

2017 Caroline/Dorchester County Fair Royal Pageant

*Little Princess * Princess * Queen*

Wednesday, August 2nd at 6:00pm

GUIDELINES & RULES

1. *Entries are due by July 3, 2017.*
2. *E-mail entry form, publicity release and digital photos to Michelle at the following address: mjjackm@gmail.com by the July 3rd deadline.*
3. Contestants performing a talent are responsible for bringing any props needed for the completion of their talent. A CD player and microphone will be available but all other items must be furnished by the contestant. *Contestants should limit their performance time to no more than 5 minutes.*
4. Appropriate Dress – typically only the Queen contestants wear a gown.
5. Queen Contestants will be notified by email, once entries are received with the essay topic and deadline details. They may be asked to read their essays during the contest.
6. All contestants will be asked questions by the judges regarding their hobbies, future plans, and school and community activities as listed on your entry form. However, it will not be limited to these subjects.
7. Contestants will need to be available for a group photo, either before or after the pageant. Winners will need to remain on stage for photos.

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Activities during the Fair (would need to help at these activities):

Thursday: Goat Show @ 10 am
Swine Show @ 6 pm
Children's Day 9-1*

Friday: Beef Show @ 10 am
Horse Show @ 9 am

Saturday: Rabbit Show & Cavy Show @ 10 am
Baby Contest @ 11 am
Pet Show @ 3 pm
Livestock Auction @ 6 pm*

* Mandatory (need to be present)

Parades & Events:

- Participate in at least 1 (one) parade in Caroline and Dorchester County
(Will provide list of parades and known contact info)
- Participate at Christmas in Caroline
(Can assist with crafts, candy cane game, hand out door prize tickets, etc)
- Attend Award Nights in both counties
(Possibly have time to talk about duties, and encourage others to participate)
- Return to Fair to assist during pageant crowning new winners.
- Wear sash and crown at all times
- Please wear closed toed shoes around the animals
- Saturday Livestock Auction – dress to impress
- Other times/events – appropriate summer attire (should pass school dress code)

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2017 Royal Pageant Entry Form



Queen (16-21)



Princess (11-15)



Little Princess (6-10)

Please check appropriate box above.

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

County: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Names: _____

Current School Attended: _____ Current Grade: _____

School Activities: _____

Community Involvement: _____

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Future goals/Occupation: _____

Hobbies: _____

For the talent part of the contest, I will: _____

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Please remember that winners are expected to participate throughout the entire Fair. Winners will help pass out ribbons at the various livestock shows, and various contests and events. Winners also need to be available Saturday night at 6:00 pm for the Livestock Auction for photos, etc. Please plan accordingly. Winners are expected to participate in the Royal Pageant the following year for the crowning of the new winners. Sashes will be provided to the winners.

Should the contestant decide not to participate in the pageant after submitting her application, it is requested she contact the Chairperson or the Caroline or Dorchester County Extension Office as soon as possible.

Contestant Signature *Date*

Parent/Guardian Signature *Date*

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Publicity Release & Acceptance Agreement

I, _____, as a contestant of the Caroline/Dorchester County Fair Royal Pageant, understand and accept all rules regarding this event. This includes attending all phases of the fair pageant and fair events and selected events throughout the coming year.

If I am chosen as a member of the Royal Pageant Court I agree to attend selected fair functions designated by the Royal Pageant committee. I am aware of the publicity following the title of Caroline/Dorchester County Fair Queen, Princess or Little Princess and agree and accept pre-arranged photographer appointments.

Contestant Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature
(if contestant is under 18 years old)

Date

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