

## **Park County Fair Queen, Lady-in-Waiting, Princess, Princess-in-Waiting**

The following rules and regulations will be followed, or the contestant will be disqualified immediately. Rules not followed throughout the reign will be grounds for a dismissal. Regulations are for the benefit of the contestants to make it a fun, memorable experience.

### **A. To qualify for Park County Fair Queen and Lady-in-Waiting, a contestant MUST:**

1. Be at least sixteen years of age as of June 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year, and must not have reached her nineteenth birthday as of June 1<sup>st</sup> of the current fair year.
2. Be single, never have been married, childless and will remain barren throughout her reign.
3. Be a legal resident of Park County for the period of at least one year prior to the date of the contest.
4. Be congenial with everyone and supportive of each other **AT ALL TIMES**.
5. Park County Fair Lady-in-Waiting will attend all functions deemed necessary in association with the Park County Fair and Fair Queen in representation of the Park County Fair.
6. The contestant may not have been a previous Park County Queen.

### **B. To qualify for Park County Fair Princess and Princess-in-Waiting, a contestant MUST:**

1. Be at least fourteen years of age as of June 1<sup>st</sup> of the current fair year, and must not have reached her seventeenth birthday as of June 1<sup>st</sup> of the current fair year.
2. Be single, never have been married, childless and will remain barren throughout her reign.
3. Be a legal resident of Park County for the period of at least one year prior to the date of the contest.
4. Be congenial with everyone and supportive of each other **AT ALL TIMES**.
5. Park County Fair Princess-in-Waiting will attend all functions deemed necessary in association with the Park County Fair and Fair Princess in representation of the Park County Fair.
6. The contestant may not have been a previous Park County Princess.

### **C. Rules for the Park County Fair Queen, Lady-in-Waiting, Princess, and Princess-in-Waiting:**

1. **NO SMOKING, DRINKING, CHEWING TOBACCO, OR USE OF ILLEGAL DRUGS** while representing, traveling, or attending required Fair events.
2. Royalty will not travel to or from required events with boy/girlfriends. Boyfriends/girlfriends may act as escorts at the dances. Royalty must mingle with the crowd.
3. Royalty will each be required to provide one's own horse and riding equipment (ownership not required) if appearances require riding.
4. **MUST ATTEND THE FOLLOWING REQUIRED EVENTS:**
  - a. Park County Fair Events.
  - b. Any out-of-town events the Fair Board and sponsors feel are necessary and beneficial to the Park County Fair.
  - c. Must attend all Royalty's fund raising events.
  - d. Annual Colorado Association of Fairs and Shows Convention.
5. When making an appearance, Royalty **MUST** be in Western Wear:
  - a. **BANNER AND CROWN ON A WESTERN HAT MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES**
  - b. Western jackets, Western shirts, Western pants, and belt are required according to the fashions at the time. No ragged blue jeans. All clothing must be in top shape. No torn or worn clothes. Modest apparel only.
  - c. Western Boots will be worn. No other shoes.
  - d. No short belly shirts, tight fitting clothing, short skirts or spaghetti straps.

6. Each contestant and Parent/Guardian will waive liability by signing this contract.
7. Royalty will represent Park County only when called on. No Royalty will be allowed to schedule their own appearances or events without prior approval of the Fair Board or the Royalty Coordinator.
8. Absolutely no solicitation will be allowed without consent of the Fair Board or the Royalty Coordinator.
9. Contestants must not be of royalty in any other county or for another organization during their current reign in Park County.
10. All Web pages (My Space, Facebook, etc.) will be monitored by the Fair Board and any inappropriate postings will be asked to be removed. Reoccurrences of inappropriate postings will terminate the reign and ALL items will be returned (Crown, Sashes, & Buckle).
11. Contestants will be judged in the following Divisions:
  - a. Written Test
  - b. Personality
  - c. Speech (Limited to 5 minutes)
  - d. Appearance
  - e. Interview
12. If the contestant does not have health insurance, Parents/Guardians will be responsible for health care expenses. There is no insurance covering the Royalty.
13. The contestants and their Parents/Guardians must sign all rules and the original copy returned to the Fairgrounds Office or Royalty Coordinator.
14. Upon the event in which any elected Royalty is unable to fulfill her duties, a resignation letter will be given to the Fair Board. If she resigns or her term is ended by the Fair Board the items provided by the Fair Board will be returned. Items include but are not limited to the crown, all sashes, buckles, and any items of clothing.

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I have read, agree to, and will follow the above rules.

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Contestant's signature

Date

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Parent/Guardian's signature

Date

Send form to: Park County Royalty  
 90 Pine Drive  
 Bailey, CO 80421

Important Dates for Park County Royalty Contestants:

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| June 1 <sup>st</sup>  | Completed Applications along with Insurance Information<br>2 Reference Forms for each Contestant |
| June 29 <sup>th</sup> | Fashion Review and Written Test  |
| June 29 <sup>th</sup> | BOCC and Fair Board Interview and Speeches (limit speech to 5 minutes)                           |
| TBD                   | Fashion Review Clinic (optional)   |

*Schedule subject to change*

Park County Fair Board is not liable to cover Royalty during their term. Personal health and vehicle insurance will be provided by the Contestant.

Title Competing For: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Current Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Work Number \_\_\_\_\_ Parents Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Web Pages/Facebook/My Space/ Twitter Accounts

Insurance Information

Heath Insurance Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

Vehicle Insurance Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

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

If under 18, Parent/Guardian must sign \_\_\_\_\_

**References:**

Two References will be provided for the application of the Contestant. References must not be related to the Contestant and shall be a resident of Park County.

Reference #1 Name _____	#2 Name _____
Address _____	Address _____
City _____ Zip _____	City _____ Zip _____
Home Phone _____	Home Phone _____
Cell Phone _____	Cell Phone _____

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