

Jackson County Junior Fair

QUEEN CONTEST APPLICATION

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 23, 2020 BY 4:30 p.m.

TURN IN APPLICATION AT THE JACKSON COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE DROP BOX

(If you are 16 by Jan 1st you may try out for older queen. if you are 15, you fit into group of 9-10th grade group)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

TELEPHONE#: _____

ORGANIZATION YOU REPRESENT: _____

(4-H, FFA, FHA/FCCLA, GIRL SCOUTS)

DIRECTIONS FOR COMPLETING APPLICATION:

Applications Must be typed and include your bio, and two (2) recent photos for use in the local newspapers. The pictures must be wallet size of you by yourself. The Bio should contain the following and no more: Name, Age, Parents, Club and years in 4-H, FFA, FHA, or Girl Scouts, grade and school, projects, other organizations. The Bio must be in the third person and ready to print in the paper. For example: Jane Doe is the 17 year old daughter of Jim and Jane Doe. She is a 10 year member of the Clover 4-H club. She is also a Junior Fair board member and a Camp Counselor. Jane's projects include Poultry and Sewing. She is a Senior of Jackson High School where she plays volleyball. **Please submit 2 copies of your Bio and 2 pictures for newspapers.**

❖ **Please submit one copy of your Bio with your parents' names and one without your parents' names for contest.**

Use an additional paper in Section I, II, and III if needed.

- Section I – 4-H Organizations you are in or have been a part of (including the one you are representing). Include office held and activities involved in while in organizations.
- Section II-Non 4-H Activities in School, Church and Community Services.
- Section III-Awards and Honors received in each category.
- Section IV- ESSAY; do not use extra paper for this section, one side ONLY!
- Write an essay, in the space provided, on "WHY YOU WISH TO BE THE JACKSON COUNTY 4th/5th/6th grade attendant, 7th/8th grade attendant, 9th/10th grade attendant and "WHAT YOU FEEL THE DUTIES OF THE court members should BE"

Please note: A mandatory meeting will be held with contestants. Please see the current Important Queen Dates found at go.osu.edu/jacksonfair under Fair Queen Applications. An additional mandatory meeting will be offered in the event of school conflicts. Contact Angie Eisnaugle at 740-418-5017 for more information.

Practices for the interview and contest practice will be on the dates listed; you must attend one of each of these to participant in the contest. At this meeting, the Queen's Committee will go over everything with you and you will practice for the contest. If you have any questions, please contact Angie Eisnaugle at 740-418-5017.

Jackson County Juniors Fair Queen Contest Rules

1. Each contestant must be in grades 4/5/6th, grades 7/8th, and grades 9/10th as of Jan. 1st of the current year. They must not be or ever been married, borne a child or pregnant during the reigning year. Any or all will be reason for disqualification and dismissal. We will have one attendant from grades 4/5/6th graders, one attendant from 7/8th graders, one attendant from 9/10th graders. (If you are a 10th grader and not 16 by Jan. 1st of the current year, you will be in contestant of the 9/10th graders.)
2. Applicant is not permitted to accept any other queen's title while serving as the Jackson County Fair Queen. If the applicant is already the queen of another organization or activity. She must first check with the Jackson County Fair Queen's Committee to get their approval to apply. By date of the interview, you cannot hold a title of any festival or pageant.
3. Each contestant must be an enrolled member of a Jackson County 4-H, FFA, FHA or Girl Scout organization.
4. All contestants should they be named the Jackson County Fair attendant, must Attend and participate in the following:
 - Jackson County Fair (Sat-Sat) you have to be there entire week.
 - All Shows and be at locations at assigned times and are required to wear crown and sash as well as proper dress code (at discretion of the Senior Fair Board and Queen's Committee) at all functions.
 - You will be required to attend 75% of all parades that are assigned if failure to attend. The Senior Fair Board /Queen committee will remove you from your title. Any others are strictly at the discretion of the Queen's Committee.
5. Scoring will be based on the following:
 - Introduction
 - Response to Judge questions
 - Activities (FFA, FHA, 4-H)
 - Awards and Honors and Community Service
 - Self-Presentation (Poise, Personality, Personal Appearance)
 - Essay
6. Each contestant will be interviewed on the designated date (see IMPORTANT QUEEN DATES page) at the Jackson County Extension Office. This interview will be closed to the public. Interviews will be 10 to 15 minutes in length. Contestants are to wear street length dresses or suit. Interview times will be assigned.
7. The Jackson County Junior Fair Queen Pageant will be May 30, 2020 at the Markay Cultural Arts Center starting at 7:00 p.m. This will be open to the public for a small fee.

Section I. 4-H/FFA ORGANIZATIONS AND OFFICES HELD: USE AN ADDITIONAL PAPER IN SECTION I, II AND III IF NEEDED

Section II. NON 4-H ACTIVITIES IN SCHOOL, CHURCH AND COMMUNITY SERVICE:

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