

2011 Miss Jessamine Jamboree Pageant

Thursday, September 8th, 2011 at 7:00 pm

Rules and Regulations

1. Contestants must be single, never married, never had a marriage annulled, and never had any children.
2. Contestants must show proof of age when sending in applications. Contestants must have reached their 16th birthday and cannot have reached their 22nd birthday as of October 31, 2011.
3. The winner will receive a crown, sash, arm bouquet, and trophy. Contestants who place will receive a trophy and ribbon.
4. Contestants will be judged on poise, personality, beauty, and an on stage interview by individuals outside of Jessamine County.
5. Contestants will appear in an opening outfit, outfit of choice and an evening gown.
6. Only one person will be allowed in the dressing room with each contestant. This rule will be strongly enforced.
7. Suitable and valuable prizes will be awarded to the winners.
8. The winning contestant will be expected to retain her *Miss Jessamine Jamboree* title until a new queen is crowned the following year.
9. Marriage or motherhood during her reign constitutes loss of the Queen's title. The title is then relinquished to the First Runner-up, provided she fits the criteria.
10. All contestants' names and ages, along with complete addresses and telephone numbers, must be turned in at the time of entry.
11. The pageant committee reserves the right to dismiss at any time a contestant who does not show a proper amount of cooperation and courtesy to committee members, consultants and fellow contestants.
12. Contestants must be there the night of the pageant at 6:30 pm.
13. Contestants must attend a mandatory practice on September 7th at 6:30 pm.

Entry Deadline- Must be postmarked by Monday, September 5, 2011
For additional information, contact Christal Johns at 859-420-0883

Judges Criteria

Each of the three areas of judging is given equal weight. One-third of your score will come from the Interview, one-third from Outfit of Choice, and the final third from Evening Gown. Your scores from each of these categories are compiled to select the contestants with the highest scores. The judges are given the opportunity to conference to make any changes to the final results.

Overall, the judges are looking for the girl they believe:

- Is confident, in control and gives intelligent responses
- Has positive body language and good eye contact
- Can support opinions
- Is honest, sincere, spontaneous, and has a sense of humor
- Is well groomed and fashionable
- Is poised in interview and on stage
- Has an attractive smile, face, and hair.

During the Interview, the judges are looking for poise, personality, articulation, appropriate responses, intelligence, self-assurance, confidence, charm, and natural beauty.

During Outfit of Choice Competition, the judges are looking for physical fitness, facial beauty, poise, self-assurance, projection, showmanship, and eye contact.

During Evening Gown Competition, the judges are looking for gracefulness in gown, facial beauty, poise, eye contact, projection, self-assurance, overall presence, showmanship, and fit of evening gown.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED

- Outfit for Opening Production- white shirt (no tank tops), khaki capris and some type of sandal.
- Outfit of Choice - any outfit that best describes your personality.
- Evening Gown- preferably floor length, heels
- Accessories- Don't overdo. Don't plan to wear something that will be whisked off during your time on stage. This is not allowed.

Contestant's Agreement

Miss Jessamine Jamboree Pageant

I do hereby make the following statements and representations:

- a) I have been a resident of Jessamine County, Kentucky for at least 6 months;
- b) I am single, have never been married, or had a marriage annulled;
- c) I have never previously won the *Miss Jessamine Jamboree* Pageant title;
- d) I will not be older than 21 years of age on October 31, 2011 and will have reached my 16th birthday by that date and I am submitting documentation verifying age with this entry;
- e) I am of good moral character and have never been pregnant and am not pregnant now;
- f) I have never been convicted of any crime and do not have any criminal charges pending against me;
- g) I am in reasonably good health and can to the best of my knowledge, participate fully and without limitation in any Pageant activities;
- h) I have not authorized any person, firm, or corporation to use my name, photograph, or any future title I might hold in connection with an endorsement to advertise any commercial product or service.

I agree that the manner and method of conducting the *Miss Jessamine Jamboree* Pageant shall be in the sole discretion of Pageant officials, and I further agree that the time, method, and manner of judging the Pageant shall be within the sole discretion of Pageant officials, and that the decision of the persons designated to judge the Pageant in any and all matters pertaining to the selection of winners shall be final.

If I am selected "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*":

- a) I will serve as "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" until my successor is selected or appointed.
- b) I agree that after the conclusion of my year of service as "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" I will not make public appearances wearing my crown nor will I make public appearances as "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" or "*Former Miss Jessamine Jamboree*" for the purposes of advertising or endorsing any product, person, or service unless pre-approved by the Pageant.
- c) I understand and agree that if any of the representations made by me in this Agreement, including the attached Data Sheet, are false, or if I am selected as "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" and engage in any acts or activities involved in the statements and representations section on Page 1 of this Agreement during my year of service or I otherwise conduct myself in a manner, which in the opinion of the Pageant, does not uphold and maintain the dignity and honor of the title "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" then I understand and agree that the Pageant may, at its exclusive option, terminate my right and I will also forfeit all prizes, awards, and perquisites, or both or either, and in such event, the first runner-up may be declared my successor.
- d) I understand that in the event that I marry or become pregnant during the period between the date of this Agreement and the selection of "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" I shall forfeit my right to participate in the Pageant; and if I am selected "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" and marry or become pregnant prior to the time my successor is chosen and crowned, I shall forfeit my title of "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" and may also forfeit all prizes, awards and perquisites, or both or either, and in such event, the first runner-up may be declared my successor.

If I am selected as first or second runner-up to the title of "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" I agree to be available to succeed to all rights and to assume the duties and obligations of "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" as set forth herein.

I understand that if I am selected "*Miss Jessamine Jamboree 2011*" I will be expected to attend the remaining nights of the 2011 Jessamine Jamboree and to be introduced at various events. I also am required to ride in the Jamboree parade on Saturday September 10th and to be lined up by 8:30am behind Frisch's Big Boy. I am required to have a convertible vehicle if one is not provided for you.

Contestant's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian (if contestant is under age 18)

Date

2011 MISS JESSAMINE JAMBOREE PAGEANT

CONTESTANTS ARE NOT REQUIRED
TO BE A RESIDENT OF JESSAMINE CO.
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2011 at 7:00 pm

AGES: 15-21 must reach 16th birthday by October 31, 2011 and can't reach 22nd birthday by October 31, 2011.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ COUNTY: _____

ZIP CODE: _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

AGE: _____ BIRTHDATE: _____

PARENTS: _____

HEIGHT: _____ HAIR COLOR: _____ EYE COLOR: _____

SCHOOL ATTENDING: _____ GRADE: _____

LIFE/FUTURE PLANS: _____

HOBBIES: _____

CLUBS/ACTIVITIES/CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS:

SOMETHING INTERESTING OR UNIQUE ABOUT YOURSELF:

ENTRY DEADLINE: MUST BE POST MARKED BY MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2011.
NO LATE ENTRIES!!!!

ENTRY FEE: \$25.00- MONEY MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH FORM
(CASH, MONEY ORDER, OR CERTIFIED CHECK PAYABLE TO JESSAMINE
JAMBOREE, NO PERSONAL CHECK)

ENTRIES MAY BE TURNED IN TO:
CHRISTAL JOHNS 859-420-0883
425 GARDEN PARK
NICHOLASVILLE, KY 40356