

# 2024 Rockdale Fair Association Children's Pageant

## Rules and Application

**Age as of September 1st: Tiny Master (3-5) \* Tiny Tot Miss (3-4) \* Tiny Miss (5-6)**

**Little Miss (7-8) \* Young Miss (8-10) \* Junior Miss (11-12) \* Teen Miss (13-15)**

RFA reserves the right to adjust the age divisions. Contestants will compete in the category to which they are assigned.

*Note: Five entries are required for each group. Entry fees will be refunded if less than five.*

1. Residency: Must live in or attend school in Milam County.
2. Entry Fee: \$15.00 - cash or check made payable to Rockdale Fair Association
3. Dress: Western wear (AGE APPROPRIATE - length appropriate for being on stage above audience - can and will be turned away at check-in if not appropriate - no refunds - if in question, check outfit with pageant coordinator ahead of time.
4. Deadline: Wednesday, September 18th. NO EXCEPTIONS! Mailed entries must be postmarked by September 18th. I will do random Walmart parking lot pickups - check FB/emails/messages - TEXT is my preferred communication.
5. OPTIONAL pre-pageant practice session for Junior and Teen participants on Sunday, September, 22 (location and time to be determined) **TEEN MISS WILL SPEAK and/or ANSWER AN ON-STAGE QUESTION THIS YEAR**
6. **MANDATORY** pictures and practice: Sunday, October 6th at RHS auditorium beginning at 12:30 pm for all categories. NON-ATTENDANCE WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION. If you feel you cannot make practice, you can contact Kris Moreland at 430-2767 before October 6th and plead your case. Note: exceptions to this rule have been exceedingly rare.
7. Pageant: 12:30 pm Saturday, October 12th at RHS auditorium. Arrival time for all categories is 12:00.
8. Parents and guests 5 and up must have a ticket to enter.
9. Judging: based upon natural personality, confidence, general appearance/dress. Judges are from out of town. Title holder and first and second runner-up are awarded in each age division.

**Violation of any Rockdale Fair rule, or misconduct by contestant or parent/guardian, will serve as a disqualification of contestant from the pageant for the current year and/or future years if the Rockdale Fair Association deems it necessary.**

Contestant Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

About your child (for emcee - only share what you are comfortable making public - emcee will use as needed to fill in your child's time on stage)

**Grade/School** \_\_\_\_\_

**Extracurricular activities** \_\_\_\_\_

**Favorites - food/color/subject/animal/place/other** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fun fact** \_\_\_\_\_

**In free time likes to** \_\_\_\_\_

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**PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST SIGN THE INDEMNIFICATION FORM ON THE BACK IN ORDER FOR THE CONTESTANT TO QUALIFY FOR THE PAGEANT!**

BY SIGNING BELOW, I ACKNOWLEDGE, AS CONTESTANT OR HIS/HER LEGAL GUARDIAN, THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE ROCKDALE FAIR ASSOCIATION AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THEM. I ALSO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE ROCKDALE FAIR ASSOCIATION AND EACH OF ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, REPRESENTATIVES, AND VOLUNTEERS (THE "RFA GROUP") SHALL IN NO CASE BE LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS, DAMAGE, OR INJURY TO THE PERSON OR PROPERTY OF CONTESTANT OR CONTESTANT'S FAMILY MEMBERS, AGENTS, REPRESENTATIVES, AND/OR EMPLOYEES IN CONNECTION WITH THE FAIR (INCLUDING THE YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW AND PAGEANTS), REGARDLESS OF HOW SUCH LOSS, DAMAGE, OR INJURY IS OCCASIONED, EVEN IF BY THE NEGLIGENCE OR STRICT LIABILITY OF ANY MEMBER(S) OF THE RFA GROUP. ADDITIONALLY, I AGREE TO RELEASE, DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH MEMBER OF THE RFA GROUP FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, SUITS, DEMANDS, AND/OR LOSSES OF ANYONE, INCLUDING AN ANIMAL'S OWNER, ARISING FROM OR IN CONNECTION WITH EXHIBITOR'S ENTRY INTO AND PARTICIPATION IN THE YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW AND/OR PAGEANT.

Contestant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian's: Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_