

# St. Francois County Little Miss

## Expectations

### **CROWN and BANNER:**

Little Miss will receive Crown and Banner. The Little Miss St. Francois County Fair represents the St. Francois County Fair Board. The Little Miss shall wear her banner at all times while on the grounds during her reign. The crown shall be worn if possible (unless, for example, while on an amusement ride or while participating in a competition). The Crown and Banner may be worn in public (off the grounds) while in transport to and from Fair functions or while representing the SFC Fair Board at other Fair functions. After the coronation, the Crown and Banner shall never be donned or removed while in public.

### **ATTIRE:**

The Little Miss shall dress in good taste at all times. Attire shall be appropriate to the function. Acceptable attire includes the following: shorts, skirts, and dresses must be appropriate length (no shorter than a dollar bills width from the knee).

Attire that is not acceptable and not appropriate would include the following: tube tops; clothing that exposes the midriff, navel, back or cleavage; halter tops; see-through clothing, casual tops with spaghetti straps or shirts with straps less than 1" wide, one-shoulder or strapless tops; muscle shirts. Additionally, cut-offs, ripped jeans or other clothing with holes is not acceptable. Bare feet, flip-flops, or croc-type footwear are not appropriate at any activity. Obviously, clothing that advertises alcoholic beverages, tobacco products or drugs and clothing that has vulgar, obscene or offensive messages or images will not be allowed.

Please do not put pageant committee members in a position of requesting a change of attire.

### **BEHAVIOR and ACTIONS:**

At all times, it is required that the Little Miss display elegance and civility in all matters while on the grounds or while wearing the Crown and Banner. Speech and behaviors will reflect a mature, responsible citizen, worthy of the title of Little Miss .

Little Miss must be chaperoned at ALL times by an adult female (age 20 or older)

The Little Miss must appear "available" to everyone who wishes to speak with her. The Little Miss shall not participate in public displays of affection (holding hands, hugging, kissing, etc.) with boyfriend or "guy friends".

### **DUTIES:**

The Little Miss will represent the St. Francois County Fair Board. She will be the ambassadress and the liaison between the SFC Fair Board and the people. Thus, the Little Miss will provide interviews with media (radio stations and newspapers).

The Little Miss shall greet people with a smile, thank sponsors, and thank the general public for coming.

The Little Miss will present ribbons during the Market Animal Sale of Champions. This is more difficult than it sounds. It includes being photographed with each champion handler/animal unit - that's the easy part, feeding the animals to help stage for the photos, staying out of the way, not getting stepped on, keeping the goats from eating your banner, and smiling the entire time!

The Little Miss will attempt to make an appearance at each Livestock Show (Cattle, Swine, Goats, Sheep, and Horse). While at these, The Little Miss will present ribbons.

The Little Miss shall attempt to make appearances at most other Fair functions.

The Little Miss may have to answer questions regarding the fair (keep a schedule with you at all times).

If The Little Miss has a project (competition), she will be expected to participate as if she had not received the title of Little Miss:

Approved by St. Francois County Fair Board -

St. Francois County Fair Little Miss  
Contestant Application (2024 Official Entry Form)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Age (as of January 1 of this year) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Accept Text?  YES  NO

Secondary Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Accept Text?  YES  NO

email \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Guardians \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School Attending \_\_\_\_\_

What do you want to be when you grow up \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Signature and Date \_\_\_\_\_

As guardian to the contestant listed above, I agree to allow photographs and video to be taken of my child and used for promotional purposes of the St. Francois County Fair. I agree not to interfere with the decision of the judges and to make sure my child is in attendance at all required dates listed in the rules and regulations above if she is crowned Little Miss St Francois County Fair.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

St. Francois County Fair Little Miss Pageant Contest Rules and Regulations

The winner is expected to represent St. Francois County at St. Francois County Fair Events and make at least 3 public appearances throughout the year.

Contestants must be a resident of St. Francois County and between the ages of 5-7 as of January 1st

Contestants will be judged on appearance, personality, and personal interview. Judges decision will be final. If for any reason the winner is disqualified, the First Runner Up will be declared the winner.

Complete entry will include: Completed Official Entry Form, (Head & Shoulders) Photograph, & \$15.00 Entry Fee cash or check made payable to Madison Benson. I

Each contestant should dress with the theme "Country"

Contestants must agree to participate in all St. Francois County Fair Little Miss Pageant Functions.

Applications must be submitted by June 1st, 2024. Mail applications to SFC Fair Little Miss, 6808 Hwy 32 Farmington, MO 63640

For further questions, please contact: Maddy Benson (573) 747-7548

St. Francois County Fair Little Miss Functions (Mandatory): (Pageant will take place in Exhibit Hall)

\* Meeting for contestants and Parents Friday, June 14th, 6:00PM

\* Personal Interviews (not open to the public) Monday, June 17st, 5:00 PM

\* St. Francois County Fair Little Miss Pageant Monday, June 17st, 6:00 PM In the 4-H Exhibit Bldg at the SFC Fairgrounds

\* Coronation will immediately follow the Pageant Competition

\*\*\*DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE\*\*\*

This event is sponsored by the following businesses:

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Questions that may be asked during personal interview:

What kind of job do you want to have when you grow up? Why?

What is your favorite season of the year? Why?

What is the best gift you ever received? Why was it so special?

Tell us about your best friend.

What is your favorite thing to do on Saturday or after school?

Tell us about your pet or a pet you might have some day

Tell us about someone special in your family.