

Williamson County Pageant Contestant Information

Areas of Competition

All participants will compete in the areas of private interview, swimwear/sportswear, evening gown, on stage question and only the Miss (16-21) Contestants will give a one-minute speech on a topic of her choice. Additional information will be provided to entrants. Contestants may elect to enter the optional category of Photogenic by submitting a separate framed 8x10 photograph of their choice.

Sponsorship

All contestants must obtain at least one sponsor and pay the entry fee to participate. Sponsors may include individuals, businesses, or family and friends.

There is an additional \$25.00 entry fee for the optional Photogenic category.

Requirements

- ✓ All entries must be received by September 3, 2022. No late entries will be accepted.
- ✓ Sponsorship fee must be made payable to the Williamson County Fair, Memo: Scholarship Pageant **Do not send cash.**
- ✓ One color photograph must be submitted with the entry- headshot only for use in the program and other publicity. Photos must be 5x7 or smaller.
- ✓ If a contestant elects to participate in the optional Photogenic category, she must submit a separate framed 8x10 photograph of her choice and the additional \$25.00 fee made payable to the Williamson County Fair, Memo: Scholarship Pageant.
- ✓ All entries MUST be returned to: Pageant Director, Tyra Hill 1405 Danielle Court, Marion, IL 62959 or in person at the first meeting on September 3, 2022 at the Williamson County Fair Grounds. Entries will not be accepted at any other location. For more information, contact Pageant Director, Tyra Hill, at 618-925-1860

Please find/like/follow the Miss Williamson County Fair Facebook page –I will post updated information/ changes due to weather etc. on that page.

ALL contestants must have their wardrobe approved by the director.

(You may send pictures of your contestant wearing each outfit for approval.

Scholarship Information

Only our Miss contestants are eligible to receive Scholarship awards.

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Circle Pageant Level:

Little Miss (5-7)

Junior Miss (10-12)

Miss (16-21)

Name: _____ Age: _____ Birthday: _____

Address: _____ Home Phone: _____

Parents: _____ Email: _____

Height: _____ Sponsor: _____

Grade or Education Level: _____ School Attending: _____

Why did you enter this pageant? _____

Please create a small biography (50-150 words). Note special interests, accomplishments, memberships to clubs, talents, sports, future ambitions, hobbies, and an interesting fact about yourself.

All contestants are required to submit this form along with the sponsorship fee.

*Miss contestants are required to sign and return the pageant contract.

Please return this portion with your entry form, payment, and signed contract if you are competing in the Miss category.

Entry Fee (Mandatory)	Little: \$50.00 Junior: \$75.00 Miss: \$100.00	Paid: _____
T-Shirt Size:	This is included in the entry fee.	Size: _____ AL, AM, AS, YL, YM, YS
Photogenic (Optional)	\$25.00	Do you wish to enter in the Photogenic Portion? Y____ N____ Paid: _____
All entry fees are non-refundable. Late fee of \$25.00 if not received by 9/3/2022		Total Paid: _____

Deadline for Entry is September 3, 2022.

There will be a late fee if received after September 3, 2022.

Please scroll down for additional information.

Pageant Practices/Dates to Remember

There will be a mandatory informational meeting on **September 3, 2022** located in the Grandstands.

Please let me know if you are planning to attend –if you have not returned your paperwork already. This helps me plan and know if I need to wait on someone, how many tickets I need to order, etc.

Please come dressed & prepared for pictures for publicity purposes.
You will be given your 10 Raffle Tickets to sell at this meeting.

If you wish to enter the photogenic category, please bring your framed 8x10 photo to this meeting.

10:00 am Little Miss Contestants

10:30 am Junior Miss Contestants

11:00 am Miss Contestants

Please wait until your scheduled time to come up into the grandstands as there is a meeting going on that you don't want to interrupt.

There will also be two mandatory rehearsals unless prior arrangements have been made:

September 17, 2022 at 10:00 am Little Miss & Junior Miss
11:00 am Miss Contestants

You will return your Raffle Tickets & Money this day.

Practice will be located in the Entertainment Barn located at the back of our
FairGrounds.

*Parents you may want to bring a lawn chair to the first one and a drink for your contestant.

October 1, 2022 starting promptly at 10:00 am in the
Grandstands.

Miss Contestants only—ALL pageant attire must be approved on or before
the September 17th practice.

This includes interview attire, swimsuit, and evening gown.

I also must approve your speech; you can email or text it to me.

You will NOT be allowed to compete if you have not had your clothing and
speech approved.