

2017 Little Miss/Mr Lonoke County Fair Pageant

Rules and Regulations

Baby Mister 0-2 years and Little Mister 3-5 years

Baby Miss 0-11 months, Toddler Miss 12-23 months, Teeny Miss 2 years, Tiny Miss 3 years,

Little Miss 4-5 years, Petite Miss 6-7 years, Young Miss 8-9 years, Preteen Miss 10-12 years

Lonoke County Fair and Livestock Association welcomes you to the Fair Pageant. We hope you will enjoy your experience at our pageant. Please read all paperwork given to you as it will have all the information you should need. If you have any further questions or concerns you can contact pageant director Tracy Henderson at 501-350-8567.

1. Contestant must be a legal resident of Lonoke County and must compete as age on the day of the pageant.
2. Contestant must turn in entry forms and fees by the deadline stated. **No entry form will be accepted after 5:00pm September 1, 2017.** Forms and fees can be mailed or hand delivered. If mailing forms please allow plenty of time for it to arrive. Lonoke County Fair and Livestock Association will not be responsible for entry forms lost or delayed in transit by any shipping method. There will be no additions or corrections made once the forms are submitted.
3. Contestant is required to be on time for check-in and pageant. We want all age groups to start on time to allow for a smooth and time efficient pageant. If you are unable to be on time, please contact pageant director immediately. **Check in time is no later than 7:45am.**
4. Attire for pageant: Girls- Pageant dress, flower girl style dress. formal dress or Sunday best. Boys- tuxedos, suits, western, or Sunday best. In no way does the cost of the contestant's attire have a bearing on the outcome of the pageant.
5. Makeup is allowed for girls, but should be age appropriate and used with discretion. **THIS IS NOT A GLITZ PAGEANT.** There will be only one person allowed in dressing area with contestant. **NO MALES!!** Only one adult is allowed backstage with contestant and should be the adult that will accompany the child on stage. We have ladies who will be there to help and direct the contestants. **NO CELL PHONES ALLOWED!**
6. Side awards: Prettiest eyes, prettiest hair, prettiest smile, best fashion and most beautiful/handsome. These awards are judged during the final line-up of contestants on stage. They are strictly extra awards; they have no bearing on the outcome of the pageant results.
7. Photogenic (side award): Pictures may be any size, color or black/white, glitz or natural. Please bring all photos to the pageant check-in on the day of the pageant. All photos must be turned in 15 minutes prior to the beginning of the pageant. **DO NOT MAIL PHOTOS!** Only one photo will be accepted per contestant. Please do not put photo in a frame but a plastic protective sleeve is acceptable. Label photo with child's name and age on the back. All photos will be returned to you and must be picked up at the check-in table following the pageant.. The Lonoke County Fair Pageant will not be held responsible for photos not picked up the day of pageant. Photogenic entry form is available with pageant entry form.
8. We will award top four in each age division; Queen, 1st runner up, 2nd runner up and 3rd runner up. All contestants will receive a participation award.
9. Crowd Favorite: This is the contestant who has the most votes sold by them before the pageant or purchased at the pageant by the audience. Votes are \$1 each or 6 votes for \$5. Contestants who choose to sell tickets need to bring all money of sold tickets to the pageant and turn in during check-in. Tickets need to be filled out completely. Ticket sales have absolutely no bearing on the pageant or pageant outcome. The contestant who sells the most tickets will be deemed "Crowd Favorite". There will be one winner in each age group. Voting will end at the end of intermission before crowning. For additional tickets, please make copies of the ticket sheet provided.
10. Any display of bad sportsmanship, unbecoming conduct, any interference and/or disturbance, foul language, or any other behavioral problem created by a contestant, parent, relative or supporter of a contestant could result in

disqualification of the contestant, not only from this year's pageant but from all future contests at Lonoke County Fair.

11. Lonoke County Fair and Livestock Association will not be responsible for any lost, stolen, or damaged property. Please treat the facility with the upmost respect and clean up after yourself when the event is over.
12. Fair and impartial judges are chosen by the Lonoke County Fair and Livestock Pageant committee. Contestants and/or parents or any other spectator are not to approach the judges at any time. Their decision will be final. All contestants are judged on: facial beauty, stage presentation, attitude/personality and overall appearance. Score sheets will not be available at any time for viewing.
13. No formal rehearsal will be held for ages 12 or under. Contestants younger than 12 can practice either after the older girls finish on the evening before or during check-in on day of pageant, 30 minutes before pageant begins. No one allowed on stage after 7:30am day of pageant. No exceptions.

Contestants will have a line-up of the age group, before individual competition.

All contestants will have a 90 second time limit on stage.

Contestant's ages 0-3 years must have an adult accompany them on stage at all times.

14. The Contest Director and/or County Fair Management of the Lonoke County Fair Pageant reserve the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with, or incident to the contest, and the right to amend or add to these rules as their judgment may determine. Any contestant who fails to abide by any of the above rules can be disqualified from the competition by the County Contest Director and or Fair Management.

Entry Fees are as follows: Pageant Entry Fee: \$50.00 (includes side awards except photogenic)

Photogenic: \$10

Make all Checks, Money Orders, and/or cashier's checks payable to: Lonoke County Fair and Livestock Association and mail to Lonoke County Fair Pageant C/O Tracy Henderson 112 South Center, Lonoke, Arkansas 72086

Start Selling Your "Crowd Favorite" Tickets!!!!

The contestant from each age group that turns in the most crowd favorite tickets will receive half of the money back.

2017 Little Mr. and Miss Lonoke County Fair Queen

Entry Form

Circle Age Division:

Girls:

0-12 months 13-23 months 2 years 3 years 4-5 years 6-7years 8-9 years 10-12 years

Boys:

0-2 years 3-5 years

Photogenic entry fee \$10 (optional) Yes _____ No _____

CONTESTANT NAME _____

AGE _____ BIRTHDATE _____ COLOR OF HAIR _____ EYES _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

DAUGHTER/SON OF _____

SCHOOL NAME _____ GRADE _____

SIBLINGS _____

FAVORITE COLOR _____ FAVORITE FOOD _____

CLUB/GROUP MEMBERSHIP _____

SPEICAL INTEREST & HOBBIES _____

AMBITION FOR THE FUTURE _____

By signature below contestant/parent/guardian certifies they have read, understand and agree to comply with the rules and regulations of this pageant and further assumes all liability and responsibility for any loss, accident or injury resulting from participation in this event. Competition information and photos may be used for publicity purposes. No refunds will be given.

Parent/Guardian signature

Date

Mail entry form or hand deliver to:

Lonoke County Fair Queen c/o Tracy Henderson 112 South Center Lonoke, AR 72086