months to 12 years will compete in Western Wear only. Ages 13 to 21 will change from Western Wear to Formal Wear.
6. Ages 16 to 21 will be required to participate in interview competition and a one minute platform speech.
7. Proof of residency and age is required upon request.
8. All fees and applications must be received no later than 9:30 A.M. on Pageant Day.
9. Rehearsals will be at the Russell County Fairgrounds: Wednesday, September 1, 2010 at 6:30 p.m. for Age Divisions 0 months to 12 years and 7:30 p.m. for Age Divisions 13 to 21 years.
10. For Age Divisions 0 months to 12 years, the Pageant will begin at Noon (12:00 p.m.)
11. For Age Divisions 13 years to 21 years, the Actual Pageant will begin at 6:00 p.m., with the Miss Division Interview to start at 5:00 p.m. Miss contestants will wear Western Wear for Interview Competition.

## **Miss Russell County Fair Division 16 to 21 years**

**\*\*\*Anyone competing in the Jr. Miss or Miss Division must be present and have application turned in on September 1, 2010 (Rehearsal night). NO LATE APPLICATIONS IN THESE DIVISIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

- 1 The reigning Miss Russell County Fair must agree to represent Russell County at the State Fair Pageant in Roanoke, VA. If she is unable to fulfill her responsibilities, the First Runner-Up will assume her duties and fulfill her obligations as Miss Russell County Fair.
- 2 Miss Russell County Fair Pageant Committee will guide Miss Russell County Fair in all aspects of preparation for the Miss Virginia Association of Fairs Competition. **Pageant Committee Chairperson will approve all wardrobe selections and presentations prior to the VAF State Competition.**
- 3 A \$200.00 scholarship will be awarded to the representative of Miss Russell County Fair who competes at the state level. This scholarship will be maintained by the Pageant Committee to be used specifically for state competition costs. (clothing allowance, hair, etc.)
- 4 Miss Russell County Fair will represent the Fair Association at various community functions upon request of the Association.
- 5 Contestants competing in the Miss Russell County Fair age Division 16 to 21 years must not have their 22<sup>nd</sup> birthday on or before January 8, 2011.

## **Photogenic Entry Fee \$10.00**

Only pageant contestants are eligible to enter our photogenic category. **One 5x7 or 8x10 recent photo in a neutral frame, under glass, must be presented by 9:30 a.m., Saturday, September 4, 2010.** Age, name and address must be on back of photograph. Photos will be judged in FOUR categories: Ages 0 months to 4 years, 5 years to 10years, 11 years to 15 years, and ages 16 to 21 years. Photographs must be picked up immediately following the pageant. Trophies and Banners will be presented to the winners. Only FOUR winners for the entire pageant.

## **Sponsorship** Free entry fee

All pageant contestants are encouraged to participate in the Sponsorship promotion of the Pageant. This year our Sponsorship Queen will be the contestant with most Sponsorship Dollars. One WINNER will receive a BEAUTIFUL CROWN and a LARGE TROPHY. Sponsorship sheet and money must be turned in no later than Pageant Rehearsal Night, Wednesday, September 1, 2010.

## **Pageant Contestants** Entry fee \$30.00

Winners will be asked to participate in Fair activities throughout the duration of the 2009 Russell County Fair. The Winner of each division will represent the Fair in various parades and functions throughout the year. Each division will have a Queen and three runners-up. All placing contestants will receive trophies and banners. Queens will be awarded crowns and additional prizes. Miss Russell County Fair (16 to 21 years old) will receive, in addition to the prizes, an all expense paid trip to Roanoke (January 8, 2011) where she will represent Russell County in the Miss Virginia Association of Fairs. All contestants 6 years and under will receive participation trophies.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

HAIR COLOR \_\_\_\_\_ EYE COLOR \_\_\_\_\_ HEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_

HOBBIES AND/OR  
AMBITION \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL  
ATTENDING \_\_\_\_\_

PAGEANT FEE \$30.00 \_\_\_\_\_ PAGEANT & PHOTOGENIC \$40.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Contestant if over 18 years of age \_\_\_\_\_

**AGE GROUPS:** 0-12 months  
13-24 months  
3-4 years  
5-6 years  
7-9 years  
10-12 years  
13-15 years  
16-21 years

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