

## Miss Chesterfield County Fair Pageant

## "Pageant Night Fever!"

Welcome to the 2017 Miss Chesterfield County Fair Pageant! This is our 104th Fair and we're delighted to have you join us!

Please make sure that you complete <u>ALL</u> forms and send in <u>ALL</u> the required paperwork so as not to delay your application process. Mailing address can be found at the bottom of this page.

The Queen Pageant will be held on Monday, August 28, 2017 at 8 p.m. at the Entertainment Stage, located at the Chesterfield County Fairgrounds. Mandatory rehearsal will be on Monday, Aug. 28, at 8:00 a.m. at the stage. Preliminary interviews (mandatory) will be held on Monday, August 28 as well. Interview times will be determined upon number of contestants. Please note that these are not optional for contestants. Failure to appear (and appear on time) could and may result in disqualification. All contestants are invited to participate in our Grand Parade on Tuesday, Aug. 29. The Queen will be expected to attend the Fair as many nights as permissible to greet our guests.

Contestants will be given an opening number t-shirt to wear. They are expected to supply their own white capris\* and plain, white tennis shoes\*. \*With the 70's Disco theme, colors/clothing may change & contestants will be notified well in advance.

Contestants will be expected to give a one-minute <u>platform</u> speech during their private interview session plus a 30-second onstage speech regarding what they like/enjoy about the Fair.

All communication will be done via email, so it is imperative that you check your email at least daily to receive any/all updates. Except for a rare emergency, phone calls will NOT be made to contestants.

Please do feel free to contact me should you have any questions or concerns. Return all forms/paperwork to

Brenda White, General Manager, Director, Miss Chesterfield County Fair Pageants

P.O. Box 801, Chesterfield, VA 23832 <u>bwsoccer@comcast.net</u> Remember to LIKE us on Facebook!

# Miss Chesterfield County Fair 2017 RULES and REGULATIONS

Contestants must be born female.

Contestants must be a U.S. citizen.

Contestants must be between the ages of 17 and 22 at the crowning of this title.

Contestants must be single and never having been married.

Contestants must have never performed any act or engaged in any activity or employment that is or could reasonably be characterized as dishonest, immoral or indecent. This includes Facebook, My Space, Twitter and any/all web pages or any other electronic means/social media.

Contestants must be of good moral character and never have been pregnant and are not now pregnant nor the adoptive parent of any child. A contestant, other than minor or petty offenses, must never have been convicted of any criminal offense and there are no criminal charges presently pending against her.

Contestants must be in good health and can participate fully and without limitation in any program/pageant activities, including interviews, rehearsal and actual pageant event.

Contestants must not use or consume any illegal controlled, dangerous substances or abuse the use of alcohol, tobacco or other dangerous substances.

Contestants must submit a completed application and postmarked no later than August 7, 2017.

Contestants will meet for private interview(s) with pageant judges prior to the competition. Contestants are expected to attend a rehearsal prior to the competition, date/time TBD. Absence from either or both may or could result in disqualification.

Contestants will make a one-minute platform speech during their private interview and also a 30-second speech onstage during the pageant regarding what they like/enjoy about the fair.

Contestants will be judged and graded on: Private Interview, Evening Wear, On-Stage Question/Presentation and Fun/Personality wear.

The winner of the Miss Chesterfield County Fair Pageant will go on to represent the Chesterfield County Fair at the Virginia Association of Fairs Scholarship Pageant to be held in January, 2018 at The Homestead, Hot Springs, VA. She will also be expected to participate in such events as parades, grand openings, holiday events, school events, etc., at the discretion of the Pageant Director.

\*\*The non-refundable entry fee of this pageant is \$40.00. Any application received without the \$40 entry fee, the signed application, waiver form, copy of birth certificate, attachment "A" and a recent 5x7 photo will not be considered until all materials have been received. All contestants will receive an opening number T-shirt.

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#### **APPLICATION**

\*\*Application must be accompanied by a copy of contestant's birth certificate, a current 5x7 photo, waiver and the entry fee & Attachment "A"

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE TYPEWRITTEN

Please use additional pages if necessary

FULL NAME	AGE (as of 8/28/17)
DATE OF BIRTH	
EMAIL	
ADDRESS	
HOME PHONECELL PHONE	
HIGH SCHOOL & GRADUATION DATE	
HOBBIES & INTERESTS	
PARENT'S NAME	
PARENT'S ADDRESS/PHONE (if different)	
T-Shirt Size: (S, M, L, XL) www.c	hesterfieldcountyfair.org
1-311111 312e. (3, W, L, XL) <u>www.c</u>	nesternelucountylair.org
I,certify that the above information is true and fact information determined to be falsified may and can result in disqualification. I agriculations specified otherwise and agree to represent the Chesterfield County F manner.	ree to all terms of the rules and
Contestant's Signature	Date
Parent's Signature (if contestant is under 18 years of age)	Date

### MISS CHESTERFIELD COUNTY FAIR PAGEANT 2017 ATTACHMENT "A"

(Use additional pages if needed; Must be typewritten)

BRIEFLY DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN 25 WORDS OR LESS:
ACCOMPLISHMENTS OBTAINED W/CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS, CHURCH OR RELIGIOUS GROUPS:
INVOLVEMENT AND/OR ACTIVITIES W/THE CHESTERFIELD COUNTY (OR ANY) FAIR, IF ANY:
HOBBIES:
EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:
INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT YOURSELF OR YOUR FAMILY:
CAREER AMBITION:
PLEASE COMPLETE THIS LINE: IN HER SPARE TIME:
GIVE A DETAILED OVERVIEW OF YOUR PLATFORM:

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## **WAIVER**

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I hereby understand and agree to the regulations set forth. I also acknowled signatures and all information provide are truthful, correct and not a forgery such may and could result in disquare.	edge the below led for this competition y. Any violation of
Contestant Signature	 Date
Parental Signature/Consent if Under Age 18	 Date