



Dear Miss Rodeo Minnesota Sweetheart Contestant and Family:

On behalf of the Miss Rodeo Minnesota Pageant, we would like to congratulate you on taking the first step towards becoming one of our very first Miss Rodeo Minnesota Sweethearts!

The 2017 pageant will be held in conjunction with the Waconia PRCA Rodeo, July 14 – 15th in Waconia, MN. As you begin the process by filling out the application, make sure you take your time and be thorough. The Miss Rodeo Minnesota Association (MRMNA) only wants you to do your absolute best. All applications are subject to approval by the MRMNA and the application deadline to be received is June 1st, 2017. Be sure to utilize the checklist on the last page of the application to ensure you have completed all required paperwork.

Contestants will be expected to attend pageant events and rodeo events on July 14th and July 15th. A full break down of the schedule will be included with the acceptance letter, which will be sent to all contestants by June 15th. Announcement of the 2018 queens will take place at the Saturday evening rodeo.

Western attire is recommended for pageant events, coronation, and rodeo events, but not required. Such attire may include: a button down or western style shirt, denim – pants or skirt, hat, boots, etc. Attire may be classic or fashion forward western.

During the pageant, Sweetheart contestants will also be asked to introduce themselves and participate in various aspects of the pageant, including the fashion show, and other rodeo activities. The title of Miss Rodeo Minnesota Sweetheart is not judged – this level of recognition is suited for those young ladies that are interested in learning more about being a rodeo queen and potentially competing in future years in our competitive age divisions.

Contestants for Miss Rodeo Minnesota Sweetheart should be comfortable around horses and other rodeo stock. Horsemanship training and riding experience are preferred, but not required. Miss Rodeo Minnesota Sweethearts, will be asked to attend a small number of events throughout the year, but are unlikely to participate in riding activities during the events. Such events are likely to include: official coronation of our Queen, the Minnesota Horse Expo, Send-off Party prior to Miss Rodeo America, and the 2018 Waconia Rodeo.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. We are looking forward to an exciting, fun-filled pageant this year and hope you will be part of it!

In Western Friendship,

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MISS RODEO MINNESOTA SWEETHEART 2018 CONTESTANT APPLICATION

NAME _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____
ADDRESS _____ AGE (on Jan 1, 2018) _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
PHONES: HOME _____ CELL _____
EMAIL _____

PARENTS/GUARDIANS:

FATHER _____ OCCUPATION _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
PHONES: HOME _____ WORK _____ CELL _____
EMAIL _____

MOTHER _____ OCCUPATION _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
PHONES: HOME _____ WORK _____ CELL _____
EMAIL _____

EDUCATION:

CONTESTANT'S SCHOOL _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ GRADE _____

MEDIA:

CONTESTANT'S LOCAL NEWSPAPER _____
ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

AWARDS AND OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

HOBBIES AND FAVORITES SPORTS/ACTIVITIES:

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT: (List your participation in charitable, non-profit, church, and community activities or organizations)

WHY IS COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT IMPORTANT TO YOU? (50 words or less)

WHY I WANT TO BE A MISS RODEO MINNESOTA SWEETHEART: (150 words or less)

MISS RODEO MINNESOTA SWEETHEART PAGEANT
MEDICAL INFORMATION

CONTESTANT'S FULL NAME _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CONT'D _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

WHERE PARENT/GUARDIAN CAN BE REACHED DURING PAGEANT _____

CONT'D _____

Please indicate another person to contact if an accident occurs and we are unable to reach a parent/guardian:

NAME _____ RELATIONSHIP _____

PHONE _____

ARE YOU PRESENTLY ON ANY MEDICATION? _____ If yes, please list: _____

ANY ALLERGIES: _____

CONTESTANT SIGNATURE:

DATE:

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:

DATE:

RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I/my daughter hereby agrees to participate in the Miss Rodeo Minnesota Sweetheart Pageant and I hereby submit the entry fee of \$30.00. I/we hereby agree to abide by all rules and regulations pertaining to this event.

I/my daughter attest that all criteria set forth to be considered for the role of Miss Rodeo Minnesota Sweetheart are met:

- Contestants must be not older than 9 years of age on January 1, 2018
- Be born female
- Must not have been previously publicly engaged, married and/or pregnant, nor shall she become engaged, marry or become pregnant during her reign
- Be a legal resident of Minnesota
- May not have had any title revoked or entry denied in any other pageant program
- Other entry qualifications may be set forth in the Official Rules and Regulations as determined by the MRMN Association

I/we understand there are certain risks involved in competing in the Miss Rodeo Minnesota Pageant and in participation in the pageant events, I/we hereby assume all risk if injury to myself/daughter or damage or loss to my property resulting from my participation in the Miss Rodeo Minnesota Pageant.

In consideration of acceptance of my application to participate in the Miss Rodeo Minnesota Pageant, I, myself, and my heirs and executors state that I am of lawful age and legally entitled to make this complete release.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING RELEASE OF LIABILITY.

I certify that my attendance and participation in the state activities is voluntary.

CONTESTANT: _____ DATE _____

PARENT: _____ DATE _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, with the County of _____;

State of Minnesota, on this _____ day of _____, 2017.

Notary Public: _____

Notary Seal:



MISS RODEO MINNESOTA SWEETHEART CHECKLIST

_____ Completed Application, pages 2 - 4

_____ Medical Information, page 5

_____ Release of Liability – notarized, page 6

_____ Email photo to be used for media release

- Email to nationaldirectormn@gmail.com, please put contestant name in subject line
- If submitting a professional photo, you must include rights from the photographer giving us permission to publish the photo

_____ Non-refundable entry fee of \$30.00. Checks payable to the MRMNA

Mail application packets, to be received by June 1st, to:

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Contact with any questions:

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